

2021 CVN Virtual Reunion



Community of Christ

Sunday through Wednesday
June 20 thru 23

Cedar Valley Nauvoo
Guest Ministers

John Glaser - Sunday & Monday am
Blake Smith - Monday pm
Catherine Striley - Monday eve
Diane Keyser - Tuesday am
Blake Smith - Tuesday pm eve
Robin Linkhart - Wednesday all

Reunion Staff

Reunion Director Marlene Brim
Assistant Director Pat Reaves
Business Manager Lyle Brim
Mission Ctr Team Evelyn Dustin
 Kent LeVan
 Robert Cook

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Reunion Theme

Let Peace Dwell Here

Daily Themes

Sunday
Come in the Name of the Lord

Monday
Discern Peace Here

Tuesday
Practice Peace Here

Wednesday
Create Peace Here

Daily Schedule

Sunday
10:00-10:30 Social / Announcements
10:30-12:00 Worship
6:45-7:00 Orientation
 by Reunion Director
7:00-8:00 Intergenerational
 Fellowship
8:30-9:00 Campfire
9:00-9:30 Canteen

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Daily Schedule (Con't)

Monday through Wednesday

9:00-9:30 Devotions
9:30-10:45 Guest Speaker
10:45-11:00 Break
11:00-12:15 Church History, Robert Cook
12:15-1:00 Virtual Lunch Break
1:00-2:15 Class
 Mon - Blake Smith / David Ettinger
 Tue - Blake Smith
 Wed - Robin Linkhart

2:15-2:30 Break
2:30-3:45 Class
 Mon - Virtual Cooking, Dana Nuckols
 Tue - Virtual Gardening, Dawn Durgin
 Wed - Virtual Cooking, Dana Nuckols

3:45-6:30 Break
6:30-7:00 Social Time
7:00-8:00 Worship
8:30-9:00 Campfire Sun
 Mon
 Tue

9:00-9:30 Canteen Sun Bring Snacks
 Mon and Drinks
 Tue

Wednesday
Same schedule except evening:
6:30-7:00 Social
7:00-8:30 Communion and
 Dedication Service

Worship Services

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Presider</u>	<u>Congregation</u>
Sunday	10:30 am	Marlene Brim	Cedar Falls
Monday	7:00 pm	John Saur	Iowa City
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Deb Batey	Followers of the Way
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Roger Reid	Cedar Rapids

Congregation Assignments

Guest Speaker Biographies

John Glaser Sunday Service



John Glaser is a minister for Community of Christ, MC President for Mexico-Texas and Co-chair of the Human Rights Team. John holds the priesthood office of Seventy and is President of Seventy for Quorums 7 and 8. John worked at the Hispanic Economic Development Corporation in Kansas City, Missouri. His professional involvement includes belonging to Advocates for Immigrant Rights and Reconciliation.

John was born in Whittier, California and received a bachelor of arts degree with a major in history from Graceland College, Lamoni. He received a master of urban planning from the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas; and a PhD in education from Texas A&M University at College Station, Texas.

Catherine Striley Monday Guest



Cathy is blessed and she knows it. Cathy lives in Florida and calls herself an appointee-brat. She is a wife of 40+ years, and has two children and a guardian child. Cathy is a Seventy, pastor, associate professor of psychiatric epidemiology, community engaged researcher, social worker, Essential Tremor patient and advocate. Cathy is in her third discontinuous term on the human rights committee and was the researcher for Eastern Missouri/Southern Illinois on a federal anti-trafficking grant.

She currently advocates with and for solo seniors, people with mental, neurological and behavioral health problems and those without consistent access to food. She understands the fragility of this life.

Blake Smith Tuesday Guest



Blake Smith is a minister for Community of Christ and mission center financial officer for the Chicago USA Mission Center. He holds the priesthood office of Seventy. His past assignments include mission support minister for the North East USA Mission Field, Eastern Great Lakes USA Mission Center president, Graceland University campus minister, Santa Fe Stake youth minister, and children/youth ministry training specialist for Community of Christ International Headquarters.

A native of Pensacola, Florida, Blake received a bachelor of arts in psychology from the University of West Florida after having traveled in the international cast of Up With People. He also received a master of divinity from Saint Paul School of Theology, Kansas City, Missouri.

Guest Speaker Biography

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Robin Linkhart Wednesday Guest



Robin Linkhart is a member of the Council of Twelve Apostles, the lead missionary quorum of Community of Christ.

She is assigned to the North Central USA Mission Field. She also oversees Restoration heritage seeker ministries.

Her previous assignments include president of the Quorum of Seventy. She also serves on the International Leaders Council, Theology Formation Team, Ecumenical and Interfaith Ministries Team, and chairs the Latter-day Seekers Ministries Team. On special assignment in Utah, Robin served as pastor of Salt Lake City Community of Christ and supports a variety of new ministries along the Wasatch Front.

Prior to holding the office of Seventy, Robin provided ministry in the offices of Elder and High Priest. Her experience includes pastor, youth and young adult ministries, community outreach/partnering, leadership development, and congregational consulting. In her prior assignment she served the Western USA Mission Field as field missionary coordinator.

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Robin has been employed by the church since January 1999. She holds a master of arts in Christian ministry from Community of Christ Seminary and a bachelor of arts in biological sciences from the University of Northern Colorado.

Additional Information

The CVN Mission Center is inviting you to a Virtual Reunion from June 20 - 23, 2021. If you did not receive an email with URL to log in, type in the following Zoom Meeting Link on your Internet browser and click on it to enter the Waiting Room:

zoom.us/j/2714958353

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Start each day using the Daily Schedule on the first page.

Send Love Offering check(s) made out to: "Community of Christ"
Send the check (not cash) to
Business Manager:

Lyle Brim
5105 Bluebell Road
Cedar Falls IA 50613.

All monies will be used by the CVN Mission Center to fund our campgrounds and pay administrative expenses.

Love Offerings will be solicited at each evening worship service by the following:

Robert Cook - Monday
Todd Batey - Tuesday
Lyle Brim - Wednesday

For the Monday and Wednesday Cooking Class, please indicate if you plan to attend by calling or texting Dana Nuckols at phone 573-221-3263. Recipes will be provided to you to obtain the required ingredients prior to the class.