



# NEWS & EVENTS

## First Christian Church, Guthrie

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First Christian Church of Guthrie

Growing in Faith

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October 18, 2022

## Welcome New Members!

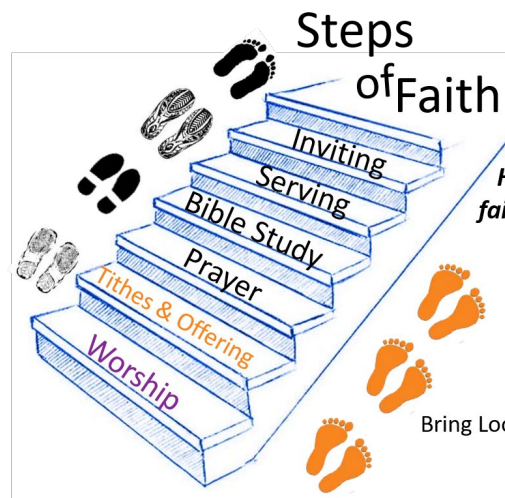
On Sunday, we welcomed Allison Lasenberry and her children Khloe, Noah, Whitley and Layton to our church family!

Sunday afternoon, Gene Owen baptized Kameron Hopper in our Sanctuary. Kameron and his wife Zoe have 2 precious boys, Kameron "K" and Jason.

If you are interested in joining our church family, please contact Pastor Ronnie.



## Steps of Faith Stewardship Campaign



Week of Oct. 16  
**Tithes & Offerings**

*How can you take a step of faith in your Tithes/Offerings?*

Make a tithe or offering each week.

Add 2% to your giving

Bring Loose Change on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of every month

## Live Like You're Dying Seminar

Join us this Sunday at 5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall (downstairs). This FREE dinner and seminar is open to the public. We were blessed with a grant from the Oklahoma Disciples Foundation to cover the cost of this event and look forward to hearing from our excellent panel covering the various topics of planning for the future.

### "Live Like You're Dying Seminar"

*Being proactive with difficult decisions, conversations*

**Sunday, Oct. 23 • 5-7 p.m.**

**First Christian Church • 402 E. Noble  
Free Dinner, Free Seminar!**

Expert panelists will share information, answer questions and discuss how to better plan for life's expected (and unexpected) changes!

- Financial Planning, Mike Sikes
- Healthcare, Nursing Homes, Companion
- Hospice/Spiritual, Gene Owen
- Wills/Power of Attorney, Brian Pierson
- Funeral Pre-planning, Ben Gallo



This seminar is free and open to the public. It is informational only and a great time to ask questions. No one is too young to start planning!  
Sponsored by First Christian Church & Companion Hospice

**Want to receive a weekly Text Reminder & Sunday Bulletin?**



Text the word "JOIN" to 405-467-2450 or call the church office to sign up!

## UPDATES!

**Lunch & Learn** will meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month following worship.

**Choir rehearsals** will resume at the end of October for the Advent Cantata.

# Prayer Requests

**Our love & sympathy go out to:** Judy Coburn & family in the death of her sister-in-law, Karen Coburn.

**Preparing for surgery:** Natalie Hardin (Oct. 21), Susan Davison (Nov. 10)

**We pray for our church family:** Lydia Gates, Terryll Wieczorek, Dennis Ochs, Patsy Crick, Kim Crick, Dennis Lynch, Velma Cox, Steve Ochs, Mickey Eckley, George Dreessen, Gerald Whitfield, Denise Shoun, Carl Biggs, Joan Dreessen

**We pray for our friends and family members:** Eddie Tomlinson, Rae Lynn Lovelace, Rien Barrow, Phil Pingel, Pearl Speer, Shana Downs, Shelly Jordan, Barry Resecker, Simon Halliman, Lindsay Szwed, Alice Simmons, Emma Canning, Shane Weathers, Renee Leathers, Larry Nagel, James Stowe, Jennifer Shirley, Karen Nemecek, Albert Tooley, Karen Aukwell, Jennifer Hand, Ed & Katherine Walton, Marty Stamp, Trish Worster, Bradley Wilson, Joyce Brandes, Lee Pearce, Jerry Resch, Treva Seals, Joan Faye Meacham, Cathy Carter

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



# FCC's 51st Annual Children's Christmas Program

SUNDAY, DEC. 4 6 P.M.

REHEARSALS BEGIN THIS WEDNESDAY, OCT. 19 @ 3:30 P.M FOR ALL CHILDREN 5 YEARS OLD THRU 6TH GRADE

CONTACT NATALIE HARDIN FOR MORE INFORMATION!

## Loose Change (and bills) for Capital Campaign

This Sunday is "Change the World" Sunday where we collect loose change and bills to go toward a specific outreach project or fund. This month, our collection will go toward our Capital Campaign. We are less than \$30,000 away from our goal! Every donation helps!



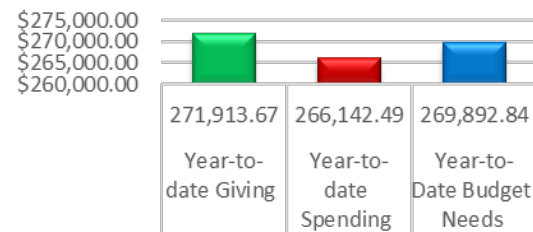
Thank you to everyone who donated items or money to the meal for our **Central Elementary Taco Bar**. Please bring your items or donations by Monday, Oct. 24 at 10 a.m.

## FCC Attendance

Oct. 16 – 125

Oct. Average Attendance – 116

## FCC Financial Update



## Capital Campaign

Our goal is **\$200,000** by March 2023. This will pay for the boiler replacement and help us replenish funds for future capital improvements.

**Funds received to date:**

**\$170,956**

# DIG IN to the Word...Bible Study with us!

We have an ongoing group of people who do Bible studies together on the YouVersion Bible app. If you want to join the group and discussion, download the app, send a friend request to Karen Allen and she will invite you to each study.



## YouVersion Reading Plan — October-December

Date	YouVersion Plan	Length of Plan	Date	YouVersion Plan	Length of Plan
1-Oct	Jesus Followers	6 Days	16-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days
2-Oct	Jesus Followers	6 Days	17-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days
3-Oct	Jesus Followers	6 Days	18-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days
4-Oct	Jesus Followers	6 Days	19-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days
5-Oct	Jesus Followers	6 Days	20-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days
6-Oct	Jesus Followers	6 Days	21-Nov	Remember to Give Thanks!	6 Days
7-Oct	Healing	5 Days	22-Nov	Remember to Give Thanks!	6 Days
8-Oct	Healing	5 Days	23-Nov	Remember to Give Thanks!	6 Days
9-Oct	Healing	5 Days	24-Nov	Remember to Give Thanks!	6 Days
10-Oct	Healing	5 Days	25-Nov	Remember to Give Thanks!	6 Days
11-Oct	Healing	5 Days	26-Nov	Remember to Give Thanks!	6 Days
12-Oct	Please, May I help you?	6 Days	27-Nov	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
13-Oct	Please, May I help you?	6 Days	28-Nov	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
14-Oct	Please, May I help you?	6 Days	29-Nov	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
15-Oct	Please, May I help you?	6 Days	30-Nov	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
16-Oct	Please, May I help you?	6 Days	1-Dec	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
17-Oct	Please, May I help you?	6 Days	2-Dec	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
18-Oct	Following Christ's Character	4 Days	3-Dec	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
19-Oct	Following Christ's Character	4 Days	4-Dec	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
20-Oct	Following Christ's Character	4 Days	5-Dec	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
21-Oct	Following Christ's Character	4 Days	6-Dec	Illuminate Advent	10 Days
22-Oct	"Do not be anxious" but how?	6 Days	7-Dec	We Need Christmas	5 Days
23-Oct	"Do not be anxious" but how?	6 Days	8-Dec	We Need Christmas	5 Days
24-Oct	"Do not be anxious" but how?	6 Days	9-Dec	We Need Christmas	5 Days
25-Oct	"Do not be anxious" but how?	6 Days	10-Dec	We Need Christmas	5 Days
26-Oct	"Do not be anxious" but how?	6 Days	11-Dec	We Need Christmas	5 Days
27-Oct	"Do not be anxious" but how?	6 Days	12-Dec	Carols and Lessons for Advent	5 Days
28-Oct	Unhindered Prayer	5 Days	13-Dec	Carols and Lessons for Advent	5 Days
29-Oct	Unhindered Prayer	5 Days	14-Dec	Carols and Lessons for Advent	5 Days
30-Oct	Unhindered Prayer	5 Days	15-Dec	Carols and Lessons for Advent	5 Days
31-Oct	Unhindered Prayer	5 Days	16-Dec	Carols and Lessons for Advent	5 Days
1-Nov	Unhindered Prayer	5 Days	17-Dec	Christmas Reflections	5 Days
2-Nov	The Power of Love	5 Days	18-Dec	Christmas Reflections	5 Days
3-Nov	The Power of Love	5 Days	19-Dec	Christmas Reflections	5 Days
4-Nov	The Power of Love	5 Days	20-Dec	Christmas Reflections	5 Days
5-Nov	The Power of Love	5 Days	21-Dec	Christmas Reflections	5 Days
6-Nov	The Power of Love	5 Days	22-Dec	Get Positioned for Christmas	4 Days
7-Nov	The Search for an Unoffendable Heart	5 Days	23-Dec	Get Positioned for Christmas	4 Days
8-Nov	The Search for an Unoffendable Heart	5 Days	24-Dec	Get Positioned for Christmas	4 Days
9-Nov	The Search for an Unoffendable Heart	5 Days	25-Dec	Get Positioned for Christmas	4 Days
10-Nov	The Search for an Unoffendable Heart	5 Days	26-Dec	Weary Traveler	3 Days
11-Nov	The Search for an Unoffendable Heart	5 Days	27-Dec	Weary Traveler	3 Days
12-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days	28-Dec	Weary Traveler	3 Days
13-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days	29-Dec	The New Year Workout Plan	3 Days
14-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days	30-Dec	The New Year Workout Plan	3 Days
15-Nov	As for Me and My House	9 Days	31-Dec	The New Year Workout Plan	3 Days