

News & Events

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STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP TEAM

On Sunday, the Strategic Leadership Team met for their first three-hour meeting to begin the work of crafting a Mission Statement for the church. Monday, they gathered again to continue working and looking at Congregation Core Values. This team will meet eight times over the course of the next four months for a total of 24 hours to do strategic planning, mission and vision work for the church! We are so excited to be going through this process and see what God has in store for us!



Care Bags for Caregivers

We were so excited to be the recipient of a grant that allowed us to partner with Sooner Success Respite Team and put together special bags for Logan County Caregivers who are helping those who are ill/homebound. The bags contain hand sanitizer, two homemade masks by Makenna Bench, chapstick, lotion, Kleenex and a couple gift cards. We are so thankful to those providing extra care to loved ones and those at risk during this time!



You are appreciated!

Your heart for caring and gift of love to ensure others are well has not gone unnoticed. Please accept this gift as a way to remember how important it is to take care of yourself as well!

*In Christ's Love,
Your friends at
First Christian Church*

GMA Picnic

It was a beautiful evening at the GMA picnic on Sunday. Thanks to Ronnie, Karen and Gary & Jane Weeks for representing FCC!



KIDS & Youth Ministries

YOUTH NEWS!

Let the busyness begin! As we prepare for every student to now finally be back to school (some began last week and the rest to follow this week), I pray for health and safety for everyone as well as a continued focus on love and learning. We all share in the need to keep God first and the rest seems to fall into place.

As a youth group we will continue to meet outside on Sundays in August. Please sign up for the Remind texts to get the latest information and reminders. Let Staci know if you need help or have any questions! Text 81010 and type: @fcc-youth

Here's what's happening for us this week: **Thursday** - See you at Sonic (by Braums) 7 p.m. - 8 p.m. Stop by and get a free drink! **Friday & Saturday** - Lazy E fundraiser (Contact Staci ASAP to sign-up). **Sunday** - lakeside water slide 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. (meet at FCC by 5:45 to ride the bus) No ZOOM this Wednesday... Have a great week!



Christmas Stocking Collections!

This month the Outreach Team is asking for donations of **toothpaste and toothbrushes**. Help us fill the giant stocking!

Do All the Good You CAN!

Our July through January Outreach Project is collecting pop cans and beverage cans! We can pick them up – or you can call and have a member of the Outreach Team come get them!

This project benefits the Evans family who collects cans for “**Aluminum Cans for Burned Children**” organization which helps children recovering from burns. Call the church office for more info.



FCC LADIES NIGHT

Who: All Women of FCC

Where: Senor Lopez

When: Wed., Aug. 26 at 6 p.m.

Why: Just because! 😊

RSVP to the church office by noon on the 26th!



Our love and sympathy go out to: Debbie Hubbard and family in the death of her aunt, Velma Hurst

Preparing for surgery:

Amy Haskins Kirk (knee surgery – Aug 20).

We pray for our church family:

Holly Evers, Greg & Tasha Ireton Family (house fire), Stacey Johnston, Kendra McNew, Gregg Gumerson, Larry Stinchcomb, Cynthia Baker, Al Allen, Velma Johnson, Dennis Lynch, Joan Dreessen, Karen Yancey, Sherry Canning, Basil Belveal, Linda Cameron, Rae Burns, Sharon Doan & Mykah Hamel-Honeycutt, Mike Canning, Crystal Vassar, Lesley Rodgers, Dave Williams, Debbie Considine, Mike Carey, Dorothy Herbert, Donna Wheatley.

We pray for our friends and family members:

Rosemary Standerfer, Family of Blake McSparrin, Will Jackson, Ray Stewart, Pauline Belden, Carrie Haskins, Linda Bowen, Bobby Underwood, Nancy Layne, Sarah Schlueter, Louise Cotton, Mary Coffin, Jerry Williams, Deborah Dean, Brandi Carry, Rod Richardson, Keith Gordon, Marc Simmons, Brenda Piland, Valerie Cotton, Sydney Kohpay, James Stowe, Lucy Pridham, Katheryn Webb Feken, Roberta Coleman, Kinsley Murri, Cathy Carter, Pam Billings, Judy Ravenas, Janetta Hibbler, Stephanie Wagner Lowrance, Kayla Thetford

And our military all over the world: Bonnie Epperson, Jonah Friese, Garret Canning, T.J. Wilson, Brent Walton, Matt Byce, Cody Ingram