

Weekly Update

January 30, 2019

THIS SUNDAY

This week's guest minister will be Herb Knudsen.
He will be preaching on Jeremiah 1:4-10.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Men's Breakfast will be held this Sunday at 8:00am with Jeff Elder providing the meal.

YOUTH SUNDAY

The youth will be acting as worship leaders for our service this Sunday. Come support our youth and their faith formation at First Christian Church.

HUSTLERS SUPER BOWL PARTY

If you are a football fan, or a party fan, or a Hustler, plan on coming to the Warfield's home this Sunday at 5:00 PM. Or if you aspire to "Hustle" you are welcome to come and have a great time. Sandwiches are provided and more snacks than any of us should eat. You can cheer for whatever team you want even if they aren't playing this year.

SERVING SUNDAY FEBRUARY 3RD

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

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

Kristine Medler, Jeff Elder

Worship Leader: *Youth*

Communion Preparation: *Tim Ricks*

Home Communion: *Melanie Warfield and Tim Ricks*

Greeters: *Jerry & Ida Wahls*

WORSHIP LEADERS AND GREETERS

Please consider serving as a greeter or worship leader in the coming months. Sign-up sheets can be found in the narthex.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

The church's pictorial directory will be updated over the next few months. We are asking everyone to provide a recent family photo and current contact information to be used in the update. These items may be sent to the church's email address or brought in to the church office.

CHURCH BOARD

The Church Board will meet on Tuesday, February 12th at 6:30pm.
If you have any items that need to be added to the Board Agenda, please send them to the office.

CHILI COOK-OFF

The annual Chili Cook-Off is tentatively set for February 17th. Hosted by the outreach committee, this fellowship meal provides support for Robb and Sheila Warfield and their continuing mission with the Dakar Academy in Senegal.

SECRETARY VACATION

The church secretary will be on vacation the week of February 18th-22nd. 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.

PRAYER LIST

Rosella Jesse –Annex Room 224
Bill and Jean Kerchenfaut – new address
6235 Hoffman St #201
North Port, Florida 34287-2285
Harold Stimmel— Hollybrook Apt 34
John Revell
Harriet Farney
Margaret Meers
Patty Benz
John Weller
Evelyn Fawver
Barb Bennett
Irene Schaefer
Duff Knudsen
Marilyn Lowell
Mike Lorenzen

SYMPATHY

We express our sympathy to the family and friends of Margaret Gambill, who passed away Monday evening. A service will be held in our sanctuary at 11:00am on Saturday, February 2nd.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

(January 30-February 5, 2019)

February
2: Lindsey Graham

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

FUTURE GUEST MINISTERS

February 10th: Herb Knudsen
February 17th: Joe Culpepper
February 24th: Jim Boswell
March 3rd: Jim Boswell
March 10th: Beth Rupe

March 17th: Herb Knudsen

March 24th: Herb Knudsen

March 31st: Herb Knudsen

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	JULY	46	41	42	41	30	40
2018	AUGUST	48	42	42	45		44
2018	SEPTEMBER	46	55	48	47	51	49
2018	OCTOBER	63	68	51	50		58
2018	NOVEMBER	51	52	55	54		53
2018	DECEMBER	93	90	68	51	43	69
2019	JANUARY	69	34	26	37		42
AVG		59.4	54.6	47.4	46.4	41.3	

Average Monthly Attendance		
	2017	2018
July	30	40
August	35	44
September	49	49
October	46	58
November	51	53
December	46	69