

Attendance
July 23, 2017
Sunday School: 193
Worship Services:
9:00– 191
11:15 P&W– 64

Contributions
July 23, 2017
General Budget:
\$8,120.07
Total Designated:
\$9,025.00

Attendance
July 30, 2017
Sunday School: 167
Worship Services:
9:00– 170
11:15 P&W– 36

Contributions
July 30, 2017
General Budget:
\$7,326.07
Total Designated:
\$9,125.00

Attendance
August 6, 2017
Sunday School: 172
Worship Services:
9:00– 169
11:15 P&W– 57

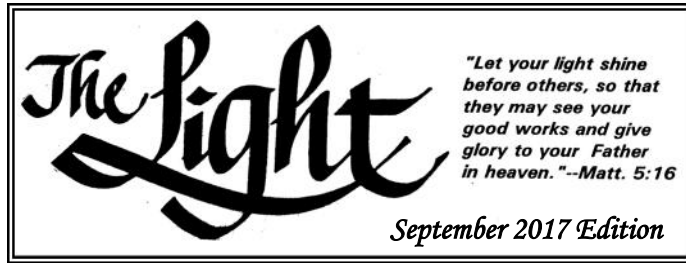
Contributions
August 6, 2017
General Budget:
\$22,889.66
Total Designated: \$0

Attendance
August 13, 2017
Sunday School: 170
Worship Services:
9:00–188
11:15 P&W– 79

Contributions
August 13, 2017
General Budget:
\$14,633.84
Total Designated:
\$390.00

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Contributions for
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for the month of
September 2017



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DOC Gospel Weekend

Guest: Reverend Dr. Doug Skinner
First Christian Church
Friday & Saturday, September 8-9
Childcare provided

Friday, 7:00 PM, Opening Worship

Friday evening will feature a combined DOC choir and a sermon delivered by Rev. Dr. Skinner, *"Breaking up the Fallow Ground"* based on the Parable of the Soils (Matthew 13:3-9; 19-23). Richard Dye will be at the Lord's Table and prayer will be offered by Rev. David Clifford, Senior Minister at Westmont Christian Church and Rev. Randy Cook, Senior Minister at Community Christian Church.

Saturday, 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Saturday will feature 2 teaching sessions. The first session, *"Do This in Remembrance of Me"* (I Corinthians 11:17-33) will be from 9:30 until 10:15 a.m. & the second session, *"Eating Spiritual Bread; Drinking Spiritual Wine"* (I Corinthians 10:1-4;16) from 10:45-11:30 a.m. A closing hymn will be sung at 11:30 and lunch will follow in Kuykendall Hall from 11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Please mark your calendar & plan to join us for this exciting DOC Worship event!!

How Can FCC Help Hurricane Relief Efforts ?

- Be a voice of encouragement and prayerful partnership to your contacts/family/friends in Houston. Courage is at a premium right now.
- After a few phone calls, it has been determined that the most needed right now is monetary donations. The American Red Cross is accepting donations Monday-Thursday until 5:00pm. They are located at 2201 19th St. You can also call them at 765-8534 or text HARVEY to 90999 to donate \$10.
- Another organization that is accepting donations is Pursue Missions: <http://pursuemissions.org/>
Pursue Missions has an inroad to Houston and are a local partner in West Texas and the Panhandle.
- Pray for hearts, marriages to shine, neighborly love, and faith in Jesus to be seen. Also please continue to pray for miracles.



Rev. Paul Carpenter
Senior Minister
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A Message From Rev. Carpenter

I am convinced that this Fall is going to be an amazing season for Christ's Church and for His Gospel. I'm excited to experience this with all my friends at First Christian Church. As we swing into the Fall, our September focus will be on the strength and legacy of the 116 year history of our congregation.

FCC's roots planted in 1901 by faith have provided mountains of Gospel expressions of conversions, mercy, love, and witness to our God. Our church has been an instrument of God for compassion and outreach for the most vulnerable in our community. We have a history of generosity and partnerships with charity for homelessness, hunger, and advocacy for children. That remains strong today.

FCC is a fellowship for biblical grounding and growth for Christian households in our city. Our members continue to mature through scripture exposure and knowledge of God's grace and glory. The Gospel is celebrated and I, as your preacher, am encouraged by your notes and emails that Bible-based teaching and preaching is what is expected and delighted over at FCC.

Our congregation consists of 661 active members; "active" is defined by "attendance, giving, activity, and spiritual concern." Our average worship attendance is 386 – in recent months it's been lower. Last year we received 13 new Believers in Baptism, and 54 people who placed formal membership. We do a great job at not treating people like "numbers;" instead we are brothers and sisters in the Lord. Many of you comment on how loving, peaceful, & encouraging your church family is for you. We have a great church, we are favored by the Father, and the church is made up of great people.

This Fall I will ask you to reflect on the benefit and responsibility of being a member of FCC. By connecting you to both new and existing resources, I'll ask you to pray for your church daily. I'll ask you to commit to regular worship attendance as well as finding community in friendship with other members at FCC. We are launching six new small groups in addition to working with our existing Sunday School classes to thrive numerically and spiritually.

This Fall I will also ask you to share your church with the Lubbock community. Our goal is not to be the biggest church in town; however we have something wonderful to offer our city. God has big plans for our future to use us to connect people to Him through the Gospel. Many of you have a story of how you got to FCC that includes a friend inviting you. Consider how your life has benefitted and how much more God has worked in your life through your membership at FCC.

Take a look at those numbers above. Each one represents a person's heart and soul. I believe they are to double this year, as well as God's impact through FCC. Currently, our city's population is 252,000 and growing. Many still wait to experience the Gospel in a meaningful way; according to national trends, out of those who profess Christ only 31% are connected to a church in an active way.

This Fall I will ask us to step out and share our church community and family. I will ask you to actually invite people to church, as I know many of you are currently doing. Join me in praying today for the individuals and families that God will lead us to join with, that more souls and hearts would be encouraged and included in Christ's work in Lubbock.

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Managing Editor: Crystal Vinson.
Deadline for news is the Thursday before "The Light" is mailed.

"The Light" informs members of congregational news/activities.

IS YOUR "LIGHT" LATE?

If this issue is not delivered to you by Saturday, call Crystal at the church, 763-1995 or e-mail her at crystal@fcclubbock.org

Next Issue:
September 28, 2017 (October Issue)

Next Deadline:
Thursday, September 21st

Upcoming September Gatherings & Meetings...

- ◇ **Bible Babes Women's Bible Study**, Monday Evenings at 7:00pm in the Chapel Parlor Beginning **September 11th**
- ◇ **College & Career Bible Study & Fellowship**, Every Tuesday Evening, 6:30pm, Kuykendall Hall
- ◇ **Financial Peace University**, Tuesday Evenings, 6:30pm, Chapel Parlor
- ◇ **Noon Bible Study**, Every Wednesday Afternoon, 12:10-12:50pm, Family Life Center
- ◇ **Elders Meeting, Wednesday**, September 6th, 7:00pm, Chapel Parlor
- ◇ **Deacons Meeting, Wednesday**, September 6th, 7:00pm, Room 107
- ◇ **Oasis Book Club**, Thursday, September 7th, 7:00pm, Contact Church Office for Location
- ◇ **Finance Committee**, Monday, September 11th, 11:45am, Conference Room
- ◇ **Mary/Martha CWF**, Tuesday, September 12th, 9:30am, Chapel Parlor
- ◇ **Deborah CWF**, Thursday, September 14th, 7:00pm, Home of Brenda Hendricks, 6720 8th St
- ◇ **Lubbock Music Club**, Friday, September 15th, 9:00am, Chapel/Chapel Parlor
- ◇ **Foundation**, Tuesday, September 19th, 4:00pm, Conference Room
- ◇ **South Plains Food Bank Food Vouchers Issued**, Wednesday, September 20th, 9am-12pm, Church Office

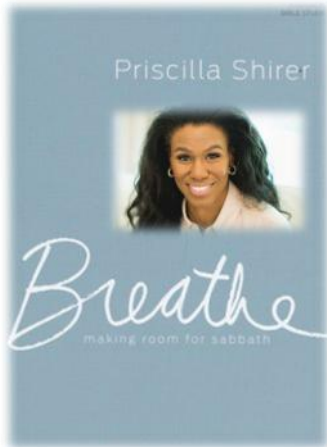
CELEBRATE!!!

I know it's hard to believe, but the FCC Coffee Shop, Common Grounds, is having it's 5-year anniversary in September.

To celebrate this milestone event and to recognize what God has done to bless this ministry, we are going to throw a big party and everyone is welcome!!!

On September 17th, we will begin our next 5 years with a facelift, new décor and lots of excitement. Starting the first week in September, you can take the "Common Grounds Trivia Quiz" and drop your ballot off to win a great prize. We will also enjoy another "Prayer of Dedication" by the Senior Minister, asking God for His continued blessings on our efforts. All your favorite Coffee Shop workers will be there and a good time is in store for all.....

So.....Save the Date: Sunday, September 17, 2017!!



Bibles Babes - Women's Bible Study!!

Bible Babes begin this Fall with 2 Bible studies titled ***Breathe*** and ***Discerning the Voice of God*** by Priscilla Shirer.

The ***Breathe*** study will start on **Monday, September 11th at 7:00pm** in the **Chapel Parlor**. The study will be 4 weeks long ending on Monday, October 2nd. ***Discerning the Voice of God*** will be a six week study starting on **Monday, October 9th** and ending on Monday, November 13th. You may choose to do one or both studies.

Study books for each study will be available. The ***Breathe*** study books will be \$10.00 each and the ***Discerning the Voice of God*** study books will be \$13.00 each.

This is a total of \$23.00 if you want both.

Deborah Bible Study

The Deborah Group will gather on **September 14, 2017** in the home of Brenda Hendricks, 6720 8th St, at **7:00 p.m.** Carole Berry is the facilitator for this meeting. For additional information, please call Lyn Williams at 806-787-0484.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study for Women

First Baptist Church, Room 301E
September 19-November 14, 9:30-11:30 a.m.
"All Things New"—a study of 2 Corinthians
by Kelly Minter
Led by FCC member, Marcy Lawless
Child care available

Keenagers in September!!

Monthly Fellowship For Our Members & Friends Who Are 50+

You are invited to join the Keenagers on **September 8th** for our first outing of the fall! The day will begin with a tour of Spirit Ranch right here in Lubbock. After the tour, you will have the opportunity to have lunch at E&J Smokehouse & Grill which is located at Spirit Ranch. After lunch, we will head over to the Silent Wings Museum for a tour. Lunch will be \$12.00 plus tip and admission to the museum is \$2.00. The church bus will leave the west lot at **10:00 a.m.** In order to ensure enough space on the bus, please RSVP by noon on Wednesday, September 6th on the sign-up sheet in the Great Hall or call the church office at 763-1995. We would love for you to join us.



Don't Miss Keenagers in October!!

On **October 6th**, the Keenagers will tour Elite Sign & Design right here in Lubbock.

This company specializes in vehicle wraps, window graphics, banners, building signs, and many other media and promotional products. We will learn what goes into the process of designing these items and have a glimpse into how they are made. Lunch will be a Souper!Salad! and each individual will pay for his/her own lunch there. The church bus will leave the west lot at **9:30 a.m.** Please RSVP on the sign-up sheet in the Great Hall or call the church office at 763-1995.



FUNDING FOWLER

It is that time of the year again when you can make a difference for residents of Juliette Fowler Communities, a Disciples of Christ outreach. The Communities Foundation of Texas will provide matching funds for all donations made on September 14, 2017, beginning at 6:00 a.m. until 12:00 Midnight. All you need to do is log onto northtexasgivingday.org, type in Juliette Fowler Communities in the search box, and make your donation. Your gift will enhance the lives of over 300 men, women, young women who have aged out of the foster care system, and foster children residing at Fowler. Your gift not only provides physical care, but also spiritual care. You, too, will be uplifted by your generosity.



Outreach Corner!!

Coming Soon!!

Information on signing up to be a "Lunch Buddy" with a student at Bean Elementary! It's easy, it's fun and it makes a HUGE difference in the lives of these kids. 30 minutes a week—you choose your day and time! God may be placing His hand on you for this ministry!!



Thank you!!

Thanks—once again—to a generous congregation who 'piled high' the school supplies for Bean Elementary! FCC staff delivered the supplies on the morning of Wednesday, August 23rd, and members and staff gathered that afternoon to pray with around 65 members of the Bean staff as they prepared to welcome students on Monday, the 28th. On behalf of FCC Outreach and the principal, teachers and staff at Bean, thank you to all who contributed to the school supply drive.

Pray Globally; Love Locally . . . Marilyn Wragg

Anxiety abounds in today's political climate. Recent incidents sparked by white supremacists have fanned into flame for many people the already smoldering fires of revulsion at prevalent injustice. And for several of my friends and loved ones, this revulsion surfaces in frustration and anger that clouds daily life and even disrupts sleep.

It is absolutely appropriate to abhor demonstrations of hatred, violence, and injustice. But how do we keep such abhorrence from dominating our feelings and daily walk as Christians? How can we maintain balance between loathing the darkness that exists in our society and living as children of the light?

As we discussed this dilemma in Sunday school, Pastor Paul offered the suggestion, "Pray for global events; love locally."

That suggestion perfectly encapsulated what I recently tried to express to someone I love. In response to intense questioning about how I could tolerate specific situations, I said that all I knew *to do* was what I *can do*. I skim daily through news reports and pray accordingly for God's intervention; if there is related action I can take, I do so. Otherwise, I go about my regular tasks for showing love and compassion through personal and church ministries each day.

I realize saying we will pray over injustice can sound like a cop out—a means of avoiding involvement. And it is a cop out if we just say it and then fail to do it. But sincere prayer is our most powerful weapon for combating injustice: not only does it call upon God to act with divine power, but it also prevents our being too emotionally crippled to know what to do ourselves. Prayer safeguards our hearts, replacing frustration and anger with God's peace and enabling us to act in love.

Pray globally; love locally. And do so every single day.

For you are all children of the light and of the day; we don't belong to darkness and night.
1 Thessalonians 5:5 (NLT)

The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.
2 Corinthians 10:4

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.
Philippians 4:6–7

A copy of the **September 2017 Prayer Calendar** can be picked up in the church office. You can also find it online on our website at: www.fcclubbock.org.

Welcome New Members!!

We joyfully welcome the newest members of our family of faith at First Christian Church.

Neoma Hillis joined with Rev. Carpenter and two Elders on Sunday, August 13th by Transfer of Membership.

Robyne Garcia joined on August 20th during the Traditional Worship Service by Transfer of Membership.

WELCOME!!



Baptism

Sharing in your joy and gratitude as you are baptized into the community of faith!

Jordan Smith was baptized on Sunday, August 27, 2017 during the 9:00 Traditional Service.

Congratulations Jordan!!

MILITARY NEWS & CONCERNS

Lt. Brant Brock- Japan
son-in-law of
Brenda Hendricks
Currently deployed on a ship

Lt Heath Brown
Millington, TN- grandson of
Flo Brown

Christopher Colgrove
nephew of Laurie Williams

**Lieutenant Colonel
Ethan Diven**
Anchorage, AK
husband & father of
Sabrina, Jacob & Kendall
and son-in-law of
Jerry & Brenda Stanfield

Ryan Mansell
grandson of Jim Bales

1st Lt Nicholas Swanson
USAF, Tinker AFB,
Oklahoma City, OK
grandson of
Virginia Myers Dorman

Capt. Nathaniel Swanson
USMC, Oceana Naval Station,
Virginia Beach, VA
grandson of
Virginia Myers Dorman

*If you desire to add one of
your family members to our
military list, please contact
the church office at 763-1995.*

Joys & Concerns of our Church Family & Friends...

We unite with you in your happiness, comfort you in sorrow, and pray for your concerns.
NOTE: If you do not wish for your name to be in our hospital list or prayer concerns, notify the church office.

Bud Reeds-Crown Point
Herbie Vannoy- Lubbock Health Care

We lift up in prayer our friends and family struggling with ongoing medical issues:

Members: Margaret Kennedy, Randell Resneder, Jan Sanders, Mary Smith, Truett Tyler

Friends: Jeff Adkins, Paul Bush, Bear Bock, Angel Cartwright, Lexy Galloway, Patricia Hague, Katelyn Harlow, London Horkey, Al Horton, Chris Mackey, Herb Miller, Leroy Montoya, Mark Wheeler

Homebound Prayers:

Jim Bales, Al Crossland, Tommy Davis, Frances Evans, Carolyn Gunter, Margaret Ingraham, Cara Irvin, Joyce Manning, Meg Murphy, Ruby Power, Herbie Vannoy, Virginia Vincent

It is a joy to report those dismissed from the hospital throughout the past month.
We continue to pray for them as they recover at home:

Larry Ackers, Clarence Guhl, Josh Stevens, Marty Wells, Leonard Yoder

Our Deepest Sympathy...

We lift up Jo Ann Newman, Mollie Parsley, and the entire Newman Family in the passing of **H.V. Newman**. H.V. passed from this life on July 27, 2017. A memorial service was held at First Christian Church on August 1st.

We lift up Kay Self in the passing of her father, **Sam Spence**. Sam passed from this life on August 16, 2017. A memorial service was held at First Christian Church on August 26th.

We lift up the family of **Alma Knight**. Alma passed from this life on July 16, 2017. A memorial service was held on July 31st at Resthaven Chapel.

A memorial service for **Becki Ingraham** will be held on Saturday, September 9th at 3:00pm in the chapel of First Christian Church. Becki is the daughter of Margaret Ingraham. She passed from this life on June 25, 2017.

Baby Bundles

Paul and Lin Mann welcomed **Ezra Jonas** on 8/18/17 at 11:28p.m. He weighed 4lb. 12 oz. and was 17 inches long. The proud grandparents are Eddie and Judy Mann.

Flower Ministry In Need Of Vases

The flower ministry of FCC is in need of vases. If you have any medium or large size vases that you would like to donate, please bring them to the church office. Thank you for your help!!



Mrs. Brittney Hardin
Director of Music Ministries
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Grace and peace to each of you in the name of Jesus!

With the fall season picking up and the summer fading into the background, I have been reflecting on the beauty and power that God has shown us through our worship life in June and July. This year I had the privilege of leading the worship at Foundations Camp for the 3rd-5th graders. The week was focused on the verse Matthew 22:37-40 and learning about how Christ changes us from the “inside out” by transforming our hearts first, then our souls, and last our minds for His glory. This theme resonated through every aspect of the week, from games to small groups, and of course the worship experiences at the camp. When the week began, energy

was high and exciting. The kids were getting to know us and each other with every passing day and slowly growing deeper in their faith through the Gospel of Jesus. It was one of our last evenings at White River that I witnessed how God was maturing and changing the hearts of these kids. Each night, we closed with a time of worship at the campfire before we settled in for the evening and went to bed. As we were sitting around laughing and visiting on the third night, we looked up and the stars were brighter and lovelier than they had been all week. One by one the kids started turning off their flashlights so they could see them more clearly. A few moments after the last light went out, I hear a few small sweet voices begin singing “God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy...” The singing grew stronger and stronger and soon all of us were worshipping the Creator of the universe under the stars together. I love how the Lord poured His praise into these kids throughout the week, but that was a holy moment to witness the handiwork of God and give praise back to Him out of love and gratefulness.

I praise the Lord for what He has done, is doing, and will continue to do through the worship life of His church and pray that we never hesitate to testify with one another to His mighty works and unchanging love for us.

“But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him.” –John 4:23

Brittney

Football Parking Lot Fundraiser

Calling all FCC members! Come join us in partnering with CASA of the South Plains, St. Benedicts, Rainbow Room, and Texas Boys Ranch to grow their ministries and spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ in this city. All proceeds that are raised will go to these organizations to support their varied needs throughout this year. To get involved, please sign-up to work on the board in the Great Hall or contact

Brittney Hardin at brittney@fcclubbock.org

September 16th: TTU vs. Arizona State, **7:00 pm- St. Benedicts**

September 30th: TTU vs. Oklahoma State, **TBA- CASA of the South Plains**

October 21st: TTU vs. Iowa State, **TBA- Rainbow Room**

November 4th: TTU vs. Kansas State, **TBA- Texas Boys Ranch**

November 18th: TTU vs. TCU, **TBA- Texas Boys Ranch**

Children's Ministry



Miss Holly Jessen
*Director of Children's
Ministries*
holly@fcclubbock.org



Fall Acolyte Training

Acolyte training for interested 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders will begin Sunday, September 17th at 10:00 am. Acolyting is an important and meaningful part of our worship service and often a child's first service to the church. Parents should have received a letter detailing the training and the dates, but if you didn't, please contact Claire at clairedulaney@icloud.com.

News From Noah's Nook

The classic children's book, Who Took the Farmer's Hat, was given to the Children's Library in memory of H.V. Newman. Come by and check it out!

Blessing of the Backpacks 2017



COLLEGE MINISTRY

come. connect. GROW.

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
10:15 a.m. Life Group
11:15 a.m. Simply Worship

Tuesday

Food for Thought
6:30 p.m.
College dinner and bible study
held at FCC in the college room



Jonna Russell

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As I went to the Lord for guidance on where to take this semester God placed Love on my heart, to spend the semester redefining LOVE. College is a time of newness but can also be a time when the world is trying to tell you who you are and how you should live, who you should date, what you should believe, and what success and failure look like. The pressure to figure out who you are going to be, who you are going to marry, what your future looks like and who you are is so great and can lead to anxiety and a great need to find identity in false ideals. In order to prevent such urgency it is important to set your priority and that one priority is God and God alone. With Him all else falls into place. Your identity is created in Him.

This semester we will spend time looking at where our life is and how every aspect of our life should align with God. We live in a world that compartmentalizes our life into different areas. No wonder we are stressed out and full of anxiety and pressure. All areas of our life should point to God. We are first to *"Love the LORD all God with all our heart, mind, and soul."* Heart, mind, and soul were placed together on purpose. And before we can move forward in becoming who God has created us to be we must first Love God and in turn love self and neighbor.

Come take this journey through the Bible with us as we are transformed from the inside out and we begin to live a life pleasing to Him.

"This is the day that the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it."

09.16.2017

Fall
RETREAT

9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.
Spirit Ranch Lubbock, Texas

Join us for our College Retreat! A day full of fellowship, food & exciting activities where you will get to know one another and the LORD on a deeper level.

A Summer of Memories at FCC!!



Waco Mission Trip (July 17-21)

13 attended – adults and youth!!

We encountered other Believers and had mutual encouragement concerning the Father's work in East Waco. God showed us how to rely on Him and how to trust His work in other peoples' hearts. We are certain the Holy Spirit is actively moving for God's glory in that park and neighborhood. We are also honored to be witnesses and partners with God's work.



Faithbridge Church from Houston, Texas

Faithbridge Church from Houston, Texas sent a mission team that came and served Lubbock for 6 weeks during the summer. Lubbock Impact, Dream Center, South Plains Food Bank, and many different organizations benefited from this teams service. We were able to serve this team with shelter, warm showers, and love.

Let all that you do be done in LOVE ~ 1 Corinthians 16:14

College Food for Thought

College *Food for Thought* continued over the summer break. Many students found themselves wanting to stay in Lubbock over the summer and work and/or continue their education.

Tuesday nights were filled with fellowship, food, and a growing relationship with one another and the LORD.

Food for Thought resumed at the church Tuesday, August 29th at 6:30 pm.

Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and Obey it. Luke 11:28



Blessing of the Animals

Members and Friends of FCC joined together at the beautiful "Geezer Getaway" located in Wolfforth, TX with their furry friends. It was a great time of fun and fellowship. Nick Koontz, Scott Hall, and Paul Carpenter joined in and offered prayers and blessings.

SUMMER EVENTS

Mission week was so rewarding
for this batch of kiddos!

They served their community and
their eyes were opened to a lot
about families in poverty and the
homeless. God worked through
them blessing all those around
them.



VBS 2017 was a success!

The kids had a blast
learning about the
Gospel's power as God's
glory was present all
week long!

With our over 100 degree Summer
days a pool party was a must! The kids
swam, ate pizza & watermelon until
their hearts were content. Fellowship
time like this creates bonds
between amazing kids and their
families that last a lifetime!



Our 3rd-5th graders attended Foundations Camp at
White River Youth Camp the week of August 7th.

The week was focused on the verse
Matthew 22:37-40 and learning about how Christ
changes us from the "inside out" by transforming
our hearts first, then our souls, and last our minds for
His glory. It was an awesome week with some
great kids and strong adult leaders!!

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11:15 a.m.
Chapel

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1:00-4:00 p.m.

Friday
8:30 a.m.-Noon

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We're on the web!
www.fcclubbock.org

WEEKLY

**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**

Tuesdays, 7:00 a.m.
Cast Iron Grill
620 19th Street



MISSION STATEMENT OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH



*Empowered by the Holy Spirit we will **NURTURE:** help individuals become more Christ-like, **SHARE:** lead people into a relationship with God through the love of Jesus Christ, and **REACH OUT:** call each member to respond to the needs of others in Jesus' Name.*

September 2017 FCC Birthdays!

September 1

Gay Foster
Sally Barfield
Carson Williams

September 2

Walker Belew

September 3

Ronnie Taylor
Jayden Sampayo

September 5

Clara Kitten

September 7

Allie Cushman

September 8

Mary Jane Shannon

September 9

Carl Foster
Brody Russell
Ellis Ann Williams

September 11

Sandra Foster
Becky Meador
Brad Payne
Shelly Ribble
Todd Williams
Mary Jane Ritchey
Dawson Taylor
Caden Brown

September 12

Margaret Ingraham
Rachel Smith

September 13

Robbie Bedker
Jerry Etter
Lynn Ford

September 14

Bud Reeds
Rusty Perkins
John Reid
Nathan Swindle
Lacy Brown
Paul Carpenter

September 15

Josh Stevens

September 16

Scott Etter
Jared Robinson

September 17

Hope Norman
Justin Anderson

September 18

John McVey

September 19

Roger Bowers
Carolyn Garnett

September 20

Ric Johnson
Andy Smith

September 21

Jerry Brown
Shyloh Winfield

September 22

Kathy Payne
Blake Matzner

September 23

Skeet Brown
Debra Kimbrough
Hollin Level

September 24

Mollie Parsley
Jim Evans
Pam Castellano
Dwayne Dixon

September 25

Alma Lou Knight
Rita Pettigrew
Ginger Hunt

September 26

Ein Mann

September 27

Jeanene Wilson

September 28

Margo Woodworth

September 30

Cal Brints
Jonna Russell

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August 20, 2017

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9:00— 161

11:15 P&W— 67

Contributions

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