



**“See, I am
setting a
plumb
line in
the
midst
of my
people
Israel ...”**

Amos 7:8, NRSV

JULY 10, 2022

COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ and United Church of Christ)

July 10, 2022

10:30 AM

The Reverend Steven Price

Pastor

Mr. Frankie Bones

Church Musician

Mr. Ryan Hubbell

Technical Support

Whoever you are and wherever you are on life's journey,
you are welcome here!

WELCOME!

We extend a warm welcome to you as we gather to celebrate God's life-giving presence. During communion, as we partake of the bread and cup, please know that **all** who desire Christ's boundless and embracing love are welcomed to participate.

Prayer is an important part of our life together as a community of faith. If you have a prayer concern or joy you would like raised later on in the service, text your request to Beth Fulkerson at 585.755.6310.

GATHERING

Please take this time to center yourself as we listen to this morning's prelude.

Prelude

Frankie Bones

† Invocation for an Ordinary Congregation

~ by Katie Cook

† Opening Hymn ***Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*** Chalice Hymnal, No. 16

Please join us in singing verses 1 and 3.

Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the Mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee.
Prone to wander, how I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, oh take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

*Parents/Guardians: Children are invited to attend a special summer program, "Treasure Cove."
They may leave now to find the Palm Tree in Fellowship Hall
and meet their teachers this week, Jeannie Strong and Karen Destino.*

† Hymn

We Cannot Own the Sunlit Sky

Chalice Hymnal, No. 684

Please join us in singing verses 1 and 3.

We cannot own the sunlit sky, the moon, the wild-flower's growing,
For we are part of all that is within life's river flowing.
With open hands receive and share the gifts of God's creation,
that all may have abundant life in ev'ry earthly nation.

God calls humanity to join as partners in creating
a future free from want and fear, life's goodness celebrating.
That new world beckons from afar, invites our shared endeavor,
that all may have abundant life, and peace endure forever.

Special Music

Sarah Engel and Frankie Bones

ENGAGING

Scripture Reading

Amos 7:7-17

Pew Bible, OT pages 855-856

Lector: Connie Bottoni

Sermon

The Reverend Steven Price

Music for Reflection

Frankie Bones

RESPONDING

A Sentence of Thanksgiving

A Song of Praise

Doxology

Chalice Hymnal, No. 46

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below,
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
(Or: Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost)

* *An offering plate is available in the narthex for those who would like to give after worship.*

THE LORD'S SUPPER



*en to all. Together we are the Body of Christ.
of the Bread and the Cup in unison
following the Elder's prayer.*

Prayers for Our Community and the World

Hear now our community prayers. After request... God in your goodness, grace or mercy... **People: Hear our Prayer.**

Let us say together the prayer Jesus taught those he loved . . .

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father (or Creator) which art in heaven hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil
for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

GOING FORTH

Participating in the Life of the Church (Announcements) See July Mini-News in the pew.

† Closing Hymn

Spirit

Chalice Hymnal, No. 249

Please join us in singing verses 1, 2 and 4.

This glorious hymn raises our spirits and includes the important role of prophecy throughout time.

*Spirit, Spirit of gentleness,
blow through the wilderness
calling and free,
Spirit, Spirit of restlessness,
stir me from placidness,
wind, wind on the sea.

1. You moved on the waters, you called to the deep,
then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep;
and over the eons you called to each thing:
"Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings."

2. You swept through the desert, you stung with the sand,
and you goaded your people with a law and a land;
and when they were blinded with idols and lies,
then you spoke through your prophets to open their eyes.

4. You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes.
From the bondage of sorrow all the captives dream dreams;
our women see visions, our men clear their eyes.
With bold new decisions Your people arise!

† Benediction

Gracious God, as we prepare to depart
we pray for spiritual insight and understanding;
so that we would see You in all things,
so that we would know Your will in all things,
and so that we would do as You would in all things.

Amen.

Postlude (Please be seated.).

Frankie Bones



† All who are able, please stand.

Land Acknowledgment: Our physical space stands on unceded land originally stewarded by the Seneca people. Today let us acknowledge and honor the Seneca nation by walking paths that lead to equality for all and care for creation.

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Elders	Kathy Schaefer and Patti Ayers	Deacons	Karen Destino, Sue Poulton
ZOOM Host	Barbara Coe		Diane & Stephanie Giuseppetti and Sam Beach
ZOOM Room Elder	Pam Bakst	Greeters	All God's People!

◆ OUR CHURCH AT WORK ◆

READY TO SERVE: ***The Reverend Steven Price, Pastor***

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News You Can Use at Community Christian Church

Today's ZOOM service was recorded.
To access the recording, visit our
website at Cccopentoall.org.

Please Note: For activities/events at CCC during the month of July, there is a mini-newsletter inserted in the front of each hymnal in the pews. After reading it, please return it back to the hymnal. Thank you!



125th Anniversary Trivia Contest

JULY ANSWERS

11. What happened to the Columbia Avenue Church cornerstone and its contents?
- The cornerstone and its contents are still part of the Columbia Avenue church building
 - The cornerstone was opened and its contents removed***
 - The Columbia Avenue church did not have a cornerstone

The cornerstone was removed when the church was sold and opened during a special ceremony following morning worship on August 27, 1967. It was opened by Board Chairman Albert Weaver (Carol Giblin's father) and Trustee Clarence Freeman. Five members were in attendance who were there at the time it was placed in 1922. They were Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Cook (great uncle and aunt of Karen Destino), Miss Gertrude Russell, Mrs. Mabel Karr and Mr. Harry Morgan. A membership list and church history were removed and are now on display in the church history album.

12. How did the church get its silverware that it uses for church dinners?
- Members saved Betty Crocker coupons to be redeemed for silverware***
 - Members received free silverware place settings each time they filled up with Mobil gas
 - Money from a Harvest Dinner was used to purchase them through a promotion at Wegmans

Over 100 place settings were obtained using Betty Crocker coupons. The pattern is "My Rose." To help speed the collection, our church held a coupon exchange with Blanche Weaver's home church in Pennsylvania. They saved Betty Crocker coupons for us and we saved Red Scissors coupons for them. The set also included additional pieces such as butter knives and serving spoons. For many of us, this was the first time we learned that a spoon for the sugar bowl is called a sugar shell (try saying that ten times quickly).

Best Wishes to Those Celebrating Birthdays This Week Anniversaries



July 10	Sara Kuehl	
July 11	Margo Markesteijn	Amy & Dan Greer
July 12	Brynne Strong	
July 13	Ron Herman	
July 14	Ben Schaefer	Maddie & Kyle Snyder
July 15	Matt Giuseppetti	
July 16	Violet Wanck-Kann	

◆ THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE ◆

Today, July 10 th	10:40 AM	Children’s Summer Program, “Treasure Cove.” Today’s leaders: Jeannie Strong and Karen Destino
	11:45 AM	Ministry of Congregational Care Meeting – Theater Room
Tuesday, July 11 th	10:00 AM	Hopes and Prayers (ZOOM)
	12:00 PM	Deadline for bulletin announcements
	4:00 PM	CSA Food Pickup – Outside (weather permitting) OR Atrium ‘til 6p
	6:30 PM	OMP Revue – FH ‘til 8:30
Wednesday, July 13 th	5:15 PM	Frontier Field volunteers report
	7:05 PM	Red Wings Baseball Game
Thursday, July 14 th	7:00 PM	RGMC Rehearsal – FH Chili Democratic Committee – ZOOM
	7:05 PM	CCC attends Red Wings Game
Friday, July 15 th	7:05 PM	CCC attends Red Wings Game
Saturday, July 16 th	10:30 AM	PRIDE Brunch at Ron Herman’s home – 1160 Park Avenue
	1:00 PM	PRIDE Parade
	3:45 PM	Frontier Field volunteers report
	6:05 PM	Red Wings Baseball Game
Sunday, July 17 th	10:30 AM	Hybrid Worship – masks optional
	10:40 AM	Children’s summer program “Treasure Cove.” Leaders: Nancy Pollock and Carol Giblin

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