NEWS & EVENTS

First Christian Church, Guthrie

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Sharing Christ
Growing in Faith

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November 9, 2021

Sunday, Nov. 14 – A Day You Don't Want To Miss!

We will start the day with **breakfast** hosted by our Stewardship Team as a THANK YOU for sharing your gifts and talents in 2021. Eggs, bacon, sausage, donuts, waffles and more will be served from 9 – 10:15 a.m. You will also have the chance to buy any last-minute tickets for the **Branson Getaway** – the winner will be announced at the beginning of the worship service. At 10:30 a.m., our **children** ages 4 years through 6th grade will lead us in the worship service! Pastor Ronnie will also continue our **"Key Verse"** sermon series. At 4:30 p.m., make your way back to FCC for our 3rd annual **THANKFUL FEST**! Invite a friend and join us for hot dogs, s'mores, firepits, games and more! It is going to be a wonderful day of fellowship and fun and we continue our mission of *Sharing Christ and Growing in Faith* in all that we do at FCC!

We will be having a Men's Night gathering on Mon., Nov. 15 at 7 p.m. at the Stables Tap Room. Come on out to visit, hang out, and enjoy some down time. Friends and guests are always welcome. Hope to see you there!

The Holidays are here…
Are YOU ready?

HOLIDAY HELPERS can help…

House cleaning, decorating, shopping and more!

Contact Staci Carey at 405-831-5509 for more information about this youth fundraiser

FCC KIDS & youth

Children's Sunday is this Sunday!!! Please join us for this extra special worship service! The kids have been working so hard to put together a unique worship experience for everyone. We are so proud of our FCC kids and can't wait to watch them use their talents to serve the church!

Important details for kids who are participating in Children's Sunday:

This Wednesday, the Children's Sunday kids will have a full run through practice right after Christmas program practice, 5-6 p.m.. This practice is for everyone other than greeters. PLEASE try to make every effort to have your kids there so we can have a run through and everyone feels prepared for the service! Pickup will be in the sanctuary. Please let me know if you cannot make this practice, it's really important to have everyone there.

For Sunday, Nov. 14 – Breakfast will be ready at 9 a.m. and then we will have one more full run through with all of the kids - speaking parts, diaconate, worship leaders, everyone - starting at 9:30. The service starts at 10:30 and we hope you invite your loved ones to come watch the kids put on this special service!

If your child is going to be a greeter, I will have their signs ready for them to start greeting at 9:45am. They can pick a sign out to hold if they would like one. If you can, please stick around the entryway with them to help them warmly welcome everyone.

A Children's Christmas Musical
Sunday, December 5 @ 6:30 p.m.

Join us Sunday, Nov. 21 following worship as we "Deck the Halls" at FCC! The Worship team invites everyone to help decorate for Advent. We will order pizza, cost is $5 per family.

3rd-6th grader event

Tuesday, Nov. 23 - Noon – 3

The 3rd - 6th graders are invited to come play at the church for the afternoon! We will have a pizza lunch together, play GaGa ball, Crossnet, and maybe even a few rounds of sardines! The cost for this is $5; please RSVP and pay by Sunday, Nov. 21! We need one adult volunteer to help supervise this event so if you are available to come hang out with these fun kids, please let Ms. Natalie know!

Adult Bible Study will resume Tues., Nov. 16 at 7 p.m. Gene Owen is leading this study over "Faith & Fear."

Our love and sympathy go out to: Keith Young and family in the death of his nephew, Travis Young

Preparing for surgery: Dennis Lynch

We pray for our church family: Mary Lou Welch, Sarah Anderson, Carson McNulty, Deanna Case, Kim Crick, Carl Biggs, Reuger Helm, Gary Weeks, Marilee Camerer, Sarah Schlueter, Sherry Canning, Gerald Whitfield, Keith Young, Jerry Yancey, Joan Dreessen

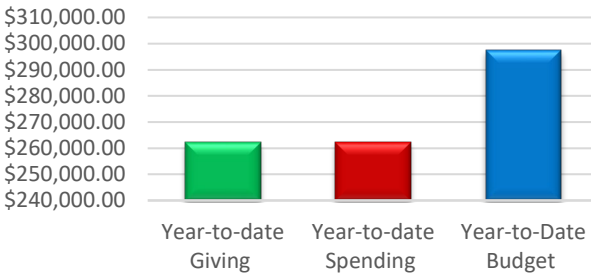
We pray for our friends and family members: Judy Oneill, Allee Merrill, Marty Stamp, Maureen McWhirter, Bill Coburn, Karen Wallis, Jay Louton, Bill Tooley, James Wallis, Sandy Smith, Renee Riebe, Trish Worster, Valerie Cotton, David Wolek, Jerri Brownlee, Francine Santillanes-Lopez, Bill Liddke, Bob Bennett, Michelle Minnich, Mark Prather, Melton Lewis, Bradley Wilson, Joyce Brandes, Jesse Wehrenberg, Don Coffin, Sherry Marshall, Linda Hicks, Lee Pearce, Steve Ochs, Jerry Resch, Jay Beuchaw, Carol Garcia, Wes Weir, Anna Simmons, Scott Quick,
Kimberly, Treva Seals, Joan Faye Meacham, Wes Black, Brenda Piland, James Stowe, Cathy Carter, Pam Billings, Janetta Hibbler, Kayla Thetford

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

FCC Attendance

November 7 – 152
Average for October - 119

FCC Financial Update

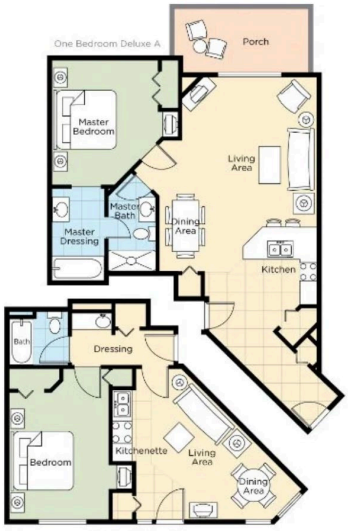


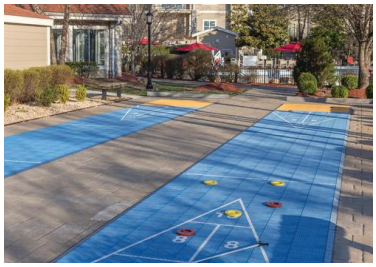
Branson Getaway

The First Christian Church Stewardship Team is excited to announce a "Branson Getaway" raffle! The winner will get 5 nights (arrive Tues., Dec. 28; depart Sun., Jan 2 – Dates are flexible) at **Wyndham Branson at The Meadows** in Branson, MO for up to 8 people in a 2-bedroom lock-off condo! This resort is just 4 miles from the Branson strip, and includes pools, hot tubs, game room and more!

LAST CHANCE

FLOOR PLAN





Tickets are $5 each or 5 tickets for $20 and are available now through 10:30 a.m. on Sun., Nov. 14. Tickets may be purchased before/after worship or in the church office (M-Th 8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.) Purchase your tickets today!

Proceeds will benefit the General Fund of First Christian Church Guthrie

Be a part of this year's Advent Devotional!

We are collecting stories of your favorite "Christmas Season Traditions." These can be things you do with your family, at church, neighborhood, workplace, school or by yourself. We will be making a collection of these to put together an Advent Daily Devotional. These will be quick reads with a scripture and prayer attached. You can fill out this form or go to our website www.fccguthrie.org to complete the information. All submissions are due by Nov. 14.

THIS SUNDAY!

You are welcome to write out your own story or answer these questions and we will compile it for you. We will add the scripture and prayer unless you have a favorite one you'd like to include.

My favorite Christmas Season Tradition!

1. My favorite Christmas Tradition is: _____ _____

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2. When does this tradition normally take place? _____

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3. Who all is included in this tradition (if it involves others) _____

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4. How long have you been doing this? _____

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5. What makes it special for you? _____

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6. Do you have a favorite scripture or prayer you'd like to include (skip if not)? _____

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7. Do you have a favorite Christmas Carol (skip if not)? _____

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Name: _____ **Phone or E-mail:** _____

(phone/e-mail won't be included in devotional, but in case we have questions.)