

**FIRST IMPRESSIONS TEAM SCHEDULE:**

- 4/2 - Jimmy, Teresa, Lora, Carolyn, Rebecca, & Jen
- 4/9 - Jimmy, Harold, Amanda, Kate, Allan, & Brenda
- 4/16 - Ken, Cheryl, Kendall, Margaret, Lee, & Linda
- 4/23 - Ken, Brandy, Clayton, Cheryl, Pat, & Kendall
- 4/30 - Johnny, Savannah, Tara, Robin, Kastina, & Kayleigh

**NURSERY SCHEDULE:**

- 4/2 - Gayle H., Allan L., & Melanie J.
- 4/9 - Diane B., Allan L., & Kate C.
- 4/16 - Holly H., Allan L., & Lora B.
- 4/23 - Olivia M., Allan L., & Brandy N.
- 4/30 - Brandy N., Allan L., & Tara M.

**CONNECTION CAFÉ SCHEDULE:**

- 4/2 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Laura R & Miranda B;  
sh3: Griff C & Garrett C
- 4/9 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Nina C & Elizabeth S;  
sh3: Robert & Belinda M
- 4/16 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Brandy S & Deborah F;  
sh3: Ken & Pat P
- 4/23 - sh1: Laura R; sh2: Barry & Gina W;  
sh3: Cheri R & Teresa A
- 4/30 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Amanda L & Allan L;  
sh3: Griff & Jen C

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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> Graders  
(*Junior Church meets for a full hour starting April 2*)

**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*

**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

## APRIL 2017

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



**Easter is one of the best, if not THE best time to invite someone to church** because people are more open to going to church on Easter. (Maybe its because they know ‘Momma’ EXPECTS them to go to church on Easter...) The bottom line is, many people who are in church today and have relationships with Christ came to church because someone invited them.

**Why not invite someone to church and help them possibly start a new beginning! You may be saving their life, just because you asked!**

And if you are not sure what to say and would like a little help inviting, grab a “Start Your New Beginning” card from the foyer (on the round table) to give to someone to invite them to our Easter Worship Service! Oh, and by the way, **there will be FREE DONUTS available at church on Easter Sunday!**

### WEDNESDAY EVENING MEALS AT FCC

Everyone is invited to join us for Wednesday Evening Meals:

**Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.** And the price is right! It's always only **\$2 per person** or **\$7.50 per family**. You gotta eat, right?!



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### **YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY** (ages 18 to 29) Sundays, at 9:00 a.m. (Prayer Room)

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FCC is preparing to purchase a new church van and since we want to do this without going into debt, we are accepting donations toward the purchase. VAN FUND GIVING ENVELOPES are located at the Welcome Center. [So far, \$33,218.<sup>90</sup> of the \$50,000 needed has been collected.]



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### **\*CHRIST-IN-YOUTH NEWS\***

1) \$50 deposit for both CIY Mix and CIY Move is **due to Brady by April 9**. Please include the name of your child when paying for them so we can be sure of who has already paid.

2) **Want to go to CIY for free this year?** From March to April, whichever student brings the most friends to church--either Wednesday night or Sunday school--will be able to go to CIY for free this year. There will be two contests, one for middle school and one for high school, so **there will be 2 winners**. So encourage your kids to start inviting their friends!

### Welcome New Members: Joseph & Tara Morris (by transfer)

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### **LEADERSHIP PLANNING MEETING** Sunday, April 9, at 6:00 p.m. (Café Conf. Room)

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**FAMILY PROMISE SUPPORT OPPORTUNITY**--Would you like another way to support Family Promise? Do you like eating out or need a quick meal? How about eating at "Moe's"? Mark your calendars for **Thursday, April 13**, any-time from **5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** and **EAT AT MOE'S!** (Located on Watson Blvd next to Cold Stone Creamery.) The only item required of you? Place your receipt in the designated container at the restaurant so Family Promise will receive 20% of the subtotal of all receipts during that timeframe!

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### **SECRET CHURCH**

**April 14, from 6:00 - 10:30 p.m.**

**Everyone is invited to participate.** Pizza will be provided at 5:30 p.m. Study guides will be provided for those who **sign up by April 7** (sign up in the foyer). This will be an amazing time of fellowship, prayer, and study.

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### **ELDER'S MEETING**

**Monday, April 17, at 6:30 p.m.**

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This year's **FAMILY PROMISE APPRECIATION BRUNCH** will be held on **Saturday, April 29, from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m.** It will be held at Shirley Hills Baptist Church (615 Corder Rd., in Warner Robins). **RSVP by April 17** to: [rsvpfamilypromise@gmail.com](mailto:rsvpfamilypromise@gmail.com).



**BELK CHARITY DAY** is coming!!! **April 29<sup>th</sup>** to be exact! Contact Twyla South if you would like a ticket...**\$5**. 100% of the tickets sales from your Family Promise representatives goes directly back to your local Family Promise of Greater Houston County!!!

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### **TACO LUNCH**

**Sunday, April 30**

*right after Worship, in the Fellowship Hall*

\$5 per adult

\$2 per child, 10 and under  
(Children age 2 and under FREE)

Take Out plates available

**\*All proceeds go to this summer's C.I.Y. trip**

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This year's **Ladies Retreat** is based on Ann Voskamp's 'The Broken Way,' by Ann Voscamp.

Where: **Adrian Camp** & Conference Center, Adrian, Georgia;  
When: **May 5 - 7**, Friday night to early Sunday afternoon;  
Cost: **\$115** (Double Occupancy) or \$150 (Private Room); cost covers lodging, 6 meals, craft supplies & supplies.

*Sign up in the foyer. **This year's retreat will include a special discussion group for High School students, led by Lora Bassett!***

**THE LAST DAY TO PAY AND SIGN UP IS APRIL 16!**

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**Thanks for taking part in this year's M & M's for Christ In Youth fund drive! Almost \$1900 was collected!**