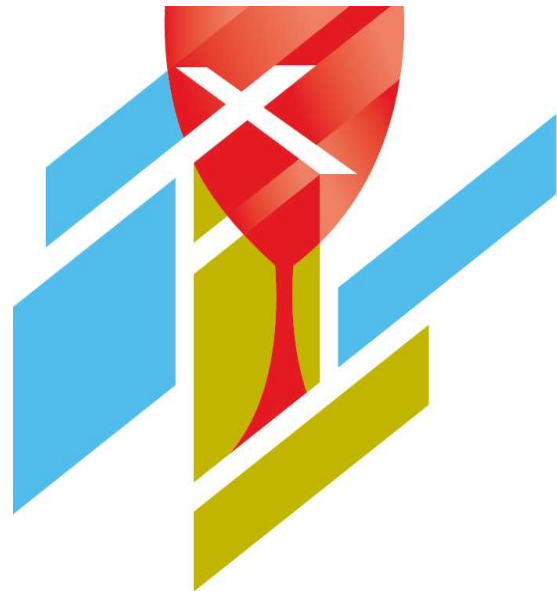


*First Christian Church*  
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# First Christian Church

Believe, Belong, Become.

**Sunday, May 5, 2024**  
**10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

**SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP**  
**May 5, 2024**

**WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE**

WELCOMING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST Acolyte, The Welsch Family

\*PRELUDE *Rejoice in God's Saints* by: Aylward

\*OPENING HYMN *Rejoice, the Lord is King!* # 699  
(all verses)

\*PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *Rejoice in God's Saints* # 476  
(vs. 1, 3 & 4)

\*GREETING AND RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP Rev. Joshua Sawyer

WELCOMING THE CHILDREN

BLESSING OUR CHILDREN

**WE PRAISE GOD**

MORNING PRAYER

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen."**

STEWARDSHIP Sue Sawyer

OFFERTORY

*Overtaken*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD**

SCRIPTURE

Philippians 4:4-9

P. 198 NT

MESSAGE

Faith's Training Ground

Rev. Sawyer

**WE GATHER WITH CHRIST AT THE TABLE**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION PRAYER

Gary Sawyer

MEDITATION MUSIC

*Pianoforte Solomente*

PARTICIPATION IN COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG

*One Bread, One Body*

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**WE DEPART TO SERVE**

INVITATION

\*CLOSING SONG

*Victory Chant*

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\*BENEDICTION

*Go in Peace*

Go in peace and the peace of God be with you this day.  
Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always.  
Celebrate and share the joy! Celebrate new life!  
Go in peace and the peace of God be with you always.

**WELCOME TO CHRIST'S CHURCH  
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Jacob Bullock, Vocals

Doug Good, Acoustic guitar, Vocals

Angela Frey, Vocals

Chris Jenson, Electric guitar

Linda Hotchkiss, Piano

Trey Warnhoff, Drums

Rebecca Noameshie, Office Manager

Dustin Miller, Maintenance Engineer