

Today is Sixth Sunday after Pentecost  
9:00 & 11:00 AM

“Today, this scripture is fulfilled  
in your hearing.”  
Luke 4:21

**The Prelude** Su Jung, organist  
*O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* Arr. by Jason D. Payne

**We Sing**  
Sanctuary  
*At the Name of Jesus*

**Call to Worship**

**We Sing**  
*All Creatures of Our God* (vrs. 1, 2, 4, & 5) Hymnal No. 356

**We Pray**  
*(Children through Grade 5 are dismissed for Sunday School.)*

**The Scripture Reading** Luke 4:14-30

**The Message** Brent Sleasman  
President of Winebrenner Theological Seminary  
Focusing on Jesus’ Mission

**The Morning Prayer (9:00)**  
*Christ Is Mine Forevermore*

**We Sing (9:00)**  
*Facing a Task Unfinished*

**The Ordinance of Baptism (11:00)**  
Isabella “Bella” Williams, Rylee Knestrick, Tyler Knestrick,  
and Ron Struble  
*Christ is Mine Forevermore*

**The Blessing**

**The Postlude** Su Jung, organ  
*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* Arranged by Lani Smith

*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, July 20,  
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](http://www.collegefirst.org) and click **CONNECT**. You can also subscribe your email at the bottom of the homepage to get the FYI weekly.

**VBS**  
From July 21-25 from 6-8 PM, learn the importance of time and patience throughout the Bible. Our steam punk time traveler will guide us through our week. Come join us! Any questions or to register, please contact the church office or Nicky.

**CF KIDS UPDATES**  
C F KIDS will be taking a short break in the month of August for some extra family time. Winebrenner kids will start in the big service with their parents in August and be dismissed after worship for their class times (nursery and preschool will be available from the beginning of worship). We will be ending Encounter on the July 30th with a party and baptismal service - everyone welcome! We will have our Back to School Bash on August 22 and regular Encounter will resume for the school year on September 3! U R LOVED!!

**SCRAP METAL DONATIONS**  
We are accepting scrap metal until July 31. Proceeds of scrap metal will benefit Youth Missions. Any questions, please ask Pastor Nancy.

**ICE CREAM AT THE FAIR!**  
Do you enjoy ice cream? How about fairs? College First is having a booth at the Merchant’s Building at the Hancock County Fair from August 26-September 1. We need many volunteers! Sign up sheets are in front of the church office. Any questions and for more info, please contact Simeon at [simeon@collegefirst.org](mailto:simeon@collegefirst.org) or the church office.

**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** –God helps us solve big problems. (Elisha and the Famine)  
**9:00AM** -Sunday School: Nursery- Pre-K: Rm 100, K-2nd:Rm 103, 3rd-5th: Rm 105  
**10:00AM** -Sunday School@ CFW: Preschool: Rm 251, K-2nd:Rm 250, 3rd-5th:Rm 252  
**Encounter**– All kids, grades Kindergarten through 5th, are invited to Encounter each week from 6-7:30 p.m. at College First. Any questions, contact Nicky Inman at [ninman@collegefirst.org](mailto:ninman@collegefirst.org).

**Student Ministry– TOGETHER-** (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...

**Next Gen Commission**  
The Next Gen commission is a group of leaders at College First who represent our young people ages birth – age 30. The commission meets once a month to plan, support and provide oversight to ministries for this age group. The commission is made up of lay leaders from the church, a deacon, an elder, the Director of Kids Ministries, and the Pastor of Student and Young Adult Ministries.

Next Gen ministries include Encounter, Kids Sunday School, Upwards Flag Football, Finally Friday, VBS, Together on Sunday (Youth Group), Bible Quizzing, Young Adult events and Discipleship Huddles, International Student Ministries, the Leadership Development Program and Athletic Ministries. Members of this commission have a passion for spreading the gospel and for helping our church grow younger generations into Jesus-centered disciples. The commission welcomes participation from anyone in the congregation regardless of age.

Individuals interested in attending a commission meeting or in becoming a commission member can reach out to Pastor Nancy at [nhiser@collegefirst.org](mailto:nhiser@collegefirst.org).

**Join us in prayer:**  
Linda Bratt, Christine Cole, Paula Dewey, Briella Fletcher, Beth Gault, Jill Gordon, Dorothy Harvey, Karen Mains, Connie McClelland, Phyllis Miller, Lee Osmun, Duane Philipp, Doug Rosendale, Krista Smith, John Wolford

**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](http://www.cggc.org).

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