



May 16, 2007

Chicken Teriyaki with Rice, Fried Wontons, Salad, Dessert, Coffee, Tea and Punch

Cooks: Don, Pathira & Katie Best

### Wednesday Nights at First!

Join us each Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. for great food and fellowship in the Family Center. Bring your family and friends. *Every first time guest receives their meal free!* Suggested donation: Adults \$4, Seniors \$3, Children \$2 or Family \$10. Sign-up on the back of the Welcome Card or call the office by 10 a.m. Tuesday so we can count you in!

### Following Dinner . . . at 7:00 p.m.



**Fusion Youth Group** - Activities for Mid and High School Students. Students meet in "The Lab" youth area located in the back of the Family Center for Bible study, group activities and fellowship!

### Wednesday Adult Bible Study Groups . . .

On summer vacation.

## Upcoming Opportunities



### Frontline Concert

Join us on Sunday, May 20th, as First Christian presents Frontline, a Christian band comprised of students from Ozark Christian College. Frontline will lead music during the 8 and 10:30 Worship Services as well as a special concert that evening at 6 PM. Two of our own members are part of Frontline, Ben Cross and Karl Mitchell.



### 2007 Patriotic Program "The Torch is Passed"

**Friday, June 8 at 7 PM**  
**Saturday, June 9 at 4PM**

*Thank you for filling out the Welcome Card.  
Please tear off and place in offering plate as it is passed.*

### Welcome Card

**May 13, 2007**

Service Attended:  8:00 a.m.  10:30 a.m.  
 Member  First Time Guest  Second  Other

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### I would like more information on:

- Becoming a Christian / Rededicating My Life to Christ
- First Christian Church Membership
- Bible Study / Small Groups:  Adult  Student  Children
- Other Ministry \_\_\_\_\_

The **African Children's Choir™** features delightful African children ages 7 through 11. Many have lost one or both parents through the devastation of war, famine and disease. Their voices sing out on behalf of Africa's 12 million AIDS orphans. They represent the future of the entire continent, demonstrating the potential to become strong leaders for a better future in their homeland.



June 10  
6 PM  
Worship Center



10101 Montgomery Blvd NE  
505.294.0630

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

Worship services at 8 and 10:30 AM



*Sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ with people and leading them into a fully devoted relationship with Him.*

# Welcome

## Our Mission

is to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with people and to lead them into a fully devoted relationship with Him. We hope that you find First Christian a welcoming community of believers who love God and people and desire to serve Him with gladness.

## Guests

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.

We have two Sunday services. Our more traditional service is at 8 a.m. and our contemporary service is at 10:30 a.m. Our Children's Ministry is not available during the 8:00 a.m. service.

## Children's Ministries

available for all ages, including a full service nursery. Our Sunday School begins at 9:00 a.m. and our *BLAST* Children's Ministry begins at 10:30 a.m. You may drop your children off for BLAST as early as 10 a.m. where they will enjoy their own Fellowship Time. Both are located in the lower level. Preschoolers age 2 to 5<sup>th</sup> grade can enjoy an interactive ministry experience in a friendly, safe and fun environment. Our Nursery Ministry is located on the west side of the Worship Center and is available anytime during Sunday School or the 10:30 Worship Service.

Parents, if your assistance is needed with your child you will be contacted by your nursery pager or the number on your BLAST claim check, which will be displayed on the lower corner of the screen in the Worship Center.

## Adult Bible Learning

is available at First Christian on Sunday mornings and through our Small Groups' ministry. We have classes at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings studying various topics. So, stop by and join in on the learning! Small Groups also meet during the week in homes and on campus. If you would like more information please contact the church office, 294-0630.



May 13, 2007

## Call to Worship

## Welcome and Announcements

## Congregational Singing

## Worship through Remembrance

Art Cordova

Each week we have communion to remember what Jesus has done for us. We invite all fully devoted followers to partake of the symbols of his body and blood as the trays are passed. 1 Corinthians 11:26-29

## Worship through Giving

Charles Cross

## Morning Message

Tom Caffery

## Time of Decision

If you are considering a decision to become a Christian, rededicating your life to Christ, in need of prayer or desire to join the First Christian Church family through membership, then we invite you to come forward and our Decision Counselors and Ministers are available to assist you.

## Closing Prayer / Song



Please place all electronic devices on silent mode during the service.

Please no food or drink in the Sanctuary.

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# Ministry Opportunities

## Sunday Fellowship between services!

Come join us Sundays at 10:00 for a half-hour of free breakfast treats, coffee, juice and fellowship in the Family Center.

## Today's Servants

Decision Counselors: JoAnn Hamilton, Randy Summers  
Shut-in-Communion: Bryan  
Burns  
Friendship Calls to Visitor Dick & Rene  
Shaw

## Baby Dedication

This special service of dedication of our children is a promise by the parents and the Church body to raise that child in the Lord. First Christian will offer a dedication service on Sunday, June 3. For further information or to sign up, fill out the brochure located in the information rack in the lobby or contact the church office.

## New Discussion Group for 20's and Up

Anne Winters & TJ Beyer will lead a new Discussion Group using the NOOMA Video Series. The group will be hosted at the Cross home on Thursday evenings. The name NOOMA is an English phonetic spelling of the Greek word pneuma, which is commonly translated to "spirit" or "breath". Pneumatology refers to the study of spiritual beings, particularly the interactions between humans and God. The group will start meeting on Thursday May 24. Please call Esther, 710.7149, for time & location.

## Military Photos

Nancy Noonan would like to have photos of those who have served or are currently serving in the Armed Forces. The photos will be used in the Patriotic musical in June. You can contact her at noonan@phs.org or 299.1595.

## Congratulations

Chris and Sharon Burcham announce the birth of their son, Simon Lavelle. Simon was born on May 1 and weighed 7 pounds and 12 ounces and was 19.75 inches long. Congratulations to the Burcham-Yarbrough families!

## Fusion Youth Group

There is no youth group tonight. Enjoy the day with Mom.

### Staff

Tom Caffery, Senior Minister [tcaffery@fccabq.org](mailto:tcaffery@fccabq.org)  
Ben Headley, Youth Minister [bheadley@fccabq.org](mailto:bheadley@fccabq.org)  
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### FACTS & FIGURES FOR MAY 6, 2007

Attendance: 305 General Funds: \$11,838. Weekly Budget Need: **\$10,630.**

**DEADLINES:** June News and Views deadline: **Monday, May 14, noon.**  
Sunday Bulletin Deadline: **Wednesdays, 9 A.M.**

Audio downloads of Sunday sermons are now available online at our website: [www.fccabq.org](http://www.fccabq.org)

# Prayer Requests

Please use the attached card below to record any prayer requests. If you have pastoral care needs please note that on the card or contact one of our Elders or Staff. We are praying for you and your requests.

## Elders

[elders@fccabq.org](mailto:elders@fccabq.org)  
Bryan Burns 281.2793 Randy Summers 299.5891  
Tom Headley, Chm. 293.4930 Todd Zeter 237.1869  
Lloyd Hoover 286.0600

Elders, Ministerial Staff & Candice Summers: [leaders@fccabq.org](mailto:leaders@fccabq.org)  
Pastoral Needs: [Pastoralcare@fccabq.org](mailto:Pastoralcare@fccabq.org)

Communion is available for shut-ins and upon request. Contact the office.

## New or Updated Prayer Requests

Anna Borkert. Nancy Borkert's granddaughter. Traveling mercies.  
Becky Dean. Mother of Mike Dean. Recovering from spider bite.  
David Mitchell. Mike Mitchell's brother. Prayer for job search and health  
Jackie & John Utsey. Miscarriage  
James & Jackie Loftus. Pray that Jackie can stay home with baby.  
Joe Keltling. Friend of Berrys. Continued healing.  
Marilyn McClenahan. Hospitalized.  
May Livesay. Eye Doctor appointment on May 9. Pray for good report.  
Nicole Gollihar. Neck. Finals.  
Paul Tenoria. Former member. Died of a stroke late Friday.  
The Malewiski's. Traveling mercies for Krystal's Mom and Jason's Dad.

## Ongoing Requests

Bill Hendren. Health issues.  
Candida Kingston. Addie Mohney's sister-in-law's granddaughter. Leukemia.  
Casady Guenzler. Marcella Smith's grandson. Army, stationed in Iraq.  
Danny Kruger. Friend of Clara Mapstone's son. Cancer.  
Fran Williams. Dan Duran's sister. Pancreatic cancer.  
Gemma. Peggy Poulsen's 4 year-old great granddaughter. Rheumatoid arthritis and hearing loss in one year.  
George Schmitt. Jenny Shepard's friend. Cancer.  
Garnet Mills. Job search.  
Heather Kittenplan. Mary Loeffel's great-niece. Hodgkin's disease.  
Hemera Josephs. Pathira Best's sister. Cancer.  
**Prayer requests continued on insert**

## Prayer Requests/Comments-

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Check here \_\_\_\_\_ for Staff & Elders prayers only.  
Check here \_\_\_\_\_ for Staff & Elders prayers and Prayer Chain,  
Check here \_\_\_\_\_ for Staff & Elders prayers, Prayer Chain and Publication.

## Wednesday "Peak of the Week" Dinner

In order to have enough food prepared, please indicate below those attending.

# of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ # of Children under 12 \_\_\_\_\_

# Ministry Opportunities

## BLAST

The children involved in BLAST on Sunday mornings are practicing for the Patriotic Program. For those interested in participating, there will be two practices, Wednesday, May 16 and Wednesday, May 23 at 6:45 PM. For further information, Contact Lisa Helm at 856-6162.

## African Children's Choir

The African Children's Choir is headed our way! We are excited about the concert here at First Christian on Sunday, June 10 at 6 PM. First Christian is assisting in the housing of the choir. Host families are needed that can adhere to the following guidelines. If you are able to be a host family or would like more information, please contact the church office at 294-0630.

- Separate rooms must be provided for the children who stay at a host home. It is generally preferable to house the chaperones in separate rooms from the children.
- Traditional family homes are requested. However a single woman is welcome to be a host only if she is able to take a female chaperone with female children.
- We need at least two pet free homes.
- The host family must live within 30 minutes of the church.
- The host family's schedule must allow for the children to be dropped off to the church at 10 am on the morning after a concert and 9 am on other days.

Requested breakdown for host homes:

- 4 homes with 1 adult and 3 girls
- 1 home with no adult and 2 girls
- 2 homes with 1 adult and 3 boys
- 1 home with no adult and 3 boys
- 1 home with 2 adults and 3 boys (Married couple)

# Prayer Requests Continued

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James Anderson. Army. Stationed in Iraq.

Jeff Krueger. Life-long friend of Damon & Zoe Ann Alvarez. Cancer.

Jennifer. Pat Fleming's sister. Pancreatic Cancer.

John Anderson. Army. Stationed in Korea.

John Holt. Candice Summers' cousin. Cancer.

John Messinger. Rhonda Trujillo's nephew. Stationed in the Philippines.

Julie. Lanie Peltier's sister. Cancer.

Karen Grossman. The Judy's daughter. Lost her battle with Cancer.

Katrina Diaz. Family member of Jacqui Cross. Difficult pregnancy.

Linda Klock. Job search.

Linda Monroe. Buck Brandon's mother. Family difficulties.

Marilyn Berger. Cindy Gfeller's mother. Cancer.

Michael. Jayne Gregory's son. Job search in Indiana.

Michael Carrie. The Cavin's neighbor. Stationed in Iraq.

Sandy & Mike Bush. Rhonda Trujillo's friends. Cancer.

Scott Berry Jr. Praise. Begins new job

Caitlyn Hill. Pat Hill's granddaughter. Epilepsy.

Tom Lehman. Friend of Doreen Kurtz. Cancer.