

Opening Song **"The Pledge of Allegiance"**

Welcome and Announcements

Lighting of the candles & bringing in the elements

✂ **Praise Song** **"Prepare Ye (the Way of the Lord)"**

✂ **Call to Worship & Unison Prayer**

Praise Song **"God Bless America"**

Children's Time

Special Music—Scott Schaeffer **"Proud to be an American"**

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Hymn **"Give Thanks"** #528

Scripture **Matthew 9:35-10:8** #9

Sermon **"Go—Do"**

Hymn **"This is My Song"** #722

Offering and Communion Invitation/Prayer

Communion Hymn **"Freely, Freely "** Majesty Book #679

Words of Institution

✂ **Blessing**

Extinguish candles & take the light out into the world

✂ **Closing Song** **"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"**

#434 vs 1

Call to Worship

Leader: We are being called to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ!

People: Lord, guide our feet as we enter this pathway of service for you.

Leader: It's not going to be easy; there are dangers out there!

People: Lord, help us to face those dangers with powerful faith!

Leader: Some people are going to misunderstand.

People: Help us to be clear and faithful in bringing your message of redemption.

Unison Prayer

Heavenly Father, you have given yourself to us in Jesus Christ, and you continue to be present to us through the Holy Spirit. We pray for more laborers to be sent into the harvest. Stir our hearts to answer your call as individuals and as a community. May we freely receive your blessings and freely give them to others. In Jesus's name we pray. Amen.

✂ - **Indicates to stand if you are able.**

Here at First Christian Church, we practice an open Communion Table where everyone is welcome. Please come forward to receive your communion elements. Upon return to your seat we will partake of the Lord's Supper together.

Please sign the pew register, pass it to your neighbor and return it to the center aisle.

Bibles and Hymnals are in the pew racks.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Monday, June 15th: No Looms of Love 1-3pm.

Tuesday, June 16th: Board Meeting 7pm.

Thursday, June 18th: CWF is canceled this month.

VBS June 22—26, 2026

Please remain vigilant concerning all the Scams present in our world.

VBS is fast approaching, June 22 - 26, 2026 at St. Luke Methodist.

Thanks to those who have volunteered to help.

This year VBS is sponsoring two programs.

Jasper County CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) which is a 100% volunteer driven, non-profit organization dedicated to educating and training everyday citizens to step up in emergency situations.

And

Open Arms which is a non-profit organization with a mission centered around providing immediate and meaningful support to vulnerable children and families in Jasper County. In addition to cash donations, we are looking for donations of diapers and baby wipes.

Donations to either of these programs or VBS would be greatly appreciated and may be given here at First Christian Church and we will deliver to St. Luke Methodist Church.

**June 14, 2026
Pastor Alan Berneman
Sermon: Go—Do**



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