

July 7, 2019



WELCOME! We are so glad you are here. First time? Stop by the Welcome Center at either entrance for a gift and information about First Christian Church.

QUESTIONS ABOUT WHERE TO GO OR WHAT WE ARE DOING? The folks at the Welcome Desk can answer questions for you and help get you on the right track.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPEAK WITH ONE OF OUR MINISTERS? Contact Sarah Campbell at 812.379.4491 or scampbell@fccoc.org, for an appointment.

CONNECT CARDS Please take a moment to fill out the yellow card found in the pews and place it in the offering basket as it is passed. You matter to us.

COMMUNION Christ followers are invited to take the bread and juice. *Gluten free communion available at the Welcome Center.*

OFFERING Tithes and offerings are used to support the ministries of First Christian Church including children and youth programming, benevolence, global missions and discipleship programs to name a few

NEXT STEPS, PRAYER, QUESTIONS Looking for someone to pray with you? There are several members who would love to pray with you today. Look for individuals wearing name tags that say – “Can I pray with you?” If you have a question or would like more information on how to become a follower of Christ or a member of First Christian Church, please feel free to talk with one of our leaders who will be standing up front after each service to talk with you.

SERVICE TIMES:

9:00 & 10:30a (*identical services*)
Adult classes during each service

531 Fifth Street
Columbus, IN 47201
812.379.4491

WE VALUE FAITHFUL STEWARDSHIP

CAN WE PRAY WITH YOU?

It is our desire to be a House of Prayer. In this effort we have people throughout the building that are willing to pray with you for what is on your heart today. They will have a special name tag on so that they are easy to find.

Our leaders are also available at the end of either service to pray with you. You can also send your requests to prayerwarriors@fccoc.org.

BABY DEDICATION

Save the date - August 11

We are offering Baby Dedication for babies - toddlers (age 2) on Sunday August 11. For more information, pick up an information sheet as you check your child into the Nursery or Toddler room or contact Kate.

Questions? Contact Kate Cain, Early Childhood Coordinator at 812.379.4491 or kcain@fccoc.org.

LADIES - SAVE THE DATE

We are co-hosting with Greenwood Christian Church and several other area churches to bring Fresh Grounded Faith to our area. This is a women's event featuring Jennifer Rothschild along with Angie Smith & Meredith Andrews.

Greenwood Christian Church
Nov 1 (7:00-9:30p) & Nov 2 (9:00a-12:30p)

June 30 attendance - 553

June Giving

\$139,268

July 2018 - June 2019 (FY2019)

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| Goal | \$1,540,000 |
| Giving | \$1,648,522 107% |
| FY2018 same period | \$1,498, 931 |
| YTD Expense | \$1,615,938 |
| FY2018 same period | \$1,584,682 |

Questions regarding the financial reporting? Contact the Finance Team at fccfinance@fccoc.org.

New Member

Tyler Butcher, 4672 Clairmont Dr., 47203, son of **Dj & Carrie Butcher**, was baptized on June 25.

New Baby

Willow Kay Sunshine Beasley, 3994 Villa Dr., 47203, born June 27 is the daughter of **Ayden & Carla Beasley** and granddaughter of **Charles & Myriam Toms**.

Our Sympathy to the families of Joyce Newkirk, grandmother of **Tyler Tolbert**, 3393 Berkdale Dr., 47203; and great-grandmother of **Evie Tolbert**.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN FICTION BOOK CLUB

Book discussion will be the 2nd Thursday of each month at 11:30a at Papa's Deli (back long table) The next meeting is **Thursday, July 11** and the book discussion will be on *The Inn at Oceans Edge* by Colleen Coble.

Questions? Contact Jennie McCoy and Vania Starr at bookclub@fccoc.org.

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 9 - 55 Fellowship
July 11 - Women's Book Club
July 12 - Hobby Night
July 19 - Ice Cream CONEction

SAVE THE DATE

August 11 - Baby Dedication
August 16 - Fight Club Kick Off
August 18 - One Life Sermon Series
August 18 - All Church Picnic
August 25 - Lee Strobel Preaching
September 8 - Seekers Panel
October 20 - Celebration on the Farm

55 FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Our 55 Fellowship Lunches (for our senior adults) are the 2nd Tuesday of every month at noon in the Reception Room with a suggested donation of \$6.00. Sign up at Family Connections **TODAY** for the next luncheon on **Tuesday, July 9**. Our program will be from Paige Oathout, Camp Atterbury USO.

Questions? Contact Mary Burns, 812.376.3462; Ginny Gilbert, 812.342.4416.

CLARITY

Local Mission Partner

Service Opportunity with Clarity

Pregnancy Services/Testing Clinic Volunteer Training - This training is for those that want to directly serve clients. Positions include receptionists, client advocates and/or medical assistants at Clarity Pregnancy Services or Clarity Testing Clinic.

Monday & Tuesday, July 15 & 16
9:00a - 4:30p | Memorial Baptist

Find out more or register by calling 866.510.5067 or visit their website claritycares.org/events.

CONNECTION CARDS

Please fill out the yellow connection card located in the pews; you matter to us. Place your completed card in the offering plate as it passes. Be sure to include how we can pray for you and your family.

SERVE AT FCC

Are you looking for ways to become more involved? Would you like to meet some new people? One great way to get involved and meet others is through volunteering. There are lots of opportunities for you to serve on Sunday morning during either service, serve the Helping Hands meal on Saturdays or help with the first Saturday work days.

Check out these opportunities and more by seeing Nancy Lewis, Connections Minister in the Lafayette lobby, calling 812.379.4491 or sending her an email - nlewis@fccoc.org.

Prayer requests?

Email - prayerwarriors@fccoc.org

Need to book a room?

Email - facilities@fccoc.org

FCC MUST HAVE Information

Website - www.fccoc.org

- * Prayer request? * Want to check out our mission partners and mission trips?
- * Want to listen to a past message? * Looking for a new way to get connected?
- * All this and more!

Church App - Text FCCOCAPP to 77977 to download

- * Watch the service live * Listen to past messages * Give * Connect
- * Find events and register * And so much more!

E-Newsletter - Send an email to cfarrell@fccoc.org to be added

- * Information * Events * Registrations * Updates * And more!

RightNow Media - www.fccoc.org/small-groups

- * Online video Bible Studies * Kids Shows * Free to you * And more!

Giving Options

Besides giving when the offering plate is passed, you can also give...

- * Website - www.fccoc.org/give * Church App using the give icon
- * Automatically by ACH transfers directly from your specified account. Contact Linda Barringer, Financial Officer, at lbarringer@fccoc.org or 812.379.4491 to get this setup.

Live Stream - Sunday services live

- * Online at www.fccoc.org/sunday/watch-now * Church App - Watch Live

Social Media

- * Facebook - search First Christian Church * Instagram - @firstchristiancolumbus

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