# The Christian Visitor

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# KEEP INFORMED

Like our Facebook Pages!

Check out our Facebook page? We post pictures and updates from time to time. "Like" us and "check-in" when you're here to stay connected with your church family!

www.facebook.com/fccatchison Under GROUPS check out: FCC Children and Youth Ministry FCC Youth Group pages and FCC Young Adult Group

https://www.facebook.com/AtchisonCountyFoodPantryatFirstChristianChurch

#### **The Churches Website**

Check it Out: www.fccatchison.net

# **Please Notify The Church Office:**

- If anyone in your family goes into the hospital.
- When your group plans to have a meeting.
- When a member of your family leaves home for college or to establish a new residence.
- When you're planning to move out of town or locally.
- When your phone number changes.
- When a new baby arrives in your family.
- When you feel the church can assist you in any way.
- When a new family moves into your neighborhood.
- When someone needs to be placed on, OR taken off of the Prayer List.

# **This Lenten Journey**

It's hard to believe that the Season of Lent is right around the corner. I'm a little embarrassed to admit this, but our Christmas tree is still up at home (it's not a real one – just in case you were wondering). My only excuse is that I really LOVE Christmas and sometimes it's hard for me to concede that it's actually over! I suppose thinking about Easter and Spring will make it a little easier though. By the time this Newsletter reaches your mailbox our tree will probably be back in the basement. You have my permission to give me a hard time if it's not. After all, there comes a time when we just need to move on to what comes next. For us, as Christians, what comes next is the Season of Lent.

Just in case you forgot (or need a little refresher), Lent is the forty-day period (excluding Sundays) that helps us get ready to celebrate the events of Holy Week and Easter. Lent is a season of preparation and purification that parallels other significant "fortyday" or "forty-year" stories in the Bible (like the flood, the Israelite's journey to the Promised Land, or Jesus' forty-day fast as he prepared to enter his public ministry). Many people choose to fast during Lent (by giving up certain drinks, foods, or activities). Some people commit to observing (or increasing) a spiritual discipline (like prayer, reading the Bible, or financial giving). And some people choose to combine multiple commitments. These traditions might seem strange to anyone who has never observed the Season of Lent in this way, but anyone who has can tell you – It is very powerful experience.

Ash Wednesday (which falls on February 26) marks the beginning of Lent. This year we are creating space in our sanctuary (with music & candles & ashes) from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. This will be a come-and-go format so feel free to stay as long (or as short)

as you like. Those who stop by are encouraged to use the ashes provided to make the sign of the cross on their forehead. *Donning ashes (as a sign of fasting) is a practice that is seen repeatedly in the Bible.* If you feel more comfortable having someone administer ashes to you, we will have someone available from 7:00-8:00 A.M., Noon to 1:00 P.M., and 6:00-7:00 P.M. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the office.

I am looking forward to observing this sacred season together. And I am especially excited about Holy Week and Easter. I look forward to seeing you on Ash Wednesday – just need to get my tree down first!

In Christ, Pastor Matt

#### Ash Wednesday - February 26

(Come-and-go in Sanctuary from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M. – Prayer & self-imposition of ashes) **To RECEIVE Ashes or Prayer – Someone will be** available at the following times:

(7:00-8:00 A.M., Noon-1:00 P.M., and 6:00-7:00 P.M.)



### **Giving by Text**

- 1. To give by text an account must first be created at <u>https://engage.suran.com/fccatchison</u>.
- To (913) 204-0973, text: GIVE <dollar amount>. For example: GIVE 100 will make a \$100 contribution to the General Fund.
- 3. A confirmation text should be received. Example: Reply YES to give \$100.00 to OFFERING from your account. Reply YES if this is correct.
- 4. A message will be received: Submitting your gift...
- The last message received should be a final confirmation. Example: Success! Thank you for your gift of \$100 to OFFERING. You will receive an email confirming our gift to <your email address>.

### **\$20 MORE EACH MONTH FOR 2020**

To make it possible for First Christian Church to not only maintain the current programs, but to enable them to grow, you are asked to prayerfully consider increasing your giving \$20 per month. At the start of the year 2020, a new budget will be implemented. In order to meet this budget, your assistance is greatly needed. It is amazing what can be accomplished if each person will contribute an additional \$5 per week. If Jesus could feed the multitudes with just 5 loaves and two fish, think of what He can do with your offering.

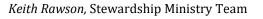
### **ONLINE GIVING**

For your convenience, the Stewardship Ministry Team is making it possible for individuals to give their tithes and gifts online. In order to create an account, it is necessary to have your correct email address in the database. **Once the email address is verified** in the database, an account can be created by going to the website:

#### https://engage.suran.com/fccatchison

Creating an account will allow you to keep track of your gifts, as well as, other functions that will be added to the website at a later date.







Sermon

# Soup and Sermon

Atchison United Methodist Church 501 Kansas Avenue Join us over your lunch break!

Wednesdays during Lent beginning Ash Wednesday, February  $26^{th}$  at 12 noon and continue on Wednesdays through April  $8^{th}$ .

Warm up with homemade soup provided by a local church (First Christian Church ladies will prepare the soup on March 25<sup>th</sup>). Listen to a sermon by area pastors. Enjoy spiritually uplifting music.

Soup and Sermon is sponsored by the Atchison Ministerial Alliance and everyone is welcome to attend.

# <u>**Christian Visitor Deadline**</u>

Deadline: Sunday, March 15th

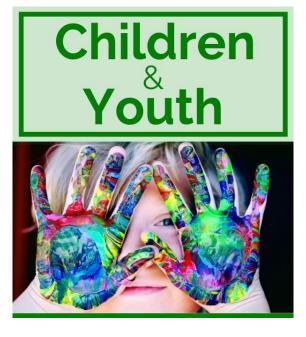
This issue will include worship information for March 22, 29, April 5, 12 & 19 as well as the April calendar, birthdays and anniversaries. The deadline for the next *Christian Visitor* is Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup> and will include worship information for April 26, May 3, 10 & 17 as well as the May calendar, birthdays and anniversaries. Please have your items either typed or written out. It is difficult to take this information over the phone. You may also email your information to the church at fccatch@sbcglobal.net.

# **Grief Support Group**

#### Marilyn Albright, 913-367-4754

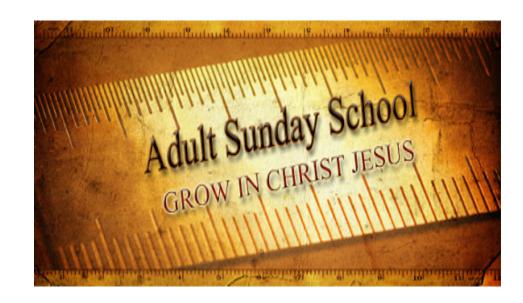
While we grieve the loss of a loved one, it can be helpful to share our thoughts, our feelings, our triumphs and our failure with others who are having the same experiences. We would like to invite you to join us at our grief support group. We meet at Paolucci's Restaurant, 113 S 3<sup>rd</sup> Street. Please join us at one or both of the following times:

- > First Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm for dinner
- > Third Thursday of each month at 12 noon for lunch



# <u>SUNDAY</u> <u>SCHOOL</u>

10:10 AM To 10:55 AM



# **Friendship Class**

The class is held in the choir room each Sunday from 9:45 to 10:30 AM. Everyone is welcome. Led by *Keith Rawson* 

#### Nursery Teacher: Wendy Harris

Class

Curriculum Deep Blue Kids

 Pre-School & Kindergarten
 Deep Blue Kids

 Teachers: Dana Collins, Stacie Dougherty, Alison Simpson

 1st, 2nd & 3rd Grades
 Deep Blue Kids

 Teachers:
 Shanae` Randolph, Vicki Tate

4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades Submerge Teachers: Sarah Felton, Paige Schmidt

Middle School (6th, 7th & 8th Grades)LinCTeacher:Brad Greene

**Sr. High** (9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Grades) LinC Teachers: Russ Cooper, Amanda & Jimmy Davis, Brad Greene, Jaime Tate

# Young Adult Class

Our Sunday morning class meets from 10:10 - 10:55 AM. in the young adult classroom located on the  $2^{nd}$  level of the educational building. Reach out to Angie Hausner at eiscang@gmail.com for more information.

# Koinonia and Logos Classes

The Logos and Koinonia Sunday School Classes will continue to meet in the Memorial Chapel on Sundays from 10:10 to 10:55 AM. We are studying the Old Testament "Book of Esther." Talk with Marilyn Albright or Carolyn Rodina for more information.

# Care Cards

Care for one another... 1 Corinthians 12:25

- ✓ Are you missing someone on Sundays?
- ✓ Do you know of someone who has been ill or had surgery?
- ✓ Have you noticed a church member has become inactive?

Take some time and give them a quick phone call and maybe a visit... Care Cards are available in the pew and at the Connection Center to update the church office or request Pastor Matt to contact someone special in your life.



Follow your Heart in Caring for others.

### **SIGN UP SHEETS**

WHERE DO I SIGN UP? – LOOK for the new **RED NOTEBOOK** for sign-up opportunities for volunteers! If you are looking to sign-up to help with Loaves and Fishes, etc. look no further... all sign-up sheets are now in one location... the **RED NOTEBOOK** on the table in the **annex**.

#### <u>ON SALE! First Christian Church</u> <u>Tote Bags - \$5.00</u>

These reusable cloth tote bags have a deep inner pocket with 2 outside pockets. Available on Sundays from a member of the Membership Ministry Team or contact the church office. (Shawn Snoddy, Chair/ Kay Greenly/ Marilyn Albright/ Linda Myer/ Lucille Rawson/ Helen Birkinsha).



#### You are invited to join a small group!

Get connected with others at First Christian Church who have a similar interest or hobby and share in the fellowship. New small groups are forming to help you meet new people, catch up with friends or just enjoy sharing with your church family. The following is a list of CONNECTION GROUPS you are invited to join:

**Book Club Group:** This is a fun group of readers that select from a diverse collection of books to read & discuss every 6-8 weeks. Our next meeting of the First Christian Church Book Club is Tuesday, **March 17, 2020 @ 6:30 PM** in the chapel. Daycare will be provided (please RSVP # of children). Lucille Rawson will be leading the discussion. Our next good read is: Life in a Jar: The Irena Sendler Project by Jack Mayer. During World War II, Irena Sendler, a Polish Catholic social worker, organized a rescue network of fellow social workers to save 2,500 Jewish children from certain death in the Warsaw ghetto. Incredibly, after the war her heroism, like that of many others, was suppressed by communist Poland and remained virtually unknown for 60 years. Questions?? Contact Cindy Jacobson at (cynthiajacobson1@gmail.com).

<u>Christian Women Fellowship (CWF)</u>: Join in the fellowship of women the last Tuesday of the month at 1:00 PM. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 25th. This group enjoys learning through Bible study & discussion followed by refreshments and planning events that benefit the community. We will prepare soup for Soup & Sermon on March 25<sup>th</sup>.

Coffee Group: Meets Thursdays at 10:00 AM at Paolucci's Restaurant-113 S. 3rd St.

**<u>CWF Sewing Group</u>**: Join our sewing group every second Thursday of the month from 8:30 AM – 3 PM. We meet in Wolf Hall (basement).

**Daughters of the King:** All women of the church are invited. We meet approximately every 6 weeks on a Sunday afternoon usually with lunch at 12:15 pm and then an activity. We will also occasionally attend Christian Concerts or events. Contact Ronda McDaniel, (913) 360-2328 if interested in the group.

**<u>Motorcycle Group</u>**: If you ride and like to eat...come join the group. Guided ride scheduled every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month (weather permitting). *Kickstands up at 10:00 AM sharp*! Contact Joe Bullock – joebullock57@gmail.com

**Prayer Group:** Please join us for a prayer time on Mondays from 12:15 to 12:45 in the CFCC office (room 1 in the balcony – annex). We will be praying for our families, the body of Christ, and our nation. We will also be lifting up those prayer requests received in the offering plate, and those already on our prayer list. If you can't physically attend, feel free to join us in prayer during that time wherever you may be.

**New Groups:** If you have a group that you would like to start, please contact the church office (913) 367-3036 and someone from the Membership Ministry Team will follow-up.

### **Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC**

The food pantry is open on Mondays, 1-3:00 pm, Wednesdays, 4:30-6:00 pm and Fridays, 10-11:30 am and is located in the basement (Wolf Hall). Please use entrance off of Santa Fe St.

The Food Pantry is an important ministry in our community. Please check out our page on Facebook & Like us - Atchison County Food Pantry @ First Christian Church.



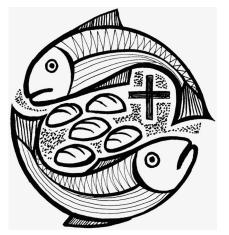
Suggested items for the pantry: Pancake Mix, Syrup, Canned Fruit, Vegetable Beef or Chicken Noodle Soup, Crackers, Beef Skillet Dinner, Canned Chili, Small Can Coffee, Hot Cocoa Mix. Cash donations are welcome too!

We need volunteers in various capacities. If you are interested please contact Linda Stecher, 913-426-4359, or David Gatewood at 367-2684 or 913-370-0480 for more information.

#### Loaves & Fishes Schedule for 2020

Saturday's, March 14, May 16, July 11, September 19 and November 28

Meals are served, and deliveries made from First Christian Sign-up sheets for Church. volunteering are in the red notebook in the annex. We need volunteers for kitchen helpers at 9 am and drivers and helpers deliver meals to the to homebound of Atchison at If you have 10:15 am. questions, contact Barb Piper, 913-255-2461.



#### **Remember In Prayers**

Justin Andrews, Buddy Baldridge, Rochel Berthelsen, Courtney Birkinsha, Alex Blunt, Jerry Botts, Pat Brown, Melinda Calhoon, Glenda Camblin, Blaine Clary, Julia Clem, Bryson Connell, Jerry Daniel, Kayla Devore, Betty Donaldson, Marion Ehret, Eric Elias & Family, Emmy, Alvyn Jayme Erhart, Lavern Fitkin, Ruth Frost, Gene Gillispie, Andrea Gordon, Robert Grosser, Grace Hale, Mike Horton, Cody Hundley, Pat Jenkins, Tiny Kibler, LA Kimes, Charlie Kottman, Kylee Kottman, Lisa Krick, Jeff Kuhnert, Jeri Kurth, Opal Lewman, Nadine Martin, Steve Martin, Kim Matthias, Katie McAllister, Cale Miller, Sable Monroe, Pat Montgomery, Diana Moxley, Shari Oswald, The Family of Jason Pantle, Abel Portenier, Larry Ryan, Lisa Schwarzer, Elizabeth Seever, Jo Shell, Becky Smith, Gary Stecher, Bob Stephenson, FJ & Doris Sutton, Charlotte Thompson, Jackson Tull, Shirley Welch, Amy and Mitch West, Kenny Winder, Joe Wurtz. [IF WE CAN TAKE ANYONE OFF OF THIS PRAYER LIST, PLEASE NOTIFY ROSIE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE]

#### **Military**

Ryan Callahan, Joshua Lambert, Nicholas Cline, Sean McCaffery, Anton Mak, Jesse McGlade, Curtis Ellis, Jerry Michaels, John Humbard, Robert Dickson, Quentin Rivers, Carlos Betts-Coffey, Daniel Collins, Ben Carlisle, Zach Kincaid, Gavin Rebant, Dylan Birkinsha

#### **Attendance**

January 26, 2020	9:00 am – 72	11:00 am – 51	SS – 22 (C & Y) 30 (A)
February 2, 2020	9:00 am - 85	11:00 am - 61	SS – 45 (C & Y) 28 (A)
February 9, 2020	9:00 am - 84	11:00 am - 66	SS – 20 (A)
February 16, 2020	9:00 am - 78	11:00 am – 71	SS – 26 (C & Y) 31 (A)

### January 26, February 2, 9,16 2020

Chelsie & Isaac Long, Lila Wilson, Roger Caudle, Priscilla Hill, Margie Campbell, Ron & Jane Garvin



# **BIRTHDAYS**

- 2 LISA SUTTON
- **3 JOYCE VANDIVER**
- 4 ALEXINE BLUNT, AMBER WEBER
- 6 FRANCES MASON
- 7 RON TULEY, BRAYLEE WOLVINGTON
- 9 NOAH HALE
- **10 JOHN JACOBSON, TIM TROWER**
- 11 AVA CONNELL, BELLA GREENE
- 14 O'RYAN O'NEAL
- 16 GUNNER COLLINS, EMILY DAME
- 17 TOM WEST
- 18 JAMES COLLINS, ROSALIE FOX
- 20 BILLIE JEAN LOUCKS, JESSICA MILLER
- 23 ALICE HENNING, KAREN MYER
- 24 KARLA REBANT, JUANITA SHUFFLEBARGER
- 26 CAROLYN CAMPBELL, LANE COLLINS, STEPHANIE FITKIN,
- SEAN GREEN, DAVID HALE, LINDA STECHER
- 30 DAXTEN BUSH, WILL LACEY, LINDA UNDERWOOD
- 31 BRAD GREENE, HENRY HOFFMAN, LISA KRICK

# **ANNIVERSARIES**

6 - JOYCE & JACK VANDIVER 12 - JERRY & KAREN BLUNT 20 – BETTY & DENNIS GLEASON 24 – TYLER & REBEKAH HURST 25 - STEVE & VICKI JONES 31 - NICK & JAIME TATE







Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Youth Spring Retreat Installation of Board Members, Officers & Chairpersons of Ministry Teams 9 am Contemporary Service 9:45 Friendship SS 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM) 10:10 Children, Youth & Adult SS Classes 11 am Traditional Worship	2 1-3 pm Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC 7-8:30 pm Boy Scouts	3	4 12 noon Soup & Sermon @ AUMC, 5 <sup>th</sup> & Kansas 4:30-6 pm Food Pantry 5:30 pm Peacemakers 6:30 pm Chancel Choir	5 10 am Coffee/Fellowship @ Paolucci Restaurant 6:30 pm Memorial Handbell in Memorial Chapel	6 10-11:30 am Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC 6-8 pm Vision & Goal Summit	7 8 am -12 noon Vision & Goal Summit <i>Spring Forward</i> Set Your Clocks Ahead 1 hour before going to bed. Daylight Savings
8 Congregational Meeting 9 am Contemporary Service 9:45 Friendship SS 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM) 10:10 Children, Youth & Adult SS Classes 11 am Traditional Worship 2 pm Meadowlark 4-H Wolf Hall 4:30-6 pm Ironic Outcome 5-10 pm Youth Event	9 1-3 pm Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC 6-9 pm Youth Event 7-8:30 pm Boy Scouts	10 6-9 pm Youth Event 6 pm Elders Meeting 6:30 pm Diaconate Meeting in Wolf Hall 7 pm Board Meeting in Wolf Hall	11 12 noon Soup & Sermon @ AUMC, 5 <sup>th</sup> & Kansas 4:30-6 pm Food Pantry 5:30 pm Peacemakers 6:30 pm Chancel Choir	12 8:30 am – 3 pm CWF Sewing Group Wolf Hall 10 am Coffee/Fellowship @ Paolucci Restaurant 6:30 pm Memorial Handbell in Memorial Chapel	13 10-11:30 am Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC	14 FCC to prepare, serve and deliver meals for the Loaves & Fishes Feeding Ministry
15 Christian Visitor deadline 9 am Contemporary Service 9:45 Friendship SS 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM) 10:10 Children, Youth & Adult SS Classes 11 am Traditional Worship 4:30-6 pm Ironic Outcome 6-7:30 pm Youth Group	16 1-3 pm Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC 7-8:30 pm Boy Scouts	17 1:30-3 pm Sack to Mat Program in Wolf Hall 6:30 pm FCC Book Club in Memorial Chapel	18 12 noon Soup & Sermon @ AUMC, 5 <sup>th</sup> & Kansas 4:30-6 pm Food Pantry 5:30 pm Peacemakers 6:30 pm Chancel Choir	19 10 am Coffee/Fellowship @ Paolucci Restaurant 6:30 pm Memorial Handbell In Memorial Chapell	20 10-11:30 am Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC 7:30 pm 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Lock-In at the Church through Saturday morning	21
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29 Chosen People Presentation At the 9 and 11 am services 9 am Contemporary Service 9:45 Friendship SS 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM) 10:10 Children, Youth & Adult SS Classes 11 am Traditional Worship 4:30-6 pm Ironic Outcome 6-7:30 pm Youth Group	30 1-3 pm Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC 7-8:30 pm Boy Scouts	31 1 pm CWF Meeting in library/parlor and refreshments in Wolf Hall	<b>~</b>	Ma	rch	

# Congregational Meeting

Sunday, March 8, 2020 Immediately following the 9:00 and 11:00 AM Services

Approval to spend up to \$6,000.00 from trustee funds to help purchase a cargo van for the food pantry.

This money will be available after the food pantry accumulates donations equaling \$10,000.00 or more.

\_\_\_\_YES

\_\_\_\_NO

Change the wording of a line in Article IV, Section C of the Constitution, page 6. The line currently reads:

The Church Board shall seek approval of the congregation for the expenditure of any sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) or more...

The change will be to raise the amount listed to \$5,000 dollars.

YES

NO

# **Upcoming Youth Events**

#### **Ironic Outcome practices**

4:30-6:00 pm

#### Youth Group

 $6^{\text{th}}$  – 12 Grades Meet on Sundays ~ 6:00 -7:30 PM

#### **Spring Retreat**

February 28 – March 1 \$65 (church pays 1/2) Registration form and fee due February 18<sup>th</sup> Meet at church on the 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm At Camp Tawakoni, Augusta, Kansas

#### March Madness

Sunday, March 8 ~ 5-10 PM Monday, March 9 ~ 6-9 PM Tuesday, March 10 ~ 6-9 PM



For details contact Pastor Brad Greene @ Brad.Greene@fccatchison.net



# <u>Installation</u> <u>Service</u>

On Sunday, March 1, 2020 during the 9:00 and 11:00 AM services we will have an Installation Service for the 2020 Board Members, Officers and Chairpersons of our Ministry Teams.

# <u>Spring</u> Forward

Daylight Savings Time begins on Sunday, March 8, 2020 at 2:00 AM. Set your clocks ahead one (1) hour Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> before heading to bed. Remember to change the batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors.



### **Notes of Thanks**

We want to say "Thank you" to our FCC family for 31 wonderful years! It seems like yesterday we were the newbies but when we left last month we were "old timers"! Thank you to Ruthie and the Chancel Choir and Peacemakers for the very nice going-away reception. Thank you to EVERYONE for the nice cards, the well wishes, and the prayers. Thank you to the Chancel Choir for your love and support through all these years. Thank you to the Peacemakers for your hard work and support. Thank you to the Memorial Bell Choir for all the fun and laughter. Thank you to the Worship Ministry Team for all the hard work these last two years. We are settling in now that the furniture has arrived after a two week wait! It's really nice to have Nicholas and family so close, this was the right thing for us to do. If any of you find yourself in this part of the country, feel free to stop in and say "Hi." Our new address is 5110 Jamaica Dr., Wichita Falls, TX 76310. Telephone and email remain the same as before.

Thank you for all the wonderful memories and God Bless each of you.

Dixie and Duane Williams.

Dear Friends,

Thank you so much for your last quarter gift of \$360.99 for Drew and Andrea Korschot and their work with Avant Ministries.

Scott Holbrook, President, Avant Ministries, Kansas City, MO



- To the family of WARREN RUSSELL HIGLEY who passed away on December 29, 2019. Funeral Services were held for Warren on Friday, January 3, 2020 with Rev. Jim Cormode officiating.
- To the family of MARK EDWARD MATTHIAS who passed away on January 22, 2020. Memorial services were held for Mark on Sunday, January 26, 2020 at the St. Mark's Lutheran Church, with Rev. Craig Lantz officiating. Mark is survived by his wife, Kim, three sons including Justin of Atchison and one daughter, as well as four grandchildren including Ethan and Sadie Matthias.
- To the family of RAY KEITH SCOTT who passed away on February 2, 2020. Funeral Services for Ray were held on Friday, February 7, 2020 here at First Christian Church with Pastor Brad Greene officiating.

# Sunday, February 23, 2020

9:00 AM People of Praise Contemporary Service 9:45 AM Friendship SS Class 10:00 AM KAIR Radio Broadcast (93.7 FM) 10:10 - 10:55 AM Children. Youth & Adult SS Classes 11:00 AM Traditional Worship Jacque/Sally /Tohnya/Barb Jacque Pregont Phyllis Walton, Shawn Adams, Joe and Angie Hausner, Heather Matthias, Rick and Peggy Stark Parking Lot - Pat West 7<sup>th</sup> Street Entrance – Rick Stark Santa Fe Entrance – Ron Tuley Visitor's Guide – Linda Tuley Connection Center - Patty Phillippe Linda Vanderweide, Tracie Caudle, Dennis Stanton, Teri Kuhnert, Lucille Rawson, Heidie Hennen Parking Lot – Keith Rawson 7<sup>th</sup> Street Entrance – Linda Myer Santa Fe Entrance – Jan Merritt Visitor's Guide – Marvin Myer Tammy Parrott and John Dolenz Gabriel and Rusty Randolph Peggy Stark and Linda Myer Susan Cummings

# <u>Sunday, March 1, 2020</u>

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The 2020 Schedules are being prepared and should be mailed out within the next 3 weeks. Thank you for your patience. Rosie

Connection Center – Gini Collins

Team 2 – Rhonda Shell and Kevin Dykstra

9:00 Communion Prep & Coffee: 9:00 Servers: 9:00 Greeters:

11:00 Servers: 11:00 Greeters:

11:00 Elders: 11:00 Acolyte & Helper: 11:00 Preparers/Cleanup: 11:00 Worship Leader:

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# **Sunday, March 8, 2020**

	9:00 AM People of Praise Contempor 9:45 AM Friendship SS Class 10:00 AM KAIR Radio Broadcast (93. 10:10 – 10:55 AM Children, Youth & A	7 FM)	Congregational Meeting after the 9:00 and 11:00 am Services
	11:00 AM Traditional Worship		
9:00 Communion Prep & Coffee:	Jacque/Sally /Tohnya/Barb		
<u>9:00 Servers:</u>	Rhonda Shell, Vicki Jones, Christen Lacey, J	ackie Jasper, Shawn & Pam Rizza, Dale E	rhart
<u>9:00 Greeters:</u>	Parking Lot – Kay Greenly	7th Street Entrance – Rh	onda Shell
	Santa Fe Entrance – Stacy Peuker Connection Center – Janie Smart	Visitor's Guide – Jesse C	Greenly
<u>11:00 Elders:</u>	John Dolenz and Tammy Parrott		
11:00 Servers:	Dennis Ditsch, Jeremy Ellis, Michel Fobbs, La	avern Fitkin	
11:00 Greeters:	Parking Lot – Teri Kuhnert	7th Street Entrance – Mary Hoffma	an
	Santa Fe Entrance – Tammy Parrott	Visitor Guide – Kathy Botts	
11:00 Acolyte & Helper:	Izabelle and Kylee Kottman		
11:00 Preparers/Cleanup:	Joe Hausner and Kerry Dugger		
11:00 Worship Leader:	Carole Baker		

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9:00 Communion Prep & Coffe	9:00 AM People of Praise Contemp 9:45 AM Friendship SS Class 10:00 AM KAIR Radio Broadcast (9 10:10 – 10:55 AM Children, Youth o 11:00 AM Traditional Worship e: Jacque/Sally /Tohnya/Barb	3.7 FM)	Christian Visitor Deadline
9:00 Servers:	Sally Webb, Tohnya Aversman, Patty Phillippe, Det	oorah Myers, Carol Hink	
9:00 Greeters:	Parking Lot – Carolyn Rodina	7th Street Entrance – Jackie Jasper	
	Santa Fe Entrance – Barb Piper	Visitor Guide – Hank Olson	
	Connection Center – Kevin Dykstra		
<u>11:00 Elders:</u>	Cindy Hoverson and Mick West		
<u>11:00 Servers:</u>	Linda Vanderweide, Tracie Caudle, Dennis Stanton	, Teri Kuhnert, Lucille Rawson, Heidie Henn	en
<u>11:00 Greeters:</u>	Parking Lot – Joe Amthor	7th Street Entrance – Linda Stecher	
	Santa Fe Entrance – Jeremy Ellis	Visitor's Guide – Alana Hale	
	Connection Center - Dennis Ditsch		
11:00 Acolyte & Helper:	Bella and Brad Greene		
<u>11:00 Preparers/Cleanup:</u>	Peggy Stark and Lucille Rawson		
Worship Leader:	Kevin Dykstra		