

# FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

May 17, 2009

## Welcome!

We are glad you have come to worship with us at First Christian.

We desire to reach all people with the Good News of Jesus Christ and develop them into fully devoted followers of Him. Our Sunday ministries will provide opportunities for you and your family to worship and grow in your journey with God.

If you are a guest this morning please take a moment and fill out the Welcome Card attached to this worship bulletin. Just drop it in the offering plate or turn it in at the Welcome Center.

## Our Worship Today

### The Gathering

We gather today to worship God as His community, the church! Our songs, praises, and prayers are worship to Him. He delights in our thanksgiving through our giving, by sharing in community and hearing His Word.

### The Word

**Today's Message:** The Children's Choir Presents "Simon Says"

### The Table

We follow Jesus' teaching to remember His sacrificial death on a cross for the sins of all people at the Lord's Table. We invite all believers to partake of the emblems of his body and blood as the trays are passed. (1 Corinthians 11)

### The Sending

Each week we reflect on our experience with God. Many take this time to collect their thoughts on where they are with Him and where they want to be. Each of us are sent when we depart. Our life of worship continues when we leave the gathering of believers. (Romans 12)

Sometimes individuals desire prayer for a pressing need, pray for a renewed focus, or desire to receive Jesus' forgiveness and restoration through His free gift of salvation.

*Maybe He is calling you to Himself.*

If you desire to become a Christian, to rededicate your life to Christ, or desire to become a member of First Christian, then, we invite you to come forward at the end of the service to speak and pray with one of our Pastors.



Prayer requests for our Prayer Chain and other emergency prayer needs are now quickly processed and delivered to the Staff, Elders, and Prayer Team by calling the FCC Prayer Hotline at 857-PRAY or 857-7729.

"Want to share an idea or give feedback to the leaders at FCC?"  
Send it to [leaders@fccabq.org](mailto:leaders@fccabq.org). Thanks!

## Today

### Sunday Children's Ministries

#### NURSERY

• Nursery (Newborn to 24 months) 9:00—11:55 AM West Hall

#### PRESCHOOL & ELEMENTARY

• Sunday School (2 yrs old — 5th gr.) 9:00—10:20 AM Lower Level  
• BLAST Children's Worship (2yr—5th) 10:20—11:55 AM Lower Level

### Adult & Student Bible Studies

#### 9:00 AM

Room B102 College Age Linn  
Room 108 Romans Junker  
Room 109 Life of Christ 1 Headley  
Room 112 Mid School Cross  
Room 113 9 & 10<sup>th</sup> Gr. Moore  
Room 201 11 & 12<sup>th</sup> Gr. Headley  
Library Ladies Class Peltier/Burns  
Room 102 Basic Christianity Burns

#### 10:45 AM

Room 100 Truth Seekers Cordova  
Room 101 Evidence Harger  
Room 108 Writings of Paul T. Zeter  
Room 109 Joint Heirs N. Zeter  
Room 110 Bible Characters Cavin  
Room 102 Survey of the Bible Gross

## Tonight

Handbell Practice 4:30-5:30 PM  
FUSION: Youth Ministry 6:00 PM

## This Week

### WEDNESDAY

- [Through the Bible Study on Campus \(Cavin\)](#) 10:00 AM
- [Dorcas Group](#) 6:45 PM
- [FUSION Youth Group](#) 7:00 PM

### FRIDAY

- [Bible Study at Cordovas](#) (344-3110) 7:00 PM

## This Month and Beyond

May 17 Kids Choir Performance "Simon Says"  
May 21 9 AM Sr. Saints Breakfast at Vic's on Osuna  
May 24 Graduate Recognition  
May 26 6:30 pm Women's *Esther* Bible Study Begins  
May 31 4 pm Enchantment Handbell Concert  
May 31 4 pm Fifth Sunday Singspiration at **Ridgecrest**  
June 15-19 Evening VBS

### FACTS & FIGURES for May 10, 2009

Attendance: 288 General Fund: \$7,797.42 Weekly Budget Need: \$10,630

**DEADLINES:** News and Views deadline is the 15th of every month. Bulletin is Tuesday by Noon.

## Military Service Recognition

To honor those who worship with us who serve or have served in the military, their names will be listed in the church bulletin Memorial Day Weekend. So that you or your love one is included, please provide the necessary information on the bulletin insert.

## NEW ARRIVAL

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Mike and Jennifer Dean on the birth of their son Henry Francis born on May 4th at 12:27pm. Henry weighed 7 lbs 14oz and was 21 inches long. The proud grandparents are Don and Becky Dean and big brother Trenton along with big sisters Phoebe and Olive.

## Take a tour of the Church Website

[www.fccabq.org](http://www.fccabq.org)

### Our Staff [staff@fccabq.org](mailto:staff@fccabq.org)

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**Church Office:** 294-0630

Mon-Thurs 9:00—5:00  
Fridays 9:00—1:00

**Prayer Needs:**  
[prayers@fccabq.org](mailto:prayers@fccabq.org)

**Pastoral Care Needs:**  
[pastoralcare@fccabq.org](mailto:pastoralcare@fccabq.org)

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### Our Elders

Randy Summers, Chairman 299.5891  
Tom Headley 293.4930 Lawrence Junker 264.4657 Todd Zeter 237.1869  
Art Cordova 344.3110 Greg Gross 797.3620 Steve Peltier 881.2921



Have a prayer need? You can now call from anywhere and request prayer . . . 857-7729

### Prayer & Pastoral Care Requests

Please share my requests with:

- Staff & Elders only.  Staff, Elders and Prayer Chain.  For Publication.

**Pastoral Care Requests:**

- I have an upcoming surgery at \_\_\_\_\_ hospital on (date) \_\_\_\_\_ (time) \_\_\_\_\_
- Please have my Shepherding Elder contact me.
- I would like to speak with a Minister.

## Prayer Requests

### NEW or UPDATED PRAYER REQUESTS

Bud Cavin. Home recovery from surgery.  
Bob and Barbara Friberg Family. Barb's mother passed away Tuesday, May 9  
May Livesay. Thank you for continued prayers for my eye problems.  
Carolyn Neuber. Recovering from surgery.  
Bill Owens. Mary Cavin's brother. Health  
 Teachers needed for 4 & 5s Sunday School class.

### ONGOING REQUESTS

#### Family Matters

Gfellers. Derek needs new counselor. Patience in transition.  
Jayne Gregory. Needs new tenant.

#### Jobs

Gfeller Family Jobs Needs. Cindy's son - David, brother-in-law – Sam and niece – Nikki  
Jayne Gregory. Needs job soon.  
Terry. Luhrs' friend. Job Search. Laid off, wife pregnant. Still looking for work.

#### Missions

Morning Glory School -Guatemala  
Cox Family. Peter Thome's daughter. Missionaries to Sudan.  
Jim & Denise Hayes. Zimbabwe. Pray for health & safety.

#### Health

Steven Borkert. Continued treatment for heart problems. Prayers appreciated.  
William Mattingly. Steve Asher's Brother. Heath & spiritual issues  
Shelby. Pregnant friend of Jackie Loftus. Praise. Off bed rest. Blood clot dissolved.  
Bonnie Williamson. Kim Fleming's Sister. Recovering from surgery for Crohn's disease.

#### Cancer

Darlene Bingman. Buck Brandon's Aunt. Stage 4 liver cancer. At home, doing better.  
Leroy Burlison. Brother of Doreen Hendren's friend. Prostate Cancer.  
Erica Encincias. Denise Stills' Friend. Young teacher at Mitchell Elementary.  
 Breast Cancer  
William Hill. Pat Hill's son. Bladder cancer is arrested.  
Kim Morgan. Friend of Steve Asher. Breast Cancer  
Beth Morris. Karolin Little's Niece. Cancer.

#### Military

Casady Guenzler. Marcella Smith's grandson. Deployed to Iraq.  
Jerry Jackson. Howard Jackson's brother. Deployed to Iraq. Army.

**WORLD MISSION BUILDER'S TRIP** in Fredonia, Kansas June 5-17.

Les Miller, Minister, and David Fink and all the fine folks at Fredonia Church of Christ have invited World Mission Builder volunteers to come and build a new worship/educational building on their new property. Three meals a day will be provided and housing in homes is available. Of course they need to know who is planning on helping on this trip and if you need housing. We will be doing framing, electrical, plumbing, hardback siding, vinyl soffits, and shingling. This promises to be an enjoyable project; come and be a part of the fun and fellowship. If you are interest please contact Ken Scott 299.0191 or John Linn 828.2550. Feel free to come for **ALL** or **PART** of the project. The deadline for this trip is May 24th.

### Summer Camp Schedule

Camp	Dates	Cost/Member Price	Deadline
High School Camp	June 1-6	\$220/110	May 10th
Middle School Camp	June 22-27	\$220/110	May 31st
First Chance Camp	July 13-16	\$130/65	June 21st
4th /5th Grade Camp	July 20-24	\$190/95	June 28th

## Regular Summer Weekly/Monthly Events

Elder Prayer Service	Last Sunday	6pm
Senior Saints Activities	First & Third Thursdays	9&11am
Ladies' Book Club	Last Thursday	7:30pm
Youth Group	Every Sunday Evening	6pm
Youth Group	Every Wednesday Evening	7pm
Through the Bible Study	Every Wednesday	10am
Friday Night Bible Study	Every Friday	7pm
Esther Bible Study	Every Tuesday	6:30pm

### Welcome Card

**May 17, 2009**

Service Attended:  9:00 AM  10:45 AM

First Time Guest  Second  Other  Member

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt # \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home / Cell / Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**I am interested in:**  Esther Bible Study

Becoming a Christian  Membership  Speaking with a Minister

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