

FCC NEWS & EVENTS



First Christian Church, Guthrie

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First Christian Church of Guthrie

Sharing Christ, Growing in Faith

April 21, 2026

From the Pastor's Desk:

This past Sunday was such an exciting one in the life of our church as we celebrated four new baptisms! Woohoo! What a joy to see people taking that step of faith and to be reminded again that God is still moving in our midst. I am thankful to be part of a church where lives are being changed and faith is growing.

There is a lot happening in the life of our church, and I am appreciative for the many ways so many of you continue to serve faithfully behind the scenes. We have a Board Meeting coming up on Sunday, April 26 after worship. As part of that meeting, we are asking our committee chairs to share a little about what they have been working on and what they are looking forward to in the days ahead. We also have a couple of important items before us, including a vote on our interim youth minister and approval of our personnel policy. Please be praying for wisdom and unity as we make these decisions together.

I also have an update on the Reception Hall. The painting is almost complete, the floor has been ordered, and it should go in very soon. At this point, we are still on track to be back in the space by Baccalaureate on May 13, which is exciting! Our design team has worked hard, and it has been fun to watch it all begin to come together. I cannot wait for you to see it for yourself.

Grace and Peace,

Ronnie



Board Meeting

Our next Board Meeting will be held on Sunday, April 26 following worship.

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend if you are part of our church leadership.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR

Alice Allen's Birthday

She's turning!

90!

Sunday, April 26

COME & GO

NOON-2 P.M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(DOWNSTAIRS PARLOR)
402 E. NOBLE • GUTHRIE, OK

PLEASE BLESS US WITH YOUR PRESENCE (NO GIFTS).

HORS D'OEUVRES WILL BE SERVED.

Questions?

Nancy - 580-436-7869 or Karen - 405-615-2240

If you are unable to come, but would like to send a card:
John Allen, 106 Briarwood Ln., Guthrie, OK 73044

Loose Change OFFERING



Wings of Hope
FAMILY CRISIS SERVICES

April 26

Bring your coins & small bills

This week's Birthdays

April

21 - Jacob Friese
Hannah Ross
Jim Ross

22 - Gage Porter

23 - Brandon Henning

24 - Alice Allen
Ben Gallo
Sarah Schlueter

25 - Joci Fogle

27 - Melanie Ball

Ali Gallo

Anniversaries

22 - Randy & Elise Ellis



Birthdays and anniversaries are listed for the upcoming week.
If your information is missing, please contact the church office.

Prayer

We pray for our church family: Sarah Schlueter, Crystal Vassar, Gene Owen, KC Griffin, Nolan Crick, Dennis Lynch, Mike Carey, Nicole Linker, Phil Pingel, Marie Lynch, Bobby Davison, Anna Frey, Denise Shoun, Diana Dewart

Our church family currently in rehab/assisted living/nursing home: Cynthia Baker, Dorothy Smith, Jane Weeks, Ruth Underwood

We pray for our friends and family members: Family of Jane Mitchell, Family of Robert Hall, Haley Truitt, Julie Cook, Theresa May, Tom Crawford, Ronny Joe Nelson, Dawn Low, Michael Wamsley, Steve Fields, Terry Holcomb, Michelle Beam, Jacob Davis, Rodney Myers, Scarlett Koenke, Deborah Hutchison, Edna Hellman, Barbara Sanchez, Randy Goodnow, Gary Bailey, Levi McMellian, Brandy Carey, Missy Lansdowne, Dale Owen, Ed Stevenson & family, Pam Timmons, Mike Damron, Gail Davis, Janell Loesch, Patty Bradley, Patsy Schull, Amelia Valentino, Harriet Black, Lexy Carothers, Johnny McKee, Kristy Gatlin, Kade Warner, Madelyn Wehr, Cathy Joy, Flora Overstreet, Asher Houston, Mary Beth Gilliland, Teal Esmeyer

And our military all over the world: Natasha Okine, Patrick Hardin, Sonny Crick, Court Machtolff, Bonnie Epperson, Jonah Friese, Matt Byce, Braxton Canning, Nate Ames, Garrett Canning, Brent Walton, Connor and Megan Neyen

**Text "GIVE" to
405-645-6070 to
donate to FCC
Guthrie**

Youth Mission Trip to Kansas City

Our youth mission trip to Kansas City is coming up June 27 through July 2. The cost is \$150 per person and includes almost everything, including housing, most meals, transportation, and even some fun and entertainment along the way. Students will only need extra money for a few meals. This trip is open to all **junior high and high school students** and is a great way to serve, grow in faith, and build friendships. Contact the church office to sign up! **4 SPOTS REMAIN** - pay your \$25 deposit to reserve your spot.



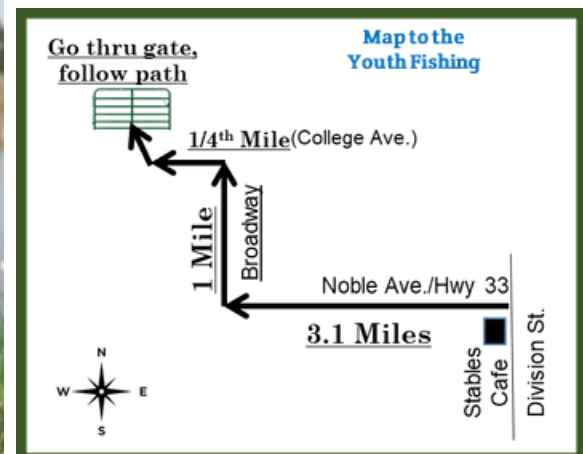
YOUTH SERVING SCHEDULE

Scripture Reader

April 26	Taylor Mays
May 3	Colten Stevens
May 10	Aiden Hardin
May 17	Lily Rechlin
May 24	Emmet Hardin
May 31	Ethan Cotton

Junior Deacons

Kenzie Mays & Hadley Timmons
Anna Stevens & Avery Schroder
Bailey Hardin & Gabby Bench
John Rechlin & Ethan Cotton
Daelon Rice & Max Fields
Charlie Hooper & Colten Stevens





May 15 @ FCC



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Text the word "circle" to 216-279-1607

These tests cannot detect all risk factors for all conditions, such as and including the presence of coronary artery disease. Those with abnormal results should discuss possible next steps with their family healthcare provider and ensure they understand the risk and benefits of any additional testing or procedures.



Outreach Opportunities



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Wings of Hope

Starting in April, we will have a **Wings of Hope** tree in entry way with colorful butterflies, colored by our children, that have suggested items that are needed in Logan County.

On **April 19th**, **Wings of Hope** will come to speak about their organization along with the services & impacts in the community.

We will end this on **Mother's Day, May 10th**, in honor of all moms whether or not they have utilized services or not.

COLLECTION OF WELCOME BASKETS OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS & SELF CARE KITS:

- 🦋 Paper towels
- 🦋 Hand towels
- 🦋 Non-perishable food
- 🦋 Cleaning wipes
- 🦋 Self care kits
- 🦋 Hairbrushes
- 🦋 Sponges
- 🦋 Gas cards (minimum of \$10)
- 🦋 Tampons and pads (all sizes)
- 🦋 Toilet paper
- 🦋 Socks (all sizes)
- 🦋 Deodorant (travel size is fine)
- 🦋 Air fresheners
- 🦋 Bags (can be backpacks, draw string, small make up/toiletry bags)



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Volunteers Needed!



July 13 - 16

CLASS OF 2026

GRADUATION

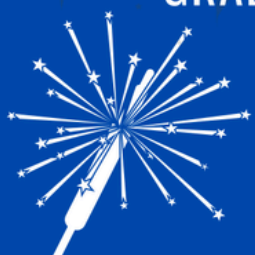
SUNDAY

Sunday, May 17

GRADUATE BREAKFAST 9 A.M. (RSVP BY MAY 13)

WORSHIP 10:30 A.M.

Seniors, send your picture to the church office by Wednesday, May 13
fccguthrie.office@gmail.com





NEWSLETTER

Sunday Lesson

April 26, 2026

This Week's Focus:

- KW: Genesis 1 - Creation
- KWX: The Bible

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**IGNITE
CAMP VOLUNTEER
SIGN-UP**

**"FOR OUR GOD IS A
CONSUMING FIRE"**

Hebrews 12:29



Volunteer for Rainforest Falls VBS
July 13-16

We'd love for you to join our team and help make VBS unforgettable. Sign up by scanning the QR code or using this link:

<https://fccguthrie.simplechurchcrm.com/external/form/968dbfa1-f574-4a86-8038-d899bdc5be3a>

Thank you for serving and making a difference for our kids this summer!



Join us on the YouVersion Bible App!

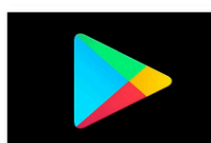
YouVersion Reading Plan - March, April, May 2026					
Date	YouVersion Plan	Length of Plan	Date	YouVersion Plan	Length of Plan
1-Mar	Power to Heal	5 Days	16-Apr	A Recklessly Extravagant Love	5 Days
2-Mar	Power to Heal	5 Days	17-Apr	A Recklessly Extravagant Love	5 Days
3-Mar	Power to Heal	5 Days	18-Apr	A Recklessly Extravagant Love	5 Days
4-Mar	Power to Heal	5 Days	19-Apr	Truth in the Dirt	5 Days
5-Mar	Power to Heal	5 Days	20-Apr	Truth in the Dirt	5 Days
6-Mar	Speak to my Heart, Jesus	5 Days	21-Apr	Truth in the Dirt	5 Days
7-Mar	Speak to my Heart, Jesus	5 Days	22-Apr	Truth in the Dirt	5 Days
8-Mar	Speak to my Heart, Jesus	5 Days	23-Apr	Truth in the Dirt	5 Days
9-Mar	Speak to my Heart, Jesus	5 Days	24-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
10-Mar	Speak to my Heart, Jesus	5 Days	25-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
11-Mar	5 Prayers of Humility	5 Days	26-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
12-Mar	5 Prayers of Humility	5 Days	27-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
13-Mar	5 Prayers of Humility	5 Days	28-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
14-Mar	5 Prayers of Humility	5 Days	29-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
15-Mar	5 Prayers of Humility	5 Days	30-Apr	Use Your Power for Good	7 Days
16-Mar	Broken Crayons Still Color	5 Days	May 1	God Fights For Us	7 Days
17-Mar	Broken Crayons Still Color	5 Days	May 2	God Fights For Us	7 Days
18-Mar	Broken Crayons Still Color	5 Days	May 3	God Fights For Us	7 Days
19-Mar	Broken Crayons Still Color	5 Days	May 4	God Fights For Us	7 Days
20-Mar	Broken Crayons Still Color	5 Days	May 5	God Fights For Us	7 Days
21-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 6	God Fights For Us	7 Days
22-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 7	God Fights For Us	7 Days
23-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 8	White Knuckles - Trust God	5 Days
24-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 9	White Knuckles - Trust God	5 Days
25-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 10	White Knuckles - Trust God	5 Days
26-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 11	White Knuckles - Trust God	5 Days
27-Mar	The Supremacy of Love	7 Days	May 12	White Knuckles - Trust God	5 Days
28-Mar	The Palm Sunday Pressure	5 Days	May 13	Start At The Finish	5 Days
29-Mar	The Palm Sunday Pressure	5 Days	May 14	Start At The Finish	5 Days
30-Mar	The Palm Sunday Pressure	5 Days	May 15	Start At The Finish	5 Days
31-Mar	The Palm Sunday Pressure	5 Days	May 16	Start At The Finish	5 Days
1-Apr	The Palm Sunday Pressure	5 Days	May 17	Start At The Finish	5 Days
2-Apr	Why Easter	5 Days	May 18	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
3-Apr	Why Easter	5 Days	May 19	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
4-Apr	Why Easter	5 Days	May 20	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
5-Apr	Why Easter	5 Days	May 21	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
6-Apr	Why Easter	5 Days	May 22	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
7-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 23	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
8-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 24	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
9-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 25	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
10-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 26	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
11-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 27	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
12-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 28	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
13-Apr	Resurrection	7 Days	May 29	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
14-Apr	A Recklessly Extravagant Love	5 Days	May 30	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days
15-Apr	A Recklessly Extravagant Love	5 Days	May 31	Unlimited Relationship	14 Days

If you have an iPhone



App Store

If you have an Android
(all other phones)



Play Store

1. Once you download the app, create a user profile
2. Send a "friend request" to Karen Allen
3. Karen will accept it and begin sending you invites to each study. You can choose to join a study or wait for the next invite.