

WORSHIP SERVICE

April 23, 2023

Prelude
Sam Taber

Welcome and Call to Worship

Opening Hymns
My Savior's Love (#348)
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (#90)

Opening Prayer

Special Music
Mike Lymburner and Worship Team

Worship Songs
This is Amazing Grace
Forever Reign
One Thing Remains (Your Love Never Fails)

Message
Pastor Dave Morgan

Closing Song
The Bond of Love

Benediction

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OUR VISION AND MISSION

To be a biblically mature, grace-based church.

We will accomplish our vision by:

Reaching Up

through worship, exaltation, and prayer;

Reaching In

through preaching, teaching, and fellowship;

Reaching Out

through evangelism, missions, and social outreach,
that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

ALWAYS HAS, ALWAYS WILL

Thanks so much for worshipping with us today. As you leave, please go with the knowledge that God loves you! He always has; He always will. No matter what's gone wrong in your life, He'll accept you just as you are—no questions asked. He loves you, period! All He asks is your love in return. So today—right now—why not tell Jesus in your own words that you love Him. When you do, He promises to give you His peace, begin a beautiful change in you, and that He'll always be there for you—always has, always will!

CHURCH PERSONNEL

AV ..Ben Shaner, Peter Pijoan, Sam Frazier, Sam Taber,
Beverly Funk

CouncilRichard Frazier, Jan Hawes, Susan Kifer,
Bob Kline, Bruce MacGregor, Ben Shaner,
Pastor Thom, Pastor Dave

Auditor..... Len Peterson

Benevolence Fund..... Bruce MacGregor

Communion Preparation.....Nancy Watkins

Compassion Ministry Jerri Dempster

FacilitiesRichard Frazier

Kitchen Ministry.....Phyllis Forsythe, Sue Bennett,
Cynthia Torosian, Brenda Berube

Library .. Sarah Charles (Adults), Bev Funk (Children)

Missions Shirley Lymburner

Offering TableChurch Office

Operation Christmas Child Sam Frazier

Photographer..... Genie Bennett

Secretary/Clerk Karen Heidebrink

Sew Blessed..... Bette Frazier

Sexton..... Dale Mundo

Treasurer..... John Kifer

Trustees of Trust Funds ..Bruce MacGregor, Mal Cook

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WorshipKaren Heidebrink and Worship Team

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Office Hours: Mon-Thur, 9 AM to 12 Noon

**“A Passion for God,
Compassion for People”**

A WORD TO OUR VISITORS

We are so happy you have joined us this morning. Our hope and prayer is that you will feel welcomed and encouraged as we worship our God, learn from His Word, and experience His love to begin a wonderful week.

If we can help you in any way, please let us know. We are here to serve you.

If you fill out an Information Card, located in the pew holders or on the chairs, and drop it in the offering plate, we can send you additional information of our church.

Thank you so much for being our guest!

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

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| Today | 10:00 AM | Worship Service Live Streaming Kidz' Zone Nursery (ages 0-3) |
| | 11:00 AM | Fellowship Hour |
| Mon | 12-1:00 PM | AA |
| Tues | 12-1:00 PM | AA |
| Wed | 12-1:00 PM | AA |
| | 6:30 PM | Worship Team Rehearsal |
| Thurs | 10 AM | In the Round |
| | 12-1:00 PM | AA |
| | 7 PM | Sermon Discussion Group (Camp Brookwoods) |
| Fri | 12-1:00 PM | AA |

SERMON NOTES

“LOVE OF A DIFFERENT KIND”
(I Corinthians 13:1-7)
Pastor Dave Morgan

**Characteristics of what agape (love)
looks like in a life**

Love is:

Patient
Kind
Rejoices whenever the truth wins out
Puts up with what annoys us
Never gives up
Never loses faith
Is always hopeful
Endures through every circumstance

Love is NOT:

Jealous
Boastful
Inflated
Rude
Quick-tempered
Does not keep a record of being wronged
Does not seek its own interests
Does not rejoice over injustice

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN THE ROUND, which is a topical discussion led by Sheila and David, will be returning on April 27 and going through the month of May. Meetings are on Thursdays at 10 AM in the fellowship hall. All are welcome!

NEW MEMBERS WILL BE RECEIVED on May 21st. If you have received Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord and you are interested in joining with this church in membership, please see one of our Pastors.

OFFERINGS WILL NO LONGER BE RECEIVED DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE. There are drop boxes in the foyer and fellowship hall in which to place your tithes and offerings. Thank you so much!

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE for the First Christian Church Pay It Forward Scholarship for higher education. To qualify, you must be accepted into an academic degree program, First Christian Church must be your home church, and you must be actively serving the church. Please contact the church office for an application. Applications will be due May 1, 2023. If you have any questions, please call Beverly Funk or the church office at 603-569-4272.

THERE WILL BE A CHURCH SPRING CLEAN-UP DAY on Saturday, May 13, at 9 AM. We're looking forward to many volunteers showing up to help clean up the grounds and prepare the church for the summer months. Any questions? Contact Richard Frazier.

NEEDED: Someone who would be able to take this Lego table home and sand down the legs and then polyurethane it, and also clean the Lego top. There's no rush. We're cleaning all the toys in the toddler room, and this needs some love! If interested, please see or call Sue Christian. Thank you!

