

## Announcements

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### PRAYER REQUESTS AND GOOD NEWS REPORT

Week of June 8th

- ☐ Please share in worship and newsletter.
- ☐ For staff prayer only.

Learn more about who lives in our neighborhood and how we can engage with them at the **MissionInsite Lunch-n-Learn** after worship TODAY in Chapel.

**Fellowship Time** in Fellowship Hall after worship today. Join us for a cup of coffee or tea, a snack and great conversation.

**Shameless Storytelling** class is hybrid 6-7pm Tuesdays, June 3 to July 1. \$10 Registration, scholarships available. Scan to register:



**Finance Team** meet Tuesday, June 10 on Zoom.

**Christ Church Care Team** meets 7pm June 17 on Zoom.

**Church Council** meets 7pm Monday, June 23 on Zoom.

**Youth Events** on June 22: **Sunday School** meets 9am and **Youth Group** meets at 11:30am. All in Room 206.

**Chancel Choir** is taking a break over the summer. Speak with Music Director, Jackie Welch, if you'd like to offer special music or be part of a small performing group.

**Journey Groups** meet Tues. at 11am in Naylor Study or 7pm Thursdays on Zoom. They are studying Acts.

**Education Classes** are taking a break for summer and will resume in September.

**Nursery** for children ages 0-4 is available downstairs.

### Info to Know

Checks and cash are welcome in the offering plates when passed through the pews. Drop a check in the mail, text any amount to 303-806-4114 or scan to give online: Worship is livestreamed to YouTube. Please sit near the back if you prefer not to be on screen.



### Volunteers This Week

**Financial Counters:**

**Usher/Greeters:**

### Volunteers Next Week

**Financial Counters:**

**Usher/Greeters:** Joe O., Eric N. Kristen V.

Scan to sign up:



## FOR DISCUSSION

How or when have you ever felt touched by God or grace?

# QUEER VIRTUE

Virtue #2  
Coming Out is Risk and Trust

June 8, 2025  
Welcome to Worship

**Christ Church United Methodist**  
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**Rev. Emily S. Flemming** (she/her), Senior Pastor  
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**SyLinda Evans** (she/her), Collaborative Musician  
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Christ Church United Methodist  
Pentecost Sunday | June 8, 2025

\* Denotes when congregation is invited to stand, in body or spirit | **Bold text** to read aloud together  
UMH: The United Methodist Hymnal | TFWS: The Faith We Sing

Gathering Music	SyLinda Evans
*Light of Christ Enters — <i>Every Time I Feel the Spirit</i>	UMH 404 vs. 1
Welcome, Celebrations, and Opening Prayer	Rev. Emily Flemming
*Call to Worship — <i>Adapted from #4 from M. Jade Kaiser</i>	SyLinda Evans
Pentecost is the queerest day of the Christian year: odd and unexpected.	
<b>The Holy Spirit connects strangers using wind, breath, and fire.</b>	
Language barriers disappear, as we remember ALL Creation is good.	
<b>We are bonded by unbelievable but shared experiences of grace.</b>	
So we reject all messages that belittle or degrade any among us.	
<b>And in faithfulness to God and to one another, we proclaim: Sacred are our bodies of every size and state. Blessed are our sexualities, drawing us towards love of many kinds.</b>	
Praise God, who blesses us with this world, these bodies, our unusual lives.	
<b>Together we celebrate Pentecost, the day God’s Church came out!</b>	
*Opening Hymn — <i>Sweet, Sweet Spirit</i>	UMH 334 twice
All-Age Story — Acts 2:1-11	Rev. Emily Flemming
Offering and Offertory — <i>The Spirit Sends Us Out</i>	Bethany Tyler / Chancel Choir
*Doxology — <i>How Wonderful the Three-in-One</i>	On Screen, vs 1; tune: UMH 95
*Offertory Prayer	Bethany Tyler
Scripture Reading — Luke 24:36-48 CEB	SyLinda Evans
*Preparation Hymn — <i>You Are My Hiding Place</i>	TFWS 2055
Sermon — “Coming Out is Risk and Trust”	Rev. Emily Flemming
Musical Reflection	SyLinda Evans
Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer	Rev. Emily Flemming
Call to Active Response	SyLinda Evans
*Sending Song — <i>I’m Goin’a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing</i>	UMH 333 vs. 1, 2, 4
*Benediction and *Postlude	Rev. Emily Flemming / SyLinda Evans

June 8, 2025

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Pronouns: \_\_\_\_\_

Children in attendance: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

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City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Email(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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☐ My contact info has changed.

I am/We are

☐ Member/s

☐ Regular Attender

☐ First-Time Visitor

Visitors, how’d you hear about us?

☐ Banners ☐ Website ☐ Facebook

☐ Friend: \_\_\_\_\_

What drew you to our community?

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The church office needs to know:

☐ I would like to receive emailed newsletters.

☐ I would appreciate a nametag.

☐ I need help with food insecurity.

☐ I’d like a call/visit from the pastor.

☐ Please help connect me to:

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Please complete the connections slip, tear along the crease, and place in offering plate.