

# Weekly Church Calendar

## SUNDAY August 16

9:30am Sunday School - All ages  
10:30am Worship Service - Sanctuary

## MONDAY August 17

5:30pm Young Adult Group - Parlor

## TUESDAY August 18

6:45am Women's Prayer Group - Parlor (Sharon W.)

## WEDNESDAY August 19

6:30pm Bible Study - Parlor

## THURSDAY August 20

6:30pm C.O.R.D. Brothers (Men's Bible Study) - FH

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Soul Sisters will begin a new study, *Made to Crave*, by Lysa TerKeurst, on Thursday, September 3. Soul Sisters is a women's bible study that meets the first and third Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The book, *Made to Crave* will cost \$7.50. Jenny Ring will be ordering books on Monday, August 17. If you would like for her to order a book for you, please contact her at 417-667-1536 or [jjegring@gmail.com](mailto:jjegring@gmail.com). Or, call the church office at 417-667-3540.

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## First Christian Church

Washington & Austin Streets, Nevada, Missouri

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Bill Platt, Preaching Minister

Elders: Greg Barneburg, Scott Buerge, Don Cubbage,

Doug Gammon, Wayne Jeans and Rick Jones

Elders Emeritus: Ron Greenway, John McKinley, Glen Noble

# WELCOME

August 16, 2020

Susan Swearingen, Piano

FOR THE  HEARING IMPAIRED

Assisted Hearing Devices are available.  
Please see an usher for assistance.

A nursery is provided for newborns to age 3.  
Please see an usher for assistance.



Today's radio broadcast is sponsored by  
Garry and Sheila Dunn  
in celebration of their  
37th Wedding Anniversary.

The latest edition of the church newsletter, the Beacon, is available for you to pick up. Copies are located in the NE foyer, the N foyer, the table in the W foyer, the Welcome Center in the Fellowship Hall, most adult Sunday School classes, as well as the office. You may receive it by e-mail also...just inform us of your e-mail address.

Come into my heart, Lord Jesus, to enliven my curiosity,  
strengthen my trust and grow my faith.

Jesus welcomed everyone; that is our aim, too. Whether  
you're here for the first time or the thousandth, we count  
ourselves blessed by your presence.

# Order of Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER

SONG "Standing on the Promises" (V. 1&4) No. 147

DISMISS CHILDREN\*

SERMON WHEN GOD'S INVOLVED Bill Platt

INVITATION "Where He Leads Me" (v.1+) No. 159

OFFERING

OFFERING PRAYER

COMMUNION /PARTAKING OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

SONG SERVICE

"Trust and Obey" (v. 1,2 & 5) No. 327  
"New Doxology" Video  
"You Never Let Go" Video

CLOSING PRAYER

\* Please meet your children who attended Children's Church on the top floor in the south end of the Education Wing immediately following this service.

# “When God’s Involved”

Now Stephen, a man full of God’s grace and power, performed great wonders and signs among the people. **Acts 6:8**

**When God is involved, the church reaches new dimensions. Truth is when you listen and obey, you will reach new dimensions, but if you do not listen – you will be resisting the Holy Spirit (7:51).**

M\_\_\_\_\_.  
[Remember resistance builds muscle]

**Acts 6:8–15:**

**(7:1–34)** Then the high priest asked Stephen, **“Are these charges true?”**

[Covenant History Lesson]

- The promise\_\_\_\_\_.  
(vs 8)
- The Promise of God \_\_\_\_\_.  
(vs 17)
- The Promise of God \_\_\_\_\_.  
(vs 34)

[The Call of Moses]

T\_\_\_\_\_ [Remember  
the HS flows in our church veins.]

- You all \_\_\_\_\_ Moses’ words  
ultimately God’s words.  
(vs 35)
- You all \_\_\_\_\_ Moses’ leadership  
ultimately God’s leadership.  
(vs 39)

**Muscle Grows & the Holy Spirit**

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**(vs 54-60)**<sup>59</sup> While they were stoning him, Stephen prayed, “Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.”<sup>60</sup> Then he fell on his knees and cried out, “Lord, do not hold this sin against them.” When he had said this, he fell asleep.

The \_\_\_\_\_ outside of Jerusalem –

**New Dimensions of barrier breaking.**

- It is not about numbers – numbers God can do. It is about including everybody – no barriers.
- Remember God is King, we are His church.

**(Acts 8:1)**