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This Week In Preview

Sunday April 11, 2021
 9:00 AM Sunday School
Chuck Swindoll: Living By Grace
 10:00 AM Morning Worship
"Resurrection Encounters"

Wednesday April 14, 2021
 6:00 PM Evening Meal
 6:45 PM The Kidz Zone
 7:00 PM Adult Bible Study
 7:45 PM Choir Rehearsal

Sunday April 18, 2021
 9:00 AM Sunday School
Chuck Swindoll: Living By Grace
 10:00 AM Morning Worship
"Resurrection Encounters"

Church Staff
Church Ministers
Everyone: All hands on deck
Pastor
 Darrell Wait
Minister of Music
 Gary White
Pianist
 Sharon Frische

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The Good News

Wait A Minute!

Easter Sunday morning has come and gone - again! I'm still intrigued by that statement in John 20, that we read often on this past Sunday during my time: *"She (Mary Magdalene) turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not realize that it was Jesus."* I hope and pray that statement does not describe my life or yours as we move forward. He is near. He is interested. And more than anything else, He desires to be involved.

As we move forward this Spring, we will see other resurrection encounters. Jesus must have encountered some Roman soldiers who stood guard. He did encounter two followers on the road to Emmaus. He encountered his disciples as they gathered in Galilee. He encountered old

doubting Thomas, and took up Thomas' double dog dare: "Put your finger here; see my hands." And Thomas then had no doubt!

Jesus encountered over 500 followers after His resurrection. And of course, Jesus encountered Paul while Paul was traveling the road to Damascus; ironically, to accuse and arrest followers of Jesus for preaching the resurrection.

As we look at some of these encounters over these next few weeks of spring, we still must come down to this one, simple question: Have I encountered the resurrected Lord of life? And am I allowing that encounter to make all the difference in my life? Think about that.

As always, I am so thankful for the opportunity of service and am looking forward to worshipping with you this Sunday morning.

 **We are meeting:** 

Sunday School at 9:00
Worship Service at 10:00 AM!

Darrell's Cell Phone: 806-930-4986

Serving Sunday This Week

Acolyte
 Rhett Turney



This Sunday:

Morning Worship at 10:00 AM.

“Resurrection Encounters -- Taking The Money”

Plus: Sunday School at 9:00 AM.

“Living By Grace” with Chuck Swindoll.

Wednesday, April 14th:

WNL begins with the evening meal at 6:00 PM.

Sunday, April 18th:

Morning Worship at 10:00 AM.

“Resurrection Encounters — Seeing Without Believing”

Plus: Sunday School at 9:00 AM.

“Living By Grace” with Chuck Swindoll.



**Sunday School
Each Sunday**

A light breakfast will be served at 9:00 AM and

then we will begin our study at 9:15 AM.

Chuck Swindoll - “Living By Grace”

WNL

6:00 PM Evening Meal

6:45 PM Kidz Zone

For children in Kindergarten through 6th grade

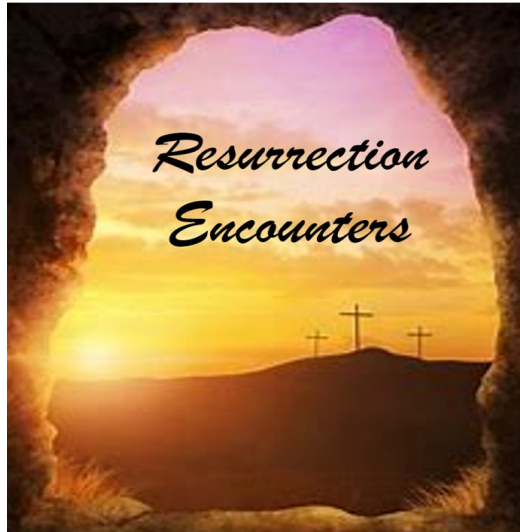
7:00 PM Adult Bible Study

“Major Words From The Minor Leagues”

7:45 PM Choir Rehearsal

Make FCC your

Wednesday night place to be!



This Week - “Taking The Money”

**Men’s Breakfast
April 25th
at 7:30 AM.**



Come join the men of FCC as we fellowship together on this Sunday.

*Memorial Service for
Jimmy Wiseman
Saturday, April 17th
at 2:00 PM
First Christian Church*



**United Way
Day of Caring
May 1, 2021**

If you would like to serve on our church’s team, please let Darrell know.



Praying For

Immediate Concerns:

- Coronavirus Pandemic
- Peggy Buer, Parkinson’s
- Tom Brickey, cancer
- Bill Bruner, cancer
- Shirley Carroll
- David Carter
- Jaycee Chapman
- Virginia Cleer
- Stan Corbin
- Chrissi Deanda, surgery recovery
- Lisa Dillard, kidney issues
- Carly Garza
- Jeanine Gonzales, kidney
- Kelly Hayes, lung cancer
- Max Harkrider
- Tommy Hurt, lung cancer
- Charlie Jameson, cancer
- Louise Jameson, hospice
- Harper Johnson
- Lafonda Keisling, cancer
- Ashleigh Lane, tumor

- Jerry Lawler
- David McClellan
- Shawn Mason, surgery recovery
- Terri Mason, breast cancer
- Linda Milbern, stroke
- Terry Muskrat
- Tammy Nabors
- Lori Nemeck, tests
- Ray Oglesby
- Sarah Parsons, tests
- Jodena Payne, cancer
- Jean Peters, cancer
- Emma Preston, rehab
- Sharon Rodgers, cancer
- Margaret Rosenbach
- John Scott
- Allen Silsby, cancer
- Franklin Schumacher, heart
- Corey Sims, leukemia
- Bertha Soucy, cancer
- James Taylor, cancer
- Mary Thatcher
- Velma Tyler, cancer

They gave the soldiers a large sum of money, telling them, “You are to say, ‘His disciples came during the night and stole him away while we were asleep.’”
(Matthew 28: 12-13)

Daily Bible Reading

		<u>Entire Bible</u>		<u>NT Only</u>	
Sun.	April 11	Judges	18-21	Romans	7
Mon.	April 12	1 Samuel	1-3	Romans	8
Tues.	April 13	1 Samuel	4-8	Romans	9
Wed.	April 14	1 Samuel	9-12	Romans	10
Thur.	April 15	1 Samuel	13-14	Romans	11
Fri.	April 16	1 Samuel	15-17	Romans	12
Sat.	April 17	1 Samuel	18-20	Romans	13

Long Term Concerns

- Tyler Blackwell
- Ed Brazel, seriously ill
- Eddie Burgess, MS
- Edna Garza
- Rob Hibbs
- Addison Kendall, cancer
- David McClellan

- Johnny Mitchusson
- JB Perrin, lung cancer
- Martha Strader
- Ellis Thornburg
- Karen Watkins, M.S

Members Of The Military

- Aaron Hawley
- Eric Ritchey