

# Christ Church United Methodist

February 11, 2024

(in - person) 9:00 am  
(live-streamed & in - person) 11:15 am

## 5th Sunday after Epiphany Transfiguration Sunday Order of Worship

WELCOME

Rev. Leigh Ann Maynard

PRELUDE

*Trumpet Voluntary*  
David Catlett, trumpet; Matthew Vanover, organ

William Boyce

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Dr. Eric Bryant

Leader: The mighty one, God the Lord, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

**People: Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God shines forth.**

Leader: Our God comes and does not keep silent; before him is a devouring fire and a mighty tempest all around him.

**People: He calls to the heavens above and to the earth, that he may judge his people:**

Leader: "Gather to me my faithful ones, who made a covenant with me by sacrifice!"

**People: The heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Hymn 154  
st. 1-4, 6

All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall, bring forth the royal diadem,  
and crown him Lord of all. Bring forth the royal diadem,  
and crown him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall,  
hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all.  
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall,  
go spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him Lord of all.  
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Let every kindred, every tribe on this terrestrial ball,  
to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.  
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall,  
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.  
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We are not alone,  
we live in God's world.  
We believe in God:  
who has created and is creating,  
who has come in Jesus,  
the Word made flesh,  
to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others  
by the Spirit.  
We trust in God.  
We are called to be the Church:  
to celebrate God's presence,  
to live with respect in Creation,  
to love and serve others,  
to seek justice and resist evil,  
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,  
our judge and our hope.  
In life, in death, in life beyond death,  
God is with us.  
We are not alone.  
Thanks be to God.

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

Hymn 103

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!  
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him!  
Let the amen sound from his people again; gladly forever adore him.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO PRAYER

*Fairest Lord Jesus*

Hymn 189

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations! Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass 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.

OFFERING MUSIC

‡ 9:00

*O Radiant Dawn*  
Chancel Choir

James MacMillan

◇ 11:15

*God is Able*  
One Voice and Laudate

Mark Miller

\*DOXOLOGY

Hymn 95

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. Amen.

\*SCRIPTURE

*Mark 9:2-9*

(9:00) Bee Sanderson  
(11:15) John Maynard

SERMON

*Glory*

Rev. Leigh Ann Maynard

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*CLOSING HYMN

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*

Hymn 206

I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus.  
God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus.

Refrain: In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.  
The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.

I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus.  
Clear Sun of Righteousness, shine on my path, and show me the way to the Father. (Refrain)

I'm looking for the coming of Christ. I want to be with Jesus.  
When we have run with patience the race, we shall know the joy of Jesus. (Refrain)

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

*Allegro Maestoso*  
Matthew Vanover, organ

Felix Mendelssohn

‡ Dr. Daniel Blosser, conductor

◇ Dr. Daniel Blosser, conductor; Kathy Kicklighter, piano

\*\**Announcements are located on the following pages*

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## THIS MORNING

The flowers have been placed in the Chancel area this morning in loving memory of Ralph Powell by Carol Powell and family.

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Christian sympathy is extended to Eron and Jennifer Jaber on the death of Eron's mother, Irena Jaber, who died February 4. Christian sympathy is also extended to grandchildren Ben and Luke.

Christian sympathy is extended to Marla and Lee Guillaume on the death of Marla's father, Julian Trospen, who died January 31. Christian sympathy is also extended to grandchildren Erika and Drew.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Youth Missions Fundraiser** | Today, February 11 | 12:30 pm | Fellowship Hall

Plan to support our young people by attending their annual Youth Fundraiser to support Youth Missions, Choir Tour and Confirmation. Join them for a **baked potato bar lunch**, **Super Bowl snacks to purchase** and the **legendary Cake Auction!** To make a donation to Youth Missions, please visit [ccum.net/youth!](http://ccum.net/youth!)

**VBS 2024** | July 8-11 | **"Wake up, Samuel!"** #Godiscalling

Does God still speak? Yes! God knows our name and calls us to listen, know and follow! Meet the young boy, Samuel, this summer as he is called by God and helps us learn how to HEAR God. **Registration is NOW OPEN** so hop on over to [ccum.net/vbs](http://ccum.net/vbs) for more information about waking up to Gods voice!

"Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening" 1 Samuel 3:9

**SAM Luncheon** | Monday, February 12 | 11:30 am | Alanna Nash: *A Life in Words* An award-winning journalist, Alanna has **written feature articles on popular arts and culture** for *The New York Times*, *Entertainment Weekly*, *AARP Magazine* and others. We'll learn how her writing career began, the nuts and bolts of interviewing and her acclaimed biographies, with a delicious **box lunch** from Gracious Plenty. Register at [ccum.net/SAM](http://ccum.net/SAM) or at the reception desk!

**Ash Wednesday Worship at Coke Memorial United Methodist Church**

Wednesday, February 14 | 6:30 pm | 428 E Breckinridge St. Gather with our Old Louisville neighbors as **Fourth Avenue UMC, Christ Church UM and Coke Memorial UMC** join together for this initial movement of the Lenten Season. For additional information, contact Rev. Leigh Ann Maynard at [lmaynard@ccum.net](mailto:lmaynard@ccum.net).

**Lent is a season of preparation for Easter that lasts 40 days** (not counting Sundays) that spans from Ash Wednesday until Easter each year. For Lent 2024, our **guiding scripture** is Exodus 33:14 – The Lord replied, "My presence will go with you and I will give you rest." **You are Called To a Lenten season of simplicity, unity and rest.** Invite the Holy Spirit to be present and guide you throughout Lent. To assist with this, **you may sign-up for daily texts or pick up a set of Reflection Cards** (available in the Gathering Hall). You can also **gather each Wednesday of Lent** in the Chapel from 6:15 - 7 pm for a time with Rev. Leigh Ann Maynard to "*Unclutter Your Soul!*" as we listen to the word of God. You can sign up to join her at [ccum.net/lent](http://ccum.net/lent). The first Sunday of Lent is February 18.

**Ash Wednesday at Christ Church** | Wednesday, February 14

7:30 – 9:30 am | Imposition of Ashes | Chapel

Noon Service | Sanctuary

6:30 pm Service | Sanctuary or Livestream

**Sharing God's Love this Lent**

**Easter Lilies** – Honor a loved one, past or present, by purchasing a \$15 lily that will decorate our church for Easter.

Visit [ccum.net/lilies2024](http://ccum.net/lilies2024) by Sunday, March 17 or

contact [katie@ccum.net](mailto:katie@ccum.net) with questions.

**Support the cost of Dinner and Transportation** for the **Maundy**

**Thursday service at Fourth Avenue UMC** where our Bridge Communities and friends from The Healing Place will be welcomed. Visit [ccum.net/maundygift](http://ccum.net/maundygift) to donate.

**The Pass it On Kids Sale is March 8 and 9!**

The semi-annual Pass it On Kids Sale has **hundreds of items**, including clothing, toys, books, shoes, furniture, equipment, maternity clothes and more! 40% of all proceeds are donated to mission projects selected by women of Christ Church. Visit [ccum.net/passiton](http://ccum.net/passiton) to **sign up to volunteer or consign**. For questions and more information **text** Whitney Fontaine at (502) 797-7175.

### **A.W.E. Ministry Knife and Palette Class** | Saturday, March 2 | 10 - 11:30 am | Art Studio in the Youth Center

Join Susan Brooks as she leads a knife and palette class - **no experience necessary!** This class will show you how to paint with lots of texture, using palette knives, rather than brushes. If you love impasto paintings and the work of artists like Van Gogh, this class is for you! The cost is \$25 and all art supplies will be provided. The class is **recommended for older teens and adults**. Please register at [ccum.net/awe](http://ccum.net/awe).

### **Scouts Pinewood Derby and Pancake Breakfast** | Saturday, February 17 | 8 am - 12 pm | Fellowship Hall

Support Cub Scout Pack 317 at their annual Pinewood Derby! Join them for an **all-you-can-eat** pancake breakfast, **games and activities**, a **fun photo booth**, and of course, the races! The pancake breakfast is \$5 single/\$15 family and will be served from 8 - 10 am and the races will begin at 9 am. If you would like to sponsor a race or car, please contact Holly Allen at [holly.neal@yahoo.com](mailto:holly.neal@yahoo.com).

### **Women's Ministry 2024: Study | Share | Seek | Serve**

Winter Gathering | Tuesday, February 13 | 10 am - 12 pm or 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Choose the time that works best—**morning or evening**—meet us in Room 250 for **fellowship, refreshments, and inspiration**, then we'll move to nearby rooms to go deeper in a **small group** setting. Our seasonal gatherings are **free**, online registration is easy, and women of all ages are welcome! Register at [ccum.net/women](http://ccum.net/women) by February 11.

### **Called to Write: A Weekend Workshop** | March 15, 5:30 pm to March 16, 2 pm **Is it time to get serious about your writing?**

Explore and develop your gifts in a safe, supportive community, **led by seasoned writers** who share your passion for words. **Silas House**, Kentucky's Poet Laureate, and **Tori Murden McClure**, President of Spalding University, are keynote speakers, author Liz Curtis Higgs is host, and 9 workshop leaders will share their expertise. For more information and to register please visit [ccum.net/calledtowrite](http://ccum.net/calledtowrite)!

### **Weekly Fitness Classes**

Looking to improve your fitness while having fun? We have 2 types of classes every week in the Gym, open to all ages and fitness levels, and they're **free!**

- REFIT® combines movement and positive music for a cardio-based workout that is challenging, effective and fun for everybody. Classes are Mondays at 6:15 pm and Saturdays at 9 am.
- REV+FLOW® is a low impact, high intensity workout focused on building strength, balance, flexibility and mobility. Classes are Tuesdays at 6:15 pm.

### **College Aged/ Young Adult Contact Information**

If you have a loved one who has taken their first steps into adulthood, whether that be attending college or trade school, entering the workforce, or taking time for themselves, **we want to stay in contact with them** as they transition into becoming adults. Please fill out the information form at [ccum.net/youngadults](http://ccum.net/youngadults) so we can ensure those who are adapting to a new chapter in their lives **feel God's love** through Christ Church.

### **Men's Ministry: Just for Men** | Wednesdays at 7:30 am via Zoom

Join Rev. Mike Porter, Director of Men's Ministries and Discipleship, as he shares scripture and discussion for men during these trying times. Drop-in to our weekly gathering. If interested, please email [katie@ccum.net](mailto:katie@ccum.net) to be sent the Zoom link.

