# The First Church of Christ

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# Today, November 14, 2021

#### Traditional Service 8:45-9:45

Nursery (CW-7) and Pre-K Class (CW-4) are open and available for use by families.

#### Bible Study 10:00-10:45

Nursery (CW-7): Kari Lentz

Pre-K (CW-3):

K-4<sup>th</sup> (CW-2):

5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> (CW-3): Deb Raley

### **Contemporary Service 11:00-12:00**

Nursery (CW-7):

Pre-K (CW-3): Mandy Hamrick/Patricia Craven Junior Church K-6<sup>th</sup> (YC-1): Dalton Osborn

#### Sunday Attendance 10/31/2021

Traditional 83
Contemporary 101
Total 184

#### Wednesday Attendance 11/10/2021

Lake Mount for the Mobile Museum

#### **Stewardship: 11/7/2021**

#### **Budgeted Giving:**

Weekly amount needed

to meet the budget: \$5,245.63

Weekly amount received

towards budget: \$7,105.00

Yearly amount needed: \$237,173.85 Yearly amount received: \$241,616.16

**Additional Giving:** 

CHFM \$110.00 Thanksgiving \$26.00

# This Week's Schedule

# **Today**

#### **BOARD MEETING**

following 2<sup>nd</sup> service

# Wednesday

7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

# **Youth Group**

Activities and Lesson in the Youth Center

K-4<sup>th</sup> grade (YC-2) Ryan Flowers

5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade (YC-1) Nick Ellefson

## **CHFM**

# **November Stats**

We helped 168 families, totaling 421people served, of which 162 were senior citizens.



Second service will be live @11:00 a.m. Facebook.com/cocep



# Church Thanksgiving Dinner November 21st at 5:30 p.m. in Century Hall

Bring your family, **table service** and two side dishes or 1 side dish and 1 dessert to share. Turkey, ham, gravy gravy, and your beverage will be provided. Sign-up

sheets are on the bulletin board, please take a moment to sign up if you plan to come. We are also looking for volunteers to donate hams and turkeys and/or to cook the hams and turkeys. If you can help, please sign the designated list also. Please Note: There is also a sign-up list for volunteers to help with the dinner.

# **Special Thanksgiving Offering**

We will collect our annual Thanksgiving offering after the Thanksgiving dinner. Offering envelopes have been placed in today's bulletin or you can get one at the Welcome Center. If you are not attending the dinner, you can put your offering in the offering plate or in the offering boxes on Sunday. **The offering will go to local benevolence. Thank you.** 

# Salvation Army bell ringers needed...

We need volunteers to ring the bell this year on Fridays from 12:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the East Palestine Sparkle Market beginning Friday, Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday, Dec.17<sup>th</sup>. We will have four shifts from: 12:00-2:00, 2:00-4:00 and 4:00-6:00. If you would like to help, please sign the list on the bulletin board. Our church distributes the money to those in need, giving us a wonderful opportunity to witness. Please note, that all monies collected in East Palestine stay here and are used to help local residents.

# Special Offering - NOW - December 19th

Bob Helbeck will be retiring this December 31st. We are taking a special offering that will go toward Bob's retirement. Special envelopes have been placed on the tables by the offering trays at the back of the auditorium and at the Welcome Center to place in the offering trays or offering boxes. Any checks should be made out to the First Church of Christ.

A combined Dinner Party for Bob & Jim will be held on Sunday, December 19th at 5:30 p.m.



#### **OFFERING ENVELOPES**

If you would like offering envelopes for "2022", or if you already receive offering envelopes but don't use them and no longer want them, please indicate this on a "View from the Pew" card and place it in the offering plate or offering box or let Marilyn Berresford know.

# Prayer Chain Lists

If you would like a copy of the church's updated prayer list, they are available on the Welcome Center by the parking lot doors.

#### PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER...

Our country & its leaders; our military; first responders; law enforcement officers; shut-ins; kids in school & college; and those affected by Covid.

**Lisa Toth** has cancer. (Tom & Barb Guzzetti's niece)

**Danny Gorby** is recovering from recent surgery. (Darlene Riley's brother)

Butch Libert Continued prayers.

**Erika Barnes** is recovering from injuries. (Cheryl Roush's niece)

**Jerry Conner** is at home recovering from surgery.

**Diane Ferguson** had open heart surgery on November 10<sup>th</sup>. (Friend of Janet Hoon) **Carol Bollinger** is at home.

Michelle and Albert Kincaid continued prayers.

**Lois Rambo** is at home recovering from surgery. She has 18 stitches.

Family of Robert McCamon upon Robert's recent death. (John Martin's cousin)

Laurie Feezle is at home recovering from recent surgery, which went well.

Mary Huff has covid-19. (Sue Libert & Cyndi Martin's stepmother)

Connie Rager osteoarthritis in both knees. Unspoken Request for health issues.

Chuck Peck has covid.

Teresa Peck's mother has covid.

Kiersten Hart has covid.

**Brenda Baird** is at home after being hospitalized with covid.

**Delmar Upole** fell again and had more surgery. He was moved to Covington this past Friday.

**Bill Smiley** is in St. Elizabeth-Mercy Hospital in Boardman.

Ellie Master had an abnormal EEG and they suspect either epilepsy or a possible tumor. (7 yr. old great niece of Barb & Tom Guzzetti)

# **Dinner Theater and Christmas Musical**



# The Nativity Story

# **Best Western Plus Dutch Haus Inn**

State Rt. 14, Columbiana, OH Friday, December 10 at 7:00 p.m.

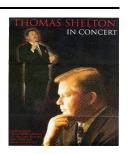
Cost: \$50.00 per person

Please sign the list posted on the bulletin board this week, if you would like to attend.

We will sit together in a group.

### THOMAS SHELTON IN CONCERT

Sunday evening, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at State Line Christian Church 51966 OH-14, East Palestine, OH 44413



**WELCOME** — **Guests,** we are happy to have you worshipping with us this morning. In order to minister to you more personally, we welcome any information you would like to share on the "View from the Pew" card, found on the back of the pew in front of you. Please take a moment and stop at the Welcome Center before you leave. It is located by the parking lot entrance.

### **ONLINE GIVING**



Just go to cocep.churchcenteronline.com. enter the amount you would like to give and your email. Enter your debit/credit card number, expiration date and the CVC code (the 3 digit-code on the back of the card). You will receive confirmation of your gift within a few minutes.