

Weekly Update

September 5, 2018

THIS SUNDAY

This week's guest minister will be Herb Knudsen.
He will be preaching on James 2:1-10, 14-17

SUNDAY SCHOOL KICKOFF 2018-2019!

We will begin our Sunday School classes this Sunday, September 9, 2018. The Christian Education Committee is going to try something new this year with our youth: we will be moving the youth Sunday School meeting time from 9 am to during the church service, immediately following the "Children's Moment". Looking forward to seeing everyone in church (and Sunday School) this Sunday! —The Christian Education Committee

ELDERS BREAKFAST

Elder's breakfast will be held this Sunday at 8:00 AM with Cheryl Elder providing the meal.

SERVING SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 9TH

Elders: *Sharon Higgins, Melanie Warfield, Cheryl Elder*

Deacons: *Tim Ricks, Katy Neal, David DeWall*

Kristine Medler, Jeff Elder

Worship Leader: *Warfield*

Communion Preparation: *Katy Neal*

Home Communion: *Sharon Higgins and Katy Neal*

CHURCH BOARD

The Church Board will meet on Tuesday, September 11th at 6:30pm.
If you have any items that need to be added to the Board agenda, please send them to the office.

WORSHIP LEADERS AND GREETERS

Please consider serving as a greeter or worship leader in September. A sign-up sheet can be found in the narthex.

VOLUNTEER SECRETARIES

The church secretary will be on vacation the week of September 24th-28th. Volunteers are being arranged to fill in the office during that time. If you are interested in volunteering for a morning that week, contact Jim McClard.

POURED OUT CHURCH UPDATE

The Poured Out Church Committee will meet on September 11th at 6:30pm at the United Methodist Church for a debriefing and update. Anyone interested may attend. Suggestions and comments about Poured Out Church weekend may also be sent to Janet Iverson to be relayed to the committee.

PRAYER LIST

Rosella Jesse –Hollybrook Apt 42
Bill and Jean Kerchenfaut – new address
6235 Hoffman St #201
North Port, Florida 34287-2285
Harold Stimmel— Hollybrook Apt 34
John Revell
Sandra Goin
Harriet Farney
Margaret Meers
Patty Benz
Margaret Gambill
Jim McClard
John Weller
Lila Parsons
Evelyn Fawver
Barb Bennett
Irene Schaefer

We also continue to pray for the Search Committee
and the Recruitment Committee

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

(September 5- September 11, 2018)

September 5 Adam Elder
7 Bonnie Schutte
10 Linda Provin
11 Mary Alice McRae

Please send us (gcfccdoc@yahoo.com) additions or corrections of birthdays,
anniversaries, or email addresses.

FUTURE GUEST MINISTERS

September 16th: Jim Boswell
September 23rd: Herb Knudsen
September 30th: Jim Boswell
October 7th: Beth Rupe

WEBSITE

The church's WEBSITE IS NOW LIVE and can be found at **www.fccdocgc.com**
On the website, you can view the **church video** made to help with the search process,
a **calendar** featuring upcoming events,
and **copies** of the Weekly Updates and Christian Visitors.

ATTENDANCE

FCC ATTENDANCE	SUNDAY WEEK					AVG
	1	2	3	4	5	
2018 JANUARY	40	56	53	45		49
2018 FEBRUARY	45	22	43	42		38
2018 MARCH	54	41	46	39		45
2018 APRIL	78	53	51	49	54	57
2018 MAY	38	56	57	44		49
2018 JUNE	57	24	51	46		45
2018 JULY	46	41	42	41	30	40
2018 AUGUST	48	42	42	45		44
2018 SEPTEMBER	46					46
AVG	50.2	41.9	48.1	43.9	42.0	