



North Hill Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

March 22, 2026

Gathering of the Community of Faith

Prelude Riley Gray

Welcome Pastor Chris

Passing the Peace of Christ

Peace be with you

And also with you

*Hymn "Great is Thy Faithfulness" Riley Gray
CH 86

*Call to Worship Nathan Burford

The Spirit of God has brought us here.

**The Lord has set us down here,
though our bones are tired.**

Can these dry bones live?

Yes! The Breath of God will revive us!

The Word of God will awaken us!

Today, we come together to experience new life.

Let us give thanks to the Wild, Life-Giving Spirit of God!

*Prayer of Invocation Nathan Burford

Hymn "Creator God, Creating Still" Riley Gray
CH 62

Children's Moment Pastor Chris

Sharing the Prayer of our Community Pastor Chris

Hymn "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" Riley Gray
CH 305 (2x)

Prayers of the People Pastor Chris

The Lord's Prayer

Hearing the Word

Scripture Reading Psalm 130 Nathan Burford

The word of God, for the people of God

Thanks be to God

Special Music Riley Gray

Scripture Reading Ezekiel 37:1-14 Pastor Chris

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Sermon	“Breathe on These Bones”	Pastor Chris
*Hymn	“There is a Balm in Gilead” CH 501	Riley Gray
Gathering around the Table		
Offering Meditation		Bill Jennison
Doxology	Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow CH 47	Riley Gray
Prayer for our Gifts		Bill Jennison
Communion Meditation & Prayer		Pastor Chris
Hymn	“Here is Bread” CP 161	Riley Gray
Words of Institution		Pastor Chris
Partaking of the elements	<i>All are welcome at Christ's table. You are invited to partake in the elements as they are passed. Please assist in serving those seated next to you. (The bread is Gluten Free)</i>	
Affirmation of Faith	“We Believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God, and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world.”	Pastor Chris
Prayer of Thanksgiving		Pastor Chris
Sending Forth the People of God		
Ministry Happenings		Pastor Chris
*Hymn	“Renew Your Church” CH 463	Riley Gray
*Benediction		Pastor Chri

(* = Please rise, in Body or Spirit)

Looking Ahead

Serving Next Sunday, March 29, 2026

Count: Janie Selley, Patty Morris **Diaconate:** Nathan Burford

Elder: Debbie Jennison **Worship Leader:** Debbie Jennison

Visual Tech: Natasha Carter **Sound Tech:** Bo Davis

Pick Up: Janie Selley **Greeter:** Bill Phipps

Attitude Adjustment: 7 days a week at 12 noon and 5:30 PM (top floor) 9:30 AM Saturday morning
 (top floor) 3rd Saturday of each Month Dinner Potluck (Hazen Hall)
Jewels Helping Hands–Aurora Shelter (24/7 in basement classroom)

Sunday, March 22	Sunday School 9:30 AM Sunday Worship 10:30 AM Coffee Hour after Worship Board Meeting After Worship
Monday, March 23	Pastor's Office Hours 9-12 Citizenship Class 10-11 AM
Tuesday, March 24	Pastor's Office Hours 9-12
Thursday, March 26	Print Day Citizenship Class 6-7 PM
Sunday, March 29	Palm Sunday Sunday School 9:30 AM Sunday Worship 10:30 AM Coffee Hour after Worship



Easter Special Offering

Let us rejoice in the work of the wider church! This offering goes to support 15 General Ministries in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). Our generous gifts help equip college students for leadership, strengthen global mission partnerships, sustain health and social service ministries, support the formation of new congregations, care for pastors and chaplains, and so much more. The Easter Offering gifts have the power to transform lives and extend the love of Christ around the world! Our Easter offering will be collected on March 29th and April 5th.

Maundy Thursday Service

On Thursday April 2nd we will gather along with members of Country Homes Christian Church, for our Maundy Thursday service at 6pm. This is a service where we will set aside time to remember the Last Supper, as we gather around a meal of simple soup and bread. You are invited to come as you are as we center ourselves in the events of Jesus' passion and death before celebrating his resurrection on Easter Sunday.

Lil Free Pantry Update

As you may have heard announced on Sunday March 1, we have received funds from our region under the Food Insecurity grant. These funds will be used to 1) Pay for materials for the pantry and any storage we need to get ready, and 2) Purchase the initial food and hygiene products that will be used to supply the pantry.

But we need some help. We could use help with finding the best deals around town, and helping organize the supplies once we have them in the building.

THANK YOU

A big "Thank You" goes out to Bob Hooker and the crew of guys who hosted the loaded baked potato luncheon on March 15th. The many condiments provided made the baked potatoes a very tasty and filling luncheon. Congratulations to all of the lucky winners of the many "great" prizes won in the several bingo games. Thanks to those who brought their "treasures" and those who provided desserts. Clean up went fast because of all of the helping hands. A great time was had by all who shared the fun, food, fellowship and the "treasures".