**Casey First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**

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**Sunday Services: 9:00 am Sunday School, 10:00 am Worship**



***To Know God-To Love God-To Serve God***

Greetings Church!

I like to think of each passing year as a journey, and with October now upon us we are now entering the home stretch into the end of 2022. Remember those New Year’s resolutions you made back in January? Maybe you actually carried yours all this way, but I know mine fell off the path somewhere back in February. As leaves start to change and the smell of pumpkin spice fills the air, I think October is a good place to start looking back at the year’s journey and reflect.

Something I’m reflecting on is that around this time last year is when y’all were hiring me. That means for a year now, I’ve been praying for you as a church: for God to show up, for God to lead me as I try to lead you, and for discernment to know how best to embody authentic, Gospel-centered community in this congregation. My prayer for us continues to be aligned with Jesus’ prayer for the church, “that they may all be one” (John 17:21 NRSV).

Living in unity is never easy. But it is a gift from God, a work that God is doing in and among us. Our job is to open ourselves to grace, and to each other, so that God makes us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world.

Peace,

Pastor Evan

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**Prayer Requests**

Cindy Wimbley Vera Ingle

Scotty Millam Doris Taylor

Rosie Galey Family of Marvetta Barnd

Ralph & Shirley Fitch Terry Clement

Danny Morgan Shanna Clement

 **SEPTEMBER SERVING SCHEDULES**

**ELDERS: 10/2 Dan Winn, 10/9 Nina Meeker, 10/16 Ruthie Wimbley,**

**10/23 Peggy Hickox, 10/30 Sherri Butcher**

**DEACONS: 10/2 Cathy Sherwood, Devan Smith, Cheryl Stifal**

 **10/9 Michelle Wagner, Darlene Winn, Jennifer Winschief**

 **10/16 Lynda Graham, Brad Hickox, Cassie Ramsey**

 **10/23 Connie Roberts, Cathy Sherwood, Devan Smith**

 **10/30 Cheryl Stifal, Michelle Wagner, Darlene Winn**

**CHALLENGER REFRESHMENTS: 10/2 Peggy H, 10/9 Grace L, 10/16 Sharon R,**

 **10/23 Cathy S, 10/30 Debi S**

Announcements & Upcoming Community Events

Thursday, September 29th – NO BIBLE STUDY, Pastor Evan will be out of town

Friday, September 30th – 4H Awards Night here at the church

Sunday, October 2nd – Potluck Dinner after church

Wednesday, October 5th – 7:00 pm Board Meeting

Thursday, October 6th – 7:00 pm Bible Study, “The Walls” and Chapter 3 “War Stories”

Monday, October 10th – 5:30 pm Dinner & a Prayer for Women

Thursday, October 13th – 7:00 pm Bible Study, “The Debate” and Chapter 4 “Wisdom Stories”

Thursday, October 20th – 7:00 pm Bible Study, “The Beast” and Chapter 5 “Resistance Stories”

Sunday, October 23rd – 5:00 pm All Church Weiner Roast, Bring guests

Wednesday, October 26th – 6:30 pm Elders Meeting

Thursday, October 27th – 7:00 pm Bible Study, The Water” and Chapter 5 “Gospel Stories”

Monday, October 31st, Tuesday, Nov. 1st & Thurs., Nov. 3rd – Tote-a-meal Delivery

Tuesday, November 1st – Noon – 6:00 pm Blood Drive here at CFCC





 **Sunday, October 2 after church**

**WEINER ROAST**

Sunday evening, October 23rd at 5:00 pm. Bring a covered dish, lawn chairs and roasting sticks.

Don’t forget to invite a friend.



**OCTOBER 2022**



 **4 – Kora Smith 9 – Dennis & Marsha Millam**

 **24 – Ralph Fitch**

**2022 ELDERS**

 **Sherri Butcher – 217-232-5740 Sharon Durham – 217-232-2168**

 **Peggy Hickox – 217-232-5615 Nina Meeker – 217-549-9808**

 **Larry Patchett – 217-232-3105 Ruthie Wimbley – 217-232-1949**

 **Dan Winn – 217-259-5339 Pastor Evan – 812-698-7504**

**Church Office – 217-932-2773(Hours: Wednesday 8:00 am – Noon)**

**Pastor Evan’s Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am - Noon**

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|    |  OCTOBER 2022  |   |
| Sunday | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | Saturday |
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| 2Elder: Dan WinnPotluck Dinner after church | **3****MML 9 am** | **4** | **5****Board Mtg. 7:00 pm** | **6****Bible Study 7:00 pm** | **7** | 8 |
| 9Elder: Nina Meeker | **10****MML 9 am****Dinner & a Prayer** **5:30 pm** | **11** | **12** | **13****Bible Study 7:00 pm** | **14** | 15 |
| 16Elder: Ruthie Wimbley | **17****MML 9 am** | **18** | **19** | **20****Bible Study 7:00 pm** | **21** | 22 |
| 23Elder: Peggy HickoxWeiner Roast 5:00 pm | **24****MML 9 am** | **25** | **26****Elders Mtg. 6:30 pm** | **27****Bible Study 7:00 pm** | **28** | 29 |
| 30Elder: Sherri Butcher | 31MML 9 amTote-a-meal Delivery | **FH – Fellowship Hall****MML – Monday Morning Ladies*****SUNDAYS*** ***9:00 am Sunday School, 10:00 am Worship*** |