



NEWS & EVENTS

First Christian Church, Guthrie

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June 22, 2021

“Lunch with our Bunch!” is June 27

We invite anyone who is interested in learning more about the church and its ministries to come and enjoy Lunch with the Pastor and staff on June 27 following worship. We will provide lunch and encourage anyone to stay! This lunch is for visitors, those who have been attending and have questions as well as anyone who has been inviting guests. We would love to have those who are inviting guests to invite their friends/neighbors to join them for lunch so they will be comfortable coming. Children are welcome to attend. No reservations are needed, just make plans to join us!

Congregational Meeting to be held this Sunday immediately following worship to approve the 2021-2022 Board & Committees. (see proposed list on page 3)

July 4th – We will begin passing Communion/Offering

After prayer and careful consideration, reviewing results of a Congregation Survey and monitoring Logan County infection rates throughout the past several months, the FCC Board and Elders voted to return to serving communion and passing offering trays in worship beginning with the July 4 service.

The Congregational Survey was conducted during a two-week period with responses gathered using an online tool. Results of the survey showed that, of those currently attending, 92% rated their “comfort-level with passing trays during worship” a 3-or-higher on a scale of 1-5. Of that percentage, 58% reported they are “completely comfortable.”

We also gathered information on “returning to indoor fellowship dinners in the fall” and 100% ranked it 3-or-higher. A total of 65 people responded to the survey.

With those results and Logan County maintaining a green or yellow status since March 16, the leadership of FCC feels it is time to return to having Deacons serve communion and take up offering during worship. One change to the part of the worship service will be having deacons enter from the back with trays instead of going up front to pick up trays. This serves two purposes — to help those Deacons who have concerns about steps when serving communion and to help us continue to provide a more concise worship experience both for those worshipping in-person and online.

Moving forward, we will still offer crackers in baggies in the entryway for those who may not be comfortable picking up wafers out of tray, and there will be prepackaged juice/cracker combos available in the entryway. We appreciate everyone’s patience during the past year and a half as we have navigated new ways of doing things in order to keep everyone as safe as possible.

FCC Summer Cinema Returns



Friday, June 25 @ 7:30 pm

Join us @ Mineral Wells Park

- Movie • Ice Cream • Cookies •
- Lemonade • Water

Bring a lawn chair or blanket!

Sign-up to bring ice cream or cookies!



HONEY, I SHRUNK THE KIDS

Join us for Worship on Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m.
for our **Summer Cinema** series

June 27 through July 18

HONEY, I SHRUNK THE KIDS



THE LITTLE RASCALS

Herbie FULLY LOADED

THE SANDLOT

FCC YOUTH Summer Vibes series...

*Devotional options on the Bible app (contact Staci at 405-831-5509 for more info)

*Fun time: Mon, June 28th 7 pm - 9 pm. Splash & Dash games @ the Carey Pool

(contact Staci if you need a ride)

Kid's Worship - God Promises That He Is In Control - Out of Egypt (Exodus 13-15)

On Sunday in Kid's Worship, we learned how important it can be to have one person in control, there may be a lot of leaders in a group but there's usually one person in charge of those leaders even. That person makes the decisions and has the plan for the group. Just like there is one leader of a group, God is the leader of us. And God is always in control of the whole universe! Our Bible story was about Moses and the Israelites; even when they couldn't see how God was in control, He still was! God freed them from the Egyptians and made it so they could safely cross the Red Sea. God was in control the whole time!

This week: Discuss with your kids how you know God is in control of your life. Tell them of a time that you were reminded that God's promise is to always be in control. Was there ever a moment that you didn't understand what was going on but knew that God did? Read through the Bible story with your kids and see if they can pick out different times where the Israelites may not have understood how God was working.

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 that you are in control. We know that we can trust you to be in control even when we don't understand what is going on. We love you! Amen.

VBS Sign-Up Is Underway

Join us July 19-23 for Rocky Railway!

To Register: VBS kid sign-ups and volunteer registration are available on our website at fccguthrie.org

VBS is for children ages 4 years old through those who have completed 5th grade. Youth who have completed 6th-12th grades are invited to be helpers and can sign-up online as well. Adult volunteers are always needed! Sign-up today!

Also, everyone can order a VBS T-shirt! They are \$10 and can be paid for with cash or check at the church. Shirts are sizes child through adult. You can request them on the registration form.

Participant shirts are

brick red

Volunteer shirts are

grey



Love & Sympathy: The Family of S.T. Bolding

Hospitalized at this time: Leroy Barnes, Baby Laurel North

We pray for our church family: Barbara Wilder, Hank Hinkle, Gerald Whitfield, Dennis Lynch, Ruth Underwood, Denise Shoun, Keith Young, Jerry Yancey, Lawrence Coburn, Conna Dewart, Basil Belveal, Larry Stinchcomb, Joan Dreesen, Sherry Canning

We pray for our friends and family members: Elton Lewis, Bradley Wilson, Jeanne Foster, Alan Ford, Linda Lucas, Joyce Brandes, Jim Carter, Jesse Wehrenberg, Kevin Young, Don Coffin, Mary Coffin, Sherry Marshall, Linda Hicks, Pauline Beldin, Lee Pearce, Stephanie Sykes, Steve Ochs, Jerry Resch, Jay Beuchaw, Hazel Carroll, Carol Garcia, Wes Weir, Anna Simmons, Oliver Wolfington, Scott Quick, Kimberly, Treva Seals, Joan Faye Meacham, Harold Hembree, Darrin Robb, Wes Black, 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

ORDER YOUR T-SHIRT TODAY!

\$10

Thank you for giving to VBS! We are up to 43 train cars for our Rocky Railway train! Just 19 more until we reach our goal of 50 train cars before we kickoff VBS on July 19th! Every \$25 given to the VBS ministry adds one car to the tracks!



First Christian Church of Guthrie

2021-2022 Board and Standing Committees

Rev. Ronnie Fields, Senior Pastor

Karen Allen, Associate Minister

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD (1 yr. term)

Chair	Jeff Ball
Vice Chair	Jana Frey
Secretary	Courtney Turner
Treasurer	Peggy Momsen

MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS (1 yr. term)

Christian Education	Desi Rice
Connections	Jana Frey
Property	Brandon Henning
Outreach	Stacey Johnston & Krista Smith
Stewardship	Bobby & Susan Davison
Worship	Debbie Hubbard

ELDERS Term Expires:

Wieczorek, Stan	Caring Elder	2022
Carey, Janie	Caring Elder	2022
Ball, David		2023
Ball, Jeff		2022
Ball, Jerry		2023
Davison, Susan		2023
Johnston, Stacey		2022
Momsen, Peggy		2023
Simpson, Mike		2023
Price, Clara		2024
Hacker, Dawn		2024
Johnston, Tommy		2023
Elder, Wayne		2024
Owen, Gene		2024

DIACONATE (3 yr. term) Term Expires:

Ball, Abigail	2022
Ball, Tanner	2022
Blakemore, Kristi	2023
Blakemore, Kyle	2023
Canning, Mike	2023
Carey, Alicia	2022
Carey, Staci	2022
Cotton, Lesley	2023
Davenport, Deanna	2024
Doles, Carol	2023
Fields, Shana	2024
Fields, Ron	2024
Frey, Kevin	2022
Griffin, Linda	2024
Gumerson, Gregg	2024
Gumerson, Rikki	2024
Hanna, Gretchen	2024
Hanna, Morgan	2024
Hanna, Steve	2024
Hardin, Don	2023
Holtz, Tom	2024
Hubbard, Debbie	2024
Lyons, Calee	2023
McLain, Bill	2024
McLain, Jessica	2024
Rice, Desi	2022
Rice, Jason	2022
Rucker, Jerry	2022
Schroder, Chris	2022
Schroder, Tammy	2022
Severson, Tammy	2022
Shults, Amanda	2024
Shults, Kendall	2024
Simpson, Kelly	2022
Smith, Krista	2022
Stowe, Charlie	2024
Wieczorek, Stan	2023
Wilhelm, Baylor	2023
Wiss, Julie	2022

STANDING COMMITTEES

SCHOLARSHIP (2 yr. term) Term Expires:

Frey, Kevin	2022
Holtz, Tom	2023
Wiss, Julie	2024

MEMORIAL (2 yr. term) Term Expires:

Cotton, Jason	2024
Griffin, Linda	2022
Wieczorek, Terry	2023

TRUSTEES (3 yr. term) Term Expires:

Fincher, Christie	2023
Pierson, Brian	2024
Wrede, Ron	2022

PERSONNEL (3 yr. term) Term Expires:

Ellis, Randy	2023
Mays, Lindsay	2022
Gumerson, Gregg	2024
Carey, Alicia	2024

PASTORAL RELATIONS (3 yr. term) Term Expires:

Davison, Susan	2022
Frey, Jana	2023
Redman, Jed	2024