

**First Christian Church**

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**This Week In Preview**

**Sunday May 9, 2021**

9:00 AM Sunday School  
*"Things The Bible Doesn't Say"*  
 10:00 AM Morning Worship  
*"Happy Mother's Day"*  
*Resurrection Encounters*

**Wednesday May 12, 2021**

6:00 PM Evening Meal  
 6:45 PM The Kidz Zone  
 7:00 PM Adult Bible Study  
 7:45 PM Choir Rehearsal  
***Final WNL until the fall***

**Sunday May 16, 2021**

9:00 AM Sunday School  
*"Things The Bible Doesn't Say"*  
 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!**

The sights, sounds, and smells tell me that spring is here; and summer is not too far away. Birds whistling. Grass turning green. Flowers blooming and trees budding. People taking walks and children playing outside. The newness of spring is here and the joy of summer months are just around the corner.

The same newness and the same joy can be heard and seen in our church family. Following the strangest year ever, 2020 and covid, life in our church is returning to normal. I see larger crowds. I see many more children. (And thanks,

by the way, to those who help with children's church each month) I hear a joyful noise when we worship. I enjoy the handshakes and the hugs and the fists bumps. I am looking forward to the days ahead as we will have more fellowships and ministry opportunities and as life truly returns to normal.

This Sunday we will recognize all of the mothers who are present in worship. We will see more resurrection encounters and learn from them.

As always, I thank you for the opportunity of ministry and look forward to worshipping with you this Sunday!

 **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  
 Madi Hise



**This Sunday:**  
 Morning Worship at 10:00 AM.  
**"Happy Mother's Day"**  
 Plus: Sunday School at 9:00 AM.  
**"I Didn't Say That: Things the Bible doesn't say."**  
**Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>:**  
*Final WNL until the fall*  
**Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup>:**  
 Morning Worship at 10:00 AM.  
**Resurrection Encounters**  
 Plus: Sunday School at 9:00 AM.  
**"I Didn't Say That: Things the Bible doesn't say."**



**Sunday School**  
 Beginning this Sunday  
*"God helps those who help themselves."*  
 May 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>  
*"Money is the root of all evil."*  
 May 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>  
*"God won't give you more than you can handle."*  
 June 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>  
*"Love the sinner, hate the sin."*  
 June 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>



**FCC Choir Favorites**

*On Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, the choir will lead in worship by singing some of their favorite specials.*



**Men's Breakfast**  
 May 23<sup>rd</sup>  
 at 7:30 AM



*The First Christian Church Family extends our deepest sympathy and prayer support for Jeff and Shanna Sumrow, along with their family, in the loss of Jeff's father, Don Sumrow.*

*The First Christian Church Family extends our deepest sympathy and prayer support for Casey and Lisa Tice, along with their family, in the loss of Casey's father, Max Harkrider.*

**WNL**

**Final WNL for school year is May 12<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 PM ..... Evening Meal  
 6:45 PM ..... Kidz Zone  
*For children in Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> 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 - "Unbelievable"**



**Welcome!** The FCC family welcomes **Shawn & Gloria Mason**, who unite with our church by transfer of membership.

*But they did not believe the women, because their words seemed to them like nonsense. (Luke 24:11)*

**Praying For**

- Immediate Concerns:**
- Ashleigh Lane, tumor
  - Family of Don Sumrow
  - Jerry Lawler
  - Family of Max Harkrider
  - David McClellan
  - Chuck Bennett
  - Shawn Mason, chemo
  - Peggy Buer, Parkinson's
  - Terri Mason, breast cancer
  - Tom Brickey, cancer
  - Linda Milbern, stroke
  - Bill Bruner, cancer
  - Terry Muskrat
  - Shirley Carroll
  - Tammy Nabors
  - David Carter
  - Lori Nemece, chemo
  - Jaycee Chapman
  - Ray Oglesby
  - Virginia Cleer
  - Sarah Parsons, tests
  - Carol Cluck, covid
  - Jodena Payne, cancer
  - Stan Corbin
  - Emma Preston, rehab
  - Bobby Daniels, surg recovery
  - Brad Powell, surg recovery
  - Lisa Dillard, kidney issues
  - Sharon Rodgers, cancer
  - Carly Garza
  - Margaret Rosenbach
  - Jeanine Gonzales, kidney
  - John Scott
  - Kelly Hayes, lung cancer
  - Allen Silsby, cancer
  - Max Harkrider
  - Franklin Schumacher, heart
  - Tommy Hurt, lung cancer
  - Corey Sims, leukemia
  - Charlie Jameson, cancer
  - Bertha Soucy, cancer
  - Beth Johnson, covid
  - James Taylor, cancer
  - Harper Johnson
  - Mary Thatcher
  - Lafonda Keisling, cancer
  - Velma Tyler, cancer
  - Bob Keese

**Daily Bible Reading**

	<u>Entire Bible</u>	<u>NT Only</u>	
<b>Sun.</b> May 9	1 Kings	1-2	Luke 19
<b>Mon.</b> May 10	1 Kings	3-6	Luke 20
<b>Tues.</b> May 11	1 Kings	7-8	Luke 21
<b>Wed.</b> May 12	1 Kings	9-11	Luke 22
<b>Thur.</b> May 13	1 Kings	12-14	Luke 23
<b>Fri.</b> May 14	1 Kings	15-17	Luke 24
<b>Sat.</b> May 15	1 Kings	18-20	Acts 1

- 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