

FIRST IMPRESSIONS TEAM SCHEDULE:

- 12/6 - Jimmy, Pat, Krystal, Robin, Veronica, Kastina, and Kayleigh
- 12/13 - Jimmy, Ann, Virginia, Elizabeth, Carolyn, Allen, and Jeanne
- 12/20 - Ken, Cheryl, Brenda, Jen, Kendall, Teresa, and Harold
- 12/27 - Ken, Kendall, Kate, Cheryl, Hope, Lee, and Linda

NURSERY SCHEDULE:

- 12/6 - Gayle H., VOLUNTEER, Melanie J.
- 12/13 - Diane B., Brandy N., VOLUNTEER
- 12/20 - Brandy N., Kastina R., VOLUNTEER
- 12/27 - Brandy N., Kathryn D., Cheryl P.

CONNECTION CAFÉ SCHEDULE:

- 12/6 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Teresa A & Amanda B; sh3: Ken & Pat P
- 12/13 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Barry & Gina Wall; sh3: Robert & Belinda M
- 12/20 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Brandy S & Deborah F; sh3: Kate C & Pat P
- 12/27 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Amanda L, Allan L; sh3: Ken & Pat P

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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
- 10:25 a.m., Junior Church, 1st - 3rd Graders *
 (* - Junior Church meets right outside the main entrance to the sanctuary, when directed)
- 4:30 p.m., Children's Christmas Choir rehearsal
- 4:30 p.m., Youth Christmas Ensemble rehearsal
- 4:30 p.m., Christmas Cantata rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m., Walk thru the New Testament

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*

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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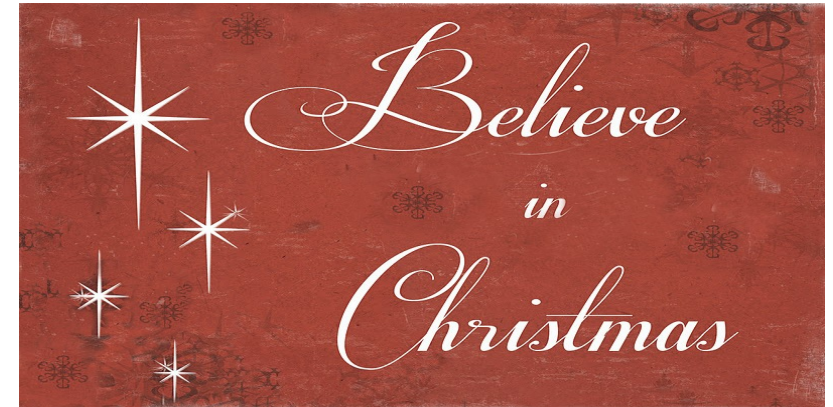
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First Christian Highlights DECEMBER 2015

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



Sunday, December 20 during our 10:00 a.m. Worship

You are invited to come and enjoy, with us, this Christmas Worship Service that celebrates the Birth of the Savior, almost entirely, through the medium of music!



Wednesday, December 24 6:30 p.m.

Welcome New Member:

Holly Hart (by transfer)

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEALS AT FCC:

12/2 - Soup Night

12/9 - **NO MEAL** — **FAMILY PROMISE WEEK**

12/16 - Chicken & Rice

12/23 - **NO MEAL** — **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

12/30 - **NO MEAL** — **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**



You are invited to join us for Wednesday Evening Meals, Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. The price is only \$2 per person or \$7.50 per family.

THERE WILL BE NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES ON DECEMBER 23 and DECEMBER 30, SO THAT YOU MAY ENJOY CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS WITH FAMILY.

REMAINING REHEARSALS FOR

“BELIEVE IN CHRISTMAS”, on DECEMBER 20:

Children’s Choir (moved from 4:00 to 4:30 on Sundays)

- Sunday, Dec. 6, at 4:30 p.m. (sanctuary)
- Sunday, Dec. 13, at 4:30 p.m. (sanctuary)
- Saturday, Dec. 19, at 10:00 a.m. (sanctuary)
- Sunday, Dec. 20, at 8:00 a.m. (sanctuary)

Youth Ensemble (moved from 4:00 to 4:30 on Sundays)

- Sunday, Dec. 6, at 4:30 p.m. (sanctuary)
- Sunday, Dec. 13, at 4:30 p.m. (sanctuary)
- Saturday, Dec. 19, at 10:00 a.m. (sanctuary)
- Sunday, Dec. 20, at 8:00 a.m. (sanctuary)

Adult Choir

- Sunday, Dec. 6, at 4:30 p.m. (sanctuary)
- Sunday, Dec. 13, at 4:30 p.m. (sanctuary)
- Saturday, Dec. 19, at 10:00 a.m. (sanctuary)
- Sunday, Dec. 20, at 8:00 a.m. (sanctuary)

IN-HOME COMMUNION PROGRAM

One Sunday each month, Communion will be delivered to those who are unable to make it to church. If you know of someone who would like Home Communion, please let the church office know one week ahead of time. *For more information, contact Pastor Ron (478-987-5428).*

WALK THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT
Sundays, at 6:00 p.m. (Café Conference Room)

ELDER’S MEETING
Monday, December 7

LADIES CHRISTMAS LUNCH
Thursday, December 3, at 1:00 p.m.
at Shirley’s Moseley’s house

Bring a dish to share and come have a great time with some great ladies! *For more information, call 987-9359.*

LEADERSHIP MEETING
Sunday, December 13, at 11:15 a.m. (Café Conference Rm.)

FAMILY PROMISE
FCC will host Family Promise guests
on **December 6 - 13.**

UPCOMING EVENTS

—> **BELIEVE IN CHRISTMAS** on Sunday, December 20, during our 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, in the sanctuary. Worship will be almost entirely music, and includes Children’s Choir, Adult Choir, and Youth Ensemble... Don’t miss it!

—> **CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION WORSHIP** on Thursday, December 24, at 6:30 p.m., in the sanctuary. We invite you to bring your friends, neighbors, and family, and enjoy this service with us as we usher in the celebration of Jesus’ birth.

Project Agape Love (PAL) Christmas Campaign

FCC is partnering again this year with Project Agape Love to donate 500 bags of grits (\$2 each). The grits will be boxed together with other food items into 500 gift boxes and distributed to families in need in our community around Christmas. Envelopes will be provided and will be collected during the month of December.

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 FCC! 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!

Isaiah 9:6

“For unto us a child is born, unto us a child is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”

Matthew 1:23

“The virgin will conceive and give birth to a Son, and they will call him Immanuel.”