



Greetings: Please take a minute to find the link to today's YouTube worship video at the top of our Facebook page so that you can join in on the live premiere of this morning's service. We will have a time for offering today. If you would like to give online, just go to our "[Tithe.ly](https://www.tithe.ly)" online giving page or to our church website (www.fccstjo.org). We'll also be sharing in communion today so we invite you to prepare by finding something from home you can use to represent the bread and the juice. The lyrics to the songs in today's worship service are provided below.



A Word with Pastor Brian

Gather

People gather around Jesus as his reputation becomes known from town to town. As we gather virtually or physically, we too are yearning for presence, for peace, for help.

Opening Song: – “Holy Vessels”

Beth McLenaghan, Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors

Vessels, holy and whole
Broken, needing the one
Open, body and soul
Healer, come.

Words by Marcia McFee, music by Chuck Bell.

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Welcome...We're Glad You Are Tuning In!

Our congregation is diverse in age, race, sexual orientation, biblical interpretation, culture, ethnic background, gender identity & expression, economic circumstance, family configuration, political inclination and physical ability. We celebrate and honor this diversity and welcome the struggle necessary to sustain it.

Welcome: Katey Girard

Approach

People opened their lives to Jesus. We are drawn to the Healer-opening our hearts with honesty about our lives and finding assurance that offers peace.

Opening Song: – “Great Are You Lord”

Beth McLenaghan, Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors

Verse

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are You Lord

Chorus

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

Bridge

And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord

(REPEAT)

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Believe

People were fortified by Jesus' words and deeds that revealed care for all-especially those marginalized. We strengthen our belief in the possibility for renewed health and vigor for all.

Scripture: John 21:1-14

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of

his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, 'I am going fishing.' They said to him, 'We will go with you.' They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, 'Children, you have no fish, have you?' They answered him, 'No.' He said to them, 'Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some.' So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord!' When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the lake. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

Message: Breakfast on the Beach
Johnathan Loesch, Artist

Singing Together: "Holy Vessels"

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Ask

People who were healed by Jesus were not afraid to ask. And so we come before the Holy One, making our petitions and desires known, trusting the work of the Spirit.

Praying Together: Kenny Crawford, Elder

Offering Invitation

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Breaking Bread at God's Table

Lord's Prayer – *(Please use whatever words are most familiar to you.)*

Our Creator, who is in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your Kingdom come, Your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen

Closing Hymn: “Love Has Broken Down the Wall”

Beth McLenaghan, Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors

Intro

Love has broken down the wall (2X)

Let us join our hearts as one

Love has broken down the wall

Verse 1

Weâ!!re accepted as we are (2X)

Through loveâ!!s powâ!!r all is reconciled

Weâ!!re accepted as we are

Verse 2

Cast aside your doubts and fears (2X)

Peace and love freely offered here

Cast aside your doubts and fears

Verse 3

We will tear down the walls

We will tear down every wall

Love has called us one and all

Love has broken down the wall

Ending

Love has broken down the wall

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Respond

Scriptural accounts of healing often end with responses from the “crowd” of witnesses. How will we proceed into the brokenness of this world and respond as the Body of Christ?

Going Forth: Katey Girard

PRAYER REQUESTS

All the medical and health care professionals serving during this pandemic.

Our members who are dealing with health issues due to COVID-19

Congratulations to **Sandy Hamlin** and family on the dedication of her Great Granddaughter, Charlotte Keating

Suzanne Shay as she recovers from a recent foot injury.

Sara McLaren's cousin's son, Steele

Cathy Hammer

Judy Spencer, Beth Kar and Arlene Sollars receiving treatment for cancer.

Carolyn Koftan, sister-in-law of **Sandy Hamlin**, in hospice care.

Kayla Harris' mother, Robin Knotts, living with cancer

Friends and Family: Liz Canon, John Nichols, son of Nancy Nichols; Kathy Long, friend of Janet Pullen,

Homebound: Francis Hesnault, Bette Lampton

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How can we be of help to you? Just contact us and let us know. We are in this together!

Church office: **816-209-8212** (Kenny, our administrator, is currently in the office on Monday, Wednesday & Fridays from 9 AM – 1 PM.)

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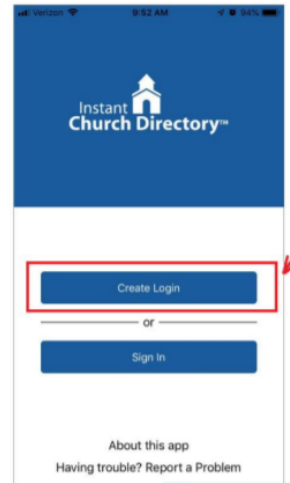
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