

First Christian Church – Newsletter



Family Info Sheet:

IF THERE ARE ANY CHANGES ONLY:
Please fill out a new Family sheet and don't
forget to fill out the back & volunteer.

Return to Celena, Please!

Pg. 2	Prayers in Need
Pg. 3	Serving List
Pg. 4	From the Minister
Pg. 5	Birthday/Anniversaries
Pg. 6	Kids Page/Puzzle



Potluck: January 12th
Bring your favorite dish
& dessert

Board Meeting
January 8th @ 8:00pm



Prayers for Healing

General: Evelyn Catron, Kevin Chrisman, Larry Cooper, Frank Cuff, Donny Curry, Earl & Kelly Dugger, Dianna Dunaway, Gloria Eubanks, Terry Franklin, Dennis Fujii, Damon Fuson, Kaitlin Grim, Running Bear Grimmet, Kyung-Ja Ha, Ashley & Noah Haddock, Veronica Handcock, Elizabeth Hinojoso, JC Hopkins, David Isaacs, James Jones, Curtis Jordan, Spook Lacey, Lisa Lawson, Madilyn Lens, Norma Littledeer, Roger & Fran Lockhart Jr, Maxine Malcolm, Nancy McLemore, Donna Mary, Kate Mc Donald, Dora McDowell, Jim McGee, Ron McGuire, Jeff & Tammy McLaughlin, Frank McPherson, Jeff Myers, Victoria Owens, Lenox Price, Bill Ramsey, Kathy Ritter, Tommy Roberson, David Roberts, Johnny Ross, Rogelio Salinas, Steven Sellers, Kevin Smith, Dennis Springwater, Charlene Swepston, Titus Vaus, Steve Wilson, Carolyn Carson-Wise, Ron Woodward, & World Revival.

Cancer: Billie Asbill, Lisa Benge, Donny Camp, Ceola, Derek, Dale Cauffman, Patricia Dority, Norma Eli, Shannon Eubanks, John Garrett, Jenny Guthrie, Amy Hammer, Jeremy Isaacs, RD Ketcher, Viola Lopez, Natisha Martin, Cathy Matthews, Joe Means, Steve Meredith, Steve Murray, Dashika Ray, Ron Ruen, Shannon Rock, Becky Salinas, Scott Smith, Sherman Swepston, Danielle Unger, Madeline Watkins, & Donna Wolf.

Military: Casey Eubanks - Air Force; LT. Jack Greer - Army; Spencer Simmons - Army; Alan Starr - Air National Guard;

Special: Damon Fuson, Veronica Handcock, Kyung-Ja Ha, Lenox Price, Tommy Roberson, Johnny Ross, Kevin Smith, Dennis Springwater,

*And all unspoken prayers



Pray for our Missions we support:

ACRC Food Pantry; Bridge Church Of Marion; Northeastern Campus Fellowship at NSU; Cookson Hills Christian Children's Ministry; Good News Productions; CIY; Pioneer Bible Translators; Ninos De Mexico; Mexico Christian Children's Home; Jim and Terri Riley-Honduras; Collegio Biblico; India Christian Bible College; Stilwell Ministerial Alliance & Sunset Bible Camp.

Serving List:

3

Jan. 5th

Table: Rex Earl Starr & Cy Bray

Distribute: Warren Golden, Dan Butler & Cole Hill

Announcements: Dan Butler

Shut ins: Daryl Johnson & Grady Ritter

Prep: The Bray's

Jan. 12th

Table: Fred Holtz & David Dotson

Distribute: Alan Starr, Rick Eubanks & Heath Guffey

Announcements: Rick Eubanks

Shut-ins: Fred Holtz & Dan Butler

Prep: The Ritter's

Jan 19th

Table: Grady Ritter & Daryl Johnson

Distribute: Justin Spear, Cole Hill & Warren Golden

Announcements: Daryl Johnson

Shut-ins: Rex Earl Starr & Ron Rhoads

Prep: The Holtz's

Jan 26th

Table: Lynn Carson & Charles Benham

Distribute: Alan Starr, David Dotson & Ron Rhoads

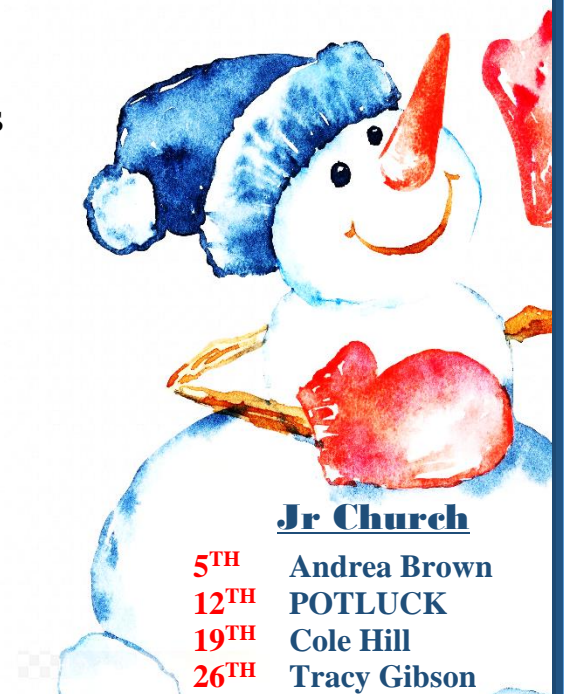
Announcements: David Dotson

Shut-ins: Cy Bray

Prep: The Dotson's

Nursery: Vicki Cox-Wilson & Linda Roedenbeck

Greeters: Fred & Ronda Holtz



Jr Church

5TH Andrea Brown
12TH POTLUCK
19TH Cole Hill
26TH Tracy Gibson

From The Minister



Vicki & I want to sincerely thank the church and many individual members for their thoughtfulness and gifts during this Christmas season. I don't know that we are deserving, but we are truly thankful.

Our desire is simply to be a blessing to each of you and to serve you in any way possible. We want Christ to be foremost in everything we do and say. Please never hesitate to call us and let us know how we can help you.

As we envision a new year, a prayer by Sir Francis Drake speaks to my heart ~ ~ and hopefully yours also.

Disturb us, Lord, when we are too well pleased with ourselves,
when our dreams have come true because we have dreamed too little,
when we arrive safely because we have sailed too close to the shore.

Disturb us, Lord, when with the abundance of things we possess,
we have lost our thirst for the waters of life;
having fallen in love with life, we have ceased to dream of eternity;
and in our efforts to build a new earth,
we have allowed our vision of the new Heaven to dim.

Disturb us, Lord, to dare more boldly,
to venture on wider seas where storms will show your mastery;
where losing sight of land, we shall find the stars.

We ask you to push back the horizons of our hopes;
and to push in to the future in strength, courage, hope, and love.



*Happy New Year
Eldon & Vicki*



january Birthdays:

2025

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		1	2 Chase Buckner	3 Zada Lynn Taylor	4 Brooks Kindle	5 Tena Bartholomew
6 Jaymie Bates	7	8 Landon Smith	9	10 Elaina Starr-Spear	11	12
13	14 Talon Thurber	15	16	17	18	19
20 Megan Arnett	21	22	23	24 Rick Eubanks	25 Nikki Starr	26
26 Kodi Ross & Samuel Jones	27	29	30 Lauren & Shannon Catron Rex Earl Starr	31 Natalie Johnson		

Bible Quiz

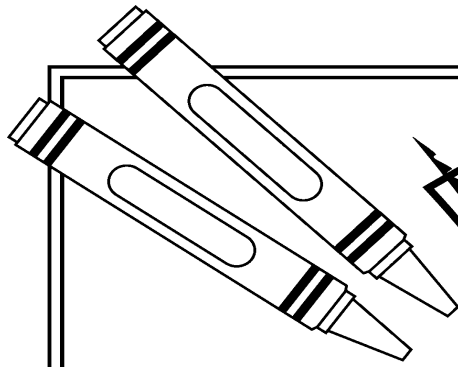
Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”



At the start of a new year, we remember that God continually gives us new chances. What does Jesus say to a woman caught in adultery?

- A. “Go, and from now on sin no more.”
- B. “Not even in Israel have I found such great faith.”
- C. “Peace be with you.”
- D. “Tell no one what I have done for you.”



PUZZLE

The Beginning

The start of a new calendar year is a great time to praise God for his amazing creation.

Directions: Read Genesis 1:1-3 (NIV), below. Place the underlined words into the crossword. One letter has been provided to help you start.

*I*n the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters. And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light.

