

# FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

May 2, 2010

## 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.

**Today's Message:** Tom Caffery



### 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 Hotline 857-PRAY**  
Have a prayer need? You can now call from anywhere and request prayer... 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 Life of Christ Junker  
Room 109 Book of Acts Headley  
Room 112 Mid School Loftus  
Room 113 9 & 10<sup>th</sup> Gr. Moore  
Room 201 11 & 12<sup>th</sup> Gr. Headley  
Library Ladies Class Peltier/Burns

#### 10:45 AM

Room 100 Truth Seekers Cordova  
Room 101 Evidence Harger  
Room 110 Bible Characters Cavin

## Today

Kidz Act - Elementary 4-7 PM  
Kidz Act - Preschool 4:30-6 PM  
FUSION: Youth Ministry 6:00 PM

## This Week

### MONDAY

• Bible Study at the Cavin's (821-1373) 7:00 PM

### TUESDAY

• Ladies AM Bible Study 10:30 AM

### WEDNESDAY

• *Through the Bible* Study on Campus (Cavin) 10:00 AM  
• Dorcas Group 7:00 PM  
• FUSION Youth Group 7:00 PM

### THURSDAY

• Bible Bowl 6:00 PM

### FRIDAY

• Bible Study at Cordova's (344-3110) 7:00 PM

## Regular Monthly/Weekly Events

Elder Prayer Service	Last Sunday	6 PM
Senior Saints Activities	First & Third Thursdays	9&11AM
Ladies' Book Club	Last Thursday	7:30 PM
Youth Group	Every Sunday Evening	6 PM
Youth Group	Every Wednesday Evening	7 PM
Friday Night Bible Study	Every Friday	7 PM

## This Month and Beyond

May 6, Th	Sr Saints Lunch Henrietta's (Los Lunas)	11:00 AM
May 9, Sun	Baby Dedication	10:45 AM
May 16, Sun	Kidz Act Performances	9 & 10:45 AM
May 16, Sun	Enchantment Handbell Concert	4 PM
May 20, Th	Sr. Saints Breakfast	9 AM
May 23, Sun	Graduation Recognition	10:45 AM
June 6, Sat	Zoo Scavenger Hunt	9 AM
June 21-25	VBS	6-8:15 PM

## FACTS & FIGURES for April 25, 2010

Attendance: 281 General Fund: \$6,402.10 Weekly Budget Need: \$10,450

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The **Communion Prep Team** is looking for a few more volunteers to help prepare communion for Sundays. For more info or to sign up, contact Jennifer Dean at 798.1719 or [jendean@q.com](mailto:jendean@q.com).

**Facility Ministry** is looking for 6 to 8 volunteers to share the mowing by the week or month from April to October. Contact the office to volunteer.

## Revelation

Bible Study for Women  
Tuesdays, beginning May 25, for 11 weeks  
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

"Here and Now  
There and Then"  
By Beth Moore



Sign up in the foyer, online, or e-mail Lori Linn @ [LoriLinn@Comcast.net](mailto:LoriLinn@Comcast.net). Babysitting available upon request.

Study to....

1. increase our knowledge in the Word of God and grow closer in our relationships with Him.
2. build friendships and accountability with each other.
3. become partners in prayer for the needs of our sisters.
4. extend ourselves in the service of our community to show God's love to our neighbors

## Our Staff

Tom Caffery, <i>Senior Minister</i>	<a href="mailto:tcaffery@fccabq.org">tcaffery@fccabq.org</a>
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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)

**Elders:** [elders@fccabq.org](mailto:elders@fccabq.org)

## Our Elders

Steve Peltier Co-Chairman 881.2921	Todd Zeter Co-Chairman 237.1869
Charlie Cross 332.3208	Denny Mowry 269.8400
Lawrence Junker 264.4657	Art Cordova 344.3110
Greg Gross 797.3620	Lloyd Hoover 286.0600

## 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.

## Tent Rocks Hike All Church Outing and Great Family Event

Meet at the church parking lot Saturday, May 8, at 8:30 am to car pool to Tent Rocks National Monument for a hike and picnic brunch. Tent Rocks is 55 miles north of Albuquerque and offers The Cave Loop Trail which is 1.2 miles long, rated as easy. The more difficult Canyon Trail is a 1.5-mile, one-way trek into a narrow canyon with a steep (630-ft) climb to the mesa top for excellent views of the Sangre de Cristo, Jemez, and Sandia Mountains and the Rio Grande Valley. Both trails are child-friendly. Bring water and your picnic. The group should arrive back to the church by noon. RSVP to Rachel Dostal, [racheldostal@gmail.com](mailto:racheldostal@gmail.com).

### Interested in knowing more about FCC? Next Trek 101 Membership Class, May 16 Sunday Evening, 6 pm, in the Chapel

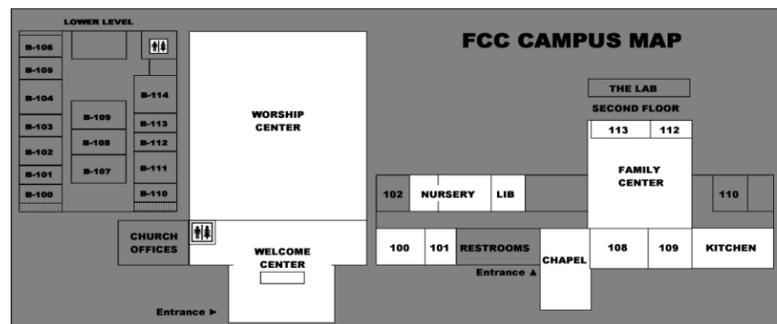
Join Senior Minister Tom Caffery as we discover what a life in Christ and a member in His church are all about...This class will enlighten you on the basics of the Christian faith and to what it means to become a member of First Christian. Sign-up on the Welcome Card or email [staff@fccabq.org](mailto:staff@fccabq.org).



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR FCC VBS, JUNE 21-25, 6-8:15 PM

If you'd like to volunteer to help, make sign up on the insert.

The Kidz Act Choir would like to borrow artificial Christmas trees for their upcoming musical. If you can help, please contact Lisa or Jayson Helm at [kapalua96@yahoo.com](mailto:kapalua96@yahoo.com).



### Welcome Card

May 2, 2010

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:

Becoming a Christian  Membership  Speaking with a Minister

Trek 101

VBS

### NEW or UPDATED PRAYER REQUESTS

Misty Dean. Friend, Mark throat and ear cyst to be removed Friday. Pray they're not cancerous. Marriage to be restored.

Gfeller Family. Safe travel for Eric to Travis Air Force Base to find new house and church home. For Cindy and Derek while family is apart.

Joy Mitchell – Mike mother is home from hospital and is recovering. Continue prayers are appreciated.

### ONGOING REQUESTS

#### Family Matters

Jeni Chariva. Praise for continual healthy living benefits.

Scott Berry, Jr. Health & Summer Job

T.J. Kathy Archer's Grandson. Struggling with teen issues. Pray for parents too.

Jesse Evans. Friend of Martha Raines. Needs personal prayer.

Forsythe Family. Coping with death of daughter, Ashley. Please keep entire family in your prayers.

Daniel Hillerman. Prayers for uncle, Steve Hillerman, possible colon cancer. For parents, Martha and Chris.

Lawry Family. Family matters.

Chris & Martha Luhrs. On going prayers for Martha and Daniel. Dealing with Chris' father's Alzheimer's.

Martha Luhrs. Ongoing prayers during 20 month deployment with Army in Maryland.

Martha Raines. Prayer for health and personal issues.

#### Job Needs

Thomas Loftus. Second Job.

Garnet Mills. Job Search. Direction on what to do and decisions I have to make.

#### Missions

Steven & Angie Anderson. Missionary in Asia and daughter of Bryan & Vicki Burns. Health.

#### Health

Roy Barringer. Health. Has fallen twice.

Bill Hendren. Health.

Mattie & Megan Ray. Jes Miera's aunts—will be having brain surgery to help fix scoliosis.

William Mattingly. Steve Asher's Brother. Health & spiritual issues

Vic, Sarah & Leila. 2 year old with serious health issues. (from Rossi Family)

Tim Wright. Kellie Brandon's brother-in-law. Speedy recovery from meningitis and from upcoming surgeries.

#### Cancer

Steve Ackerman. Jessica Victor's dad. Prostate Cancer.

Trish Arnold. Jim & Jane Rawls' Niece. 2-time breast cancer survivor. Radiation for brain tumor.

Kelli Campbell's Dad. Cancer

Diane Gillen. Friend of Duran's. Being treated for leukemia & lymphoma.

Daniel Green. Son of a friend of Monica Battaile. Acute Lymphoblastic Lymphoma.

Receiving more chemo.

Erica Encincias. Denise Stills' Friend. Breast cancer.

Al Halber. Friend of Tom & Lynn Headley. Leukemia

Todd Myers. Friend of Noonan's.

Mark Raden. Cancer. Friend of Loftus.

Rick Rudy. Prostate Cancer. Friend of Loftus'

Suzie. Marcella Smith's niece in Montana. Through with her chemo & radiation and is doing well.

James Ward. Continued prayers.

Don Whatley. Nancy Noonan's co-worker's husband. Advanced liver and pancreatic cancer.

#### Military

Adam Gonzales. Son-in-law of Jayne Gregory's friend. Second tour to Iraq.

Lt. Andrew Frazier. Training with 101st Airborne Div for Deployment to Afghanistan. Army

Jason Hopkins. Friend of Victor's family. Deployed to Afghanistan for 6 months.

Jerry Jackson. Howard Jackson's brother. Deployed to Iraq. Army.

John Keeling. Navy 3 month deployment started 2/9/10

Brian Smith. Caitlyn Lippitt's cousin. Marine serving in Afghanistan.

**All Church Outing, Saturday, June 6, 9 am  
Zoo Scavenger Hunt—More Details Coming Soon**