



From the beginnings of the movement, Disciples have founded institutions of higher learning, encouraging students in their intellectual pursuits. The Christian Church (DOC) is still committed to higher education. Currently, over 50,000 students attend our 14 Disciples related colleges and universities or 7 seminaries and divinity houses.

On **November 12 and 19**, Disciples churches across the US and Canada will collect the Thanksgiving offering. Your gift to the Thanksgiving offering helps to support the work of our institutions of higher learning in many ways: financially supporting Disciples related schools, providing undergraduate scholarships and support for spiritual life offices, and providing scholarships and support for those pursuing theological education.

Please give generously to this year's Thanksgiving offering. Your gifts make a world of difference as Disciples continue our legacy of supporting education and our institutions of higher learning.

WELCOME REV. DOUG JOB

Doug Job, (pronounced like the Old Testament book), will begin occupying the Abbey Road Christian Church pulpit as interim minister on November 19. Doug grew up in the Independent Christian Church but later moved to the Disciples of Christ. His educational background is BA at Johnson Bible College, Knoxville, TN (1975-79); M. Divinity studies at Emmanuel School of Religion, Johnson City, TN (1980); MA in philosophy studies at Indiana University (1981-85); and M. Divinity Studies at Divinity School of the Univ. of Chicago (1985-90). He was ordained in the order of ministry on June 10, 1979 in the Illinois/Wisconsin region. This ordination was in the Independent Christian Church but later, as stated above, when he moved to the Disciples of Christ, the Disciples accepted this ordination.

His references in the papers the interim search committee were given rated him high in Biblical knowledge, pastoral care, theology, and mission of the church in the world, to name a few.

Doug is married to Angela Pfile & they live in Athens, Georgia. Angela will remain in Georgia until their house is sold before joining Doug in Cape Girardeau.

Please try to be in attendance on Nov. 19 to welcome Doug to Abbey Road Christian Church.



YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Advent begins on December 3. We are in need of someone to recruit readers & candle lighters for the Advent Wreath sequences each Sunday. Also—if you would like to volunteer to be a reader or candle lighter for one of the Sundays, we want to hear from you, too!

Thank you!



**SUNDAY,
NOVEMBER 19
PLEASE BRING A
SALAD, SIDE DISH,
OR DESSERT TO
SHARE!**

NEW BUILDING USE POLICY

The Trustees have reviewed & revised the policy & fee schedule for use of the building by members and non-members. A copy of the entire policy may be obtained by calling or visiting the church office.

Fee schedule:

Wedding & Rehearsal (2 days):
Members: \$150.00
Non-members: \$500.00
The fee includes utilities and custodial services.
Wedding Reception for Members: \$75

Other Events: (Wedding/Baby Showers, Private Gatherings/Parties, etc.)
Members: \$50.00 per event
Non-Members: \$100.00 per event
Fees include utilities and custodial services.

Many Thanks to

all who contributed to the Alzheimer's Association! Thanks to your generosity, \$2,571 was collected!



**REMEMBER THAT
WE'RE COLLECTING:**

SHOES

For the Shoeman Project to help provide clean water in developing countries. Put your used shoes (no boxes) in the tall box outside the sanctuary doors.

ALUMINUM CAN TABS

To help the effort by Church Women United to end human trafficking; Put your tab tops in the bowl on the table in the narthex.

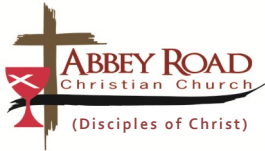
LABELS FOR EDUCATION

Campbells, Prego, & other labels with the barcode marked "Labels for Education" to assist the National Benevolent Association's Woodhaven Home for adults with disabilities with projects & supplies

**PLOWSHARES
INTERNATIONAL
FAIR TRADE MARKET
DECEMBER 9
8AM-1PM**

Tell your friends!





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Do you have someone to add to our prayer list? Please inform the church office or fill out a form found at the back of the sanctuary.
Please note: Names will be removed from the prayer list after 3 months unless an update is made to the church office.

Worship Notes November 5

Attendance: 57

Regular friends: 13

Offering: \$4,023

November 12

Finding the Yes in No

Deuteronomy 3:23-28; Romans 7:14-25

Steve Jordan

Serving on Sunday, November 12

At the Table: Jim Main (c), Martin Needels (o)
Distribution: Peggy Bentlage, Carolyn Taylor + ushers
Communion Prep: Kilja Israel
Scripture Reader: Margaret Needels
Greeters: Dave Dickey, Felicia Fox
Ushers: Kilja Israel, Karen Piker
Abbey Road Adventures: Steve Piker
Worship Capt.: Wilma Dooley
Soundboard: Breedon/Dean



- ◇ **Golden Boys** will meet at 8:00 on Tuesday at My Daddy's Cheesecake. Please join us for breakfast and conversation.
- ◇ **Board of Elders'** will meet on Thursday, November 16, at 6pm for a meal & meeting. Meeting should begin around 6:30. Members & friends of the congregation may address the Board during the scheduled time on the agenda.

CALENDAR

Thursday, November 9

8:00am Women's Breakfast Group at Sand's on Morgan Oak

Friday, November 10 Pledge Cards Due

Sunday, November 12 Thanksgiving Special Offering

9:30am Worship
9:30am Abbey Rd. Adventures for children, K-6th grade
10:30am Fellowship
10:45am Sunday School

Tuesday, November 14

8:00am Golden Boys at My Daddy's Café & Bakery

Wednesday, November 15

9:30am Bible Study
9:30-11:30am ARCL: Basic 100/101
6:00pm New Life Singers practice
6:45pm Chancel Choir practice

Thursday, November 16

6:00pm Board of Elders' meeting, preceded by chili supper

Sunday, November 19

All-Church Thanksgiving Dinner after church. Please bring a salad, side dish, or dessert to share.

Please sign up to serve in December! Notice that extra lines have been added to cover needed readers & candle lighters for the Advent Wreath each Sunday.



*You're Invited to a
Christmas Open House
Saturday, December 2, 3-7pm.
At the home of Sue Kemp.
1654 Themis.*

Please be aware that you must go up steps to enter the home.



Does this belong to you? Or do you know who it belongs to? We are no longer in need of a popcorn machine, so if the owner would take it home, we would appreciate it! Please call the church office with info or to make arrangements to get it out of the shed!