

FIRSTFruits



Loose Change Lose Hunger

Bring in your loose change the first Sunday of each month.

Partnering with Angels Acts of Kindness in feeding and clothing the least of these. \$1 in change is worth \$5 in food



DATES TO REMEMBER

June 4th—Ladies Spa Day (see insert for info)

June 5th—Sunday School Promotion

Students will advance in grade in both Sunday School and BLAST

June 18th—Father's Day Breakfast (see insert for info)

June 26th—New Members Class

July 2nd -Summer Garden Tour

Congratulations!

Ian Lee Zeter was born May 18, at 3:17 AM, 8lbs, 12 oz., 21 inches long. Dad and Mom, Jeff and Jin E Zeter, and baby are doing well. Ian is welcomed by grandparents Norm and Sandra Zeter and aunt and uncle Todd and Anne and cousins Ben and Daniel.

GUESTS/VISITORS: If you would like a tour of the FCC Campus, please check with the Welcome Center who will connect you with a First Ambassador.

Welcome Card

May 29, 2011

Service Attended: 9:00 AM 10:30 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

I am interested in ministry: Bible Study

I / We will be attending the upcoming New Members Class:

Childcare needed Names/Ages: _____

NEW or UPDATED PRAYER REQUESTS

ONGOING REQUESTS

Russ Harrison. Health, still in Heart Hospital.

Samaya Jones. Pres NICU-she was born at 26 -1/2weeks. Daughter of Samuel and Sylvia Jones.

Tim Seeger. Stroke—Friend of Trish Moore & Marjorie Shore.

Rob Stelzer Parents. Mother hospitalized with Alzheimer's complications. Father (96) is her only caregiver. From Scott & Zella Berry.

• Family Matters

Jeni Chavira. Continue praying for positive response about Paul's disability.

Dave. Peter Keeling's brother-in-law, to find his way home.

Jesse Evans. Friend of Martha Raines, needs prayer.

Fernando & Jessica. Baby Carlos keeps getting better. He is gaining weight and might be taken off the oxygen within the next couple of weeks. Mom and dad have adjusted well to him being home.

Chris Luhrs. On going prayers for Martha & me during her deployment. Prayer for son, Danny-

problems with alcohol, not admitting to himself. Chris dad—Alzheimer's

Bob McNutt. Still needs prayer, especially for a better room.

Rachel Sava. Prayer for her and her family and friends as they cope with her mom's death.

Whenny Family. Moving to Seattle end of May, pray they'll find a good church to attend.

• Job Needs

Dianne Absher. Prayer for Mike looking for work & prayer for Dianne for positive outcome with disability.

Scott Berry Jr. Needs Job

Becky Hill. Needs a Job.

Jeff Ring.

• Missions

TCM as they start new training to Messianic Jews in Russia.

• Health

Alice. Don Best's mom. Recovering from surgery.

Bev Ballog. Stage 4 Bone Cancer, Friend of Doreen Kurtz.

Shaunna Boling. Pray for her eyes to return to normal and for God to lead her to the doctors who can help her.

Courtney Bleeker. Healthy Pregnancy.

Bettie Brown. Doreen Hendren's sister, health problems.

Caitlin Davis' Dad. Battling cancer and dealing with loss of his father.

Rachel Dostal. Safe and healthy pregnancy.

Barbara Green. Now at home in her apartment and doing better. Heart problem still an issue.

Laura Ghion. Stage 3 cancer.

Bill Hendren. Health

Darren Hibray. (Rachel McArthur's friends dad). Had a stroke, has lost the ability to talk, they have

May Livesay. Brother Bob fell and broke his hip.

found 2 blood clots in the brain and a hole in the heart.

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

Raymond Ring. Health

Warren Robinson. **UPDATE!** Eldorado student in Denver. Rehab hospital regaining feeling in limbs, left side returning faster than right, is having major issues with digestive system.

Jim Shields. Garnet Mill's cousin. Is in Hospice for aplastic anemia. Prayers for the family.

Pat Utsey. Continued healing.

Lisa Wimmer. Healthy Pregnancy.

Jane Wu. Chris & KT grandmother. Recovering from fluid in lungs.

• Cancer

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

Laura Bernard. Continue prayers for her cancer treatment.

Matt Bittner. They have now found the cancer is back in his liver and also in his lungs.

Kelli Campbell's Dad. Cancer.

Cynthia. Update from Eggleton's. She is unable to have surgery at this time. Waiting for cancer in liver to become less active.

Carol Driscoll. Praise, friend Diana's Level 3 cancer is responding to chemo.

Carol Driscoll. Cancer—Prayer for the family of Danielle Garbin.

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

Jonathan Griffin. Friend of Thomas Loftus. His dad is dying of cancer, pray for comfort.

Al Halber. Friend of Tom & Lynn Headley. Leukemia

Pattie. Friend of Dostals, breast cancer.

Phil. Friend of Seth Eggleton. Cancer

Mark Raden. Cancer. Friend of Loftus'.

Rebecca Rice. Friend of Melissa Keeling. Her daughter April has cervical cancer.

Rick. Friend of the Noonan's and fellow worker, cancer.

Rick Rudy. Prostate Cancer. Friend of Loftus.

George Schmitt. Chemo for prostate cancer. Friend of Jenny Shepard.

• Military

John Blansett. Deployed to Afghanistan.

Charles Boehler. Jackie Loftus's uncle is being deployed to Afghanistan.

Jim Brillhart. MaryAnn Rozzell's nephew. Deployed to Korea. Navy

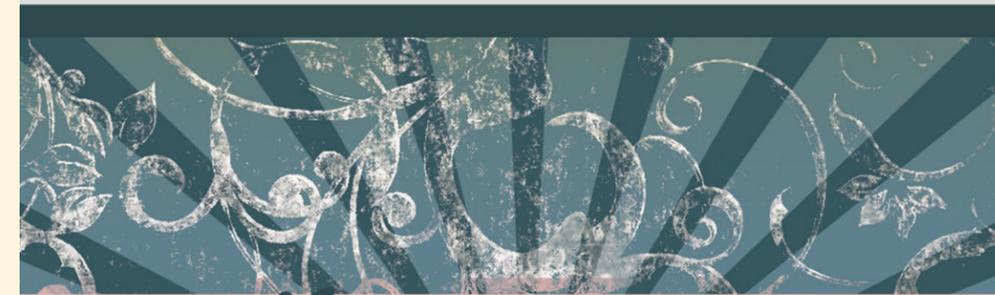
Robert Farmer. Friend of Roshau family. Deployed to Iraq and then Korea

Ben Fearn. Sharon Burcham's brother. Navy, Deployed to Japan.

Steven Gillespie. Son of Jim & Cheryl Swart, will be deployed to Afghanistan the first of June.

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

John Keeling. Deployed to Pacific Ocean for most of 2011. Navy



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Welcome to First Christian Church May 29, 2011

Welcome Neighbors!

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

Paul reminded the Philippian believers,

... he who began a good work in you will
carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.
Philippians 1:6

Today we "continue on . . ." in our disciple life with confidence because we know that God will bring us through. He has blessed us and we now are to walk with Him, communicate with Him and know His will from His word. Our life is transformed when we continue in the way of a disciple. A life that is purposed towards spiritual maturity.

We are glad you are here!

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.

In our 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 and 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.

Join our community here @FIRST!

You can study more on how to *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!

Wednesday Night Dinner—Summer Session begins June 8th!

Starting June 8th— we will have a Summer Session of Wednesday Night Dinners which will include family activities...mark your calendars for June 8 thru July 27

New Members Class

June 26th at 6pm, in the Chapel

Join Pastors 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 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 tcalfery@fccabq.org or mdean@fccabq.org

Summer Camp Schedule

Camp	Dates	Cost/Member Price	Deadline
High School Camp	June 6-11	\$235/117	
Middle School Camp	June 27-July 2	\$235/117	June 8th
First Chance Camp	July 11-14	\$143/71	June 22nd
4th /5th Grade Camp	July 17-21	\$205/102	June 22nd

After deadline add \$10.00

FUSION middle & high students
SUNDAYS 6 PM
WEDNESDAY 7 PM

SUNDAY Bible Classes

9:00 AM	West Hall	Nursery (1 to 24 months)
	Lower Level	Preschool Sunday School Elementary Sunday School
	Room 102	Young Ladies Harger
	Room 108	That the World
		May Know Parish
	Room 109	Exodus Headley
	Library	Ladies
	Room 112	Mid School Loftus
	Room 100	You and Your Bible McArthur

10:30 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

Ministries for Today

FUSION Youth Ministry 6:00 PM

Ministries This Week

MONDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

Through the Bible **SUMMER BREAK**
Small Groups 7:00 PM
Dorcas Group 7:00 PM
FUSION Youth Group 7:00 PM

THURSDAY

Sr. Saints Lunch at Mimi's 11:00 AM

FRIDAY

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

Attendance & Contributions

May 22, 2011

Attendance: 311 General Fund: \$5,347.61 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.

If you have questions about giving your life over to Jesus, then we invite you to speak with one of the ministers during the decision time. If you desire to be baptized today...we are ready! Our baptistery team will assist you with the preparations and the procedure of being immersed into to Jesus. You come!

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.