

**FIRST IMPRESSIONS TEAM SCHEDULE:**

1/7 - Jimmy, Margaret, Brandy N, Pat, Brandy M, & Clayton  
1/14 - Jimmy, Kayleigh, Kastina, Megan, Judy, & Robin  
1/21 - Ken, Ann, Kendall, Cheryl, Lee, & Linda  
1/28 - Ken, Kendall, Cheryl, Ruth, Lora, & Brenda

**“THE ARK” SCHEDULE:**

**Infant Rm:** Dianne B (1/7)  
Judy S & Holly H (1/14 & 1/21)  
Vicki O (1/28)  
**2’s & 3’s Rm:** Kayleigh R (1/7)  
Kate C (1/14 & 1/21)  
Megan S (1/28)  
**PreK-K Rm:** Lora B (1/7)  
Melanie J (1/14 & 1/21)  
Katherine B & Raquel B (1/28)  
**Jr. Church:** Miranda B & Brady B (1/7)  
Eric M & Nathan B (1/14 & 1/21)  
Miranda B & Brandy S (1/28)

**CONNECTION CAFÉ SCHEDULE:**

1/7 - sh1: Steven K & Nathan C; sh2: Miranda B;  
sh3: Cheri R  
1/14 - sh1: Steven K & Nathan C; sh2: Deborah F & Brandy S;  
sh3: Ken & Pat P  
1/21 - sh1: Steven K & Nathan C; sh2: Barry & Gina Wall;  
sh3: Robert & Belinda M  
1/28 - sh1: Steven K & Nathan C; sh2: Carolyn B;  
sh3: Laura R

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**Weekly at FCC:**

**Sundays**

8:00 a.m., Worship Team rehearsal (*sanctuary*)  
9:00 a.m., Sunday School  
10:00 a.m., Worship Service & nursery  
10:00 a.m., Junior Church, 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades  
*(Junior Church checks in at The Ark)*  
6:00 p.m., A Beautiful Design Bible Study

**Wednesdays**

6:00 p.m., Fellowship Meal (*Fellowship Hall*)  
6:30 p.m., Worship Team rehearsal (*sanctuary*)  
6:45 p.m., Youth classes (*Teen Center*)  
7:00 p.m., Adult Bible study (*Worship Center bldg.*)



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

**Ministry Staff**

**Ron Nolen**, *Pastor*  
**Kevin Adkins**, *Minister of Worship & Connections*  
**Brady Bassett**, *Youth Minister*  
**Tiffanni Bradford**, *Children’s Director*

**Office Hours:**

Mon-Thur.....8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Friday.....8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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**FIRST CHRISTIAN HIGHLIGHTS**  
**JANUARY 2018**

*“Connect to God, Grow in Christ, Serve Others”*

***There’s some awesome things  
happening at First Christian in January!***

*Here’s a few:*

**MARRIAGE MINISTRY  
GAME / KARAOKE  
NIGHT  
January 13**

**LADIES’ DINNER  
& A MOVIE  
January 27**

**\*\*SEE INSIDE THIS PUBLICATION FOR DETAILS!\*\***

### **WEDNESDAY EVENING MEALS AT FCC**

- 1/10 - Breakfast for Dinner
- 1/17 - Baked Ham
- 1/24 - Chicken over Rice
- 1/31 - Swedish Meatballs



Everyone is invited to join us for our Wednesday Evening Meals. They are prepared fresh on-site and served at **6:00 p.m.**, August through May, and the price is always only **\$2 per person** or **\$7.50 per family**.

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***A SPECIAL THANK YOU to everyone who helped, in any way, with FCC's Christmas decorations (putting them up and taking them down after Christmas) and Christmas card sorting! You awesome people really have no idea how much you are appreciated and how much of a blessing you are! Your serving does not go un-noticed! Thank you!***

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Did you know that Communion is prepared each Sunday by volunteers? If you are looking for a great way to serve that is more "behind the scenes," give the **Communion Preparation Team** a try! This is scheduled on a monthly rotation that requires about 20 minutes of time before Sunday School and again after Worship. This is a great way for families to serve together. *If you would like more information, please contact Tonya Hipps at (478) 320-6278.*

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**ELDER'S MEETING**  
**Thursday, January 4**

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**MARRIAGE MINISTRY GAME / KARAOKE NIGHT**  
**Saturday, January 13**

Come join us for a night of Karaoke, games, and prizes, in FCC's Fellowship Hall, from **6:00 to 8:00 p.m.** Bring your favorite snack to share. *Childcare will be provided!*

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Check us out on **Facebook** at [www.facebook.com/fcc.perry](http://www.facebook.com/fcc.perry) and **Twitter** at [www.twitter.com/@FCCPerry](http://www.twitter.com/@FCCPerry)!

### **--FCC PICTORIAL DIRECTORY PICTURES--** ***Sunday, January 14, right after Worship***

We are still in the process of updating FCC's Directory and we would like to give you another opportunity to have your family's picture taken for the first time or to update the picture we have on file. Please see Dianne Belcher right after Worship on January 14 (or contact Dianne or Pastor Kevin for an appointment). *We would like to have the new directory published and distributed by the end of February.*

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#### **SENIOR'S POT LUCK DINNER**

**Sunday, January 14, right after Worship (Fellowship Hall)**  
Bring a side dish and/or dessert to go along with Roast Beef, which will be provided. *For more info., contact Ken or Pat Presse.*

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#### **NEW ADULT BIBLE STUDY**

Beginning **January 14, 2018 through March 18**, with a break on February 4 (Super Bowl), we will be viewing a series by Matt Chandler called, "***A Beautiful Design***," and discussing it, on Sunday evenings from **6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

God created us to function according to His perfect design, and for all of human history, our world has been male and female. But our ever-changing culture faces challenges due to sin. More than ever the church needs to be a safe refuge for the gender-confused, the sexually broken, the single, the married, and the divorced.

Matt gives evidence that God's plan for man and woman is the ultimate design. And life lived within this beautiful and unchanging design is part of His greater purpose for humanity and leads to our greatest joy.

Discover how you were created with a purpose in God's unchanging plan. Exchange your broken and weary perspective on life for His beautiful design. Shape and influence your church into a safe place for everyone.

*While this is sponsored by the marriage ministry, we would like to open it up to **any adult**. There is no homework for the participants and **FREE babysitting** will be provided.*

### **FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH WORK DAY** **Saturday, January 20, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon**

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**MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GAME NIGHT**  
**Friday, January 26, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Teen Center)**  
***Dinner will be provided.***

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#### **DINNER AND A MOVIE**

LADIES, please join us for Dinner and a Movie at the church on **Saturday, January 27, at 5:00 p.m.** We will be featuring Woodlawn. If you are a mom with children or teenagers at home, you have nothing to bring but yourself, and maybe a friend. The "empty-nesters" will be taking care of dinner! There is no cost, but please sign up in the foyer.

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#### **LEADERSHIP MEETING**

**Sunday, January 28, at 11:15 a.m. (Café Conference Room)**

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#### **YOUTH SUNDAY**

**Sunday, February 4**

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#### **A WEEKEND TO REMEMBER**

All married couples are invited...

**When:** April 27 - 29, 2018. *Registration begins at 5:00 on Friday night, with the presentations beginning at 7:00.*

**Where:** Crown Plaza Atlanta Perimeter, in Atlanta

**How much:** \$299.98 per couple registration fee (*minus \$75 if registered by March 25*) / (*minus \$100 for veterans, minus \$200 for active military, call for discount*) / Hotel price is \$267.60 for two nights, includes tax. 10 rooms have been reserved at this price (first-come basis) or you may find your own lodging.

*Only breakfast is provided at the motel. Lunches and dinners are on your own. For more information, contact Ken (478-951-3952) or Pat Presse (478-951-3956).*