

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
Niles, OH 44446
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Rev. Christopher Stark, Minister

10:00 A.M.

WORSHIP SERVICE

AUGUST 11, 2024

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Welcome, children of God, gather and remember God's great love for us! In our gathering today we celebrate an end of Vacation Bible School and the days that we have joined together filled with learning, laughter, and love.

In our gathering, we give thanks for lessons learned and friendships made.

Friends and siblings in Christ, adults and campers, join in together as we say our Camp Callout!

Whenever I'm afraid, I put my trust in you!

Hear the hope of the Psalmist as we seek our God in this space.
May we worship here together! Amen.

VBS SELECTION

COMMUNITY PRAYERS

SILENT PRAYER

MORNING PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 56

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HOMILY

'NERVITED'

AT THE TABLE

INVITATION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

BLESSING OVER BREAD AND CUP

COMMUNION BY INTINCTION

We are going forward for communion. A piece of bread will be placed into your cupped hands then you will take a cup from the communion tray. If you prefer to receive your communion packaged, those too will be available when you go forward. If you are unable to come forward a deacon will bring communion to you.

DOXOLOGY 'Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow' CH 46

PRAYERS OVER TITHES AND OFFERINGS

VBS SELECTION

BENEDICTION

Go forth from this place, remembering that God will always go with you. No matter the hardships you face, no matter the uncertainty, or the enmity you might encounter, we shall place our trust in God. We will offer our thanksgiving to God. And campers, say our Camp Callout with me! Whenever I'm afraid, I put my trust in you! Amen.

TODAY IS VBS SUNDAY. We thank Shelly Pressell for all her hard work coordinating this year's VBS.

WORSHIP IN WADDELL PARK will be held **next Sunday, August 18** at 11 a.m. at the large pavilion. Church picnic to follow at noon. Everyone is asked to bring a dish to share and your own table setting.

VBS MISSION PROJECT is collecting items for the Youngstown Rescue Mission. Pick up a flyer in the narthex for a listing of staples, spices and household items needed. Deadline to donate is September 15th.

SCHOLARSHIP FORMS are available on the bulletin board by the main office for those heading to post high school education in an accredited institution. Applications must be filed each year (even if you have applied in previous years). **Deadline is August 31st complete with proof of enrollment.**

FOR OUR 10 A.M. SUMMER WORSHIP, children ages nursery to 4 are welcome in the Preschool Room. For children remaining in the sanctuary, activity bags are available on the front pew.

PRAYER REQUESTS – Contact Pastor Chris at 330.442.2558 so that our praises and prayer concerns might be held in prayer throughout the week.

CALENDAR

Sun.	9:30 a.m.	Stewardship/Finance Meeting
	10 a.m.	Worship Service
Mon.	6 p.m.	Scouts