

The Christian Caller



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Hello, First Christian Church!

Little did we know on Sunday, March 8, that we would not be meeting in-person for worship again until Sunday, June 14. That 13-week stretch was difficult, and I realize the challenge continues for many who are waiting awhile before venturing back out. Community and the encouragement we receive from others is an important aspect of staying strong in our own daily walk with Christ. We also need continual infusions of inspiration to stay focused on outreach to others and committed to the BLESS practices.

In a season like this, it is tough to maintain a strong “outreach temperature”. Our spiritual energy tanks likely need some re-fueling.

In an effort to assist with this over the summer, we are going to be offering discussion guides based on the Sunday messages.

Here are some possible ways to utilize this resource, whether engaging with the in-person worship services or online:

1. After the service, get some food at a drive-thru and meet up with friends or another family at a local park. Use the guide as a way to apply the teaching from the message and build community.
2. With your family or spouse, choose a mealtime early in the week where you will use the discussion guide to frame your conversation.
3. Do a 30-minute Zoom video meeting with your Sunday School class or Small Group using the discussion guide as a resource.



The discussion guides will be available as a download online at: www.fccwarsaw.com/sermons. There will also be printed copies available at the in-person worship services on Sundays.

We hope this will provide a way for you to connect with others, grow in community, and receive encouragement as you live for Jesus. We need each other!

Much love,
Matthew

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Monday-Thursday 9 am-1 pm

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—PRAYER CONCERNS—

Coronavirus victims, families, & vaccine
 Cathy Folds, health
 Rosemary Spurlock, health
 Etna Green Church of Christ
 congregation, health
 Aaron Rovenstine, health
 Dan Beam's Niece & Nephew, health
 Vanessa Monk
 Terry Bussard, health
 Ruth Baxter, comfort
 Joel Zehner & His Family
 Danielle, nurse treating Covid-19
 patients
 Kate Wood, health
 Autumn Rogers, mouth surgery & braces
 Gary Salyer, health
 Ava Gibson - 4 y.o., health
 Rachel Polston, health

SURGERY RECOVERY:

Victoria Montel
 Daryl Murfin
 Linda Flenar
 Kylee Anders
 Mark Lafountain

LONG TERM:

Claudia Turner
 Nancy Derry
 Cole, child with rare cancer
 Dave Mann
 Payton Slaymaker, 9 y.o., cancer
 Victoria Montel
 Christopher Griffin
 Christopher Bornes & Family
 Delia Navarro
 Kenneth Moore
 Martha Hancock
 Chandler Paul
 Our Military Here & Overseas
 Those who need the Lord
 Healing for America & the World

OUR HOME MISSIONARIES:

Johnson University, Knoxville, TN
 Great Lakes Christian College, Lansing, MI
 Lincoln Christian University, Lincoln, IL
 Ball State University Campus Ministry, Muncie, IN
 Purdue University Campus Ministry, Lafayette, IN
 Woodburn Christian Children's Home, Woodburn, IN
 Michiana Christian Service Camp, Niles, MI
 Military Chaplains of Chaplaincy Endorsement Comm.
 Destiny Rescue, Fort Wayne, IN
 Our Father's House, Warsaw, IN
 Heartline Pregnancy Center, Warsaw, IN
 Fellowship Missions, Warsaw, IN
 Kosciusko County Jail Ministry, Warsaw, IN
 World Compassion Network, Warsaw, IN

OVERSEAS MISSIONARIES:

David & Philomina Morris, India
 T. Lunkim, India
 Mark & Helen Begarly, Africa
 Kevin & Susan Fry, Africa
 C.Y. & Patricia Kim, Asia
 Ian & Heidi Fry, Africa

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7/5-8/1
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JUNE
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DEACON ON CALL FOR SETUP

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REVOLUTION NEWS-YOUTH

Revolution is FCC's student ministry & is open to grades 7-12.

As our in-person services have resumed this month, I wanted to let you know about the events that are still taking place over the summer.

For everyone who is a part of Revolution Student Ministries, we are meeting on Wednesday nights from 7-8 pm here at the church. We will be outside, having a lesson and playing games. We encourage you to bring a camping chair and some bug spray. We hope to see you on Wednesday nights!



The best way to stay up-to-date and informed:

www.fccwarsaw.com or follow us on Facebook or Instagram FCC_Revolution.
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Stay safe everyone!

FCC KIDS

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IN MEMORY

A MEMORIAL GIFT has been given in memory of
JIM MCCONNELL by Julia Moore and
Lance & Connie Bell to FCC Vision Building Fund.

ATTENDANCE

May 2020-June 21, 2020 Weekly Averages

Sunday Morning Worship (Online Views 5/3-6/7).....500+/-
Sunday Morning Worship (Online Views 6/14 & 6/21)....270+/-
Sunday Morning Worship (In-person 6/14 & 6/21).....131
Revolution (Online Fellowship/Bible Study).....5

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY



If interested in serving God & others by being a FCC
Sunday worship service greeter for 1st and/or 2nd
service, please contact Linda Haughee 574-377-7608.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Please join us in congratulating the
2020—2021 Danny Pitzer Memorial Scholarship
recipients:

Colt Demske
Miriam Hagg
Jessie Swihart



UPCOMING EVENTS



The Church Office will be closed on
Friday, July 3rd due to
Independence Day.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AMERICA!



UPCOMING EVENTS Cont'd

RIGHT NOW MEDIA - have you signed up for Right Now Media yet? What a great FREE online gift! For further information and to sign up, go to FCC's website: www.fccwarsaw.com and click on Menu, click on Right Now Media.

MEN'S & WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES will not meet during the summer. Will resume in September. (Check out Right Now Media online for FREE personal Bible studies. See above announcement.)



YOU ARE INVITED by the Demske Family
to Colt Demske's Graduation Open
House, Sunday, July 5 at 3 pm-5 pm at
First Christian Church, 115 Park Ridge
Drive, Warsaw.

WOMEN'S Online Event:

What: A one-day online experience to dive into God's Word with your favorite Bible teachers as you virtually study with thousands of other women from across the globe.

Who: Beth Moore, Priscilla Shirer, Jen Wilkin, Jackie Hill Perry, Kelly Minter, Jennifer Rothschild, Angie Smith, and Kristi McLelland

When: Saturday, August 8 (or any time up to 60 days later)

Sign up at: lifewaywomen.com (\$20. per person)



WOMEN'S In-Person Event: Ice Cream Social
Distancing Party. July 24th,
6:30-8:00 pm at FCC under
an outside tent. Bottled
waters and pre-packaged ice
cream. Chairs spread out.
Sign up by July 19th on
Facebook or on Women's
Ministry Bulletin Board.



Blessed is
the nation
whose God
is the LORD.

Psalms 33:12

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SMALL GROUPS meet throughout the week!



COMING IN **AUGUST 2020**

3rd-7th Virtual VBS (Pre-registration info under this month's FCC Kids' section.)

24th 'The Christian Caller' info due to Jo

FOR MORE INFORMATION - check out our website at:

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Due to the Coronavirus, the July calendar's in-person events may be canceled or rescheduled. Check your emails, www.facebook.com/fccwarsaw & www.fccwarsaw.com for more info.			1 7 pm Revolution	2 7 pm Praise Tm.	3 OFFICE CLOSED	4
5 9 & 11:15 am Worship In-person & Online No Sunday School	6 6:30 Elders' Mtg.	7 7 pm Missions Mtg.	8 7 pm Revolution	9 7 pm Praise Tm.	10	11
12 9 & 11:15 am Worship In-person & Online No Sunday School	13	14	15 7 pm Revolution	16 7 pm Praise Tm.	17	18 8:30 Deacon's Mtg.
19 9 & 11:15 am Worship In-person & Online No Sunday School 12 pm Women's Min.	20	21	22 12:00 "The Caller" info due to Jo 7 pm Revolution	23 7 pm Praise Tm.	24 6:30 pm Women's Ice Cream Social Distancing Party	25
26 9 & 11:15 am Worship In-person & Online No Sunday School	27 7 pm Care Bears	28	29 7 pm Revolution	30 7 pm Praise Team	31 	

BIRTHDAYS—JULY



1-Shelly Bussard
 2-Gracie Kubley
 3-Anthony Blue
 3-Theresa Wilhite
 5-Connie Bell
 5-Mary Kay Jones
 6-Jeanne Beam
 6-Sophia Moore
 8-Ben Hunter
 12-Mary Ellen Long
 14-Vicki Brown
 15-Linda Greene
 15-Jeff Lancaster
 16-Lisa Justice
 16-Susan Brumley
 16-Elias Robbins

17-Shane Swihart
 17-Zona Blackburn
 18-Brandon Bromley
 19-John Knight
 21-Lila Shelburne
 21-Paul Tharp
 24-Lynda Sanner
 24-Connie Brown
 25-Rogan Fox
 27-Bobby Hatten
 29-Margo Ames
 31-Polly Bornes
 31-Sebastian Kelly

ANNIVERSARIES-JULY



1—Anthony & Michelle Blue
 5—Ben & Brandy Hunter
 6—Jim & Marsha Johnson
 7—Alan & Angel Blakeley
 17—Stuffy & Cathy Folds
 21—Jay & Linda Haughee
 22—Dan & Jeanne Beam
 23—Roger & Judy Middleton
 27—Al & Christine Meck

If incorrect info or omission in the Birthday and/or Anniversary sections, please write a note of correction and place on the Church Office desk or email the office at: info@fccwarsaw.com. Thank you!