

Upcoming Events . . .

Sunday, July 25	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	1:30 p.m.	CE Event @ Alison’s House
Monday, July 26	9:00 a.m.	Church Council
Tuesday, July 27	7:00 a.m.	Walking Group
	9:30 a.m.	Monthly Book Group
Wednesday, July 28	5:00 p.m.	Youth Group: Progressive Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	Pastor Jeffrey’s Book Study
Thursday, July 29	7:00 a.m.	Walking Group
	4:30 p.m.	Taproom Hours at River St. Joe (Buchanan)
Sunday, August 1	10:30 a.m.	Worship (Communion Sunday)
	7:00 p.m.	Jazz for Good Cheer

“We welcome people to faith in Jesus Christ to Discover God, Equip One Another for Life, and Reach Inward and Outward to Serve”

First Congregational Church

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Housekeeper	Julie Ruple

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July 25, 2021 10:30 a.m.

Gathering

Welcome/Announcements

Sharing the Peace [screen]

You are invited to listen for God’s Spirit as we prepare our hearts for worship.  
Prelude “Great is Thy Faithfulness” arr. Stewart Landon

All stand if able  
Call to Worship [screen] Paula Thompson, liturgist

Gathering Hymn [screen] #30 “All Things Bright and Beautiful”

Discovering

Children’s Message - Children PreK–5th grade are invited to come forward

Ministry of Music “Morning Songs” arr. Douglas Wagner  
Alleluia Ringers

Prayer for Discovery [screen]

Scripture 2 Kings 4:1-7, MSG [screen]

Message “Flowing Over” Rev. Jeffrey Hubers

All stand if able  
Message Hymn [screen] #61 “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy”

## Thanking

Morning Prayer

Lord's Prayer [screen]

Offertory

"I Am Thine, O Lord" arr. Robert Hughes

## Serving

Doxology [screen]

*All stand if able*

Blessing

Postlude

"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" arr. Kevin McChesney

*Alleluia Ringers*

Ushers—Fran & Bill Chickering, John & Barb Bannow, Judy Bertsch, Cynthia Schlipp

Everyone is welcome to join us in the Gathering Room for fellowship hour after worship.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Today**, Alison will be hosting water-fun and games at her home for **elementary students** and their families from **1:30-4:30 p.m.** Bring your suit and towel and come for a good time! Contact Alison for more details.

Tickets are available for **Jazz for Good Cheer**, our fundraiser for DHS, on **Sunday, August 1 at 7 p.m.** for the concert. Contact the church office for more details.

Alison is looking for **sign-ups** for **VBS snacks**. Please contact her if interested in donating or to see her list.

Thanks to the Youth Group students who participated in their Day of Service last week! Well done!

Thanks for all the Bible donations for the South Africa mission!

The monthly FCC book group will meet on **Tuesday, July 27 at 9:30 a.m.**

The **Youth Group** is having a **Progressive Dinner** on **Wednesday, July 28** from **5-8 p.m.** Contact Carly for more details.

Join Pastor Jeffrey and company out at **River St Joe** (15475 Walton Road, Buchanan) for fellowship and getting to know your community members in a more relaxed setting—come and go as you please from **4:30-6:30 p.m.** on **Thursday, July 29**

It's time for Baseball! Join your church family out at the **South Bend Cubs** on **Saturday, August 7**—game starts at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$14/each. Sign-up with Bruce Molineaux after worship or contact the church office for details.

**Acolyte Training** for any interested elementary students on **Sunday, August 8** after worship. For more details, contact Alison or Fran Chickering.

Please call Betty Westmaas (982-8556) if you would like to provide cookies for fellowship hour following worship.

If you are new or a guest and would like more info on FCC, please contact the church office - 269.983.5519 or office@fccstjoseph.org - we'd love to get to know you!

