

Here to Worship, Nurture, and Share

The Duncan Christian



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Wednesday, July 30, 2025

New! OFFICE HOURS

First Christian Church
Office Hours:
Monday—Thursday
8:00 am—4:00 pm
Closed Friday

DEACONS

Newly Elected Deacons!

You are invited to a training opportunity on Monday, August 4th in the Gathering Hall at 5:30 pm. We will review and practice the procedures our Deacons follow during worship service. Returning Deacons are welcome. See you then.

Linda Guest

Fellowship Time this Sunday!

Please join us in the Gathering Hall following worship this Sunday for a coffee fellowship!

Hosted by the Koinonia and Harmony Sunday School Classes



Coffee Fellowship

Email Prayer Chain

If you have an immediate prayer request, please contact the church office. With permission, and minimal details, an email will go out from the church office notifying those on that list at the same time.

If you would like to sign up for this prayer chain email list, please let Blake in the office know.

580-255-6116

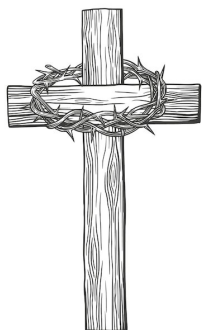
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The Amen Corner

Sunday morning you heard it correctly. The church office will be closed on Fridays starting this week, August 1. This change was approved by the church board at July's meeting after some discussion. The church office will remain open from 8am to 4pm, Monday through Thursday.

If you are in need of visiting with Blake or Kassie about church calendar, newsletter information, picking out a book from our library, or visiting about your pledge to the church, you can visit between 8 and 4, and they can give you a hand. If you are looking for Rev. John, you can come by to visit during office hours, you can call the office, or we can set up an appointment together. It is perfectly okay with me if we meet outside of office hours. I know many of us have schedules we try to stick to and if you need my attention, I am happy to visit you. Just because the office will close on Friday does not eliminate your ability to get into the church. If you call ahead of time, Rev. John, Frank, Jeff, and several of our church volunteers can help you get into the building if needed on just about any day of the week. Blessings, Rev. John Wheeler

Post Script. You might notice in this weeks newsletter a photo featuring Paul Craig, Rev. John Wheeler, Beth Cowan and Kassie Gilmore. The Duncan Little Theater submitted a large payment (one third of the money owed) on their mortgage. This is great news!



August 3—9

06 Tyler Garrett

08 Alex Majure

09 Richard Marks

03 Steve & Barb Beebe

CHILDREN WORSHIP & WONDER

"Jesus Feeds 5,000"

Bonnie Ross & Cyndy Spears

Oklahoma Disciples Women's Fall Retreat 2025

Finding God in the Midst

....of learning

....of serving

....of prayer and worship

....of balancing life

*I love those who love me,
and those who seek me find me.
Proverbs 8:17 (NIV)*

Camp Christian

Chouteau, OK 74337

October 3-4, 2025

- Break-out sessions
- Great Fellowship
- Missionary Moments
- Praise and prayers
- Labyrinth
- Inspiring Presenters
- Worship
- Good food



Arrive 4pm to 6pm Friday, dinner served at 6pm
Closing Communion at 2:30pm Saturday



Register by September 22

Pay Online! \$75 for over night. \$45 Saturday only

**Scholarships available but must be in by
September 12**

www.okdisciples.org

Contact Marilyn Bohlender, ODW President
580-483-5110 for questions



Benevolent Offering to be taken
this Sunday!

Due to the heat and increased prices,
the need for assistance is higher than
ever. Below is a total of the assistance
given this year. Thank you!

Type of Assist	Total Amount	Total # of Assists
utility	\$2,592.09	31
hotel	\$545.00	10
food bag	\$123.61	5
Total	\$3,260.70	46

COMING EVENTS

July 30—August 9

Friday, July 31

Church Office Closed

Sunday, August 3

Worship Service—Benevolent Offering

9:30 AM

Fellowship Time—Gathering Hall

10:30 AM

Monday, August 4

Deacon Training—Sanctuary

5:30 PM

Friday, August 8

Church Office Closed

**To provide flowers in honor or in memory of
a loved one, to the Glory of God, etc. Call the
Church Office. 580-255-6116.**

August 3, 10, 24, 31

September 7, 21, 28



*Altar
Flowers*

The FCC office will not be mailing out second
quarter contribution statements. If you would like
to have one, you will need to contact Kassie in the
church office and one will be mailed to you.

Thank you.



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If you would like to receive the Duncan Christian
Newsletter via email, please contact Blake in the church
office. If you must have the newsletter via mail, you will
have to call and sign up. Thank you.

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Thank you
Duncan Little Theater!



Nursing Home/ Assisted Living

Jane Aldridge – Villagio of OKC
Pat Elam – Canoe Brook
Bettye Hunt–Wilkins
Scotty Elliott–Elk Crossing

God's Love...it's Cookin'!
August 6 – Team Pace

STAFF OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Senior Pastor	Rev. John Wheeler
Staff Secretary	Blake Roquet
Business Secretary	Kassie Gilmore
Organist	Patty Jennings
Choir Director	Kevin Zinn
A.V. Team	David Spears & Alan Toler
Head Custodian	Frank Timmins
Custodian	Jeffrey Alvarado
Daycare Director	Audrea Clark
Daycare Programs Manager	Tosha Matheny

9:30 AM – WORSHIP SERVING SCHEDULE Sunday, August 3, 2025 Sanctuary

Sermon & Scripture “Guard Against Greed”

Luke 12: 13–21

Scripture Reader

Glynis Johns

Serving Elders

Wes Sullivan

Jay Smith

Serving Deacons

Head Deacon: Ross Hutson

Kelly Nelson

Linda Guest

Dianna Morgan

Greeters

Narthex: Ross Hutson

Gathering Hall: Arnold Nelson

Communion Preparation

Wes Sullivan

Communion Clean-Up

Ross Hutson

Assistant Treasurer

Lanna Harris Smith



Alice Smith
Rod Smith
Todd Scott
Gerad Boyer
Gilbert Hutson
Charlie Hays
Cecilia Richey
Gene Fuller
C.H. Barnes
Megan Minson

Paula Sue Hightower – Mother of Joy Galloway
Scotty Cannaday – Son of Karl & Kathy Jacobs
Shirley Brown – Family of Larry Culberson

July 27, 2025

9:30 AM Worship	66
Nursery	
Online Comments	12
Total Worship Attendance:	78
Sunday School Attendance:	

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