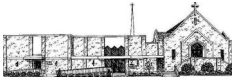


Here to Worship, Nurture, and Share



The Duncan Christian

THE WELL
A MINISTRY OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Thursday, March 5, 2020

*Daylight Saving Time
Spring Forward 1 Hour this weekend!*



BUNNY CAKES

YOUTH FUNDRAISER

Cost: \$25

Chocolate or Vanilla
(Coconut is on the ears only)

Pick up @ the Well

Wednesday, April 8 (evening)

Thursday, April 9 (morning, afternoon, evening)

Friday, April 10 (9:00 AM–12:00 PM)



Special Deliveries can be made – let the Church Office know if delivery is needed

Place your order by calling the Church Office or
signing up on the form in the Gathering Hall or @ the Well.

All proceeds go towards Youth Missions.

Call Holly Bailey at (405) 290-8653 for questions.

FCC SHIRTS FOR SALE

Red, Blue, Purple, or Orange

Short Sleeves

S, M, L, XL: \$15

XXL, XXXL: \$17

Long Sleeves

S, M, L, XL: \$18

XXL, XXXL: \$20

Sweatshirts

S, M, L, XL: \$20

XXL, XXXL: \$23

*Last day to order is
Wednesday, March 11.*

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

Elder Meeting

6:00 PM – Koinonia Room

Board Meeting

7:00 PM – Gathering Hall

GOD ADDED AND WE WELCOMED!

On Sunday, March 1, Joyce Spears Porter came forward to place her membership and was welcomed with open arms. We're blessed to have her as a part of our church family!

The Amen Corner

Daylight Saving Time will kick in this weekend at midnight. My regular plan is to move my clocks and watch forward early Saturday afternoon to condition myself. Since I naturally wake up too early anyway, it's no big challenge. Still, it annoys me for the hardship it works on churches. Preachers all over America, except for Arizona and Hawaii, American Samoa, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands would be cussing, if only they cussed.

We've had DST off and on since World War I, most recently set on its current schedule in 1970. It was explained as a way to get more out of daylight hours, for work and play. Roosters never opted in. Many scoff at it. Maybe me too. Still, they've proven violent crime and auto accidents decline once it kicks in. That seems pretty compelling. There's a move afoot to move it forward and leave it there. What is now Daylight Saving Time would be the new standard and stay put. I'm all for it.

This discussion is a reminder that change is a constant. There's always change going on. I'm not the most readily adaptive guy in the house. I still want to say this year is 192020. Still, the world, nations, churches, families, and individuals don't stand still. Change is coming. I've got an idea! This Saturday, set those clocks forward and come celebrate change together!

Glad to be your pastor,
Arnold



Church Women United
WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
This Friday, March 6
9:30 AM
Gathering Hall

FCC People & Happenings



Coming Up...



Birthdays and Anniversaries

March 8-14

- 11 Camille Hutson
Diane Keeler
Jaxon Mitchell
Brent Russell
- 12 Landry Askins
Brad Smith
Maurine Sullivan
Abigail Taylor
Dillon Teakell
- 13 Donna Hunt
Helen Sullivan
- 14 Arch Brashears
Bryan Peters

8 Chuck & Cortnie Siess

Thank You Notes

Dear FCC Cook Teams,

Shasta and I send out a huge thank you for all you do for the children coming to Wednesday UNite. The extra work you put in for their meals is very much appreciated. They enjoy the meals and the adult attention. This part of Wednesday UNite is so important for these kids. The social interaction with adults is very important; it helps them learn social skills they wouldn't experience otherwise. Feel free to stop by their tables and talk with them and encourage social interaction. Again, thank you for all you do for the kids.

Love,
Bonnie & Shasta

In Christian Sympathy

Our deepest sympathies are extended to JoAnn Mooney and family, upon the death of her brother, **Billy Friedrich** of Wenatchee, WA, who passed away on Saturday, February 22. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

F.O.C.U.S.

Monday, March 9

5:30 PM

DRH Atrium Café

Baby Dedication

On Sunday, February 23

Violet Anne Lanteri,

daughter of Tony & Valeria Lanteri,

*was dedicated to the Lord
at the Worship Service at the Well.*

*"...and he took the children in his arms,
placed his hands on them, and blessed
them." - Mark 10:16*

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Thursday, March 12

5:30 PM

Parlor



A-YIP-I-O-E-AY!



- ★ The First Christian Church Daycare & Learning Center is now fully staffed and just opened up the Owl Room for 3-year-olds! Director, Stephanie Wiggins, says several new kids will be enrolled this week.
- ★ While Richard Herndon may not be out of the woods yet, it's been confirmed that he does not have Lymphoma!
- ★ Penelope Hughes, Alyssa Mitchell, & Grace Peters will be leaving Friday, March 13, to attend the International Affairs Seminar in New York City & Washington, D.C. They will return on Saturday, March 21.
- ★ The total amount raised for Week of Compassion is \$1,891. This will be sent to aid in the recovery efforts due to the earthquake in Puerto Rico and the fires in Australia.
- ★ The Toy Shop sold over 1,400 tickets and served around 1,250 people at the Spud Lunch on Tuesday!
- ★ Congratulations to Emma Wilkerson for being selected for the DHS Pom Squad for a 2nd year. Rah Rah Emma!

COLLEGE STUDENT ADDRESSES NEEDED

If you have a college student this Spring, please call the Church Office (255-6116) with their address. We'd love to be able to send a College Care Package to your student!

FCC News & Activities

Wednesday UNite

March 11

Dinner begins at 5:30 PM in the Gathering Hall.

DINNER COST:

Kids through 5th Grade = FREE

Middle/High School = \$5

Adults = \$7

A "Feed a Friend" Fund has been established to cover the cost of dinner when needed.

Dinner Reservation Deadline: Noon on Monday, March 9.

***Sign up on the attendance sheets,

call (255-6116), or email: erica@fccduncan.com***

PLEASE MAKE A RESERVATION IF YOU PLAN TO EAT!

(even if you're part of the Cook Team preparing the meal)

IF YOU SIGNED UP BUT ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO ATTEND, PLEASE CANCEL YOUR RESERVATION.

MENU: Chicken Fried Steak Sandwiches, Fries, & Cobbler

Cook Team: All Star Men's Bible Class

Kids UNite—6:00 PM

(Pre-K-5th Grade) led by Shasta Smith

Youth UNite—6:00 PM

(Middle/High School) led by Trevor Evans

Adults UNite—6:00 PM

led by Arnold Nelson

BIBLE STUDY & LUNCH



Thursday, March 12

12:00-1:00 PM

Gathering Hall

"The Book of Esther" led by Arnold Nelson

Light Lunch: \$5.00

Please call the Church Office by Noon on Monday, March 9, to sign up!



If you'd like to provide a lily for worship on Easter Sunday, please turn in the following information to the Church Office **no later than Monday, April 6.** You may take the lily home on April 12 following the 10:45 AM Worship Service in the Sanctuary or @ the Well. Cost is \$35.

Number of Lilies: _____

Sanctuary ____ Well ____

Given by _____

In honor of _____

In memory of _____

To the Glory of God _____



CHILDREN WORSHIP & WONDER

Sunday, March 8

Leader: Esther Wylie



Palm Sunday — April 5

Brunch — 9:30 AM in the Gathering Hall

Maundy Thursday — April 9

6:30 PM in the Sanctuary

Easter Sunday, April 12

7:00 AM — Sunrise Service at Duncan Cemetery

8:30 AM & 10:45 AM in the Sanctuary

10:45 AM @ the Well

COMING EVENTS

March 8-14

Sunday, March 8

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| Good Morning Service in the Sanctuary | 8:30 AM |
| Sunday School | 9:30 AM |
| Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary | 10:45 AM |
| Contemporary Worship @ the Well | 10:45 AM |
| Couples Bible Study, Harmony Room | 5:00 PM |
| Women of the Word Bible Study | 6:00 PM |
| Kimberly Tilley's Home (2211 Twin Dr., Duncan) | |

Monday, March 9

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| Women of the Word Bible Study | 10:00 AM |
| Kimberly Tilley's Home (2211 Twin Dr., Duncan) | |
| F.O.C.U.S., DRH Atrium Café | 5:30 PM |

Tuesday, March 10

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| Staff Meeting, Office Conference Room | 10:00 AM |
| Elder Meeting, Koinonia Room | 6:00 PM |
| Board Meeting, Gathering Hall | 7:00 PM |

Wednesday, March 11

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| Realtors Luncheon, Gathering Hall | 12:00 PM |
| <i>Wednesday Unite</i> | |
| Dinner, Gathering Hall | 5:30 PM |
| Kids Unite led by Shasta Smith | 6:00 PM |
| Youth Unite led by Trevor Evans | 6:00 PM |
| Adults UNite led by Arnold Nelson | 6:00 PM |
| Handbell Choir Rehearsal | 6:00 PM |
| Chancel Choir Rehearsal | 7:00 PM |

Thursday, March 12

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| Bible Study/Lunch, Gathering Hall | 12:00 PM |
| <i>"The Book of Esther" led by Arnold Nelson</i> | |
| Duncan Cancer Support Group, Parlor | 5:30 PM |

**8:30—WORSHIP
SERVING SCHEDULE**

Sunday, March 8, 2020

Sanctuary

Sermon

Arnold Nelson

IF I Be Lifted Up

John 3:1-17

Scripture Reader

Marty Askins

Communion Prayer

Marty Askins

Greeters

Narthex

Janie Fitzgerald & Bob Jones

Assistant Treasurer

Charlie Hays

Communion Preparation

Marty Askins

Sunday School Superintendent

Rod Smith

God's Love...it's Cookin'!

March 7 — Team Pace

Ministers of First Christian Church

Arnold Nelson, Jr.

Trevor Evans

Staff Secretary

Erica Hancock Bennett

Business Secretary

Reba Ford

Organist

Patty Jennings

Sanctuary Choir Director

Kevin Zinn

A.V. Manager, Sanctuary

Richard Herndon

A.V. Manager, Well

Bruce Bailey

Praise Leader @ the Well

Jared Smith

Kitchen Hostess

LaDonna Brown

Head Custodian

Frank Timmins

Custodian

Stephen Stapp

Daycare Executive Director

Stephanie Wiggins

Daycare Programs Manager

Tosha Matheny

Nursery Director

Lacey Myers

**10:45—WORSHIP
SERVING SCHEDULE**

Sunday, March 8, 2020

Sanctuary

Sermon

Arnold Nelson

IF I Be Lifted Up

John 3:1-17

Scripture Reader

Donna Shaw

Serving Elders

Communion Prayer:

Rita O'Kelley

Invocation & Lord's Prayer &

Dedication of Offering:

Darryl Ross

Serving Deacons

Susan Elliott

Tom Freeman

David Herndon

Jeanna Russell (Head)

Anthony Scott

Gary Scott

Karen Scott

Donna Shaw

Randy Shaw

Greeters

Narthex

Paul & Linda Craig

Sanctuary Doors from G.H.

North: Randy Burum

South: Cyndy Spears

Assistant Treasurer

Galyon Russell

Communion Preparation

Marty Askins

Communion Clean-Up

Jeanna Russell

**10:45—WORSHIP
SERVING SCHEDULE**

Sunday, March 8, 2020

Well

Message

Trevor Evans

Serving Elder: Rod Smith

Host: Nate Johnson

Assistant Treasurer: Trent Cronk

In Our Prayers

Steve Bolt

Scotty Elliott

Richard Herndon

Paula Sue Hightower

Herb Lang

Ronnie & Kathy Thompson

Alan Toler

Honor Vaughn

Eddie Wiggins

Nursing Home / Assisted Living

Jane Aldridge — Canoe Brook

Sally Anderson — Elk Crossing

Esther Coker Bolding — Canoe Brook

Pat Elam — Canoe Brook

Carlyle & Lynda Galloway — Chisholm Trail

Billie Phagans — Elk Crossing

Carl & Evelyn Slifer — Ashbrook Village

Jackie Van Alstine — St. Simeon's Senior Community

March 1, 2020

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| 8:30 AM Worship in the Sanctuary | 37 |
| 10:45 AM Worship in the Sanctuary | 72 |
| 10:45 AM Worship at the Well | 64 |
| Children's Worship & Wonder | 4 |
| Total Worship Attendance | 177 |
| Sunday School | 38 |
| General Budget | \$ 15,544.03 |
| Week of Compassion | \$ 250.00 |
| Local Benevolent Offering | \$ 182.00 |



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