

5/3	Abbigail Metcalf
5/8	Ralph Summitt
5/9	Terri Adams
5/10	Benjamin Lyvers
5/10	Daniel Lyvers
5/13	Jonathon Wilcox
5/20	Eddie Thomas
5/20	Lonnie Wise
5/23	Bill Walls
5/28	<b>Riley Adams</b>



5/03/1985	Enrique & Traci Melgar
5/20/1989	Kerry & Melinda Monin
5/28/1983	Pat & Terri Adams

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Pianist and Handbells: Karen Breeden	

### Weekly events

Monday -Rock Steady Boxing 1:00pm Monday - CCF 3:30-5:00pm (Final) Wednesday-Rock Steady Boxing 1:00pm Wednesday - Choir - 6:00pm Thursday - PAL - 6:30pm

## Monthly events

5/5 Sunday - 12 noon Youth 5/6 Monday - 3:30pm CCF (Final) 5/6 Monday - 4:00pm CCF Tea Party 5/6 Monday - 5:00pm Stewardship/Finance 5/6 Monday - 6:00pm Board Meeting 5/8 Wednesday - 5:00pm Worship/Music Mtg 5/9 Thursday - 5:30pm VBS Meeting 5/15 Wednesday - 11:30am DECAF -Cecilia's



#### First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

#### May 2024Newsletter

#### WORSHIP

8:30am Service 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Service Nursery Available

#### **CO-PASTORS**

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Through God's invitation, we WELCOME ALL to worship. In gathering at the Table, we share praise and thanksgiving, enhancing our relationships with God and one another in becoming the Body of Christ.

#### Seasons of Love 2024

4/28 - 15,851 minutes

**YTD - 240,289 minutes** 

Monday, May 6 is our final CCF for this school year. We are inviting adults in our church family to join us for a "Tea Party." We will serve tea, lemonade and light snacks starting at 4pm. Parents, grandparents and older adult friends are all welcome to join us and meet our children and hear about their year.

#### Pentecost Sunday, May 19

**Final CCF for this school year** 

Come and celebrate the birthday of the church by wearing red to worship. We are excited to welcome Rev. Molly Smothers, Associate Regional Minister with the Christian Church in Kentucky to the pulpit for both services. Bring a friend to come and worship.

#### Vacation Bible School

Mark your calendar for June 10-14 for some fun and energetic times. We are excited to again partner with St. John's AME Zion. VBS will again start with a meal for the children and volunteers at 5:30 pm followed by story time, games, crafts, music and science from 6 - 8 pm with a family celebration on Friday night. Save the dates for your children and their friends to participate. If you would like to volunteer for one or every night, please contact Jackie and we'll get you scheduled. The theme will be unveiled soon.....

#### **BABY BOTTLES**

We will again offer Baby Bottles for people to fill with donations for the New Life Center. We will start on Mother's Day and finish on Father's Day. This is a small way we can help new parents

# FOOD DONATIONS<br/>Totals for MONTH52 Items for the Pantry<br/>& 96 Blessing Box

#### **Gluten Free Bread**

Did you know that some people in our church cannot take the communion bread we offer? They have Celiac disease which means they are totally gluten free, even a tiny amount of gluten can be harmful to their



health. We say Christ's Table is welcome and open to all and so we are offering a separate tray with gluten free bread, that all will feel included. Please let us know if we need to put more out on a Sunday. The gluten free wafers are rectangular and a darker color than our round wafers.

#### <u>Veterans</u>

On Memorial Day we will remember Veterans who have passed away. If someone in your family has not been included in past years, please get the information to Brenda Alexander with a photo, name, rank, branch of service and dates of service (or as much as you know). She must have this by Sunday, May 12 to work on the Memorial Day video.

#### **Graduates**

Is anyone in your family graduating high school, college, trade school, basic training or other higher education? Please send pictures and information to Brenda Alexander by Sunday, May 12 to be included in a graduation video.

Thank You to our Boy Scouts and Leaders for our new picnic tables.



#### **Community News**

Congratulations to Elliott Mattingly and Naturally Bardstown on our new Tannery Trail in Bardstown, located behind the Old Kentucky Home Country Club. Enjoy the beauty of God's creation next to downtown Bardstown.





Don't forget to get registered for Church Camp. This year you will register online, but then need to pay the church your portion as they are not accepting payment online due to some errors last year. Remember all church children and youth have half of their fees paid by the church and there are scholarships available if needed, just talk to one of the pastors for more information. We want all of our youth and children to go to camp, if they would like. For more information or to register go to:

https://www.ccinky.net/ministries/ camp/wakonda-ho/

**Women's Spring Gathering** with 119 participating



Our Associate Regional Minister, Marsha Thornton, Jr. leading us





At 9:30 am we invite children and youth to gather in the church kitchen for light snacks as we study the parables of Jesus and have time to visit with each other. There is also a class for adults at 9:30 in the Round Table Room and parents are welcome to go there. Young children may go to childcare during this time.

#### FREE Summer Concerts in the Bardstown Park

Every Friday at 7 pm, starting on May 24 with the Bardstown HS choir, band and orchestra. Friday, May 31 will feature the River Cities Concert Band

> <u>CCF Snack Time &</u> <u>Bible Wheel of Fortune</u>



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