

“That The World May Know”

TODAY at 9AM in Room 108

Would like for the Bible to make more sense as you read and study? Then “*That The World May Know*” is truly the class for you! Watch the Bible come to life as you see and hear the sights and sounds of the places and locations of the Bible.

Each week there is a new and exciting study from the Scripture. The class is great for those who are unable to make it each week and perfect for those who desire a week to week in-depth study.

So, if you did not make it today...no worries!

Plan to come next week and begin a study that will change the way you see the Bible. Remember we have children’s ministry at 9AM, so drop off the kids and join in on the study!

2011 Offering Envelopes

The 2011 Offering envelopes are available for pick up in the foyer. Please throw away your left over **BLUE** 2010 envelopes in January. Thank you for your faithful giving throughout the year. If you cannot locate your envelopes or desire to have a set for your 2011 giving, please contact the church office (294-0630).

Baby Shower

There will be a baby shower for **Misty Dean** Saturday, January 15th, from 1-3 PM in the Chapel. Misty is having a girl and is registered at Target. Contact Lori Linn if you have any questions.

NEW or UPDATED PRAYER REQUESTS

ONGOING REQUESTS

Barb Harger. Our friend Gail’s daughter, Erica had a miscarriage just before Christmas.
Jimmy Hollar. 10 year old nephew of Mike Cavin, had ruptured appendix. Not doing well.
Chris Luhrs. On going prayers for Martha & me during her deployment. Prayer for son, Danny- problems with alcohol. Blessing for Candyce back is healing.
Debbie Mitchell. Karl’s grandma-in-law is in ICU in St. Louis. She will have a pacemaker and stents put in on Monday, December 27th.

Family Matters

Jeni Chavira. Continued prayer for family.
Steven & Sita Gillespie. Son of Jim & Cheryl Swart—UPDATE! The final decision is the custody of Steven’s step granddaughter Bella is Jan. 5th. The other party did not show up for the last hearing.
PD & Amanda Stoddard. Sale of their house.

Job Needs

Mike & Dianne Absher. Roommates of Garnet Mills. Both still looking for work.
Becky Hill. Needs a Job.
Garnet Mills. At this point we do not know if our contract will be extended after Dec. 31st. If it does not I will need another job ASAP.
Suzie Paioletti. Looking for a job.
Jeff Ring.
Tom Tagert. Needs more hours at work.

Missions

TCM as they start new training to Messianic Jews in Russia.
Future trip to build at Bethshean Mission—Cris Garcia.
Pryor Family. Cholera outbreak in the village of Samban.

Health

Courtney Bleeker. Healthy Pregnancy.
Kellie Brandon. Recovery from surgery.
Frank Conrad. His health is getting worse.
Chris Gonzales. Experiencing complications from open heart surgery. Friend of Pat Fleming.
Bill Hendren. Health
William Mattingly. Steve Asher’s Brother. Heath & spiritual issues.
Joy Mitchell. Mike’s mother, continue to recover and getting better.
Irma Mae Morris. Sandy Sandien’s mother, heart procedure on October 28th.
Mary Tagert. Health
Carrie Villalobos. Healthy pregnancy.

FCC College Students

Erica Asher, Donovan Best, Christy Boyer, Kristin Brown, Pamela Caffery, Holly Colson, Kristen Conrad, Stephanie Conrad, Esther Cross, Ben Cross, Peter Cross, Melissa Davie, Joel Frazier, Nichole Gollihar, Katie Gross, Laura Harger, Julia Heyne, Tyler Hill, Heather Hope, Nikki Ingram, Ashley Keeling, Ashley Kurtz, Jes Miera, Jared Miller, Karl Mitchell, Clayton Moore, Isaac Moore, Natalie Moore, Tiffany Rawls, Sara Driver Ropp, Stephen Seppala, Amanda Stoddard, Tyler Summers, Aaron Wimmer, Matt Yarbrough, and Ben Zeter

Cancer

Steve Ackerman. Jessica Victor’s dad. Prostate Cancer.
Matt Bittner. Thanks to FCC for their prayers. They have now found the cancer is back in his liver and also in his lungs. Matt is a friend of the Barringer’s.
Kelli Campbell’s Dad. Cancer.
Sherry Coleman. Spouse of Mike McArthur’s co-worker has Lymphoma.
Juanita Coulter. Recovery from colon cancer surgery. Friend of Nancy & Gordon Noonan.
Carol Driscoll. Cancer—Prayer for the family of Danielle Garbin
Eggleton Family. Update on Cynthia, she is doing well undergoing chemo. Will be having surgery in January in Texas.
Diane Gillen. Friend of Duran’s. Being treated for leukemia & lymphoma.
Daniel Green. Son of a friend of Monica Battaile. Acute Lymphoblastic Lymphoma.
Al Halber. Friend of Tom & Lynn Headley. Leukemia
Tom Lehman. Friend of Doreen Kurtz. Cancer, trying new treatment at the Mayo Clinic.
Pattie. Friend of Dostals, breast cancer.
Mark Raden. Cancer. Friend of Loftus’.
Rebecca Rice. Friend of Melissa Keeling. Her daughter April has cervical cancer.
Rick Rudy. Prostate Cancer. Friend of Loftus.
George Schmitt. Chemo for prostate cancer. Friend of Jenny Shepard.
Pat Utsey. Prayers for Cancer. Returned to Houston
James Ward. Prostate cancer.

Military

Brian Bracken. Mary Pendergrass nephew. Deployed to Afghanistan.
Ryan Davis. Denise Stills’ nephew. Deployed to Iraq. Army
Adam Gonzales. Son-in-law of Jayne Gregory’s friend. Second tour to Iraq.
Andrew Frazier. Deployed to Afghanistan. Army
Jason Hopkins. Friend of Victor’s family. Deployed to Afghanistan.
Jerry Jackson. Howard Jackson’s brother. Deployed to Iraq. Army.
John Keeling. Navy

Welcome Card	January 2, 2011
Service Attended: <input type="checkbox"/> 9:00 AM <input type="checkbox"/> 10:30 AM	
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>First Time Guest</u> <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Second</u> <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Other</u> <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Member</u>	
Name _____	
Address _____ Apt # _____	
City, State, Zip _____	
Home / Cell / Work Phone _____	
Email _____	
I am interested in:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Becoming a Christian <input type="checkbox"/> Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Speaking with a Minister	
I am interested in ministry: <input type="checkbox"/> Bible Study	
<input type="checkbox"/> I / We will be attending the upcoming New Members Class:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Childcare needed Names/Ages: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Interest in Greeting _____	

Welcome to First Christian Church January 2, 2011

Welcome Neighbors!

We are glad that you came to worship with us @First.

Jeremiah the Prophet wrote in Lamentations 3:22-23,

“The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;
his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness.” (ESV)

Today we worship on this first Sunday of 2011 with a renewed hope in the love and mercy of our God. We celebrate that each and every morning His faithfulness is present and we are renewed in His grace.

If this is your first, second, or even third time visiting...would you take a moment and fill out the **Welcome Card** attached to this worship bulletin? Just drop it in the offering plate as it is passed during worship or drop it at the Welcome Center.

Worship@FIRST

Our 9:00 AM Heritage Service celebrates with a traditional worship appeal. You will experience hymns of the faith, draw close to His Word, gather around the Lord's Table, and experience community with His people.

Today we begin our new 10:30 AM Worship Celebration. You will praise him with an uplifting band driven style. Worship and be refreshed in the community of His Presence, His Word, and His People.

Communion@FIRST

Each week we participate in **The Lord's Table** in both services. We invite all believers to partake of the emblems representing Jesus' body and blood while remembering His great sacrifice for us on the cross. Take a piece of bread and a cup of juice as the trays are passed. You may place the empty cup in the tray or in the pew rack in front of you.

BLAST Children's Ministry@FIRST

We have a wonderful, safe and fun environment for your children (nursery—5th grade) during both worship hours. Your children will learn in both a Sunday School setting (9AM) and in a fun interactive children's worship environment (10:30AM). Nursery is located down the west hall and BLAST Children's Ministry is in our lower level.

Community@FIRST

If you would like to join First Christian Church or are considering a decision to give your life to Jesus Christ then we invite you to come a talk with one of our ministers toward the end of the service. You will be instructed during the service on where to go and what to do.

We would love to have you join our community here @FIRST.

Accepting Jesus Christ is the most important decision of your life. We want you to know how much He cares for you and desires for you to be renewed from the inside out.

You can study more on this by reading *Come To Christ* inside this worship folder. If you have decided to receive Christ or have questions concerning the faith, please come and talk with us!

Welcome to Your Neighborhood Church!



World Mission Builder's Project January 17-28

We are inviting anyone who would like to join our own Ken Scott on a short term missions building project in Brownsville, Texas with *World Mission Builders*.

WMB builds, throughout the world, church structures and encourages souls to build their lives on Christ. Taking this challenge is life changing and kingdom impacting.

So, if would like to participate in God's kingdom dream through a hands on labor of love. Please See **Ken Scott** at the Missions Display or call 299-0191 for more information.



Warming Hearts Sleeping Bag Ministry January 16th

Come and assemble a sleeping bag for a homeless child on January 16th. Warming Hearts will be meeting in the west hall classrooms beginning at 6 PM. You can bring additional sheets, spreads and comforters or just come and put one together.

New Members Class Starting January 23 at 6pm, in the Chapel

Join Pastor Tom and Mike as we discover what a life in Christ and a member in His Church is all about ... This will enlighten you on the basics of the Christian faith and to what it means to become a member at First Christian. The class is held in the Chapel. Register on the welcome card or by calling the church office, 294-0630 or by emailing tcaffery@fccabq.org or mdean@fccabq.org

GREETERS NEEDED: If you are interested in being a greeter for 2011 please indicate on the Welcome Card or contact the church office.

SUNDAY Bible Classes

9:00 AM

West Hall Nursery (1 to 24 months)
Lower Level Preschool Sunday School

Elementary Sunday School

Room 108	That the World May Know	Parish
Room 109	Exodus	Headley-
Room 112	Mid School	Loftus

10:45 AM

West Hall Nursery (birth to 24 months)
Lower Level Preschool BLAST
Elementary BLAST

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

Attendance & Contributions

December 26, 2010

Attendance: 200 General Fund: \$10,299.32 Budgeted Need: \$10,720

Come To Christ Study

Coming to Christ is the most important decision of your life. Our desire and mission is to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with you. Jesus gave us this quest when He commanded us to,

“Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.” (Matthew 28:19-20)

Here is a brief study on the scriptural elements of being saved or how to come to Jesus Christ. Feel free to use and keep the Bible in the pew rack in front of you for this study. We would love to go through this study with you...let's us know!

✚ Recognize you are in need of Jesus Christ.

Romans 3:10
Romans 3:23
Romans 6:23

✚ Hear what the Bible says of Jesus Christ.

John 6:45
Romans 10:17

✚ Believe who Jesus Christ was, is and is to come.

John 1:12
Mark 16:6
John 5:24

✚ Repent of your sins.

Acts 2:38
Acts 17:30

✚ Confess Jesus Christ as Lord of your life.

Matthew 10:32,33
Romans 10:9,10

✚ Be Baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ

Acts 10:48
Romans 6:3,4
Acts 2:38

✚ Live your new life empowered by the Holy Spirit until Jesus Christ returns. Your Bible tells of this life through Old and New Testament lessons.

Do You Have Questions?

Do you have questions concerning your faith, the Bible, how to become a Christian, ministry opportunities or the church in general, please feel free to call, email or set up an appointment to speak with one of our ministers or ministry staff. staff@fccabq.org

Church Office: 294-0630 Mon-Thurs 9:00—5:00 Fridays 9:00—1:00

See our website: fccabq.org



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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.