

### **Serving in February:**

**Elders:** Fred Fricke

**Worship Leader:** Jeff Zaugg

**Pianist:** Penny Zaugg

**Worship Service Tech Support:** Jeff Zaugg, Casey Hope, Tammi Dillavou

### **Announcements:**

Feb 26<sup>th</sup>-9:15am Elders Meeting

Executive Board Meeting following worship

March 2<sup>nd</sup>-5:30pm Discovery Time Preschool Board Meeting

Sundays-10:30am Worship

Wednesdays 5:30pm-7pm WOW Youth Group

Birthdays:

Anniversaries: None

### **OFFICE HOURS FOR PASTOR ALICE**

Sundays-8:45am-noon

Tuesdays-10:15am to 12:45pm

Wednesday-9am to 5pm, plus WOW 5:30pm-7pm

### **Ways to Give**

- Mail offerings to: Mitchellville Christian Church c/o Financial Secretary  
PO Box 487 Mitchellville, IA 50169
- You may also give online by going to [www.mitchellvillechristianchurch.org/give](http://www.mitchellvillechristianchurch.org/give) or download the Givelify app on your smartphone and search for Mitchellville Christian Church
- If you are attending in person worship, there will be collection plates by the exit doors in the sanctuary for offering collection.

### **Church Contacts**

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Facebook Page: Mitchellville Christian Church

# Mitchellville Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)



### Our Mission:

We seek to be a diverse Community of Christ growing through inspirational worship, dedicated service and stimulating education.

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## Preparing for Worship

*At times our congregation will begin with the Hymn "Family of God" to prepare for worship. You can find this hymn inside the Chalice Hymnal front or back cover, or words will be on the screen.*

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer Requests and Prayers of the People

Prelude (*Connecting our service to our online viewers*)

Welcome to online worshippers

## Call to Worship

*Leader: As the season of Lent begins, we are called by a gracious and merciful God.*

**People: We respond to God's steadfast love, calling us together in praise.**

*Leader: Happy are the people whose sins are forgiven!*

**People: God's forgiveness is poured on them as a healing balm.**

*Leader: Come, let us worship the God who forgives and heals us.*

Opening Hymn: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" Page# 197

Invocation Prayer & Lord's Prayer

*The words to the Lord's Prayer are on the screen. We use "debts and debtors".*

Children's Time

## Reading of Scripture:

Scripture: Matthew 4:1-11

Scripture Meditation: "Thy Word" (x2) Page# 326

**Sermon:** "We Meet Jesus And The Devil On Our Way To The Cross"

Pastor Alice Bolen

## Prayer

Prayer Hymn: "Seek Ye First" Page# 354

Service of Diminishing Light

Litany

Silent Prayer and Pastoral Prayer

## Communion

Communion Meditation

Communion Hymn: "Break Thou the Bread of Life" Page# 321

Invitation to Communion and Words of Institution

Elders prayer

Communion and Musical Interlude

*Communion is now being served. A deacon will bring the tray to each person. On the outer circle will be a cup of juice (or grape if that is easier for you) and the next circle will be a cup with a piece of bread. Please take one of each. Partake as you are ready and return the empty cups to the holders on the back of the pews.*

## Offering

"Doxology" Page# 46

*Please rise if you are able as we sing the "Doxology".*

Prayer over offering

*The offering collection plates are located by the exit doors in the sanctuary.*

*Please see the back of this bulletin for other ways to give.*

## Sending Forth:

Invitation Hymn: "Amazing Grace" Page# 546

Benediction

Closing Hymn: "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" Page# 433

*Prayer List* 

*Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances;*

*1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

Joan Allsup

Lorraine Fink

Judy Helm-Burns

Craig Horrigan

Ann Pearson

Joanne Reiman

Floyd & Dona Seiberling

Paul Slycord

Our pastoral search team

For our local, state, national, and world leaders.

For God's active Spirit moving through our congregation.