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**This Week In Preview**

**Sunday January 23, 2022**

9:00 AM Sunday School  
**Faith with a Limp: Max Lucado**  
 10:00 AM Morning Worship  
**Thus Saith The Lord: God Places**  
 5:30 PM Embrace Grace

**Wednesday January 26, 2022**

6:00 PM Evening Meal  
 6:45 PM KidZ Zone  
 7:00 PM Adult Bible Study  
 7:45 PM Choir Rehearsal

**Sunday January 30, 2022**

7:30 AM Men's Breakfast  
 9:00 AM Sunday School  
**Faith with a Limp: Max Lucado**  
 10:00 AM Morning Worship  
**Thus Saith The Lord**  
 5:30 PM Embrace Grace

**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*



**Text: FCCDumas**  
**To: 84576**



*A link will be text back to you. Click on that link and you can register your name, email address, and cell phone number.*

*You will also have the opportunity to be included in immediate and emergency prayer request; a weekly pastor's devotional; and to receive the newsletter via email.*

*You will automatically then be included in a data base to receive announcements as necessary. You can opt out at anytime.*

*Serving This Week*

**Serving Elder**

Holly Wait

**Liturgist**

JL Wiswell

**Acolyte**

Bali Brown

**Deacons**

Holiday Hise  
 Jessica Hise  
 JL Wiswell  
 Ashleigh Wiswell

**Greeters**

Outside.....Holiday Hise  
 Foyer.....Jessica Hise  
 Back.....JL Wiswell  
 Front.....Ashleigh Wiswell



**Men's Breakfast: Sunday,  
 January 30th at 7:30AM**

**This Sunday:**

Morning Worship at 10:00 AM.  
**Thus Saith The Lord: God Places**  
 Plus: Sunday School at 9:00 AM.  
**"Faith With A Limp: Max Lucado"**



**Wednesday, January 26th**

*WNL begins at 6:00 PM*

**Sunday, January 30th:**

Morning Worship at 10:00 AM.  
**Thus Saith The Lord**  
 Plus: Sunday School at 9:00 AM.  
**"Faith With A Limp: Max Lucado"**  
 Plus: Men's Breakfast at 7:30 PM

**Wait A Minute!**

Sipping on a cup of coffee this morning and thinking of Hebrews. (Pun intended) Specifically this verse: "Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful." (Hebrews 10:23) Or, as the Living Bible affirms: "There is no longer any room for doubt; for there is no question that He will do what He says." He always keeps His word. So, I remind you of four of the promises found in His Word.

First, "I am with you." God promises His presence. "Never will I leave you," the Bible quotes God: "And never will I forsake you."

Second, "I care about you." If you doubt this, then just take another peak at the cross.

Third, "I will give you what you need." Be careful here: Not what you want but what you need. If you allow a want to become a need, then at some point you may doubt this promise. He gives us what we need.

And fourth: "I will save you." I will save you from the sins and the imperfections in your life. I will save you from an eternity of nothingness and give you an eternity beyond anything you can imagine. I will save you.

Hudson Taylor became one of the first missionaries of the modern missionary movement. At one point in this ministry he faced a lack of finances. So he retreated to his office and read the Bible awhile; then he prayed a while; and then he looked again at the finances. Then he would repeat: pray, read his Bible, and look again at the finances. After about an hour of doing this he left his office with a smile on his face. His wife asked him, "What are we going to do?" And Taylor replied: "We have twenty seven cents and all the promises of God ... what more does one need!"

You may have more and you may have less, but if you have the promises of God ... you have everything you need. For God is not only a promise maker - He is the ultimate promise keeper. Together, we will worship Him this Sunday.

**Praying For**

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Immediate Concerns:</b>  | James Roy Mize, Kidney cancer       |
| Sam Aldrich, more test      | Tom Morris, Lung Cancer             |
| Vick Bridwell, covid        | Terry Muskrat                       |
| Peggy Buer, Parkinson's     | Tammy Nabors                        |
| Bill Bruner, cancer         | Jimmy Nolte, diabetic complications |
| Shirley Carroll             | Ray Oglesby                         |
| David Carter                | Ron Peters, tests                   |
| Jaycee Chapman              | Emma Preston, rehab                 |
| Stan Corbin                 | Raymond & Wanda Ritchey             |
| Lisa Dillard, kidney issues | Sharon Rodgers, cancer              |
| Mike Funk, blood clot       | Margaret Rosenbach                  |
| Carly Garza                 | John Scott                          |
| Jeanine Gonzales, kidney    | Charles Sheldon, cancer             |
| Angie Hammons, infection    | Allen Silsby, cancer                |
| Kelly Hayes, lung cancer    | Franklin Schumacher, heart          |
| Susan Hester, cancer        | Corey Sims, leukemia                |
| Tommy Hurt, lung cancer     | Bertha Soucy, cancer                |
| Charlie Jameson, cancer     | Mary Thatcher                       |
| Harper Johnson              | Velma Tyler, cancer                 |
| Bob Keesee                  | Carl Unlaub                         |
| Ashleigh Lane, tumor        | Paulette Weed, breast cancer        |
| Jerry Lawler                | John Wornken, cancer returned       |
| Sue McKee, test             | Mary Williamson, cancer             |
| Terri Mason, breast cancer  |                                     |
| Linda Milbern, stroke       |                                     |



*Thus Saith The Lord*

**This Sunday:  
 God Places**

**Sunday School this Sunday!**

Light Breakfast: 9:00 AM  
 Video Lesson starts at 9:15

*Faith With A Limp:*

Max Lucado: A study of  
 the story of Jacob  
 This Sunday: "Jacob Vs Shortcuts"



**Wednesday Night Live**

- 6:00 PM..... Evening Meal
  - 6:45 PM..... Kidz Zone
  - 7:00 PM..... Adult Bible Study
  - 7:45 PM..... Choir Rehearsal
- Make FCC your Wednesday night place to be!**

**WNL Adult Bible Study**

*"Church History with a Biblical Twist"*

*Join us on Wednesday's for a walk thru the history of the Christian Church. We will venture thru the different periods of church history and eventually end up in our modern world.*

*A Bible passage will speak to us each week along the way.*

*Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM*



**Embrace Grace:  
 In every season  
 of life**

*The second session of Embrace Grace will begin this month. Keep this vital ministry in your prayers!*

**Daily Bible Reading**

		<u>Entire Bible</u>	<u>NT Only</u>	
<b>Sun.</b>	Jan 24	Genesis 1-4	Matthew	1
<b>Mon.</b>	Jan 25	Genesis 5-9	Matthew	2
<b>Tues.</b>	Jan 26	Genesis 10-13	Matthew	3
<b>Wed.</b>	Jan 27	Genesis 14-18	Matthew	4
<b>Thur.</b>	Jan 28	Genesis 19-22	Matthew	5
<b>Fri.</b>	Jan 29	Genesis 23-25	Matthew	6
<b>Sat.</b>	Jan 30	Genesis 26-28	Matthew	7

**Long Term Concerns**

- Tyler Blackwell
- Ed Brazel, seriously ill
- Eddie Burgess, MS
- Edna Garza
- JB Perrin, lung cancer

- Ellis Thornburg
- Karen Watkins, M.S

**Members Of The Military**

- Aaron Hawley
- Eric Ritchey