#### **Today is Fourth Sunday after Pentecost** 9:00 & 11:00 AM

#### This is the confidence we have in approaching God ...

1 John 5:15

#### The Prelude

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Su Jung, organ Arranged by Dan Miller

#### We Sing

Where Two or Three of You

#### Call to Worship

#### We Sing

Behold Our God All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (vrs. 1, 2, 4 & 5) Hymnal No. 95

#### We Pray

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

The Scripture Reading

1 John 5:13-15

The Message Ask

Kirk Schneemann

And if we know that he hears us—whatever we ask—we know that we have what we asked of him. 1 John 5:15

The Morning Prayer If I Seek You

#### The Table of the Lord

Invitation to the Table We Will Feast in the House of Zion

#### The Bread

The Cup By His Blood / Salvation Belongs to Our God

#### The Blessing

#### The Postlude

The Church's One Foundation

Su Jung, organ Arranged by Lani Smith

An opportunity for an extended time of praver 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 6, 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.

#### **KINGDOM ADVENTURE DAY**

Explore God's creation on a day filled with adventure. Start things off with a trip to the African Safari Wildlife Park to see the creatures he made. Enjoy a picnic and nature walk at East Harbor State Park and a devotional on God as our Creator. Cap off the day with a stop at Toft's Ice Cream Parlor before returning to Findlay. To register, e-mail Pastor Nancy at <u>nhiser@collegefirst.org</u> or go to: bit.ly/3TDoY9E.

#### **BAPTISMS PLANNED**

We are excited to celebrate baptisms during the 10:00 worship service on July 13<sup>th</sup> and during the 11:00 worship service on July 20th. If you would be interested in learning more about baptism and taking this next step in your faith, please contact any of the pastors or contact the church office.

#### **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.

#### **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.

#### **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 aks us to help each other. (Elisha and the Widow's Oil)

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 guestions, contact Nicky Inman at 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...

#### **Outreach and Missions** Commission

God speaks through the parts of the Church to benefit the whole. The Outreach and Missions Commission seeks to be a part of the College First Church of God in that fashion. The commission seeks to turn our compassion into action because compassion lies at the heart of generosity. We seek to fill the mission of College First by using missions and outreach to love, equip and send people in the name of Jesus Christ.

Our Commission often focuses on financial and spiritual support of missionaries out in the mission fields across the globe. God's hardworking missionaries are to be financially supported by God's exceedingly blessed church. The Outreach and Mission Commission also focuses on helping others within the church engage and participate in short-term mission trips. The team has consistently worked to send church members overseas when they are able to serve the Lord in this, including a recent mission trip to the Dominican Republic.

The commission recently completed a food drive in collaboration with Chopin Hall and West Ohio Food Bank. Our congregation members were truly turning their compassion into action to help sort and distribute food to those in need in our community. At each food drive, we also distribute coffee and donuts and pray for those waiting in the extremely long pick-up lines. This has truly been a huge blessing as we can see the love of Christ working through these interactions and pravers.

To learn more about the Outreach and Missions Commission, please contact Missy LaRocco.

Join us in prayer:

#### Please also prav for:

world.







Linda Bratt, Christine Cole, Briella Fletcher, Beth Gault, Jill Gordon, Dorothy Harvey, Margaret Knestrick, Deb Cairl Lucio, Karen Mains, Connie McClelland, Phyllis Miller, Lee Osmun, Doug Rosendale, Krista Smith

•Peace for the ongoing conflicts in Israel, Ukraine, Haiti, and around the

•College First to build bridges to our neighbors and community.

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

> Great Lakes Conference Churches of God



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: Ask

1John 5:13-21



#### 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 Penny and Erin Prigge in loving memory of Ken Heffner; Dad/ Grandpa.

**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 Blended 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**

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