



September 22, 2020

## UPDATES FROM PASTOR RONNIE

### David Bible Study

Ronnie will be offering a Bible Study alongside of our next sermon series titled "David: The Good, The Bad, and the Ugly." We will meet weekly beginning Oct. 11, on Sundays at 5 p.m. The purpose is to dive a little deeper into David's life. This will be an online study and will be open to anyone!

### Strategic Leadership Team

Our Strategic Leadership Team (the team tasked with establishing our mission statement, core values, and pathway to discipleship) will meet several times in the coming weeks. The dates are Sept. 27 (1-4 p.m.), Sept. 28 (6-9 p.m.), Oct. 11 (1-4 p.m.), and Oct. 13 (6-9 p.m.). Please remember everyone is welcome to watch the process. We will send out an email with the Zoom link prior to the meetings.

Do you have the gift of enjoying **organizing, cleaning and letting things go**? If so, we have the project for you! As we consider the future of our Music Ministry, it is quite evident that our Choir Room has become a catch-all for music as well as things that just don't belong. 😊 If you would like to spend some time tackling this project, please call the church office and we will make arrangements. This can be an individual or group effort! Many hands make light work!



*Caregiver  
Support Group*  
Join us Sept. 23 at  
6 p.m. at the church.

Bring your own dinner. Call the church for more info.

### Christmas Stocking Collections!



This month the Outreach Team is asking for donations of **SOCKS for kids ages 4 – 18 years of age**. Help us fill the giant stocking in the sanctuary!

### Ways to watch our Sunday service from home or on the road!

This past Sunday, we had some technical difficulties, but those are hopefully resolved through our streaming service. There are 2 ways to watch the livestream of our service, which starts at 10:30 a.m. on Sundays.

These options are available throughout the week as well.

- On Facebook at "First Christian Church of Guthrie"
- On our website at [www.fccguthrie.org](http://www.fccguthrie.org)

We always record the 10:30 service and will post that ASAP if there are ever issues on Sunday morning with the livestream.

# KIDS & Youth Ministries



## Kid's Worship Update

This week's "Need to Know" in Kid's Worship is "I Can Remember What the Bible Says!" Our Bible story was from Luke 4:1-13. We talked about remembering what the Bible says will help us in so many ways. When we remember what it says, we'll say "no" to doing wrong things just like Jesus did! We also talked about that's why we have memory verses from the Bible to try to remember, so we can remember to say "no" to the wrong things like Jesus did. When we read the Bible, we can also pray these memory verses and ask God to open our eyes to see all the wonderful things in His teachings. Talk to your family about a time that you were able to say "no" to a wrong choice like Jesus did.

Pray with your family: Dear God, help us to see how great it is to remember what we read from your Word! Amen.

Memory Verse: "Be good, to me, your servant, so that I may live to obey your word. Open my eyes so that I can see all the wonderful things in your teachings." Psalm 119: 17-18



The 3rd - 6th graders will have a "Capture the Flag" evening at Highland Park from 4:30 to 6 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 4. We will meet in front of the tennis courts at the park and play a few rounds of "Capture the Flag" together. Please ~~make sure~~ your child ~~weaks sure~~ they can run in! Pickup and drop off will be at the park. Email [nahardin@gmail.com](mailto:nahardin@gmail.com) if you plan for your child to be there!

## Youth Team Building

Youth Nights are in full swing. We have been focused on team building with a foundation of faith! Paul's letters have given us much to consider and apply to our own lives! As we finish the month of September, we will be putting our team skills to work! We will see which teams can conquer the ropes course at Central Camp - it will certainly take teamwork to do it!

We are also delighted to have some amazing people joining our youth team to help with our small group devotional time, say a prayer for them as they give up a portion of their own lives to help build the youth into the amazing people God created them to be! Prayers and a big thank you to: Courtney Turner, Will Dobbins, Baylor Wilhelm, Mekaila Carey, Tanner Ball, Kacie Carey, Brendan Hanna, Morgan Hanna, Lindsay Mays, Karen Allen, Chris Schroder and Tammy Schroder for all their help!

**Our love and sympathy go out to:** John Shore and family in the death of his cousin, Ray Sprague; Anita Plummer-Owen and family in the death of her aunt, Pat Smith; Family of Judy Wallar; Debbie Hubbard and family in the death of her uncle, J.L. Dye

**We pray for our church family:** Sarah Anderson, Esther Waner, Michelle Hamm, Stacey Johnston, Larry Stinchcomb, Cynthia Baker, Dennis Lynch, Joan Dreessen, Karen Yancey, Basil Belveal, Sherry Canning, Mike Canning, Lesley Rodgers, Debbie Considine, Mike Carey, Donna Wheatley, Dorothy Herbert

**We pray for our friends and family members:** Shanna Kilburn, Rhonda Baker, Cindy Rice, Rosemary Standerfer, Ray Stewart, Pauline Belden, Sarah Schlueter, Mary Coffin, Jerry Williams, Deborah Dean, Brandi Carry, Rod Richardson, Keith Gordon, Marc Simmons, Brenda Piland, Valerie Cotton, 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

# KIDVENTURE



Kidventure is off to a great start with 59 children enrolled! We appreciate all of our volunteers who are working to make this a fun and safe time for the kids!



## 3RD-12TH GRADERS @ CENTRAL CAMP & CONFERENCE



Our 3<sup>rd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders helped at the Central Oklahoma Camp & Conference Center on Monday. They cleaned up the Mud Run course and then enjoyed some of the outdoor activities at the camp.

