

NEWS & EVENTS

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Pentecost is THIS SUNDAY!

Pentecost is regarded as the birthday of the Christian church, and the start of the church's mission to the world. We encourage you to wear **red**, **yellow or orange** to remind us of the fire of the Holy Spirit.



Q: Who was the greatest comedian in the Bible?

A: Samson, because he brought the house down.

NEW Sermon Series begins
May 30 – "Samson"

89er Bed Race Update

The winnings are in! We were so surprised when Chamber Director, Brittany Timmons, came by on Monday with our \$100 winnings from the 89er Bed Race. Who knew we won actual money for our 2nd place finish?! Thanks so much to all those who participated in the Bed Race! We will utilize this money for future Connection Team events.

Progressive Dinner For All Ages

The Progressive Dinner is coming together! Sign-ups to reserve your spot will start this Sunday. The Progressive Dinner will be Sunday, June 13 at 4:30 p.m. We will meet at the church and break into groups to travel to three different homes to complete our meal! We have homes hosting appetizers, main dish and dessert. Space will be limited for this event to 48 people for the progressive dinner. We will travel in groups of 16 to the various homes. We will need four drivers per traveling group of 16, so if you can drive, let me know.

The Progressive Dinner is open to everyone but if you have kids 6th grade and under they will stay at the church and have their own "cooking competition" and game night at the church during the event! Children must be pre-registered, so we will have enough supplies. Nursery will be provided for those 4 and younger.

You are welcome to sign-up now! Just e-mail or text Karen Allen: karenkallen@cox.net (405)615-2240.



God Promises to Help Me In Times of Trouble!

Bible Story: Daniel in the Lion's Den (Daniel 6)

On Sunday in Kid's Worship, we talked about times of trouble and how God promises to help us in those times. Our Bible story was about Daniel being thrown into the lion's den as punishment for praying to God. But God kept his promise to protect us in times of trouble and sent an angel to shut the mouths of the lions. Daniel knew that he could trust God's promise to help him during times of trouble. We can also trust that God will help us during times of trouble!

This week: Talk to your family about a time that God kept His promise to you during a time of trouble in your life. Talk about ways you rely on God during these times.

Memory Verse to work on: "For Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom. You rule throughout all generations." Psalm 145:13

Pray with your family: God, thank you for your promise to help us in times of trouble. Help us to trust you when we are going through a hard time. We love you! Amen.

YOUTH NEWS

So much to Celebrate... On *Friday*, Sonic drinks and corn dogs were delivered to some of our High School & Jr High students, as well as a couple of Jr High secretaries for all their help with lunchtime deliveries! On *Sunday*, we enjoyed a Senior Breakfast in honor of **HANNAH ROSS, BRANDON PARKER, ADDIE GILL, TY BIGGS, FAERON DEWART-CORDRAY** and their families! A huge "**THANK YOU**" to our kitchen crew & decorating committee: Logan Hand, David & Ellie Ball, Calee Lyons, Jake Carey, Mekaila Carey, Kacie Carey & Kyndal Carey.



Hospitalized: Gerald Whitfield (back surgery)

Preparing for surgery: Hank Hinkle, Barbara Wilder

We pray for our church family: Terri McNulty, Ruth Underwood, Denise Shoun, Randy Ellis, Sadie Ciardi, Kate Ciardi, Keith Young, Jerry Yancey, Carol Barnes, Lawrence Coburn, Conna Dewart, Basil Belveal, Dennis Lynch, JoAnn LeGrande, Ron Fields, Larry Stinchcomb, Joan Dreessen, Sherry Canning

We pray for our friends and family members: Don Coffin, Mary Coffin, Sherry Marshall, Linda Hicks, Pauline Beldin, Jim Thomas, Lee Pearce, Ronnie Koehler, Stephanie Sykes, Willie White, Steve Ochs, Dawson Morgan, Jerry Resch, Jay Beuchaw, Hazel Carroll, Carol Garcia, Wes Weir, Anna Simmons, Oliver Wolfington, Chuck Kyle, Scott Quick, Kimberly, Treva Seals, Rhonda Lovelace, Mark Prather, Joan Faye Meacham, Susie Ellison, Harold Hembree, Darrin Robb, Wes Black, Rosemary Standerfer, Brenda Piland, Valerie Cotton, James Stowe, Katheryn Webb Feken, Cathy Carter, Pam Billings, Janetta Hibbler, Kayla Thetford

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

During Worship, we celebrated the hard work of our college graduates, high school graduates and promoted students into new ministries! It was a unique passing of the torch as our seniors handed new Bibles to the 6th grade students who passed a Kid's Worship Extra badge on to the 2nd grade students who passed a Beginner's Bible on to the Kindergarten group. How cool! To end this special Sunday, we welcomed 6th grade students into YOUth with a special lunch trip to Buffalo Wild Wings followed by a Youth Nights trip to Braums!

This week is our final regular Sunday night "Youth Nights" until fall. Weather permitting, we are headed to the park to: wrap up our: "Asking for a Friend-Youth edition", play some capture the flag & enjoy some Cane's Chicken;) see you at FCC at 5 (downstairs, off Ash Street door).

If you are new to fccYOUth or would like more information about this ministry, contact Staci Carey at 405-831-5509.

<u>Parents of 6th graders</u>, did your child get a new Bible? Check out your email with some great tips and ideas on how to help them use their Bible and understand its contents a little better! Contact Staci to if you didn't receive it.

Do you need a Bible? Let Staci know and she will get you one ASAP! **SUMMER "KICK-OFF" June 6**th **8-10 watch for details!**

GRADUATE RECOGNITION!

















PROMOTION SUNDAY



On Sunday, we celebrated Promotion Sunday. Our **6**th **graders** were promoted to YOUTH Group and receive a new Bible!

The **2**nd **graders** were promoted to Kid's Worship Extra!

The **Kindergarteners** received their very own Bible!

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