

Upcoming Opportunities

Wednesday Adult Bible Study Groups . . .

On summer vacation.

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!
We meet **Sunday nights – 6 PM**

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Wednesday nights – 7 PM



(Youth Group cancelled Tonight and Wednesday night due to Youth group at CIY)

Singspiration- July 29th

Join us at FCC for a night of fellowship and worship. First Christian is hosting the monthly singspiration night. Meet us at **4 PM** in the Worship Center for singing and the Family Center for refreshments and fellowship immediately following.

BLAST Kids & Families

Expressions of Emmanuel - Saturday—August 4

All BLAST kids and their families are invited to a fun teaching time for kids and adults through the unique form of communication through spoken word and sign language.

Expressions of Emmanuel, a ministry for the deaf, will be here on **August 4, 10:00-11:00 AM** in the Elementary BLAST Worship Room in the lower level.

We encourage all of our families to come together and learn about sign language and caring for one another.

FCC Worship Concert - August 12th – 6 PM

Come worship with our own FCC band. You will have an opportunity to worship with others and enjoy community with other First Christian members and friends. This is a great opportunity for you to invite friends, family and neighbors.

Attention Seniors

The seniors of Valley Christian and First Christian Churches are considering arranging a three day trip to Durango, Colorado, sometime during the last two weeks of September or the first two weeks of October, to ride the Durango Silverton Rail train. This would include entertainment at the Bar D Chuckwagon and some time shopping in the Durango stores. If anyone is interested, please call Dick Stansbury at 292-2550 so we can determine the amount of interest in this proposed trip.



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Worship services at 8 and 10:30 AM

Thank you for filling out the Welcome Card.

Please tear off and place in offering plate as it is passed.

Welcome Card

July 22, 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 _____

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 5th 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.

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July 22, 2007

Call to Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Congregational Singing

Worship through Remembrance

Norm Zeter

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

Todd Zeter

Morning Message

Tom Caffery & Lloyd Hoover

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

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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 & Candice Summers
Shut-in-Communion: Bryan Burns
Friendship Calls to Visitor: Lloyd & Beverly Hoover
Communion Preparation: Dick & Dorothy Stansbury

COMMUNITY SUNDAY - July 29th

We are excited to have our entire church family together in one worship service on **July 29th at 10:30 a.m.** What a great way for you to meet others from differing services and classes. You can't know everyone but you certainly can meet someone new. We will have a **continental breakfast at 9:30 – 10:15 AM** in the lobby area. Sunday School will be at the regular hour so those who attend class still have time to come and relax, meet a new face and then join in worship.

Elders Prayer service – Tonight – 6-7 PM

The purpose is to pray for members and regular guests and to provide an opportunity for individuals, couples or families to come and be prayed for by our Elders. Our desire is for anyone who has a need to come and be prayed for by the Elders. Keeping all things confidential and in line with God's Word (James 5:7-19), we want everyone to grow in Jesus Christ.

New Staff Communication Cards

Sometimes the staff receive so many requests and good ideas on Sunday mornings, it is difficult to remember them all. To better our communication with you we have created a communication card. You will find them at the Welcome Center on Sunday mornings. Please feel free to write any message you may need to convey to the staff and turn it back in to the offering tray, the Welcome Center or the mail box outside the staff offices.

Staff

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FACTS & FIGURES FOR July 15, 2007

Attendance: 273 General Funds: \$11,468.75. Weekly Budget Need: **\$10,630.**

DEADLINES: August News and Views deadline: **Monday, July 23, noon.**
Sunday Bulletin Deadline: **Wednesdays, 9 A.M.**

Audio downloads of Sunday sermons are now available online at our website: 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

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
Pastoral Needs: Pastoralcare@fccabq.org

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

New or Updated Prayer Requests

Bob McNutt. Home from hospital. Surgery and healing going well. Prayers for adjustment for him and Betty.

John Holt. Candice Summers' cousin. Cancer has spread to spine, pancreas and liver.

John Taylor Family. Death of John's father.

Stephanie Conrad. Healing from 4-wheeler accident.

Sylvia Moore. David Moore's Mom. Long-term hospital stay.

Thomas Loftus. Praise- Got job in Oregon.

ON GOING REQUESTS

Cancer

Alex Heymiers. (baby)

Candida Kingston. Addie Mohney's sister-in-law's granddaughter. Leukemia.

Danny Kruger. Friend of Clara Mapstone's son. Pancreas removed. Doing better.

Able to work.

Doris Ross. Friend of Kurtzs. Leukemia. Praise. Blood tests look good.

George Schmitt. Jenny Shepard's friend.

Heather Kittenplan. Mary Loeffel's great-niece. Hodgkin's disease.

Hemera Josephs. Pathira Best's sister.

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

Julie. Lanie Peltier's sister.

Marilyn Berger. Cindy Gfeller's mother.

Marilyn McClenahan – 1/2 of way through chemo. Doing better.

Sandy & Mike Bush. Rhonda Trujillo's friends.

Tom Lehman. Friend of Doreen Kurtz.

Family Matters

Michael. Jane Gregory's Son. Sale of house in Fairbanks, AK.

Michelle Lippitt's Parents bought new house. Pray for sale of old house.

Roger and Felize Cesarz. Neighbors of Hendrens. 22 yr old son killed in motorcycle accident.

Trujillo Family Travel.

Prayer requests continued on insert.

Prayer Requests/Comments-

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

On Vacation for the Summer.

See you in September!

Ministry Opportunities

Prayer Requests Continued

Health

Anna Piercy. Recovering from spider bite.

Bill Hendren. Health concerns.

Caitlyn Hill. Pat Hill's granddaughter. Epilepsy.

Cruz Tafoya. Jane Duran's Uncle. Recovering from knee surgery.
Doing well.

Gordon Noonan. Recovering from hip replacement.

Katrina and Matt Diaz and baby Ava. Jacqui Cross' niece. Baby born prematurely. Is progressing well, but must gain weight to be released from hospital.

Krystal Taylor. John's Daughter. Health Concerns.

Lillian Winslow. Bill Hendren's sister. Admitted to hospital with bleeding problem.

Linda Monroe Buck Brandon's Mother. Surgery.

Nancy Noonan. Recovering from car accident, cracked pelvis.

Stella Tafoya. Jane Duran's aunt. Recovering from hip replacement. Doing well.

Tim and Joann Wright. Kellie Brandon's sister/brother-in-law, medical problems.

Jobs

David Mitchell. Mike Mitchell's brother. Prayer for job search and health.

Garnet Mills. Job search.

Richard. Brother to Porters. New job.

Military

Casady Guenzler. Army. Marcella Smith's grandson. Stationed in Iraq.

James Anderson. Army. Stationed in Iraq.

Jayson Malewiski. Deployment to Ethiopia.

John Anderson. Army. Stationed in Korea.

John Messinger. Army. Rhonda Trujillo's nephew. Stationed in Hawaii.