

# Church of Christ, Congregational

## United Church of Christ

An Open and Affirming Congregation

### Our Mission

We seek to be a Christian community  
by worshiping God through prayer, music, and the proclaimed Word.

Following Christ's example,  
we enthusiastically reach out to everyone with compassion, respect and love  
so that we may grow in faith and commitment together.



**September 15, 2024**

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***Worship God, Serve our neighbors, Share God's love***

**Sunday September 15, 2024 at 10:00am**

\*Indicates standing if you are able

B = Black Hymnal R=Red Hymnal

**Prelude *He Lives*** by A.H. Ackley

**Welcome/Announcements**

**Gathering Music:** *You Who Are Thirsty*

**\*Call To Worship**

One: Call upon the Holy One, who is gracious and merciful.

**All: We love the Holy One, who has heard our cry, responds to our prayers, and abides with us through our distress.**

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**All: We praise the Righteous One, who protects, provides, and prepares their people.**

One: Call upon the Holy One, who is gracious and merciful.

**All: We worship the Radiant One, who walks before us in the land of the living.**

**\*Opening Prayer (together)**

**Creator, we have come in response to your call to worship you. We have come to be in community with our neighbor. We have come onsite and online. We have come with quiet contemplation and boisterous joy. We have come in grief and with hope. We come to gather in your name, to honor your presence, and to give you praise. AMEN.**

**\*Hymn B#300 *Jesus Shall Reign***

**Passing the Peace of Christ**

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

**Scripture Reading** Proverbs 3:13-14

## **Sermonettes of Wisdom from the Bible Study Group**

Rev. James Admans

Jen Payne

Art Payne

**\*Hymn R#314** *Lord Jesus, Think on Me*

### **The Church at Prayer**

**Sharing Our Joys and Concerns**

**Our Personal Prayers in Silence**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Lord's Prayer** (please use the wording with which you are most familiar.)

**Our Father, who 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

**Prayer Response** *Put Your Trust in God*

### **A Time of Offering**

**Invitation**

**Offertory Anthem** *I Know Whom I Have Believed*

by Lloyd Larson

**\*Doxology** "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God all creatures here below

Praise God above your heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

**\*Prayer of Dedication (together)**

**Generous God, may these gifts honor your name and your generous Spirit alive within us. We thank you for the opportunity and privilege of contributing to your kin-dom and our world. AMEN**

**\*Hymn B#497 *Guide My Feet***

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude: *Praise The King!***

By Ruth Elaine Schram

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Please stay for fellowship following the service.

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**Have a prayer request?  
Please contact Mary Jensen to add it to the prayer chain at [mejensen7@verizon.net](mailto:mejensen7@verizon.net)**



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**M&M's (Monday Morning Needlework Group)**

Join us from 10am-12pm in the parlor. Bring your handwork or just come to socialize, we'd love to see you there!

**Pastoral Emergencies**

If you have a pastoral emergency, please contact Pastor James via phone

Call or text (774)-993-9407

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **Sunday, September 15**

10:00 am ~ Worship

11:00 am ~ Refreshments

### **Monday, September 16 ~ M& M's**

10:00am-12:00pm in the Parlor

### **Wednesday, September 18**

3:00-7:00 pm Farmer's Market

### **Sunday September 22**

10:00 am ~ Worship

11:00 am ~ Refreshments



Millis Church of Christ  
Congregational's

# farmer's market

Wednesdays  
July 10th - October 2nd

3 PM-  
7 PM

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

September 28 Multi-Generational Open Mic Night 6-8pm

October 6 ~ Disability Awareness Sunday 10am

October 13 ~ Coming Out Sunday 10am

October 27 ~ Trunk or Treat 11:30-12:30pm

November 23 ~ Multi-Generational Open Mic Night 6-8pm

December 7 ~ Jolly Holly Christmas Festival 9-2pm



