

## Order of Worship

**Team Pastors:** Revs. Robert & Molly Goodrich  
**Children & Youth:** Amanda Doud  
**Financial Secretary:** Karen Keep  
**Secretary:** Mary Fowler  
**Custodian:** Larry Sanford



### Serving 5/10

**Audio:** Nic VerSchuure  
**Video:** Joseph Smith  
**Nursery:** Penny Raymie  
**Nursery 5/17:** Heather Stevens  
**Table Elder 5/17:** Gene Fynaardt



As your classes and grading are now complete,  
**may you strive toward excellence in all you do.**  
As the speeches conclude,  
**may your voices rise up for peace in the world.**  
As the fanfares cease,  
**may you sing of joy, even in dark places.**  
As the applause quiets,  
**may you lift up those around you.**  
As you graduate,  
**may your achievements grow and cause growth in your communities.**  
And may you always know of the overwhelming blessings of God  
**The One who created all things.**

Prayers of the People		
Jake Beck		JoAnn Siefken
Jane Zemo		Brad Sarver
Jeff Baumgardner	Marilyn Mott	Carla Malloy
Ann Mattix	Molly Goodrich	Patty Cleland

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Prelude

\*"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #517

\*"How Great Thou Art" #33

Mother's Day Reflection

Welcome

Robert Goodrich

Call to Worship:

Jesus says, "I will not leave you orphaned."

**We come to worship the God who never abandons us.**

The Spirit still moves among God's people—comforting, guiding, and renewing.

**We open our hearts to the Advocate's presence today.**

Love is more than words; love is lived through mercy, service, and grace.

**Teach us to keep Christ's commandment by loving one another.**

Invocation:

**Faithful God, draw near to us in this hour. Fill this place with your Spirit, unite us in your love, and make us alive in Christ again. Amen**

Time of Offering "I Need Thee Every Hour" #578

\*"Doxology" #46

Children's Moment

Carole Comstock

Time of Prayer

Message

"Grace is Not Always Fair"

Luke 15:11-31 (NIV)

RD Keep

Communion Hymn "Fill My Cup, Lord" #351

\*\*Service of Communion Robert Goodrich & Laura Ginaven

Reflection Music

Graduate Recognition **(see responsive reading on adjacent page)**

Invitation to Discipleship

Robert Goodrich

\*"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" #560

\*Benediction

Robert Goodrich

Postlude

**\*All who are able please stand**

**\*\*All are welcome to the Table**

**\*\*We will eat & drink Communion together, as one.**

**Welcoming a New Member: #341 in hymnal**

**St Paul Congregational UCC & First Christian Church (DOC) presents...**

**FREE LAUNDRY NIGHT**

**MAY 21 4-7 PM**

**Do your laundry FOR FREE!! (no strings attached!)**

**SUBS OF LOVE**  
OSKALOOSA  
No Strings Attached  
A partnership outreach of St. Paul Congregational UCC and First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

**Need a Ride? Call or Text 641-638-1203**

**Laundry soap provided**

Bring your laundry to Stop & GO Laundromat  
1308 A Ave East in Oskaloosa.

**2026 Graduation Celebrations**

**Blake Herry**  
Saturday, May 16, 3:00-6:00 PM  
Lake Keomah Main Lodge

**Brenna Deffenbaugh**  
Sunday, May 17, 3:30-5:30 PM  
FCC Fellowship Hall

<b>TODAY</b>	<b>May 10</b>
	9:00 am - Sunday School 10:00 am - Worship
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>May 11</b>
	8:30 am - Quilters
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>May 12</b>
	1:00 pm - Men's dominoes 6:00 pm - Elders meeting 7:00 pm - Board meeting
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>May 13</b>
	7:00 pm - Band practice, sanctuary
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>May 14</b>
	1:00 pm - Men's & Women's dominoes 4:00 pm - Take Along packs
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>May 17</b>
<b>Pentecost Offering</b>	
	9:00 am - Sunday School 10:00 am - Worship 3:00 pm - Homestead worship

**May 10, 2026**

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) Oskaloosa is a welcoming place where people feel a connection to God through Jesus Christ and a commitment to each other, our community, and the world.



**First Christian Church of Oskaloosa**

119 A Ave. East, Oskaloosa, IA 52577

Sunday School: 9 a.m. • Worship: 10 a.m.

Portable hearing aids are available at the table in the narthex  
Children's Worship Totes available in the narthex

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**Church Office Hours:**  
Monday - Thursday  
8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
**Closed Fridays**  
Weekly staff meeting:  
Mondays 10 a.m.

