

FIRST IMPRESSIONS TEAM SCHEDULE:

- 6/2 - Charles, Susan, Jimmy, Elizabeth, Jen, Pat, Lee, and Linda
- 6/9 - Lynn, Harold, Michael, Sr., Amanda, Allan, Kelly, Johnny, and Tara
- 6/16 - Lynn, Michael, Jr., Kendall, Margaret, Krystal, Brenda, Ken, and Cheryl
- 6/23 - Phil, Robin, Veronica, Virginia, Kayleigh, Kastina, Allen, and Jeanne
- 6/30 - Phil, Ann, Jimmy, Elizabeth, Jen, Pat, Lee, and Linda

NURSERY SCHEDULE:

- 6/2 - Gayle H., Carolyn B., Melanie J.
- 6/9 - Diane B., Brandy N., Leigh S.
- 6/16 - Brandy N., Kastina R., VOLUNTEER
- 6/23 - Brandy N., Kathryn D., Cheryl P.
- 6/30 - Linda D., VOLUNTEER, VOLUNTEER

CONNECTION CAFÉ SCHEDULE:

- 6/2 - sh1: Steven K and Jessica J; sh2: Gina and Barry W; sh3: Robert and Belinda M
- 6/9 - sh1: Steven K and Brian A; sh2: Mike and Mary K; sh3: Jen and Griff C
- 6/16 - sh1: Steven K and Leigh S; sh2: Amanda L and Allan L;; sh3: Virginia S and Tonya S
- 6/23 - sh1: Steven K and Pat P; sh2: Isa L and Carolyn B; sh3: Bryan and Twyla S
- 6/23 - sh1: Steven K and Jessica J; sh2: Brian A and Pat P; sh3: Robert and Belinda M

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
- 10:25 a.m., Junior Church, 1st - 3rd Graders *
(* - Junior Church meets right outside the main entrance to the sanctuary, when directed)

Tuesdays

- 7:00 p.m., Ladies Bible Study (Connection Café)

Wednesdays

- 6:30 p.m., Worship Team rehearsal (sanctuary)

NO OTHER WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES IN JUNE



Ministry Staff

- Ron Nolen**, Pastor
- Kevin Adkins**, Minister of Worship & Connections
- Rob Shawhan**, Youth Minister

Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday.....8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
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First Christian Highlights
JUNE 2013

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



FAMILY PROMISE IS UP AND RUNNING!

Our Host Week just ended and we are looking forward to our next opportunity to serve in this wonderful ministry!

Volunteer forms are on the table in the Worship Center foyer. If you would like to be involved in this ministry, please complete a form and place it in the basket — a Coordinator will contact you!

The following is a list of training dates to be held at other churches that qualify you for the required training so you may serve as a volunteer during **future** FCC host weeks:

Thursday, June 6, evening, Grace Church, Perry
 Sunday, June 9 8:45 a.m., Shirley Hills Baptist

Monday, June 10, evening, Christ Chapel, WR
 Saturday, June 15, 11:00 a.m., Lighthouse Baptist, Bibb Co

Please contact Twyla South (tngal357@hotmail.com or 952-2065) if you plan to attend any of these trainings. This will ensure there will be enough training materials provided.

Welcome New Member:

Ms Chet Pitts

FATHER'S DAY IS SUNDAY, JUNE 16...



What can be said of this day which has been set aside to honor earthly father's? Realistically, there are some who feel they have no reason to celebrate any day that is called Father's Day.

Maybe you shudder at the very thought of Father's Day because you have no good memories of a father, or, maybe, no memories of an earthly father at all... Whatever the reason(s) may be, **KNOW THIS:** We ALL have a LOVING, CARING FATHER in heaven and nothing compares to His love for us. He desires a close relationship with each of us and we ALL have a reason to celebrate Father's Day in a meaningful and fulfilling way!

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDY

Traver Pierce's Sunday School class is soon to be starting a new study, entitled: ***The Christian Atheist - Believing in God but Living as If He Doesn't Exist.*** In this six-session DVD group study, pastor and author Craig Groeschel leads you on a personal journey toward an authentic, God-honoring life. For more information, contact Traver or Jennifer Pierce.

ATTENTION FCC MEN!

Are you interested in attending a simulcast of Courageous Dads on **Friday, June 14, at 7:00 p.m.**? If you are interested, please contact Kevin, at kevin@firstchristian.net or **987-5428**, by **June 5th**. If enough men are interested, we will try to work out all the logistics to make it happen!



Wednesday Night Activities have temporarily stopped so that those who volunteer to serve from August through May can get a much deserved break to refresh and re-group! This includes youth group activities, adult Bible study, and our dinners. Wednesday night activities **will resume in August.** For more information, contact Lee Dunbar.

Looking for a Place to Serve? First Christian Church has a threefold mission statement: CONNECT to God, GROW in Christ, and SERVE others. **First things first**, we desire that everyone make that vital, life-changing connection with God, and continue to connect with Him through worship. **Second**, we want everyone to build a close relationship with God, in Christ, and continue to grow in that relationship by going to a Sunday School class, Wednesday night Bible studies, and/or small group studies. **Third**, you need to find the area(s) in which you can serve.

God has gifted each of us with gifts for service and there are so many areas in which to serve at First Christian Church! Are you looking for a place to serve but are not sure what God would have you do?



Start by seeking God's guidance through prayer and the Word, take into consideration what you are good at doing and what you like to do, then step out on faith and start serving! And if you are still not sure, contact the church office and we will work with you to help you find the right place to serve!

CAN YOU SERVE IN FCC'S NURSERY MINISTRY?

If you would like to serve in our Nursery Ministry, especially on Wednesday evenings, please contact the church office at 987-5428, or email us at fcc-staff@firstchristian.net.

Move Up Sunday for all Sunday school classes and youth groups is scheduled for **June 2nd**. Our Sunday school classes are Pre - K., Kindergarten, 1st - 3rd grades, 4th - 5th, 6th - 8th, 9th - 12th, and Junior Church is also included. For more information, contact Lee Dunbar.

LADIES MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP

Friday, June 7, at 12:00 noon, (Fellowship Hall).
For more info., contact Diane South at 988-9718.

LEADERSHIP MEETING

Sunday, June 9, at 11:15 a.m.
in FCC's Café Conference Room

LADIES MONTHLY LUNCH

Friday, June 21, at 12:00 noon
at Applebees, in Perry.

For more info., contact Diane South at 988-9718.

ORDINATION CEREMONY

Please mark your calendars for **Sunday, July 14, during our Morning Worship.** We will be having an ordination service for Rob Shawhan, followed by a church luncheon to celebrate this special occasion. More details to follow. For more information, please contact Belinda Mitchell or Lee Dunbar.

First Family News is FCC's weekly e-newsletter (if you have not been receiving this email, check your email SPAM or JUNK folder, or let us know and we will try to resolve the issue). To receive this email, and/or add prayer requests, make it known on a Connection Card, email us at fcc-staff@firstchristian.net, or just give us a call at 987-5428.