



ST. CHARLES CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)

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*A God-centered, community-oriented
gathering place for all generations of people.*

A Family and Community Church

Traditional Service

March 19, 2023

8:45 AM

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

***PRAISE HYMN** *"Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"* **#190 (All)**

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: Storms and terrors threaten us at every turn. Who will protect us?

Many: God will protect us, as God promised.

One: What gives us the courage to stand in the face of tribulation?

Many: It is the bond of Christ's own love, the gift of his own self for our lives.

***INVOCATION**

In the beauty of this place, we have come to pray, to worship, to receive healing and hope. We come from the struggles and triumphs of the week, needing to feel the soothing presence of God. Lord, be with us this day. Calm and soothe our souls. Cause us to rejoice that you have provided a special place where we may gather to talk of your presence and love; to sing your praises; and to be empowered to go forth to serve you. AMEN.

GLORIA PATRI

SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYER

Meditation in Silence & Pastoral Prayer

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*debts/debtors*)

PRAYER HYMN

"Go to Dark Gethsemane"

#196 (vs. 1-3)

SCRIPTURE AND SERMON

Rev. Matthew Ricks

John 19:1-16

COMMUNION HYMN

#207 (vs. 1, 2 & 4)

"In the Cross of Christ I Glory"

AT THE TABLE

Offertory Sentence/Meditation

***Doxology and Presentation of Offering**

***Elder Prayer of Dedication**

Invitation to Communion

Elder's Prayer

Distribution of Bread and Cup

Please take and hold the bread and cup.

We will all partake of the emblems together after the words of dedication.

Words of Institution

***INVITATIONAL HYMN**

"Blessed Assurance"

#543 (All)

CARRYING THE LIGHT TO THE WORLD

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

Notes

Questions you have from the scripture/s?

What did you hear God say to you through the scripture/s and sermon?

When you leave worship today what will you do to live this out?

In The Life of the Church...

MEMBERSHIP INVITATION



Anyone who wishes to become a member of this congregation of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) by confession or transfer of membership, is invited to make their desires known by speaking to Rev. Ricks.

Prayers of the Church

(Email prayer requests or changes to Sherry or call the church office)

*Wounded warriors
and those who serve.
Prayers for healthcare
workers.
Prayers for our
country and the world.*

SERVING SCHEDULE	March 19	March 26
WORSHIP LEADERS		
8:45 AM	Carole Lux	Kent Stone
COMMUNION STEWARD	Lisa Hundelt	Lisa Hundelt
ELDER		
8:45 AM	Dave Sager	Linda Stone
10:45 AM	Allison Ruffing	Tiffany Hicks
DEACONS		
8:45 AM	Bob Manchester & Cheyenne Porterfield	Leila Shockley & Valerie Rath
10:45 AM	Casey Hulbert	Ron O'Daniell
COMPUTER/CAMERA STREAMING	Computer: Linda Walton Camera: Valerie Rath	Computer: Valerie Rath Camera: Pat Porterfield
FELLOWSHIP TIME <i>(2nd Sunday of every month)</i>	April 12	

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES for March 19 – March 26

(For all meetings, events & E-Word, please visit www.stcharleschristianchurch.org)

SUNDAY	<p>Regular Sunday Morning Worship Schedule: Traditional Service – 8:45 am Adult Sunday School – 10:00 am Fellowship (2nd Sunday of every month) – 10:30 am Sunday School Classes – 10:45 am Contemporary Worship Service – 10:45 am</p>
MONDAY	Spark Before & After School Care – 6:30 to 6:00 pm
TUESDAY	<p>Spark Before & After School Care – 6:30 to 6:00 pm Music Lesson – 3:00 pm</p>
WEDNESDAY	<p>Spark Before & After School Care – 6:30 to 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study – 10:00 am 30 Minutes of Prayer – 11:00 am Genesis Middle School Youth Group – 6:30 pm</p>
THURSDAY	<p>Spark Before & After School Care – 6:30 to 6:00 pm Small Group Meeting – 6:00 pm Soccer Practice (<i>on church grounds</i>) – 6:00 pm Praise Band Practice – 6:30 pm</p>
FRIDAY	Spark Before & After School Care – 6:30 to 6:00 pm
SATURDAY	<p>Keyboard Practice – 9:00 am Music Lesson – 11:15 am</p>
SUNDAY	Regular Sunday Morning Worship Schedule

UPCOMING EVENTS

Soup & Lenten Readings – March 29, 5:30 pm

MARCH COLLECTIONS:

Oasis Food Pantry – peanut butter

Operation Christmas Child – bar soap and hairbrushes

Please bring in your tab tops for the Ronald McDonald House!

SCCC's 3rd Annual Cardinals Opening Day will be on Thursday, March 30th on the big screen! There will be traditional ballpark food plus special treats! We will have lots of baseball-related things up for auction as well.

Tickets are on sale now at \$10/person!

The Deacons will host a brunch on Palm Sunday April 2nd. There will be one service starting at 9:45 AM followed by a "potluck" brunch at approximately 11:15.

Details will be sent via email and newsletter.

Easter candy is needed for the Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 8. Please bring individually wrapped candy and small toys that will fit in an Easter egg and drop them off in the collection basket in the Narthex.

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*Anyone wanting to visit with Pastor Matt,
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