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Seventh Sunday of Easter / Youth Sunday – May 21, 2023

THE GATHERING

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Chimes

Prelude

Debbie Watson

Welcome

Addison Smith

Call to Worship

Seth Pruett

Opening Hymn

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee – vs. 1, 2 & 4

No. 2

***Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive our fear and doubt away;
giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.***

***All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays,
stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.***

***Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.***

***Mortals, join the happy chorus stars of morning, take your part;
love divine is reigning o'er us, binding those of tender heart.
Ever singing, move we onward, victors in the midst of strife,
joyful music leads us sunward in the triumph song of life.***

Opening Prayer

Gwynnaeth Stewart

THE PROCLAMATION

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 41:10

Matthew Rowan

Children's Message

Adam Cook

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Lucy Anderson

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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Anthem

Who You Say I Am – Hillsong Worship

Ethan Earley

Sermon

Zetty Anderson, Ethan Earley, Michael Stewart

THE RESPONSE

Communion Hymn

Let Us Break Bread Together – vs. 1 & 2

No. 425

***Let us break bread together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us break bread together on our knees, (on our knees)
When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)***

***Let us drink wine together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us drink wine together on our knees. (on our knees)
When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)***

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table and Words of Institution

Adam Cook

Prayers for the Bread & Cup

Lucy Anderson & Gwynnaeth Stewart

Partaking of the Bread and Cup

Hailey Wilks

All believers are invited to share in the Lord's Supper.

I believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God.

THE OFFERING

Moment for Mission

Hannah Rowan

Offertory

Je te laisserai des mots – Patrick Watson

Zetty Anderson

Doxology

No. 46

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below:
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.***

Offertory Prayer

Christopher McKenzie

THE SENDING

Youth Ministry Council Recognition

Sent from the Table & Invitation to Discipleship

Ethan Earley

Closing Hymn

Blest Be the Tie that Binds

No. 433

***Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love:
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.***

***When we are called to part, it gives us inward pain;
but we shall still be joined in heart, and hope to meet again.***

Benediction

Hailey Wilks

Postlude

Debbie Watson

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Memorials and Honors

In memory of Clyde Williford given by James Henderson.

Sermon Notes

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Announcements

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CALENDAR

Sunday, May 21 Youth Sunday / Pentecost Special Offering		
8:40 am	Worship Service	Chapel
9:30 am	Sunday School	
9:30 am	Journey Through Scripture	Parlor
10:45 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary/ Livestream
12:00 pm	All Church Birthday Luncheon	Fellowship Hall
5:00 pm	Young Disciples Choir (Grades K-5)	Stratten Hall
5:00 pm	Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-12)	Room 403/Gym
5:45 pm	Young Disciples (Grades K-5)	Rooms 402/405
Monday, May 22		
7:30 am–6:00 pm	Children Come First "CCF" (M-F)	
9:00am–12:00pm	Young Ages Preschool "YAS" (M-F)	
9:00 am	CCF Chapel	Chapel
2:00 pm	College Bible Study	Room 305
5:30 pm	Faith Formation Ministry Meeting	Parlor
5:45 pm	Father/Daughter Dance Committee Meeting	Parlor
6:00 pm	VBS Offsite Volunteers Meeting	Room 405
7:30 pm	Boy Scout Troop 15	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, May 23		
9:30 am	FCC Staff Meeting / Worship Planning	Room 310
6:00 pm	Executive Council Meeting	Room 310
6:30 pm	Common Ground Recovery Ministries Support Groups Anger Management, Parenting, Rebuilding Your Life,	Rooms 304-308
Wednesday, May 24		
7:00 am	Elders' Breakfast	Room 405
9:00 am	CCF Spanish	Room 300
1:00 pm	Stretch Class	Parlor
5:30 pm	The Neighborhood Brown Bag Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm	The Neighborhood Worship Service	Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm	First Kidz (Pre-K-5)	Room 402
6:00 pm	Youth Bible Study (Grades 6-12)	Room 305
7:00 pm	Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-12)	Room 403/Gym
7:00 pm	Chancel Choir (Grades 9-Adults)	4902 Andria
Thursday, May 25		
Friday, May 26		
9:00 am	CCF Music	Room 300
Saturday, May 27		
9:00 am-3:00 pm	Open Door Class Retreat	Parlor

Family Afternoon with the Rangers!



Get the whole family together and join your church family for an afternoon of watching baseball. On Saturday, July 15, we will travel to Globe Life Field in Arlington to watch the Texas Rangers take on the Cleveland Guardians. First pitch will be at 3:05 pm and tickets are \$30 each (located in the outfield mezzanine in Right Field). Please RSVP at firstchristianwf.com/rangers by Sunday, June 11.

Meet Our 2023 Graduates



Ainslee Buckley
Daughter of Susan & John Buckley and granddaughter of Kay & Richard McQuiston. Oklahoma State University. Graduated in May 2023 with a Masters of Science degree in Accounting.



Ashli Fischer
Director of FCC's Children Come First; wife of Kelly; and mother of Kolby, Caroline & Cora. Midwestern State University. Graduated in May 2023 with a Bachelor of Science & Education degree in Early Childhood Studies.



Hollie Murphey
Wife of Kelly Murphey, mother of Isabell Gose, and daughter of Tad Gose. Washburn University School of Law. Graduated in May 2023, Cum Laude with a Juris Doctor degree.



Nicholas Schrieber
Husband of Mary Burns Schrieber, father of William Schrieber, and son-in-law of Sherri Webb. Midwestern State University. Graduated in May 2023 with a Masters of Business Administration degree.



Lauren Tuckley
Wife of Kieran Tuckley, mother of Oliver & Amelia Tuckley, daughter of Kay Sabine & David Sabine. George Mason University. Doctorate in Writing and Rhetoric.



Bethany Ward
Daughter of Susan & Camron Ward. Midwestern State University. Graduated in May 2023 with a Masters of Business Administration degree in Accounting.



Hannah Ward
Daughter of Julia & Tres Ward. University of Texas at Tyler. Graduated in December 2022 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Kinesiology.



Abby Wright
Daughter of Leann & Doug Elder and Shawn Wright, and granddaughter of Alice & Harry Gordon. Oklahoma State University. Graduated in December 2022 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration/Management.



Emily Dolberry
Daughter of Cecil & Brooke Dolberry and granddaughter of Curtis Dolberry. Martin High School of Arlington TX. Will be attending Missouri Valley College in Marshall MO.



Ryan Wilson
Son of Curtis & Janet Wilson and grandson of Curtis Dolberry. Legacy High School of Mansfield TX. Will be attending Universal Technical Institute in Irving TX.



YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR neighbor AS YOUR SELF

DO TO OTHERS AS YOU WOULD HAVE THEM DO TO YOU + LUKE 6:31

JESUS SAID TO THEM, GO INTO ALL THE world AND PROCLAIM THE good news TO THE WHOLE CREATION. + MARK 16:15

REJOICE ALWAYS

DO NOT WORRY ABOUT YOUR FUTURE. YOUR FATHER KNOWS WHAT IS GOOD FOR YOU. + MATTHEW 6:25-34

GOD HAS TOLD YOU WHAT IS GOOD! DO JUSTICE. LOVE KINDNESS. AND TALK HUMBLY WITH GOD. + MICAH 6:8

2023 PENTECOST OFFERING

MAY 21 AND 28

God IS DOING A new THING

EVERYTHING OLD HAS PASSED AWAY! SEE EVERYTHING HAS BECOME NEW! + 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17

ALL WHO BELIEVED WERE TOGETHER + AND HAD ALL THINGS IN COMMON. THEY WOULD sell THEIR POSSESSIONS AND GOODS AND distribute THE PROCEEDS TO ALL AS ANY HAD need. + ACTS 2:44-45

Follow Me

GOD SAW EVERYTHING THAT GOD HAD MADE AND INDEED, IT WAS VERY GOOD. + GENESIS 1:31

NEW CHURCH MINISTRY
newchurchministry.org

THE 2023 PENTECOST OFFERING IS A SPECIAL OFFERING IN SUPPORT OF THE NEW CHURCH MOVEMENT IN YOUR REGION AND ACROSS THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH (DISCIPLES OF CHRIST).

WE ARE A MOVEMENT FOR *wholeness* IN A FRAGMENTED WORLD.

In the beginning, every church was new! It's right there in the Book of Acts. Early disciples came together, sharing all things in common, breaking bread with glad and generous hearts. **God was doing a new thing: creating a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.**

In the beginning, Jesus sent out disciples, two by two, not to "plant" churches, but to proclaim good news, to experience the hospitality and wisdom of neighbors all around. **God was doing a new thing: creating a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.**

At New Church Ministry, we believe God is calling the whole Church back to becoming new, back to becoming who we already are: a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.

Your gifts to the 2023 Pentecost Offering, received this year in most congregations on Sundays, May 21 and 28, help ensure our movement continues to embody the Disciples of Christ vision:

To be and to share the good news, witnessing, loving, and serving from our doorsteps to the ends of the earth.



Half of your gift supports the local new church movement through your region's ministry. The other half supports **New Church Ministry** efforts across the United States and Canada to equip, train, and empower new leaders.

Thank you for participating in the new thing God is STILL doing yesterday, today, and tomorrow!

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