

### **Serving in April:**

**Elders:** Patty Underwood

**Worship Leader:** Steve Dillavou

**Diaconate:** Hazel Fricke, Tammi Dillavou (preparing)

**Pianist:** Penny Zaugg

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

### **Announcements:**

April 30<sup>th</sup>-Potluck and All Church Meeting following worship,

WOW Youth Sunday-WOW students will be a part of our service

Birthdays: None

Anniversaries: May 6th-Ben & Amanda Wobschall

### **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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Website: [www.mitchellvillechristianchurch.org](http://www.mitchellvillechristianchurch.org)

Give online: <https://www.mitchellvillechristianchurch.org/give>

Facebook Page: Mitchellville Christian Church

**WHO ARE WE? QUIZ QUESTION** Please email your answer to the church email address or bring your answer with you to worship on May 7. Thanks to a quote from Thomas Campbell, our denomination has a "slogan" concerning scriptures. What is our 14 word affirmation of scriptures?

# 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.

April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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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 (in unison) Psalm 23

*The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.*

*2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.*

*3 He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.*

*4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.*

*5 Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.*

*6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever. KJV*

Opening Hymn: "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Page# 558

Invocation Prayer & Lord's Prayer

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

WHO ARE WE?

Children's Time

WOW Presentation

Volunteer Recognition and Blessing

## Reading of Scripture:

Scripture: John 10: 1-10

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

Sermon: "Who Do We Follow?" Pastor Alice Bolen

## Prayer

Prayer Hymn: "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" Page# 628

Silent Prayer and Pastoral Prayer

## Communion

Communion Meditation

Communion Hymn: "Eat This Bread" Page# 414

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: "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" Page# 344

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*

Lorraine Fink

Judy Helm-Burns

Craig Horrigan

Marcia Murrow's Family

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