

Weekly Update

March 20, 2019

THIS SUNDAY

This week's guest minister will be Herb Knudsen.
He will be preaching on Luke 13:1-9.

HUSTLERS

The Hustlers will meet this Sunday at 7:00pm at the home of Don Eberly and Sallie Hutton.

SERVING SUNDAY MARCH 24TH

Elders: *Barb Meyer, Sue Walker, Marilyn Tjardes*

Deacons: *Mike Finis, Ryan Iverson, Janet Iverson
Mary Alice McRae, Ed Hopkey*

Worship Leader: *Angie, Brecke, and Alex Barnard*

Communion Preparation: *Mary Alice McRae*

Home Communion: *Barb Meyer and Mary Alice McRae*

COMMUNITY LENTEN SERVICES TONIGHT AT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Theme: *"Finding God in Uncommon Places"*

On Wednesday evenings during Lent area congregations will host a bread and soup supper at 6:00pm, followed by worship at 7:00pm.

March 20th: American Lutheran Church

March 27th: No Service – Spring Break

April 3rd: New Beginnings

April 10th: United Methodist Church

April 17th: First Christian Church

MEN'S PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Men's group will host their annual pancake breakfast on Saturday, March 30th from 7:00-11:00am.

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 (address, email, cell phone, etc.) to be used in the update. These items may be sent to the church's email address or brought in to the church office.

PRAYER LIST

Bill and Jean Kerchenfaut
Harold Stimmel— Hollybrook Apt 34
Harriet Farney
Margaret Meers
Patty Benz
John Weller
Evelyn Fawver
Barb Bennett
Irene Schaefer
Marilyn Lowell
Mike Lorenzen
Jim McClard – Home after short hospital stay
Rodney Mott – Heart surgery

Please also pray for Mat and Elizabeth as they make the move to Gibson City and that we may warmly welcome them to First Christian Church.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

(March 20-26, 2019)

March
21: Will Provin
23: Eric Tjarks

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

FUTURE GUEST MINISTERS

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	43	53
2018	DECEMBER	93	90	68	51		69
2019	JANUARY	69	34	26	37		42
2019	FEBRUARY	57	36	42	34		42
2019	MARCH	42	43	40			42
	AVG	57.2	51.2	46.0	44.9	41.3	

Average Monthly Attendance		
	1 Yr Ago	Current
July	30	40
August	35	44
September	49	49
October	46	58
November	51	53
December	46	69
January	49	42
February	38	42