

July 25, 2021

First Church of Christ



Pastor: Ryan Parish

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

9:00 AM—12:00 PM

CONTACT INFORMATION

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SERVICES

Regular Sunday Services

Worship 9:30 AM

Sunday School 11:10 AM

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome and Prayer

Opening Scripture: Psalm 89: 1-19

Song: Come Thou Fount

Song: Great is Thy Faithfulness

Time of Prayer

Message: "Return to Jesus" Don Cassler

Song: You Are My King (Amazing Love)

Communion

Benediction

Our Sunday Morning Worship service will be live streamed on the church YouTube channel ("**First Church of Christ Philipsburg**") and linked on our Facebook page ("**Philipsburg First Church of Christ**").

If you are unable to attend our service in person or view online and would like a DVD copy, please contact the church office at 342-0542 or call Pastor Ryan at 661-886-8206.

Please visit our church website at <https://www.fcocpa.org/> to link to our most recent services, resources and Bible studies and our radio ministry, Cross Examinations, which airs on WPHB, 1260 AM, Sundays at 11 a.m.

Today: Donuts and beverages in the Fellowship Hall following the Worship Service.

VBS meeting following Sunday School.

This Week

July 26 – 30: Intermediate Week at Sylvan Hills. Pastor Ryan is dean. Please keep him, the children and helpers in prayer this week.

Wednesday, July 28: Kingdom Training at 6 p.m.

August Events

Tuesday, August 3: We Are Church at 6 p.m.

August 9 – 13: **Vacation Bible School**, 6 – 8 p.m. each evening for children pre-kindergarten through 6th grade. Director is Sue Myers. Helpers are needed to help with the activities and prepare the snacks. Sign up on the list on the hall bulletin board. Please stay for the meeting at noon today. Thank you!

Saturday, August 14: **Annual Church Picnic** starting at noon. Please bring a food dish to share. Meat, rolls, condiments, tableware and bottled water will be supplied. A picnic sign up sheet is on the hall bulletin board. We still need a volunteer to organize the Chinese auction. See Barb if you are willing to do this.

Sunday, August 22: **Faith Night** at the Altoona Curve! Enjoy a night of baseball with your church family. Tickets are \$11 each. Please see the sign up sheet on the hall bulletin if you would like to reserve tickets. **Deadline is August 1.**

Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of James "Jim" Henderson who passed away on July 16 at the age of 97.

*My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.
Psalm 73:26*

IMMEDIATE PRAYER CONCERNS

Up-dated weekly: Names will be removed after four (4) weeks if not updated. We ask that you please keep us informed of the status of your prayer concern. Please have the person's consent to have their name posted in the bulletin.

Ongoing: National & international leaders, those serving in the military, police officers, fire fighters, emergency medical personnel, missionaries. Ann Mandel, Cole Navasky, Ted Butterworth, Bill Coble, Keith Govan, Regina Jackson, Kelly Watson, Florence Wood, Doris Litten, Jessica Yoder, Susan Kelly, Emily Fritz, Ashley Wales, Peter Swistock IV.

Recent: Gary Fowler, Jean Perks, Robert Riggelman, Greg Granville, Donnie McBride, Hayle Redcay, Ashley Wales.

We have phone and online prayer circles. If you would like to submit a prayer request, please contact Liz (Sis) Dixon at 814-287-9310 or Barb Woods at 814-883-0055. To have a request sent through *One Call Now* contact Pastor Ryan. Thank you.

Prayers & Squares Quilt Ministry

There are currently no quilts being tied. If you would like to request a quilt for someone who is suffering from illness, facing major surgery or bereavement, contact Barb Woods.

Pakistan Mission Trip: Pastor Ryan is planning to travel to Pakistan later this year to participate in leadership training and evangelism. Our Board has established a temporary designated fund to collect any gifts our church family might like to contribute toward the costs of the trip. If you would like to contribute towards this trip, please mark your extra gift as "Pakistan Trip". Thank you!

A **Parking Lot Fund** has been created to help cover the costs of needed repairs to our driveway and parking lot. If you would like to help with this fund, please mark your gift "parking lot" and placing it in the offering box. Thank you.

Parking Lot Fundraiser/Country Meats Beef Sticks: now available in the Fellowship Hall for just \$1 each. Choose from different varieties. If you would like a case to sell, please reach out to Lyndsay Westwood.

If you desire to become a part of a committed discipling relationship - either to receive guidance in Jesus' way, or to offer guidance to someone else in Jesus' way - please share that desire with Pastor Ryan or one of our Elders (Dewey Raymond, Don Cassler or Jerry Peddigree). We would love to help you find that connection!

July Sign Ministry: Chuck & Jaye Navasky
Needed: Someone to change the sign during the month of August. Please sign the sheet on the hall bulletin board or let Barb know.

I can do
ALL THINGS
through
CHRIST
Who
STRENGTHENS
ME Phil 4:13

Edith Shimel Missionary Society

FUNERAL DINNERS

One of the functions of the E.S.M.S. is to prepare and serve funeral dinners following services for our congregants and their families. E.S.M.S is asking for your help. Are you willing to donate a food dish to share? Can you help by setting up, serving and cleaning up? Please fill in your name and phone # below and place a check mark where you can help. Thank you!

Name_____

Phone_____

Can help day of the dinner _____

Can provide macaroni salad _____

Can provide potato salad _____

Can provide baked beans _____

Can provide a gelatin salad _____

Can provide a cake _____

Please place this in the offering box or the secretary's mailbox. Contact Georgia Demchak with any questions. *Thank you!*

Your help is greatly appreciated!