

*The
Christian
Visitor*

First Christian Church

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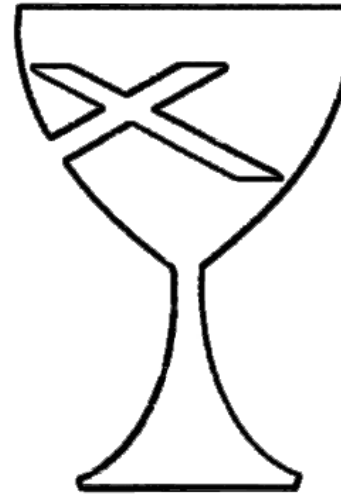
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Rummage Sale

First Christian Church

301 N. 7th

(Basement Entrance on Santa Fe St)



- Wednesday, September 3 ~ 12 noon to 6 pm
 - Thursday, September 4 ~ 8 am to 4 pm
 - Friday, September 5 ~ 8 am to 4 pm
 - Saturday, September 6 ~ 8 am to 12 noon **BAG SALE**
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- Set-up Racks and Tables in Wolf Hall ~ Sunday, August 31, 4 pm
(Need lots of Youth and Men to help)
 - Unpack, organize and price items ~ Monday, September 1
and Tuesday, September 2 from 8 am to 4 pm
and Wednesday, September 3 from 8 am to 12 noon
 - Clean-Up ~ Saturday, September 6 ~ 12 noon
(Need lots of helpers to pack up and clean Wolf Hall)

We are beginning to collect items for the sale. If you have a lot please call the church office (913-367-3036) and we will unlock the basement door for you to bring your items in. We also have a coat rack in Wolf Hall for clothing to be hung up.



Like our Facebook Pages!

Did you know the church has a Facebook page? We post pictures and updates from time to time. "Like" us and "check-in" when you're here to stay connected with your church family!

www.facebook.com/fccatchison

<https://www.facebook.com/AtchisonCountyFoodPantryatFirstChristianChurch>

The Churches Website

Check it Out: www.fccatchison.net

Christian Visitor Deadline

Deadline: Monday, August 18, 2014 - 4 p.m.

Published: Wednesday, August 20, 2014

This issue will include worship info. for August 24, 31 and Sept. 7 as well as the September calendar, birthdays and anniversaries. The deadline for the next Christian Visitor is Monday, Sept. 8 and will include worship information for September 14 & 21. Please have your items either typed or written out. It is difficult to take this information over the phone. You may also email your information to the church at fccatch@sbcglobal.net.

Please Notify The Church Office

- If anyone in your family goes into the hospital.
- When your group plans to have a meeting.
- When a member of your family leaves home for college or to establish a new residence.
- When you're planning to move out of town or locally.
- When your phone number changes.
- When a new baby arrives in your family.
- When you feel the church can assist you in any way.
- When a new family moves into your neighborhood.
- When someone needs to be placed on, OR **taken off** of the Prayer List.

Christian Education & Youth News

WATER, WATER, EVERYWHERE VBS 2014 - THANK YOU

Another great VBS has been added to our history. We want to say "thank you" to some folks:

- ❖ Cari Drury – artistic talents on the outdoor banner
- ❖ Rachel Cooper - wrote the Bible stories as well as presented them four evenings. Also wrote the ending skit and program for Sunday morning.
- ❖ Jacob Bullock – led the Bible story one evening
- ❖ Russ Cooper, Joseph Cooper, Jason Drury, Cameron Drury, Tom West – led the music
- ❖ Maizey Lang and McKenzie Bell – daily skits
- ❖ Sharon Bullock – painted the backdrop panels—one was added for each day's theme
- ❖ Joe Bullock – audio/video
- ❖ Christen Lacey, Stacie Dougherty, Rochelle Schuetz – the Craft Team
- ❖ Debra, Mark & Anna Mikkelson – Science Adventures

- ❖ Patty & Roger Phillipe – snacks (assisted by Lucille Rawson & Ronda Shell)
- ❖ Kevin & McKenzie Dougherty – water, water games (it was hot a couple of nights!)
- ❖ Rosie Trower – Rule #1 is you don't do VBS without Rosie!
- ❖ Brooke Genail - Photography
- ❖ Crew Leaders & Helpers: Matt & Mya Lacey, Hailey McConnaughey, Markelle Mikkelson, Mattie Dougherty, Gracie Seager, Mikaya Lowe, Meghan Greenly, Bridgett Kelly, Jacob Keimig, Gavin Rebant, Kylee Kottman, Ali Keimig, Heather Matthias, Kevan Birkinsha, Pastor Lee, Tiavna and Elijah Rowley
- ❖ Gary Wohlgemuth & Lions Pool crew - making it very easy to have a pool party the last evening
- ❖ A BIG thank you to all those who donated snack foods including the cookies.

And a thank you to everyone for the support given during VBS. First Christian Church is blessed with many awesome volunteers. If there was a need, there was always someone willing to help. See you next year!



Back to Sunday School Rally

Sunday, August 24th

10 am

Food and Special Activities

Fall Sessions Begin on Sunday, September 7th



Young @ Heart for 55+

Monday, August 11, 2014

11:30 a.m. in Wolf Hall

Covered dish luncheon for 55+. Rev. Nancy J. Kollhoff will be our guest speaker. We will also discuss plans for the future of YAH. Bring \$1 for FCC Food Pantry and paper supplies. We encourage you to bring non-perishable food items as well.

As most of you know by now Rev. Doug Williams will be moving to Arkansas soon to be near his sons and families. Here is his new address: Rev. Doug Williams, 500 Arkanshire Circle, #103, Springdale, AR 72765.

Christian Women's Fellowship (CWF)

Monday, August 25

2:00 pm

In the library/parlor. Devotions given by Carole Baker and Program/Lesson by Susan Cummings. Refreshments served in Wolf Hall by Earnestine Engeman. All ladies of FCC are invited to attend.

Susan Cummings, CWF President

REMINDER: CWF collects Best Choice UPC's, Box Top for Education codes, Campbell's products for education, Stamps for USA Stamp Camp. There are containers for each of these in the annex on the bottom shelf of the wooden table.

Church Family Dinners Out

Sign-up sheet is in the annex on wooden table.

These events are sponsored by the MEMBERSHIP Ministry Team

Saturday, October 11 – 6 pm

TenPenny, Leavenworth – BUS – 5:15 pm



Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED:

We are in need of folks to pick up donated items from Wal-Mart, bring back to church, weigh and put away in storage rooms. As well as people to stock our pantry rooms. We also need folks to work on the following pantry days. The food pantry is open on Mondays from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Wednesdays from 5:30-7:00 p.m. and Fridays from 10:00-11:30 am.

Please call Kay Greenly, Food Pantry Director, 367-6456 or the church office, 367-3036 if you would like to help. The Food Pantry is an important ministry in our community. Monetary donations are accepted too! Please check out our page on Facebook & Like us - Atchison County Food Pantry at First Christian Church.

Needs for August - Peanut Butter, Cereals, Soup, Crackers, Toilet Paper

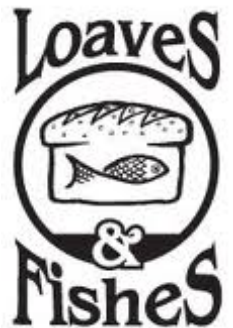
At the Project Concern. Signup sheets for volunteering are on the table in the annex.

September 13

November 15

January 17, 2015

Due to some health issues we are looking for someone to assume the rewarding responsibilities of heading up Loaves and Fishes. This is done about every 8 weeks on Saturday morning. For further information please call (785) 548-7458.



We will continue leading in that capacity until the first of the year and are also willing to help until you feel comfortable with the task.

You will have several volunteers helping and it's a great time to meet and get to know different members of our church family.

Ron and Marilyn

Remember In Prayers

Shawn Adams, Phyllis Ary, Lela Blunk, Alexine Blunt, Melinda Calhoon, Brenda Callahan, Daniel Carpenter, Bryson Connell, Bill Donaldson, Bill, Sr., Betty, Scott and Billy Dorsey, Shelly Edgmon, Earnestine Engeman, Dale Fitkin, Eleanor Fultz, Dee Gatewood, Alana Hale, Sally Hayes, Steve Higgins, Jack Higley, Carol Hink, Mercedes Hoffman, Danielle Holmes, Bessie Jones, Bob Kibler, Charlie Kottman, Laney Ledbedder, Naesha, Lexa & Kameron Low, Karen Martin, Natalie McCullough, Sheila McDaniel, Lila Mercer, Marjorie Merritt, Jan Mikkelson, Ann Mixon, Pat Montgomery, Rick Moranz, Dolores Moulden, Kristi Moxley, Kay Norton, Steve Otte, Dennis Petesch, Family of Kirk Porter (Patsy, Molly, Maggie and Pat), Patty Kimmi Powers, Donnie & Linda Roberts, Dorothy Schletzbaum, Don Seba, Harold & Erma Seever, Stanley Seever, Richie Shaver, Bunny Shipley, Juanita Shufflebarger, Gene Sittenauer, Becky Smith, Glen Stecher, Darlene Sullwold, Dorothy Turner, Linda Underwood, Timi Vanlengen, Danny Wagner, Amy West, Phil Wilson, Debbie Young

Military

Cody Callaway, Ryan Callahan, Joshua Lambert, Nicholas Cline, Mike Quick, Sean McCaffery, Anton Mak, Jesse McGlade, Nick Davison, Curtis Ellis, Ben Carlisle, Jerry Michaels, John Humbard, Cody Shughart, Robert Dickson, Justin Ruhlman

Attendance

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| July 27, 2014 | 9 a.m. – 175 | 10:45 a.m. – 67 |
| August 3, 2014 | 9 a.m. – 75 | 10:45 a.m. – 84 |

Visitors on July 27 & August 3

Tracey Vollmer, Patricia Atteberry, Dallas Carver, Bruce Ideker, Heather Hill, Tracie Holler, Sandy & Micha Handke, Matthew Stout, Nic, Sara, Addy & Allie Rebant, Carolyn & Wayne Randolph, Jane McLane, Ashlyn & Isabela Morrison, Ron & Kathleen Cobb, Natalie Soph, Joseph Butner, Michael Korn

Note of Thanks

I wanted to thank the First Christian Church Scholarship Committee for awarding me a scholarship this year. Thank you for aiding in furthering my education and for encouraging my relationship with Christ.

God Bless, *Rachel Cooper*

BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, August 12, 2014

NO ELDER'S MEETING

7:00 pm Deacons and Deaconesses Meetings

7:30 pm Board Meeting

Minister's Cabinet Meeting

Tuesday, August 26, 2014

7 pm

In the Memorial Chapel

Members of the Cabinet are: Sr. Minister, Chair of the Board, Elders, Deacons, Deaconesses, Trustees, Fellowship, Evangelism, Stewardship, World Outreach, Property & Grounds, Membership, Christian Education, Worship and Church Treasurer.

ACOLYTES FOR 10:45 AM SERVICE

Any child in grades 2-5 are encouraged to become an acolyte at the second service. If your child is interested, please e-mail Kelley Stillings at kstillings@hotmail.com and let her know. You can also call the church office and sign up with Rosie.

Kelley will provide a training session for new acolytes before the first Sunday in September.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES HAVE ARRIVED

Our 2014 Pictorial Directory has arrived and can be picked up at the office throughout the week days or on Sunday morning in the annex. Please obtain your book and make sure your name has been checked off the list. If you did not have your picture taken but would like to obtain a book there is a cost of \$5. **ENJOY!!**

9 a.m. People of Praise Service

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Traditional Worship

Sunday, August 10, 2014

Sermon: The Sower
Scripture: Mark 4:1-9

9:00 Servers: Sally Webb, Kristi Moxley, Dale Erhart, Rose Webb, Tohnya Aversman, Roger & Patty Phillippe, Liz Montgomery

10:45 Elders: John Jacobson and Dennis Stanton

10:45 Servers: Jeremy Ellis, Rusty Randolph, Mary Anna Dove, Lavern Fitkin, Teri Kuhnert, Sharon Sowers, Lucille Rawson

10:45 Greeters: Parking Lot...Janet Pruet
7th Street...Joe Amthor
Santa Fe...Jane Amthor

10:45 Preparers: Tracie Caudle and Pat West

Acolyte & Helper: Parker Kottman and Kylee Kottman

Worship Leader: Carolyn Campbell

Sunday, August 17, 2014

Lily Cooper presentation on Mission Trip

9:00 Servers: Helen Birkinsha, Sarah & Brad Lee, Stacie & Kevin Dougherty, Jeri Kurth, Carolyn Rodina, Susan Cummings

10:45 Elders: Carolyn Rodina and Mick West

10:45 Servers: Buddy Baldrige, Brian Oswald, Tracie Caudle, Janet Enzbrenner, Michel Fobbs, Dixie Williams, Janet Pruet

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7th Street...Carole Baker
Santa Fe...Doris Falen

10:45 Preparers: Kathy Childress and Michelle Wilson

Acolyte & Helper: Ben Enzbrenner and Tammy Parrott

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