

# The First Church of Christ

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/Youth

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## Sunday, May 1, 2022

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

**Pulpit:** Brian McLaughlin

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

Nursery (CW-7): Heather & Sam Berresford

Pre-K (CW-3): Ryan Flowers

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

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

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

Nursery (CW-7): Carol McKim

Pre-K (CW-3): Misty Kalcevic

Junior Church K-6<sup>th</sup> (YC-1): Ryan Flowers

### Sunday Attendance 4/24/2022

Traditional	94
Contemporary	106
Total	200

### Wednesday Attendance 4/27/2022

Adult 33	Youth 45	Total 78
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### Stewardship: 4/24/2022

#### Budgeted Giving:

Weekly amount needed to meet the budget:	\$5,269.45
Weekly amount received towards budget:	\$6,255.85
Yearly amount needed:	\$89,580.65
Yearly amount received:	\$90,212.35

#### Additional Giving:

CHFM	\$65.00
In memory of Ken Smith	\$395.00
Easter	\$735.00

## This Week's Schedule

### Tuesday

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of each month

### Ladies Sewing/Quilting

10:00 – 2:00 p.m.

## MIDWEEK CONNECTION

### Wednesday

7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

### Youth Group

Activities and Lesson in the Youth Center

K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade (CW-2)

Mandy Hamrick

3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade (YC-1)

Ryan Flowers

5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade (YC-2)

Nick Ellefson

### Adult Class

taught by Bob Helbeck

### Ladies' Class

taught by Nickie Ostick

### Thursday

9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

CHFM

Distribution Day



Next Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup> is *Mother's Day*

We would like to purchase flowers for all our ladies on this special day. Every woman present receives a flower. **Men**, if you would like to donate toward the purchase of these flowers, designated envelopes are available at the Welcome Center. You can give your envelope to one of the Ministers or place it in one of the offering boxes.

**Walk through the Bible Event – May 21<sup>st</sup> from 9 to noon.**

Come walk through the Old Testament. There is no cost, **but you must register to attend.** You can register by signing the list on the church bulletin board or on the church website, or Facebook.



**Sunday, May 22 is Graduate Recognition Sunday** Each year we like to recognize our High School & College Graduates. If you have anyone graduating in 2022, please send information about their graduation, (future plans) open house and picture via email to the church at [info@cocep.org](mailto:info@cocep.org) or you can bring their information to the church office **by Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>.**

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**The Annual All Church BBQ!**

Immediately following 2<sup>nd</sup> service, we will meet in Century Hall. Join us for lots of good food and fellowship. Watch for more info.

**VBS is Monday, June 27 – Friday, July 1**  
**2022 Vacation Bible School**

Clear your calendars, pray, and please volunteer to help. Keep watch for more info. and signup lists on the youth bulletin board.



**STREET FAIR** **East Palestine Annual Street Fair May 25<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>**  
The church youth will be sponsoring a booth again this year at the Street Fair. **We need volunteers** from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Wed. – Fri. and from 1p.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday to help hand out candy and promote VBS and the Youth Program. **Please contact Ryan Flowers ASAP at 330-692-1523 or call the church or sign the list on the youth bulletin board if you can help.**



The family of Ken Smith would like to thank our Christian brothers and sisters for all your prayers and help you gave us in his last days. Ken loved being “coffee man” every Sunday morning for as long as he could. Thanks for the flowers, food, visits and especially for the donations made in his name.

Sincerely, Gerry Smith and family



- 5/1 Nickie Ostick  
Trevor Kimmel
- 5/3 Kari Osborn
- 5/4 Jay Boyles
- 5/5 Sidney Smith  
Pat Hillyer
- 5/6 Brooke McKim
- 5/7 Tom Bica  
Jessica Conard  
Phillip Kimmel



- 5/4 John & Soni Feezle
- 5/6 Larry & Evelyn Munyon  
Chris & Laurie Feezle



*In Loving Memory*

### Memorial Service

*A memorial service for Carol Gorby will be held this Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. here at the church.*

### Welcome to...

*Linda Corbin, who having previously been baptized, placed her membership here on April 26<sup>th</sup>.*

*Address:  
309 E Grant St  
East Palestine OH 44413*

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER...

Our country & its leaders; our military; first responders; law enforcement officers; shut-ins; kids in school & college; those affected by Covid those travelling for their jobs & the people of Ukraine.

**Unspoken Request** *personal & health issues.*

**Albert Kincaid** *has an infection back in his leg.*

**Chris Ferris** *has an aggressive form of cancer.*

**Jarrold Peters** *has celiac's disease and Barrett's esophagus. (Jeanne Harris's nephew)*

**Robert May** *is in Steubenville Hospital. He is bleeding from his kidneys. (Karen Baker's friend)*

**Unspoken Request** *for health.*

**Shirley Wilson** *is recuperating from knee surgery.*

**Bob Kunkle** *is recuperating from surgery on his hand. (Butch & Sue Libert's nephew)*

**George Clemmer** *was diagnosed with leukemia. (Karen Baler's uncle)*

**Karen Baker and family** *upon the recent death of Karen's cousin, Colleen Bishop.*

**Vickey Feezle** *has some health concerns.*

**Mary Huff** *fell and broke her right femur bone, an approximate 4 to 4 1/2 inch break and is in a stabilizer brace. Doctors can't operate because of other health issues and her age. (Sue Libert and Cyndi Martin's stepmother)*

**Braxton Feezle** *health issues.*

**Katie Clewell** *is being monitored for high blood pressure. Please keep Katie and baby in your prayers.*

**Jo Ann May update** *There is no change in the blood clot in her leg. They are monitoring it twice a week. (Connie Rager's stepmother)*

**Brenda Harper** *Her son died. This is the 2<sup>nd</sup> son she has lost.*

**Ursula Hallmark update** *She will be having surgery on Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. (Barb Guzzetti's mother)*

### SAVE THE DATE...

*A baby shower for Katie Clewell, on Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. in Century Hall.*

*Please sign the list on the bulletin board if you will be attending.*



## Walk/Relay for Ukraine

### Looking for groups to sign up for a good cause.

You can pick up a registration form at the church Welcome Center. You can bring or mail your forms and money to the church. If paying by check, make it payable to The First Church of Christ. **All registration forms and money will be due by Sunday June 5<sup>th</sup>.** Donate online (at the on-line giving site and use the drop down box and designate it for Ukraine.) Text to give number: text (amount) Ukraine to 84321. The direct link to give is <https://cocep.churchcenter.com/giving/to/walk-for-ukraine> Share our Facebook event (Walk/Relay for Ukraine). For any questions contact Mandy Hamrick at 234-517-4139.

### Century Hall Rentals

If you have someone graduating from High School or College and would like to use Century Hall for an open house, please call the office and let Sue know as soon as possible. Also, if you have not yet paid your fees, please do so at the church office at your convenience. We are here Mon.-Fri. from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. You may also leave a check on the office desk.

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**ATTENDANCE** – Please take a moment before the Worship Service (each Sunday) to sign the attendance sheets available in each pew and be sure to add your phone number. Those of you sitting at the end of the pews should pass the attendance sheets down your row. Also, hearing devices are available at the Welcome Center located by the parking lot doors.

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**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](https://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 a confirmation of your gift within a few minutes.



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