



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](#)" 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 Prayer: Evelyn McBride, Elder

The Passion Narrative in Word & Song

Today we share the story of the last week of Jesus' life, primarily through the words of the gospel of Matthew and through the lens of contemporary music that we hope will invite us to see the ancient narrative with fresh eyes.

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.

Narrators: Evelyn McBride, Kay Edson, Johnathan Loesch

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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“Hossana” Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors

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“People Like Us” Sean Connors

Songwriters: James Michael / Blair Daly / Meghan Shahnaz Kabir

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“Blessings” David Murphy

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“You Say” Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors

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Breaking Bread at God's Table

"Mercy" Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors, Sean Connors

Mercy (O Sacred Head text by [Fernando Ortega](#))

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"Even in Winter" Ann Pittman Zarate

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

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

Condolences to **Jamie Hixson** on the passing of her sister

Carole Walters who has moved to Riverside Residential Care facility

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

Global Ministries: Israel/Palestine

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Thank You for Your Faithfulness

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.)

Pastor Brian: bkirkfccstjo@yahoo.com or call or text to 314-303-4601. Office phone 816-209-8160

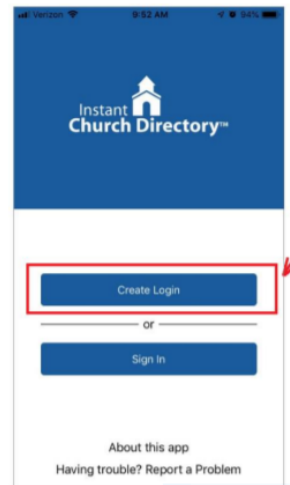
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