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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. *The office will be closed on Monday, May 30 and Tuesday, May 31 in observance of Memorial Day.* 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

Time Change

June 12th we will be moving **Worship time to 9:30 am**

Block Party - The Christian Education Ministry Team will be having inflatables, food, fellowship and much more right after worship on the 12th!

I know that some of you have questions, and I would love to talk with you. Leadership thought that it would be great to have a few times that if you have questions about this or anything else in the church to meet together. Our next Q & A session will be held on:

May 29th 6pm

If you have any questions or concerns please reach out to the Church and we will do our best to provide information to your question.

Pastor Brad

"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens:" Ecclesiastes 3:1

Pentecost Sunday

June 5, 2022

The Worship Ministry Team invites you to come and celebrate **PENTECOST SUNDAY** with your church family at the 10 AM service.

PLEASE WEAR RED!



Remember In Prayers

Alex Blunt, Joanne Bodenhausen, Melinda Calhoon, Glenda Camblin, Kathy Carrigan, Julia Clem, Bryson Connell, Cynthia Davis, Travis Dodson, Diane Dykstra, Sandra Elliott, Danny Fitkin, Ruth Frost, Robert Grosser, Amos Hale, Grace Hale, Michael Henning, Cindy Hoverson, Jacki, Gretchen Jasper, Jackie Jasper, LA Kimes, Charlie Kottman, Jeff Kuhnert, Terry Larkin, Kris Mann, Heather Matthias, Katie McAllister, Sheila McDaniel, Ryleigh Anne Michaels, Adalee Miller, Jessie Miller, Sable Monroe, Quinn Myer, Joy Norfleet, Kristi Olson, Shari Oswald, Glenn Parrott, Ardith Peak, Abel Portenier, Teresa Portenier, Megan Pruessner and Family, Manny Raymos and Family, Elizabeth Seever, Robena Seever, Dorothy Smith, Shawn Snoddy, Mary Lynn Spencer, Bob Stephenson, Eric Szymanski, Charlotte Thompson, Shirley Welch, Amy and Mitch West, Gavin Williams, Chris Wilson, Kara Wright.

[IF WE CAN TAKE ANYONE OFF OF THE PRAYER LIST,
PLEASE NOTIFY ROSIE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE]

Military

Ryan Callahan, Joshua Lambert, Nicholas Cline, Sean McCaffery, Anton Mak, Jesse McClade, Curtis Ellis, Jerry Michaels, John Humbard, Robert Dickson, Quentin Rivers, Carlos Betts-Coffey, Daniel Collins, Gavin Rebant, Jake Rebant

Online Giving

For your convenience, the Stewardship Ministry Team has made 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>.



Sunday's May 29 & June 5 @ 10:00 AM

June 12 Worship will begin at 9:30 am

In the sanctuary

Then on Sunday, July 3 Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults will be at 10:30 AM

10:00 AM Live Streaming on May 29 & June 5

June 12 Live Streaming will be at 9:30 am

- 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)

Adult Sunday School

Sunday mornings

- Evangelism Studies led by Lila Wilson. Class is held in the Chapel from 9:00-9:45
- Logos/Koinonia (Lo-Ko) Class led by Carolyn Rodina from 9:00-9:45 a.m. The class is held in the Resource Room in the CE building. Nursery is available!

We are all blessed Christians, gathering together to share God's Word.

Beginning July 3rd Class times will be @ 10:30 am

Coffee & Conversation

Every Thursday, join members and friends of First Christian Church for Coffee and Conversation at Paolucci's Restaurant, 113 S 3rd St at 9:30 am. Everyone is Welcome! Invite a friend or neighbor to join in the fun!

Join Us For Men's Bible Study

Saturday's, June 4th & 18th

7:00 am

Paolucci's Restaurant, 115 S 3rd Street

All men are welcome to attend Invite a friend or co-worker!

Christian Visitor Deadline

Deadline: Wednesday, June 15, 2022

This newsletter will include the July, 2022 calendar, birthdays and anniversaries. The deadline for the next Christian Visitor is Friday, July 15, 2022 and will include the August, 2022 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.

Christian Women's Fellowship

CWF Meeting

Tuesday, June 28th

1:00 PM

Meeting in Wolf Hall

Sewing & Service Group

Tuesday, June 14th

1-4:00 PM

Meeting in Wolf Hall



Attendance

April 24	10:00 AM Service – 100 FB Live Stream & Video – 147 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 26 Views
May 1	10:00 AM Service – 107 FB Live Stream & Video – 128 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 14 Views
May 8	10:00 AM Service – 120 FB Live Stream & Video – 89 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 14
May 15	10:00 AM Service – 78 FB Live Stream & Video – 124 Views YouTube Live Stream & Video – 25 Views
May 22	10:00 AM Service – 95 FB Live Stream & Video – 100 YouTube Live Stream & Video – 6

Grief Support Group

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, Marilyn Albright, 913-367-4754. 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

Graduate Recognition

Class of 2022

Bruce Dolenz, Truman State University. Reagent Scientist at a Clinical Diagnostics Company in Kansas City.

Grace Elliott, Maur Hill Mount Academy. Work full-time and attend online college considering a career in Real Estate.

Benjamin "Ben" Enzbrenner, Atchison High School. Attend Highland Community College Technical Center, Welding Program.

Christopher Goodpasture, Atchison High School. Attend Highland Community College Technical Center, Electrical. He will then attend K-State in Engineering Program in 2023.

Parker Kottman, Maur Hill Mount Academy. Attend K-State Salina Aerospace and Technology Program. He plans to become a Pilot.

Ethan Matthias, Atchison High School. Attend Washburn University, Forensics Science.

George Phillips, Atchison High School. Attend Highland Community College Technical Center, Collision Repair Program.

Jake Rebant, Atchison High School. Jake has enlisted in the United States Marine Corps and leaves May 23rd for Boot Camp.

Jessica Sutton, Atchison High School. Attend Washburn University, Occupational Therapy Assistant.

Archer Willis, Atchison High School. Electrical Degree, followed by College.

Christian Sympathy

Thoughts and prayers are extended to the families of:

- ❖ MARK MIKKELSON who passed away on May 4th. A Celebration of Life Service was held for Mark on Saturday, May 21st with Pastor's Brad Greene and Russ Cooper officiating. Thoughts and prayers are extended to Debra, Markelle and Anna and the Mikkelson family.
- ❖ LOUISE "TINY" ELLEN (THOMPSON) KIBLER who passed away on April 30th. Funeral Services for Tiny were held on May 9th at the Becker-Dyer-Stanton Funeral Home with Pastor Brad officiating.
- ❖ BILLY FULTZ who passed away on May 1st. Funeral services for Billy were held on May 6th with Pastor Brad officiating. Services were held at the Becker-Dyer-Stanton Funeral Home.
- ❖ NEIL SCHUMACHER (husband of DANA SHUCK) who passed away on April 10th in California. A memorial service for Neil will be held on June 4th at the Green Valley Mortuary in Rescue, California.

Atchison County Food Pantry @ FCC

The next Food Pantry Distributions will be held on Friday's, June 3 & 17 from 1:00-3:00 pm. Cars can begin lining up at 12:30 pm.

You can donate non-perishables such as: peanut butter, jelly/jam, cereal (cold, oatmeal, cereal bars), canned chunky soup with pull tabs, instant cup of soup or bagged soup mixes, crackers, jiffy corn bread mix, canned fruit, shampoo, bar soap or body wash. Monetary donations are accepted with checks made payable to: THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH with memo to: THE ATCHISON COUNTY FOOD PANTRY @ FCC.

2022 Loaves & Fishes Feeding Ministry

Saturday's, June 4, Aug. 6, Oct. 8, Dec. 3

Meals are prepared and deliveries made from First Christian Church. We need volunteers for kitchen helpers at 8 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 on the table, in the room where couches are] If you have questions, contact Barb.

Board Meeting

NO Board Meetings in June or July

Tuesday, June 14, 2022

5:30 pm Elders Prayer (Chapel)

6:00 pm Elders Meeting (Chapel)

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).



Baby / Child Dedication

Would you like to have your child/ren dedicated during an up-coming worship service? If so, please talk to Pastor Brad on Sunday or 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.

First Christian Church 2022/2023 Scholarships

Applications for the 2022/23 FCC scholarships are now available. On Sunday they are in the room off of the annex/lobby under the bulletin board, or 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.

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 postsecondary 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.



FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

SAVE THE DATE

Children and Youth Ministries presents
a block party for the whole church family to enjoy!

June 12
10:30 AM

Church Parking Lot

Sign Ups for Sunday School and VBS
T-Shirts (for Sunday School Registrants)
Music, Games and Inflatables
Sno Cones
Hamburgers, Hot Dogs and Chips



Memorial Service

May 29, 2022

We will remember those that have passed away within our church family since Memorial Day of 2021. The Dedication Service of Remembrance will be held during the 10:00 AM service on May 29th.

Those remembered are:

Mark Mikkelson
Louise "Tiny" Kibler
Billy Fultz
Jan Merritt
Delbert Raymond Boatright
Reona Ruth Johnson
Charles W. "Charlie" Page
Betty L. Donaldson
Marion Louise Ehret
Mary Irene Soden
Dorothy Jeane (Garrison) Price
Rebecca "Becky" Smith
Doris Coleen (Higley) Sutton



BIRTHDAYS

1 - ROCHELLE SCHUETZ
3 - GLENN HICKS
5- RACHEL COOPER, ALLISON LAURIE
6 - CAROL HINK, OLIVIA TATE
8 - DAREK HENNEN
9 - ELLIE BALDRIDGE, LIZ MONTGOMERY
10 - BRILYNN DAVIS, JOHN DOLENZ
11 - HAGEN PHILLIPS
13 - WILLIAM DORSEY, SR.
16 - KYLEE KOTTMAN
19 - ADAM CAUDLE, CHRISTINA CREASON, REBEKAH HURST,
DEBRA MIKKELSON
21 - JIM CHRISTIAN, RUSTY WILLIS
22 - PARKER KOTTMAN, COLLIN MORANZ
23 - GRAYCEN SCHMIDT
25 - KARL DOLENZ
27 - BRIAN RODINA
28 - JULIE GILLILAND, ASHLEY STOUT, HILARY JASPER
29 - KEVAN BIRKINSHA, BETH GILLILAND-CHARNICK

ANNIVERSARIES

2 - MARTY & KERRY DUGGER
4 - ROBI & DEBBIE CHOWDHURI
7 - DOUG & RHONDA SEXTON
10 - KEITH & LUCILLE RAWSON
11 - JOSEPH & SHARON BULLOCK
11 - STACIE & KEVIN DOUGHERTY
20 - DANNY & LAVERN FITKIN
20 - RICK & SONI MORANZ
21 - ROD & TOHNYA AVERSMAN
25 – KURTIS & BROOKE GENAIL
26 - TONY & MARGIE WILBURN
28 - BRADLEY & SHARON SOWERS

June 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 4:30 pm Outreach Ministry Team Meeting Chapel	2 9:30 am Coffee & Conversation @ Paolucci's Restaurant	3 1-3:00 pm Atchison County Food Pantry "Food Distribution"	4 7 am Men's Bible Study Paolucci's Restaurant FCC to prepare, deliver meals for Loaves & Fishes Feeding Ministry
5 Pentecost Sunday 9 am Adult SS Shut-In Communion 10 Worship 10 am LiveStream FB & YouTube 10 am Kair Radio Broadcast (93.7 FM)	6	7	8	9 9:30 am Coffee & Conversation @ Paolucci's Restaurant	10	11
12 9:30 am Worship 9:30 am LiveStream FB & YouTube 10 am Kair Radio 10:30 am Block Party 2 pm Meadowlark 4-H Wolf Hall	13	14 1-4 pm CWF Sewing & Service Wolf Hall 5:30 pm Elders Prayer 6 pm Elders Meeting	15 5:15 pm Rural Water District #1 Meeting Chapel	16 9:30 am Coffee & Conversation @ Paolucci's Restaurant	17 1-3:00 pm Atchison County Food Pantry "Food Distribution"	18 7 am Men's Bible Study Paolucci's Restaurant
19 9:30 am Worship 9:30 am LiveStream FB & YouTube 10 am Kair Radio 6 pm Black History Celebration Service	20	21	22	23 9:30 am Coffee & Conversation @ Paolucci's Restaurant	24	25
26 9:30 am Worship 9:30 am LiveStream FB & YouTube 10 am Kair Radio Youth Group Meeting	27	28 1 pm CWF Meeting Wolf Hall	29	30 9:30 am Coffee & Conversation @ Paolucci's Restaurant		



Please join us for a
Black History
Celebration Service

*First Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)
301 N. 7th Street*

Sunday, June 19, 2022
6:00 p.m.

Celebrated on Juneteenth

*Let There Be
Peace On Earth*



We Shall Overcome

Pastors and Members of Seventh Day Adventist, Faith Walkers Outreach
and First Christian Church will be participating.

Special music will be provided by the Seventh Day Advent Church and Faith Walkers Outreach

Everyone is invited to attend A cookie reception will be held after the service

Children & Youth Ministries



Great News!!!

Plans are in the works for starting **Children & Youth Sunday School** classes again beginning July 3rd.

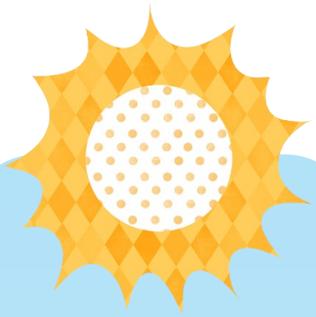
To get things started, instead of a back to Sunday School Rally we are having a **Block Party** on **June 12th** immediately following the 9:30 a.m. worship service.



**Sunday School Classes will resume
Sunday, July 3rd
10:30 a.m.**



**Youth Group Event
Saturday, July 9
Faith & Family Day at The K**
Kansas City Royals vs Cleveland Guardians
Following the conclusion of the game, there will be a variety of programming. Later, Christian musician and singer-songwriter, *Crowder*, will take center stage.



Jun-Aug

Important Dates

June 12
Block Party

June 17
Youth Group
Service Project
Food Pantry

June 26
Youth Group
Meeting

July 3
Sunday School
Classes Resume

July 9
Youth Group SE
Faith & Family Day
at the K

July 17-21
VBS

July 24
VBS Program

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Important Dates

August 7
Youth Group Meeting

August 14
Second Sunday Breakfast Party

August 14
Promotion Sunday

August 19-21
Youth Group
KC Mission Trip

August 28
Youth Group SE
Escape Room KC



SERVING OTHERS

Middle School and High School students will be able to work off some of the cost of participating in youth group special events throughout the year by serving breakfast the 2nd Sunday of every month, helping with VBS and by helping in monthly service projects.

Students must participate in a minimum of 1 service event each month to be able to participate in the youth group special events.

On Promotion Sunday, August 14th

First Christian Church Children and Youth Ministries believe

every child should have a Bible at home to read... at 3 years of age they will receive a storybook Bible... at 1st grade they will be given a children's Bible... going into 6th grade they will be presented with a youth Bible...

There will also be a blessing of backpack tags for children and youth.



Youth Group Event—August 28th—Escape Room Kansas City

The DaVinci Code:

An unforgettable adventure, where you will travel to the times of the great Leonardo Da Vinci. Plunge into a setting that has been thought through and decorated to the very tiny detail. Secret compartments, mechanical puzzles, unexpected twists and turns. Not only do you have to get out of the room, but also find the Holy Grail.

