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# The Christian Caller

**MARCH 2022** 

Hello, First Christian Church Family.

Two of our major church wide goals for 2022 are:

- 1) To raise up more leaders
- 2) To deepen discipleship through greater involvement in Life Groups.

Here are some ways that progress was made toward those goals last month:

#### 27 Men from FCC are currently participating in Fight Club

Fight Club is a men's discipleship and leadership program that employs camaraderie, competition, and challenge to awaken guys from mediocrity. Through it, men grow stronger intellectually, physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Right now there are 27 men from FCC on this 10-week journey that began in mid-February and will run



through the end of April. We are hoping to raise up new leaders through Fight Club, and also use it as a catalyst for a new men's ministry initiative at FCC. Please pray for these men as they grow in their personal leadership and the leadership of their homes.



#### 2 New Life Groups have recently formed

One new group, primarily consisting of adult couples will be led by Don and Cindy Viers at their home. The other new group will be for Senior adults and will meet on Tuesday afternoons at the church building. We are still praying for someone to lead a group of

newly married young adults eager to be in community with one another.

As we continue with our Acts of the Apostles message series in the month of March, we will highlight some of our existing Life Groups, as well as ways to get engaged with the mission of Jesus through the church.

God is moving. God is leading. God is at work.

Much love in Christ, Matthew Rogers

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Kimberly Hankins 775-232-2029

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 9 am-5 pm Friday 8 am-11:30 am

#### PRAYER CONCERNS

Covid Victims, Families, Medical Staff, Vaccine Kie Bates' Grandmother, her passing Gary Salyer's Family, his passing Leda of Albania, broken arm Delia Navarro, cancer surgery recovery Grea Lootens Carol Krider Martin, health Shelby, her salvation Abby & Husband, fertility issues Michael, finances, needs a job, needs Jesus Randy Hankins, neck surgery healing Michelle, test results (Della Swain's daughter) Diane, health & new job (Susie Crouse's friend) Mike Hagg, health (Brad Hagg's brother) Sheila Hopkins, health Chad Vosekuil, faith, iob, housing Carol Rodgers, surg. rec. (missionary-Woodburn) Judy Rickel, surgery recovery Chris Hopkins, surgery 3/1 Rick & Raelene Hirschy, health Ava Jones, broken leg surgery recovery Frank Pfeiffer, cancer Natalie & her child, surg. recoveries (Sherrie Pressler's sister)

Dave Wagner, health (Wilhites' friend)

Nathan Yarian, surgery recovery

Amanda & Family, health (Hopkin's daughter)

Michael Thompson, 18 mo. deployment & his salvation (Churchill's grandson)
Dan Hawkins, cancer (Kate Wood's Dad)
John Croy, cancer
Rachel Kruger, health (Folds' Daughter-In-Law)
Allie (Hopkins' Granddaughter), pregnancy
Kendra Alcala, pregnancy
Barbara Parker, health
Terry Burns, cancer treatment
Deanna, cancer & comfort
Eldon Gaither, health
Dick Johnson, health
Danielle Murphy, nurse of Covid patients

#### LONG TERM:

Jim & Marietta Mohnke & Family
Claudia Turner
Cole, child with rare 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
Raise the Dough, Inc., 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 Media 7

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 2/6/22-3/5/22
 3/6/22-4/2/22
 FEBRUARY
 MARCH

 Mark Lafountain
 Steve Kasper
 Alan Blakeley
 Lou Brown

 260-255-0824
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 219-477-8535

### **FCC Kids**



Vacation Bible School

FCC Kids is so excited to announce our Vacation Bible School dates and

theme for 2022! VBS will be June 13th-17th from 6pm-8pm for 3yr-6th grade. Be sure to mark these dates on your calendar. Registration opens March 13th.

This summer we will MAKE WAVES! We will be learning about how our lives can and will have a huge impact on the world around us.

If you have any questions or would like to be part of VBS this year, contact Megan Horvath via email megan@fccwarsaw.com.

www.fccwarsaw.com/kids or @fcc\_kids

### **REVOLUTION - YOUTH**



Join us for MALL DERBY (scavenger hunt). Meeting at FCC at 9:45 am then heading over to Fort Wayne's Glenbrook Mall.

Join us on Wednesday nights 6:30 pm-8:00 pm for Youth Group

FOR PARENTS' INFO EMAILS or HAVE QUESTIONS:

Email bob@fccwarsaw.com OR lindsey@fccwarsaw.com

FOR INFO: www.fccwarsaw.com/students or follow us on Facebook: FCCRevolution or Instagram @FCC Revolution.

## **ATTENDANCE**

January-February 20, 2022 Weekly Avgs.

Sunday Morning Worship ......270
Adult Sunday Classes ......32

### **WELCOME**

BY BAPTISM & TRANSFER FOR MEMBERSHIP

Jesse Viers, John & Connie Peyton, Brendan Toungate

### **WELCOME BABIES**

MASON LINDSEY born 12/24/21 to Doug & Annalyse Lindsey



CONNOR MILLER
born 2/20/22 to
Brooke Miller

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**



2/27 Life in Drive 3/6 Remaining Alert 3/13 Don't Look Back 3/20 Obliterating Obstacles 3/27 An Uncontainable Explosion

Sunday Worship Services at 9:15 am & 10:45 am.



CPR TRAINING CLASS: Open to Anyone—spots limited. Sat., 3/19, 9am-2pm, Rm. 118. Sign up: fccwarsaw.com/cpr

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**



YARN WARRIORS: Wed. 3/9 @ 11 am. Rm. 126. Learn to knit or crochet. MANY WAYS to help. Yarn donations accepted. Can't attend meetings, you can still help out. ?s, Contact: Jociel Bowling, 517-320-3172.

LADIES' LUNCH BUNCH: Thursday, 3/10 at 12:30 pm. Meet at Palette, 2521 E. Center St., Warsaw, IN. Sign up by 3/6 at: www.fccwarsaw.com/events or at Women's Bulletin Board. ?s, call Sharon Parry 574-267-2215.

FIRST STEP CLASS: Together with Lead Minister, Matthew Rogers, we learn about FCC's history, vision, and making connections. Lunch and childcare provided. Join us on March 13th at 12 pm! Sign up at fccwarsaw.com/ events or email Joanna@fccwarsaw.com for questions and registration.





# CONVERSATIONS: A SIMPLE APPROACH TO SHARING THE GOSPEL

March 13, 20, 27 at 9:15 am, Rm. 125
Taught by Tom Stull from Gideons International
Even though every Christ-follower is called to regularly share their faith, few actually do. *Conversations: A Simple Approach to Sharing the Gospel* is a 3-session personal witnessing training course created by the Gideons International. Through a highly interactive format, participants will discover the simplicity of the Gospel and learn practical ways to share their faith with confidence. This course is for Adults & high School students. Sign up at fccwarsaw.com/adults by 3/6.

## **MARCH 2022**

LIFE GROUPS meet throughout the week!



Check out our website at: www.fccwarsaw.com



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
SP	RENG	1 9 am Homeschoolers Co-op 6:30 Women's Bible Study	2 9:30 Mens & Womens Bible Studies 6:30 Revolution	3 1 pm Quilting/Quilt Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.	4	5
6 9:15 & 10:45 am Worship / S.S. 10:15 am the IN-BETWEEN	7	8 6:30 Women's Bible Study	9 9:30 Mens & Womens Bible Studies 11 Yarn Warriors 6:30 Revolution	10 12:30 Ladies Lunch Bunch, Palette 1 pm Quilting 7 pm Praise Tm.	11	12
13 Daylight Savings 9:15 & 10:45 am Worship / S.S. 10:15 am THE IN-BETWEEN 12 pm FIRST STEP	14 6:30 pm Elders' Mtg.	15 9 am Homeschoolers Co-op 6:30 Women's Bible Study	16 9:30 Mens & Womens Bible Studies 6:30 pm Revolution	17 1 pm Quilting/Quilt Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.	18	19 8:30am Deacon's Mtg. 9 am CPR Class 9:45 am Youth to Mall Derby
20 Spring Begins 9:15 & 10:45am Worship / SS 10:15 am THE IN-BETWEEN	21	6:30 Women's Bible Study	23 10 am Newsletter Articles to Jo 9:30 Mens & Womens Bible Studies 6:30 pm Revolution	24 1 pm Quilting/Quilt Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.	25	26 9:30 am Women's Fellowship & Prayer Breakfast
27 9:15 & 10:45am Worship / SS 10:15 am THE IN-BETWEEN 12 pm NEXT STEPS	28 7 pm Care Bears	29 9 am Homeschoolers Co-op 6:30 Women's Bible Study	30 9:30 Mens & Womens Bible Studies 6:30 pm Revolution	31 1 pm Quilting/Quilt Tying 7 pm Praise Tm.		

#### **BIRTHDAYS—MARCH**

- Dan Findley
- 2 Sarah Fox
- Kaelynn Himes
- Matthew Rogers
- Dan Beam
- Michael Blue
- **Everett Kubley**
- Hannah Combs
- Brandon Fear
- 7 **Brandy Hunter**
- 7 Theresa Wilhite
- Jon Heck
- 10 Andrew Herendeen
- 12 Alyx Bates
- 12 Alex Knight
- 13 Jeremy Blue
- 13 Dominoe Custer
- 13 Carol Krider Martin
- 15 Christine Meck
- 15 Kathy Zehner
- 16 Ken Swain

- 17 Derek Guthrie
- 18 Nick Bell
- 19 Brandi Kelly
- 20 Elijah Neff
- 21 Emma Bingamon
- Betty Spurlock
- 22 Adam Gall
- 22 Charlotte Kubley
- 23 Jeff Carlisle
- 23 Zane Kelly
- 23 Brooke Miller
- 23 Terry Miller
- 23 Annita Murfin
- 23 Joel Zehner
- 25 Eileen Leek
- 26 Steve Burson
- 26 Chris Sanburn
- 28 Chris Hopkins
- 30 Haddie Welch
- 31 Linda Haughee

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### **ANNIVERSARIES-MARCH**

John & Connie Peyton

- 5 Jon & Sandra Heck Bill & Lynda Sanner
- 6 Kurt & Jenny Kruger
- Joel & Kathy Zehner 16 Ron & Deb Hunter
  - 22 Jack & Theresa Wilhite
- 25 Don & Cindy Viers
- 28 Chuck & Kris Pletcher



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













