

FIRST IMPRESSIONS TEAM SCHEDULE:

7/2 - FILL-IN, Brandy N, Brenda, Savannah, Tara, & Ann
7/9 - Allen, Mason, Jeanne, Rebecca, Lee, & Linda
7/16 - Allen, Carolyn, Kate, Jeanne, Lora, & Mason
7/23 - Jimmy, Jen, Terry, FILL-IN, Harold, & Ashlyn
7/30 - Jimmy, Margaret, Kayleigh, Kastina, Brandy, & Clayton

“THE ARK” SCHEDULE:

Infant Rm: Jimmy & Dianne B (7/2 & 7/9)
Judy S & Holly H (7/16 & 7/23)
Vicki O (7/30 & 8/6)
2’s & 3’s Rm: Megan S (7/2 & 7/9)
Kate C (7/16 & 7/23)
Ashlyn C (7/30 & 8/6)
PreK-K Rm: Kayleigh R (7/2 & 7/9)
Taylor V (7/16 & 7/23)
Melanie J (7/30 & 8/6)

CONNECTION CAFÉ SCHEDULE:

7/2 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Nina C & Elizabeth S;
sh3: Griff & Jen C
7/9 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Brandy S & Deborah F;
sh3: Ken & Pat P
7/16 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Cheri R & Miranda B;
sh3: Teresa A & Laura R
7/23 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Barry & Gina W;
sh3: Robert & Belinda M
7/30 - sh1: Steven K; sh2: Amanda L & Allan L;
sh3: John & Kate 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, 1st - 3rd Graders
(*Junior Church checks in at The Ark*)

Tuesdays

6:30 p.m., Ladies’ Bible Study (*Café Conf. Room*)

Wednesdays

6:00 p.m., Youth Group meals (*Teen Center*)
6:30 p.m., Worship Team rehearsal (*sanctuary*)
6:45 p.m., Youth Group study (*Teen Center*)



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Ministry Staff

Ron Nolen, *Pastor*
Kevin Adkins, *Minister of Worship & Connections*
Brady Bassett, *Youth Minister*

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First Christian Highlights
JULY 2017

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

This year’s Vacation Bible School:



The week of:
July 17 - 21
6 - 8:30 PM

Register your children on-line or in the foyer!

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEALS AT FCC RESUME IN AUGUST

During June and July we give our cooks a break, but during the months of August through May, we offer Wednesday Evening meals. They are prepared and served at 6:00 p.m. and the price is always only \$2 per person or \$7.50 per family.

Normal Wednesday Night Activities (meals and Bible studies) have temporarily stopped so that those who serve from August through May can take a well-deserved break (normal activities will resume in August).

NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: "Twelve Women of the Bible - Life Changing Stories for Women Today"

Study guides aren't necessary for the study, but may be purchased at Lifeway or online at Amazon.com. Come to some or all of these studies and, by the way, there is no homework!

Tuesdays, at 6:30 p.m., in the Café Conference Room.

SCHEDULE:

July 4, NO study due to holiday (have loads of fun with the flash, bang, BOOM!)

July 11, Have issues with the dreaded word "patience"? We will learn from Hannah's example of surrendering in waiting.

18 July, NO study due to Vacation Bible School.

25 July, Need some help in dealing with confrontation in relationships? Check out what happened to Abigail!

LADIES MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP & LADIES MONTHLY LUNCH will not be meeting during the month of July.

Free copies of our Sunday morning sermons are available upon request at the Sound Booth or listen online at www.firstchristian.net, under RECORDED MEDIA.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP SUMMER SCHEDULE:

July 5 - Acts 25 / July 12 - Acts 27 / July 19 - VBS

July 26 - Acts 28 / August 2 - Ezra 7

August 9 - **Family Promise**

UPCOMING YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES

Middle School Outing to Sky Zone: Saturday, July 8, departing from the church at **11:00 a.m.** *The cost is \$20 a person.*

High School Outing to Wild Adventures: Saturday, July 29, departing from the church at **7:45 a.m.** *The cost is \$40 a person* and the money is **due to Brady by July 7.**

SENIORS HOT DOG LUNCH & PLANNING MEETING

Sunday, July 9, right after Worship (*Fellowship Hall*). The wieners, buns, and drinks will be provided. All you need to bring is a side dish or dessert, and come armed with ideas for the next three months of activities.

SALVATION ARMY FOOD DRIVE

Did you know that summertime is the lowest point of donations for most charities? That is why **FCC would like to help our local Salvation Army with a food drive, July 9 - July 23.** Two of their greatest needs concern helping the homeless and victims of domestic violence who leave everything to seek shelter in the Safe House. There will be a list of items needed in the foyer as well as a collection box. *For more information, please contact Tonya Hipps.*

BABY SHOWER for Elizabeth "Liz" Campbell DeLoach

Ladies, you are invited to attend a Baby Shower for Elizabeth DeLoach on **Sunday, July 23**, at **1:00 p.m.**, in the Connection Café. The parents-to-be are registered at Babies 'R Us and Target. *For more information, contact Pat Nolen or Tonya Hipps.*

This year's VBS at FCC will be the week of July 17 - 21! *If you can help with anything (food, clean-up, etc.) please contact Brandy Nasworthy and / or Lora Bassett.*

ELDER'S MEETING

Thursday, July 27

MARRIAGE MINISTRY DATE NIGHT

Friday, July 28 (*be watching for more details!*)

LEADERSHIP MEETING

Sunday, July 30, at **6:00 p.m.** (*Café Conf. Room*)

What's Up?

Plenty! We celebrated the paying off of our mortgage in January and we purchased a new van in May (all paid for by your giving – in cash). These are victories for us.

In addition, I am sure you have noticed the remarkable change in our landscaping and grounds. The beautiful flowers and less shrubbery have really given our property a boost. The Education Center Building playground was enlarged and all safety issues resolved. The little guys now have a functional playground for them and new toys.

But there is more! A committee of our leaders has been meeting for several months researching, reviewing our building and grounds, to determine what needs to take place next. They have a long list of worthy projects to help us go to the next level in building our church.

We are not experts in everything so they have invited Glen Trematore, of Church Development Services, out of Virginia, to visit our church and evaluate their plans and ideas. He will be bringing the expertise we need in taking the next step.

Pastor Ron