

## ***Praise at the Park***

***Oct. 4, 2020, 10:00 a.m, FCC Parking Lot***

GATHERING MUSIC ***"I'd Rather Have Jesus"***

Don Johnson, trumpet; Sherry Jordan, piano

WELCOME

Rev. Beau Underwood

CALL TO WORSHIP (source: Leading in Worship)

Georgia Griffith

One: We come with all we have --

**All: bodies, souls, minds -- all here to worship God.**

One: We have come for a glimpse of God's reign here on earth --

**All: a world where love rules over all,**

One: a world where enemies embrace,

**All: distinctions between friend and foe evaporating in the light of Christ's love.**

One: We are here as witnesses to what will be!

**All: We are here as citizens of a new heaven and a new earth!**

HYMN ***"We Are Called to Be God's People"***

We are called to be God's people, showing by our lives His grace,  
One in heart and one in spirit, sign of hope for all the race.  
Let us show how He has changed us and remade us as His own.  
Let us share our life together as we shall around His throne.

We are called to be God's servants, working in His world today;  
taking His own task upon us, all His sacred words obey.  
Let us rise, then, to His summons, dedicate to Him our all,  
that we may be faithful servants, quick to answer now His call.

We are called to be God's prophets, speaking for the truth and right,  
standing firm for godly justice, bringing evil things to light.  
Let us seek the courage needed, our high calling to fulfill,  
that the world may know the blessing of the doing of God's will.

OPENING PRAYER / THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 3:21-26

HYMN/ANTHEM ***"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"***

**VERSE 1 -- CONGREGATION**

**Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee.  
Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.**

VERSE 2 and chorus – SOLOISTS

Take my voice and let me sing . . . .

VERSE 3 and chorus -- SOLOISTS

Take my will and make it Thine . . . .

VERSE 4 -- CONGREGATION

**Take my love, my Lord, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store.**

**Take myself and I will be ever, only, all for Thee, ever, only all for Thee.**

SCRIPTURE READING            Matthew 4:8-10

HOMILY / PASTORAL PRAYER

HYMN

***“I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”***

I have decided to follow Jesus.

I have decided to follow Jesus.

I have decided to follow Jesus – no turning back, no turning back.

The world behind me, the cross before me.

The world behind me, the cross before me.

The world behind me, the cross before – no turning back, no turning back.

Though none go with me, I still will follow.

Though none go with me, I still will follow.

Though none go with me, I still will follow – no turning back, no turning back.

**CELEBRATING THE LORD’S SUPPER**

INVITATION / WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Barb Kuebler

PARTAKING OF THE SACRAMENT

Music:            ***“The Prayer”***

Don Johnson and Sherry Jordan

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Bobbi Enslin

BENEDICTION

HYMN

***“Doxology”***

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God all creatures here below.

Praise God above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

POSTLUDE     ***“In Christ There Is No East and West”***

***With thanks to –***

*The flowers today are In Loving Memory of Jana Dietle Revell  
Given by Juanita and Eden Dietle*

Song leaders:           Sandra Troutt and Carolyn Green

Tech Team:             Jeff Huedepohl, Terri Lloyd, Blair Johnson

### **STAY CONNECTED THIS WEEK**

**Today, 11:00am Kids Time** at FCC

**Sunday, Oct. 4, 7:00pm Youth Meeting** on Zoom

**Tuesday, 12:00-4pm Food Pantry**, FCC Family Life Center; *volunteers welcome!*

**Wednesday, 7:00pm Handbell Choir**, FCC sanctuary

**Thursdays, 10:15am Prayer Call** [freeconferencecall.com](http://freeconferencecall.com)

*Share joys and concerns and pray for and with one another and for the church.  
Call (712) 775-7270 and enter access code 444928 to join the conference call.*

**Thursdays, 11:00am OR 5:45pm Bible Study**

*Meet in our church Zoom Room to study the Gospel of Luke. Identical material is covered  
at both sessions. <https://zoom.us/j/2202286773>*

**If you would like to receive our weekly church emails, contact us at**  
[office@firstchristianjcmo.org](mailto:office@firstchristianjcmo.org)

### **Congregational Meeting**

**Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 11:00AM**

*(immediately following our Worship service)*

**to Consider the updated Constitution**

Those who cannot be physically present can  
join via phone by dialing 712-775-7279.