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Under Groups: Check out our NEW FCC Children and Youth Ministry
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<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.

The office hours are Monday through Friday, 9 am to 3:30 pm. If you call and no one is available, please leave a message and Rosie will return your call. Or you can send an email to the church office @ fccatch@sbcglobal.net



Habakkuk

You see it every day. Bad people taking advantage of the weak. Good people down on their luck. Innocent people suffering. War. Injustice. Ever get the feeling God isn't fair? Discover how an Old Testament prophet can inspire a modern day faith in God's Promises.

Habakkuk is a minor prophet that we do not know to much about but we do know that he has lot's of questions for God. I know that during this past year that I have been where Habakkuk was in having lots of thoughts and questions for God. As I have been praying and reading through the book of Habakkuk it has helped be at peace with wrestling with some of the tough issues that we are surrounded by! I hope that you will join us in this series and invite someone that has been struggling and asking tough questions!

Pastor Brad

Remember In Prayers

Carole Baker, Rochel Berthelsen, Alex Blunt, Angela Bratton, Melinda Calhoon, Glenda Camblin, Julia Clem, Bryson Connell, Ann Crockett, Alan Cummings, Jerry Daniel, Travis Dodson, Betty Donaldson, Darlene Doty, Faye Doyle, Diane Dykstra, Mike Dykstra, Marion Ehret, Ruth Frost, Robert Grosser, Grace Hale, Carol Hink, Cody Hundley, Unspoken Prayers for "J", Tiny Kibler, LA Kimes, Zach Kincaid, Charlie Kottman, Kylee Kottman, Dianna Kruger, Jeff Kuhnert, Norma Macomber, Kris Mann, Nadine Martin, Steve Martin, Kim Matthias, Katie McAllister, Sable Monroe, Joy Norfleet, Kristi Olson, Harold Olson, Shari Oswald, Ardith Peak, Patty Phillippe, Abel Portenier, Addy Pruessner, Stan Purdy, Larry Ryan, Elizabeth Seever, Robena Seever, Amanda (Goehner) Shoup, Wanda Small, Janie Smart, Becky Smith, Mary Soden, Mary Lynn Spencer, Linda Stecher, Bob Stephenson, Doris Sutton, Charlotte Thompson, Shirley Welch, Amy and Mitch West, Beth West, Duane Williams, Kenneth Wilson, Justin & Becca Wilson & Family, Kara Wright, 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, Zach Kincaid, Gavin Rebant, Dylan Birkinsha.



Graduates Recognized

We will recognize our graduates next month. If you have a child/ren or you yourself graduated in December, 2020 or will be a graduate in May 2021, from High School, GED program, Jr. College, Vocational School, College or Master Program please call the church office and let Rosie know. You can also email her at fccatch@sbcglobal.net. Please provide to us: Graduates Name; Parents Names; School graduating from; Plans after graduation (attending college, joining the military, working, etc.)

Camps are here!

Sign up today!

The 2021 Camp Tawakoni Schedule, Registration and Health Forms are available at the Connection Center.

The Christian Education Ministry Team will pay ½ of the registration fee. (Scholarships are available)

ATTN: 8th – 12th Graders

KCYF Mission Week (June 6-11). The Registration and Health Form and Information Sheet about Mission Week is available at the Connection Center.

The Christian Education Ministry Team will pay the first ½ of the fee and the CYF fund and Outreach Ministry Team will pay the 2nd ½.

Worship Service

❖ Sundays @ 10:00 AM

In the sanctuary. The **parking lot entrance** is the only entrance available to enter and exit from the church.

❖ 10:00 AM Live Streaming

On Facebook @ First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) – Atchison, Kansas.

On YouTube @ First Christian Church Atchison, KS

Video is also available on FB & YouTube after the Live Stream

❖ 10:00 AM KAIR Radio Broadcast (93.7 FM)

*Let everything
that has breath
Praise the LORD*

Psalm 150:6



Saturday, May 15, 2021

Saturday, July 24, 2021

Meals are prepared and deliveries made from First Christian Church. We need volunteers for kitchen helpers at 9 am and drivers and helpers to deliver meals to the homebound of Atchison at 10:15 am. If you would like to sign up as a driver call the office, 913-367-3036 and leave a message or call Barb Piper, 913-255-2461. [Sign-up sheets for volunteering are in the red notebook in the annex.] If you have questions, contact Barb.

Christian Visitor Deadline

Deadline: Saturday, May 15, 2021

This newsletter will include the June, 2021 calendar, birthdays and anniversaries. The deadline for the next Christian Visitor is Tuesday, June 15, 2021 and will include the July, 2021 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.

Board Meeting

We will not have a board meeting in May, 2021.
Next board meeting will be Tuesday, June 8th.

First Christian Church 2021/2022 Scholarships

Applications for the 2021/22 FCC scholarship are now available. Stop by the church office Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 3:30 pm and pick up a copy. Or email Rosie @ fccatch@sbcglobal.net and she will email a PDF copy to you. Copies are also available at the Connection Center.

You must be a member of First Christian Church to apply. The deadline to have them completed and turned into the church office is Tuesday, June 15, 2021. Please make sure that all items requested are included with the application form.

If you have questions, please contact Marilyn Albright, Scholarship Chairperson @ 913-367-4754.

First Christian Church Kibler Loan Program

The First Christian Church, in accordance with the Kibler Loan Program offers zero interest educational financing for post-secondary educational and training opportunities for individuals who demonstrate a financial need. Funds may be used for tuition, textbooks, housing and any associated program fees.

An application for this loan program does not guarantee that funds will be granted. Applications are considered based on need and available funding. Copies of the application form and all guidelines are available at the church.

Atchison County Food Pantry @ First Christian Church

The next Food Pantry Distributions will be held on Friday's, April 23, May 7 & 21 from 1-3:00 pm.

You can donate non-perishables such as: peanut butter, jelly/jam, cereal, oatmeal, canned vegetables, canned fruit, spaghetti or elbow macaroni, pasta sauce. Monetary donations are accepted with checks made payable to: THE ATCHISON COUNTY FOOD PANTRY @ FCC.



Christian Sympathy

Is extended to

JONI FARRIS, ALLISON & BRAD GREENE and FAMILY on the loss of their husband, father and grandfather, ROGER FARRIS. Roger passed away on March 18, 2021. No services are planned.

Christian Women's Fellowship (C.W.F.) Meeting

Tuesday, April 27

1:00 PM

Meeting in the Memorial Chapel

Baby / Child Dedication

Would you like to have your child/ren dedicated during an upcoming worship service? If so, please contact Rosie @ (913) 367-3036 or email her @ fccatch@sbcglobal.net what date you would like to participate in this special service. Please provide us with your child's name, parents name, and date of birth.

Baptism

If you or your child/ren are interested in being baptized, please contact Pastor Brad (brad.greene@fccatchison.net) or Rosie (fccatch@sbcglobal.net or 913-367-3036).

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 3rd 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

First Christian Church Offering Results

YTD

	# of Givers	Given	Budget	over/under	over/under
Through March 31, 2021		67,786.90	70,500.04	(2,713.14)	(2,713.14)
April 4 Church Service	23	4,716.00	4,038.46	677.54	(2,035.60)
April 4 Delivered to Office	??			-	(2,035.60)
April 4 Internet	12	4,474.18	1,384.62	3,089.56	1,053.96
April 11 Church Service	17	6,565.00	4,038.46	2,526.54	3,580.50
April 11 Delivered to Office	6	1,213.00		1,213.00	4,793.50
April 11 Internet	8	839.44	1,384.62	(545.18)	4,248.32
April 18 Church Service	15	4,229.00	4,038.46	190.54	4,438.86
April 18 Delivered to Office	3	1,015.00		1,015.00	5,453.86
April 18 Internet	10	808.90	1,384.62	(575.72)	4,878.14
Monthly Totals		23,860.52	16,269.24	7,591.28	

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 later date.



Giving by Text

1. To give by text an account must first be created at <https://engage.suran.com/fccatchison>.
2. 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...
5. 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>.

Attendance

March 21, 2021	10:00 AM Service – 73 FB Live Stream & Video – 292 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 9 Views
March 28, 2021	10:00 AM Service – 82 FB Live Stream & Video – 246 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 9 Views
April 4, 2021	6:45 AM Sunrise – 32
Easter	10:00 AM Service – 117 FB Live Stream & Video – 220 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video - 19
April 11, 2021	10:00 AM Service – 87 FB Live Stream & Video – 196 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 21 6:00 PM Worship & Prayer – 31 FB Live Stream & Video – 441 YouTube Live Stream & Video – 33
April 18, 2021	10:00 AM Service – 80 FB Live Stream & Video – 164 YouTube Live Stream & Video - 10

Book Study

Join us for a 4-part bi-weekly book study by Brett McCracken called "Uncomfortable". This book is a call to embrace the uncomfortable aspects of Christian community, whether that means believing difficult truths, pursuing difficult holiness, or loving difficult people - all for the sake of the gospel, God's glory, and our joy.

The study will take place Wednesday from 5:45-6:45pm starting May 5 and continues May 19, June 2 & 16. We will meet outside on the grass on the east side of the church - please bring your own chairs (or let me know and I can bring extras!). If it's too hot or rainy, we will meet upstairs in the young adult room.

Please let Rosie know by April 29 if you will attend so we can order books.



BIRTHDAYS

- 1 - DARAH BALDRIDGE
- 2 - CAITLIN DRURY, MATT STOUT,
JADEN SUMPTER
- 3 - MYA LACEY
- 7 - ASHLEY FANSHER, DERRICK PARROTT
- 9 - BRANSON DAME, GLENN PARROTT
- 10 - STEPHANIE JONES, HANK WEBB
- 11 - CORBY AVERSMAN, ALLISON COLLINS
MARKELLE MIKKELSON, LAYNE TATE
- 12 - EVELYN ANN "EVIE" HAUSNER
- 14 - SONDRAMINK, AMY OSWALT,
RACHAEL SUTTON
- 15 - ANGIE HAUSNER
- 16 - JERRY BOTTS
- 18 - TERI KUHNERT
- 19 - JANE AMTHOR, MARVIN MYER,
MARY SODEN, PAM WILLIAMSON
- 20 - SAM TATE
- 21 - MARNIE KOCH
- 22 - PENNY BOWEN, MACKENA THOMPSON
- 23 - MELISSA TULL
- 24 - JOE AMTHOR
- 25 - JOLENE REID, PEGGY STARK
- 26 - SANDRA ELLIOTT, MIKE ROBERTS, MARGIE WILBURN
- 28 - JONI FARRIS
- 30 - ETHAN HALE
- 31 - VICKI JONES



ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 - JEFF & TRACIE CAUDLE
- 5 - PATTY & ROGER PHILLIPPE
- 8 - PEG MONTGOMERY & GARY WOHLGEMUTH
- 22 - TIM & ROSIE TROWER
- 26 - DALE & TAMMY ERHART
- 26 - DON & JOLENE REID
- 29 - CINDY & RAYMOND HOVERSON

May 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 10 am Worship (sanctuary) 10 am LiveStream on Facebook & YouTube 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM)	3 7-8:30 Boy Scouts (Wolf Hall)	4 2 pm Bible Study (Chapel)	5 5:45-6:45 pm Book Study (front lawn of educational bldg.)	6 6:30 - 7:30 pm Cub Scouts (Wolf Hall)	7 1-3 pm Food Pantry "Food Distribution"	8
9 <i>Mother's Day</i> 10 am Worship (sanctuary) 10 am LiveStream on Facebook & YouTube 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM) 2 pm Meadowlark 4-H (Wolf Hall)	10 7-8:30 Boy Scouts (Wolf Hall)	11 2 pm Bible Study (Chapel) NO Board Meeting	12	13 6:30 - 7:30 pm Cub Scouts (Wolf Hall)	14	15 Christian Visitor deadline (June) FCC to prepare & deliver meals for Loaves & Fishes Feeding Program
16 <i>Pentecost Offering</i> 10 am Worship (sanctuary) 10 am LiveStream on Facebook & YouTube 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM)	17 7-8:30 Boy Scouts (Wolf Hall)	18	19 5:15 pm Rural Water Dist. #1 Meeting (chapel) 5:45-6:45 pm Book Study (front lawn of educational bldg.)	20 6:30 - 7:30 pm Cub Scouts (Wolf Hall)	21 1-3 pm Food Pantry "Food Distribution"	22
23 <i>Pentecost Pentecost Offering</i> 10 am Worship 10 am LiveStream on Facebook & YouTube 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM)	24 7-8:30 Boy Scouts (Wolf Hall)	25 1 pm CWF Meeting (Chapel)	26	27 6:30 - 7:30 pm Cub Scouts (Wolf Hall)	28	29
30 10 am Worship (sanctuary) 10 am LiveStream on Facebook & YouTube 10 KAIR Radio (93.7 FM)	31 <i>Memorial Day</i> Office Closed 7-8:30 Boy Scouts (Wolf Hall)	June 1 Office Closed				

2021 Camp Schedule

(revised 1/21/21)

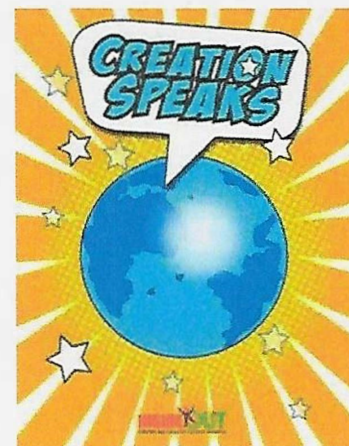
Fee includes: lodging & meals, program, nurse; t-shirt, water bottle, snacks, and camp maintenance.

Camp photos available for download one week after camp at www.tawakoni.org/camp-photos

Registration opens February 1

Theme Stories include:

- ◇ Invited by Light, Gen. 1:1-5
- ◇ Refreshed by Water, Gen. 1:6-8
- ◇ Shaped like Earth, Jer. 18:1-10
- ◇ Moving through, Gen. 1:14-19
- ◇ Kinship with Animals, Gen. 1:20-25
- ◇ Purpose for Humanity, Gen. 1:26-31
- ◇ Inspired by Creation, Gen. 2:1-3



Camp Session	Date	Age/Grade (completed)	Max Enroll	Full Price	Reduced Fee*
CYF Conf - Alpha	June 21-25 (Mon-Fri) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	9-12	25	\$350	\$245
CYF Conf - Omega	July 6-10 (Tues-Sat) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	9-12	50	\$350	\$245
Pre-High	July 12-16 (Mon-Fri) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	8 Only	25	\$350	\$245
Chi Rho	July 12-16 (Mon-Fri) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	6-7	25	\$350	\$245
Junior	June 14-18 (Mon-Fri) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	4-5	25	\$350	\$245
Primary	June 30-July 2 (Weds-Fri) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	2-3	25	\$255	\$180
Discovery	July 1-2 (Thurs-Fri) 1 p.m.—10 a.m.	K-1	25	\$145	\$180

* 2021 fees reflect an increase in the first price column and an automatic 30% scholarship in the second column. A full week, which costs \$350, will be reduced to \$245 for 2021 only. There is no early-bird discount. Additional scholarship help is available for families who have need.

SPECIALTY CAMPS

KCYF Mission Week June 6-11 (Sun-Fri) Grades 8-12 Tawakoni, Augusta \$ 350 (max. 20)
Group will work to create a new Canteen at the camp!

Grand Camp 1 June 18-20 (Fri– Sun) All Ages (max. 25) 1:00 pm—10:00 am Adult \$ 150/ \$105
Child \$ 90 / \$63 reduced
Grandparents and their grandchildren share camping experiences together!

Grand Camp 2 June 22-24 (Tues-Thurs) as above... (max. enrollment 25)

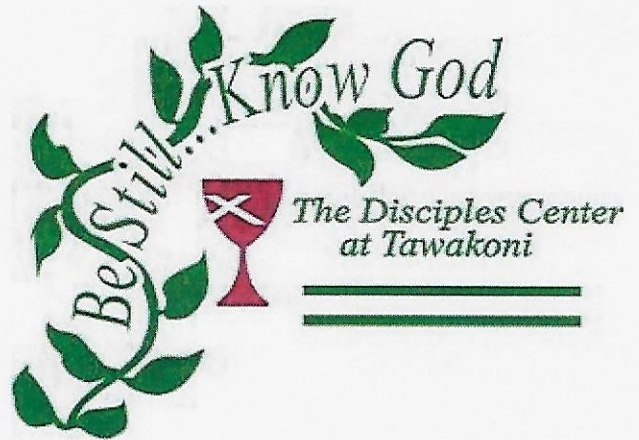
* Scholarship fund will reduce each fee by about 30%

COVID-19 Reminder: We plan to meet in-person at Disciples Center. Face masks and social distancing precautions will be expected of all participants. If health authorities indicate it is not wise to hold camps we will move events online and refund registration fees.

Cancellation Policy: over 30 days prior to event = full fee less \$25 handling fee; 15-30 days prior = 50% refund; 7-14 days prior = 25% refund; 6 days prior or no-show at event = no refund.

Detailed information will be available in your church office, OR, check the region's [website—www.kansasdisciples.org](http://www.kansasdisciples.org).

KCYF Mission Week 2021



Date: June 6-11 (Sunday-Friday)

Where: Disciples Center at Tawakoni, Augusta

Focus: **Camp Projects** including work on a new Canteen near the pool.

Fee: \$350 - includes meals, lodging, materials and any “special events”

Enrollment: Use the Camp enrollment form with Health Form or register online, kansasdisciples.org.

Maximum group: 20 youth (grades 8 - 12). **Deadline is April 30.**

Sponsors are being recruited—if your group has an adult who wants to participate, ask them to please call **Sharon Bullock, 913-370-0845.**

Housing provided at the camp

COVID protocols including wearing a mask will be expected.

Directors: Joe & Sharon Bullock

Information: Contact Steve Martin, smartin@kansasdisciples.org

Or call Topeka office, 785-266-2914



2021 REGISTRATION FORM (black or blue ink only)

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date Rec'd _____
District _____
Amt Rec'd \$ _____
Schlp: \$ _____
Check # _____
Cancel. Date _____
Amt. Refund _____

Camp Session _____ Camp Date _____

**Cancellation Policy: over 30 days prior to event, full fee less \$25 handling fee; 15-30 days prior, 50% refund; 7-14 days prior, 25% refund; 6 days prior or no-show, no refund.
Registration fee does not include transportation to or from camp unless otherwise noted.**

CAMPER NAME:

(Print) Last First Middle Initial

Address: _____
Street/Box Number

City State Zip

Preferred Telephone: (_____) _____ Birthdate: _____ Age: _____

(circle one) home or cell

School Grade completed (spring 2021): _____ GENDER: _____

Parent/Guardian E-Mail _____ Parent/Guardian Cell-Phone _____

Go Green! _____ Check here if you wish to receive Welcome Letter and other camp info via email!

HOME CHURCH: _____ CITY: _____

T-shirt Size: Youth: S M L Adult: S M L XL XXL

Camp photographs are sometimes used in publications, social media applications, and on the website of the Christian Church in Kansas (CCK). _____ Check here to allow photos of your child.

Check if this is your camper's first, ever, summer camp experience. _____

Check below that you understand:

_____ CAMPERS ARE EXPECTED TO ARRIVE ON TIME, (not late or early) AND TO STAY FOR THE ENTIRE SESSION.
EXCEPTIONS MUST HAVE WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM THE DIRECTOR TWO WEEKS BEFORE CAMP BEGINS.

Pastor / Church Leader: Please comment on the camper with any pertinent information:

Signature of Pastor/Authorized Church Leader

Share information about your camper that we need to know for a good camp experience. **Include any accommodations needed.**

I hereby give my permission to allow minor camper named above to attend the event named on this form.

Signature of Parent/Guardian, if camper is a minor

**Send completed registration form, health form and appropriate fee to:
Christian Church in Kansas, 2914 SW MacVicar, Topeka KS 66611 1787.**

12/17/20

Registration without full fee is incomplete!

CAMP HEALTH FORM

(To be completed by parent/guardian if participant is a minor)

Name: _____ Weight: _____ Height: _____ Gender: _____

PART I - Is the camper in general good health and able to participate in all normal camp activities:

____ YES ____ NO If not, please explain _____

Date of last complete physical examination: _____

Immunization: Date of last Tetanus shot _____

Health Concerns:

Food Allergies: please list these, OR, share details in an email to: cck@kansasdiscalples.org, OR, call 785-266-2914

Allergic to: ____ Penicillin; ____ Sulfa; ____ Insect Stings; ____ Poison Ivy; ____ Latex

Subject to: ____ Bedwetting; ____ Asthma; ____ Convulsions; ____ Skin Rash; ____ Fainting

Recent surgery: _____

Recent exposure to communicable disease: _____

Heart Disease: _____ Athlete's Foot: _____

Vision (check one): ____ eye-glasses ____ contact lenses

Information Camp Director should have: Additional volunteer staff may be needed to provide adequate supervision for any special needs. Camper may need to be sent home if sufficient information is not provided in this space. _____

Physical limitations: _____

Mental limitations: _____

Emotional stress: _____

Behavioral disorders: _____

Medications: If parent/guardian sends any medications, it is required to be in the original container, with name and instructions printed on the original container. **NO PILL BOXES please!** ____ Parent-check this is understood. If applicant is on any regular medication, state drug and dosage: _____

Applicant may have: ____ Acetaminophen ____ Ibuprofen ____ Aspirin ____ Antihistamine

Sleeping concerns? _____

Swimming ability: ____ Non-swimmer ____ Beginner ____ Intermediate ____ Advanced

Part II - Person to notify in case of emergency:

Name: _____ Relation to Applicant _____

Phone (Home) _____ (Business) _____ (Cell) _____

Physician - Name _____ Phone _____

HEALTH CARE POLICIES

The medical payments provided to participants is written on an excess basis. This means that if the injured party has other valid coverage that coverage would be primary and the Christian Church in Kansas would pay in excess to that other insurance. If there is no other coverage, then the Christian Church in Kansas coverage would be considered primary. Accidents that occur at any event or activity (on or off premises and including the use of boats) are covered.

Part III - Health and Accident Insurance: Please send a copy of the Insurance Card and provide the following information:

Name of Company _____

Policy Number _____

Part IV - In case of accident or illness: I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the event director to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injections, anesthesia, or surgery for (name of applicant)

Signature: _____ Date: _____