

Today is Reformation Day

9:00 & 11:00 AM

Rejoice in the Lord always.
I will say it again: Rejoice!
Philippians 4:4

The Prelude Su Jung, organ
A Mighty Fortress Is Our God Johann Pachelbel

We Sing
I've Got the Joy
Joy Unspeakable

The Call to Worship

We Sing Hymnal No. 20
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

We Pray

An Anthem Worship Choir; SeaHwa Jung Director
A Mighty Fortress Is Our God Carl Mueller
(Children through Grade 5 are dismissed for Sunday School following the anthem.)

But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await
a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, . . .
Philippians 3:14

The Scripture Reading Philippians 4:4-9

The Message Kirk Schneemann
Citizens

The Morning Prayer Hymnal No. 365
Abide with Me (verses 1 and 5)

We Sing
Rejoice

And the God of peace will be with you.
Philippians 4:9

The Blessing

The Postlude Su Jung, organ
Once to Every Man and Nation Arranged by Marianne Kim

*An opportunity for an extended time of prayer and/or the
anointing with oil will be available upon the conclusion of the
worship service at the southside transept of the sanctuary.*

Our Mission:

The mission of College First Church of God is to
love, equip, and send people in the name of Jesus Christ.



Sunday, October 26,
2025

Get Involved....

For details on all of the opportunities listed below and more you can view our FYI newsletter online. Go to www.collegefirst.org and click **CONNECT**. You can also subscribe your email at the bottom of the homepage to get the FYI weekly.

HYMN SING
Come join in on wonderful fellowship, desserts, and singing **TODAY** starting at 6 PM! You are invited to bring a dessert to share, though not required. Any questions, please contact Pastor David.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
College First Congregational Meeting is a great way to meet current Council members and how Church Council guides College First with God's love and direction. This meeting is also a time for voting new Church Council members to serve a 3 year term. The Church Council Commissions are: Next Generations, Connection & Discipleship, Outreach & Missions, Property Management, Stewardship & Finance, and Worship. The Congregational Meeting is open for all who call College First home, but voting new Church Council members is done by church members who wish to do so. The Congregational Meeting will take place on Sunday, November 9 at 5 PM in the College First Sanctuary.

SENIOR FUN NIGHT
On Tuesday, November 11, at 5:30 PM, please come and join Senior Fun Dinner! November's dinner will have a main course of Turkey. Please bring a side dish or dessert to go with dinner. Drink and table service will be provided. After dinner, an informative program about the opportunity to support church leadership into the future, as well as a Veteran's Day celebration. Please sign up!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD NIGHT
On Sunday, November 16 from 5:30-8 PM, grades 5-12 are invited to an evening of fun and impact. Come and share a meal, shop for, and pack a shoebox for a child in need somewhere in the world. Share the greatest gift, the gift of the gospel of Jesus Christ. on Sunday, November 9 at 5 PM in the College First Sanctuary.

ONLINE GIVING
You can now give online via PayPal, in addition to giving on the church website. Please scan the QR Code provided. Any questions, please call the church office.



#activekids
Kids Ministry – Our courage can help others see. (Daniel in the Lion's Den)
9:00AM -Sunday School: Nursery- Pre-K: Rm 100, K-2nd:Rm 103, 3rd-5th: Rm 105
Encounter– All kids, grades Kindergarten through 5th, are invited to Encounter each week from 6-7:30 p.m. at College First. Any ques- tions, contact Nicky Inman at ninman@collegefirst.org.

Student Ministry– YOUTH GROUP- (6th-12th grade) 5:30- 7:30 p.m., Sundays. Come for dinner, worship, Bible Study, games at the Fellowship Hall.

In the Spotlight.



This week...

Worship Choir
The College First Worship Choir has been providing musical leadership in worship for many decades and continues to be a vital ministry for the church. Under the direction of SeaHwa Jung, the group rehearses for an hour beginning at 7:00 pm each Wednesday evening in the church sanctuary and helps lead in worship at the 9:00 and 11:00 am Sunday morning worship services. Rehearsals provide a meaningful setting for rich fellowship and musical expression and are always a lot of fun as the group sings a wide variety of anthems and songs. Rehearsals also provide time for prayer and spiritual encouragement.

The Worship Choir is open to all High School age and above and no audition is required to join. Contact SeaHwa Jung at jung@findlay.edu or 970-631-3844 for more information.

Join us in prayer:
Jan Below, Linda Bratt, Christine Cole, Paula Dewey, Briella Fletcher, Jill Gordon, Ledger Han, Missy LaRocco, Phyllis Miller, Lee Osmun, Cindy Sims-Perry, Doug Rosendale, JoAnn Wilson

Please also pray for:
•Peace for the ongoing conflicts in Israel, Ukraine, Haiti, and around the world.
•College First to **build bridges** to our neighbors and community.

Merciful Father, accept these prayers in the name of your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Our thanks to all of our Frontline Ministry, Kids Ministry, Worship Ministry, and Audio/Visual Ministry Partners for their service this morning.



College First Church of God is a proud part of the Great Lakes Region of the Churches of God, General Conference. For more information on the denomination, check out www.cggc.org.

Here at College First, we hope you can...

- Gather

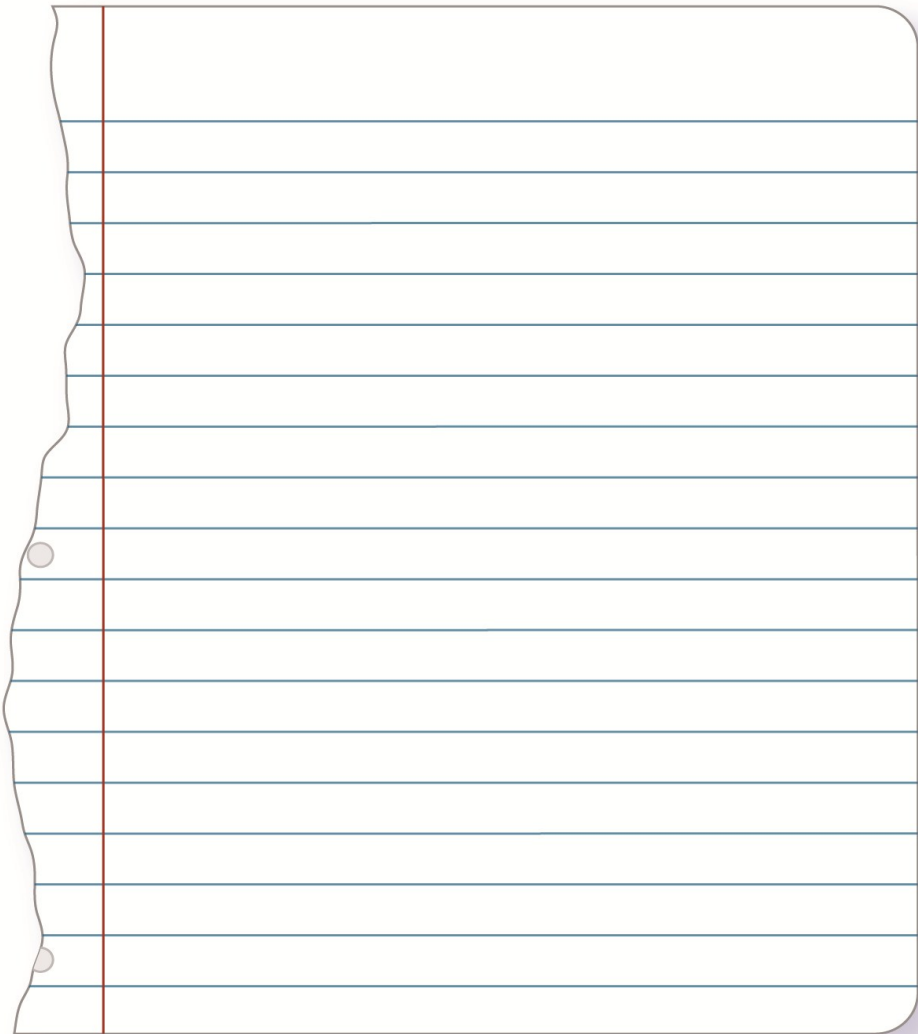
Gather together each Sunday as we share in word and worship together
- Connect

Connect in discipleship groups for community, growth, and outreach
- Partner

Partner in ministry, serving the church and the community for the sake of the Kingdom

Sermon Notes: Citizens

Philippians 3:17-4:9



Welcome to College First Church of God.

We're glad you are with us today. We hope you find our worship relevant, our discipleship and Christian education opportunities inviting, and our special ministries to children, youth, families, and seniors helpful.

Altar Flowers are given by Kevin & Pam Jenkins in honor of former and current pastors of College First: Paul Tewell, Darrell Linder, William Jackson, Robert Bistline, C. Darrell Prichard, David Gregg, Larry White, David Welker, William Miller, William Reist, Brandon Kelly, Kimberly Reese, Nancy Hiser, Kirk Schneemann.

Welcome Guests! We'd love the opportunity to get to know you more. Please stop by the Welcome Center for a free gift. Welcome brochures and Bibles are also available.

Hearing Assistance devices are available upon request. Please see one of the ushers for assistance.

College First Sunday Morning Worship Services

Sanctuary: 9:00AM & 11:00AM Traditional Worship
Winebrenner Auditorium: 10:00AM Contemporary Worship (950 N. Main Street)

Kids Ministry Information

Children ages 5 & under are invited to be dropped off to their ministry rooms prior to the beginning of the service. The **Nursery** for **children birth through pre-K** is in room **100**.

Kids **K-grade 5** will join their families in the Sanctuary for worship and be dismissed to their classrooms after the music.

Parents of kids grade 5 & younger, please **SIGN-IN** your children for Kids Ministry programs & Sunday School at the sign-in station located in the entry by the **Welcome Center**.

College First Staff

Kirk Schneemann, Lead Pastor
David Welker, Pastor of Worship & Lay Activities
Kimberly Reese, Connections Pastor
Su Jung, Organist
SeaHwa Jung, Worship Choir Director
Donald Daboiko, Director of Worship, CF Winebrenner

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