

Global Ministries of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and United Church of Christ

I have become a stranger to my brothers, an alien to my mother's sons. Psalm 69: 8

The Church of Christ in Thailand (CCT) was started by missionaries in the early 1800s. Now it has more than 900 churches nationwide and 150,000 members. Global Ministries partners with CCT to minister to the 1.2 million people in Thailand who belong to ethnic minority groups, such as the Karen, Hmong (Meo), Yao (Mein), Akha (Egaw), Lahu (Musoe), and Lisu.

Many hill tribe people, although they were born in Thailand, do not have birth certificates, meaning they have no citizenship, no identification documents, and no legal identity. The lack of citizenship means that these ethnic minorities are considered illegal aliens in their own land and have little access to basic services like education and health care, employment, and the right to own land.

Searching for Identity and Citizenship for Ethnic Minorities in Thailand is a new project by CCT. Nine volunteers help villagers apply to become Thai citizens. The project expected 100-200 individuals to receive citizenship documents in the first year of the project. As of August 2010, almost 1,000 people had filed for citizenship. Of those, 210 had been granted citizenship and an additional 776 were registered and waiting.

Among the 210, Mayuree and her three younger sisters recently became Thai citizens. Their father and mother had obtained citizenship years ago, but due to lack of education Mayuree's parents did not know how to register their children. Mayuree said, "I am very happy to receive the citizenship. I am a Thai now. I am happy because I can go to school and obtain public services that other Thai people receive."

Please pray for this new project, and the impact it has on improving the lives of so many.

Global Ministries works with the Church of Christ in Thailand to fund the Citizenship project.



Medical Mission Trip to Venezuela

Our regional church, in partnership with the Rocky Mountain Synod of the United Church of Christ, is planning a medical mission to Venezuela in September.

The mission is in need of translators (Spanish), medical personnel and other volunteers (non-medical). If you're interested, learn more by calling Barbara Hanst at Boulder's First Congregational Church (303/443-1397).

General Assembly in Nashville

Our Disciples family will gather in Nashville for its biennial family reunion on July 9-13. In addition to great worship (with thousands sharing in communion and song) and amazing workshops, learning experiences and a huge book/church supply store, speakers will include Fred Craddock, Brian McLaren, Marian Wright Edelman, Holly McKissick and more. Drop by the church office for registration forms and hotel information, or go to www.disciples.org/ga.

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Christ's transforming grace and love
to share hope and life in community.

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*The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases,
his mercies never come to an end; they are new
every morning; great is your faithfulness.*

A Moment With Tim

"In the seventh year there shall be a sabbath of complete rest for the land, a Sabbath for the LORD: you shall not sow your field or prune your vineyard." Leviticus 25:4

About a year and a half ago I started to plan for sabbatical. At the time it seemed very far away. Now it is fast approaching. I will begin my time of sabbatical on June 13 and finish on September 13. During this time I will not be in contact with the church. My family will also be absent from the life of First Christian. My regular responsibilities of preaching, worship leading, pastoral care, and administration will be handled by the staff, Elders, General Board, Ministries Cabinet, and other volunteers. It is exciting to see so many people who are willing to share their gifts with the church. On Sunday, June 12th, we will have a covenant and commissioning service. Please plan to be present on this important Sunday.

Sabbatical is a time of reflection, renewal, rest, and reconnecting with God. Because of this, reading and prayer will be an important part of the process for me. In addition to this I will be exploring how other congregations have served their communities in exciting ways. During the first week of my sabbatical I will be traveling to St. Louis and Kansas City to visit several Disciple congregations. Following those visits I will have some vacation time with family in Ohio and North Carolina. Jodi and I will attend the General Assembly of the Disciple Church in Nashville, Tennessee.

Our whole family will then head for Argentina for three weeks. We will renew friendships, spend some time in our children's place of birth, and connect once again with the church community there. Upon our return I am planning to visit some local congregations and attend a conference on Faith and Culture.

I give thanks that sabbatical leave is becoming a tradition in many churches. It has proven to be one of the greatest gifts for the ministry of pastors and congregations alike. I give thanks that First Christian had the foresight to provide sabbatical as part of my call. I give thanks for so many people at First Christian who are stepping up during this time of my sabbatical. More than ever I am seeing the ministry and gifts of this community shine through. Thanks be to God! Know that you will be in my prayers during this time, and I would ask for your prayers as well.

Bendiciones (Blessings),

Jim



~ Bereavement ~

We extend our deepest sympathies to John Hammons and the Berg and Reed families in the passing of Norma Hammons on May 18th.



Summer Schedule

On Sunday, May 29th, we will move to our summer worship schedule. As in years past, we will have one Sunday service at 9:30 a.m. We will not have Sunday School in the summer, although we will have Children's Church during the service periodically.

Thank You to the Church Family

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of my church family for all the wonderful cards, warm wishes, and prayers for a speedy recovery. The rehab and therapy are really working. I didn't know I had muscles in some places they were found. Also, many thanks to Rev. Tim for his visits. In Christian love,
Sincerely,
Jack Holland



New Members & Dedications

On May 8, 2011, Mari Mireles joined First Christian Church and her daughter, Nevae Alizae Buck, was dedicated to the Lord. Nevae's father is Zachary Buck; her godparents are Raeanne Horner and Justin Walden.

Aurelia Brieanne Reed, daughter of Josh and Lynde Reed, brother of Zayden, granddaughter of Deanna Reed and Debbie and Darron Berg, and great-grandchild of John and the late Norma Hammons, was also dedicated on May 8.

Mr. Kevin King became a member of FCC on May 15. We thank the Lord for these blessings.

CRMR Women's Conference

The Women's Renewal Conference of the Central Rocky Mountain Region will be held September 16-18 in Colorado Springs at the Glen Eyrie Conference Center. Registration deadline: July 1st. CWF will contribute \$75 toward your registration fees even if you are not a CWF member! If you would like more information, please speak with Judi or go to www.centralrockymountaindisciples.org.

A Note to Youth and Their Parents

This summer is filled with great events & opportunities for the youth to grow closer to one another and to God! There will be events when we are able to spend a lot of time together and there will be periods when we have very little contact with one another—please know that I am always up for lunch, and I am always just a phone call or text away if anyone needs anything! ~Pastor Linda



FCC Crafting Crowd



Make plans now to join the First Christian Church Crafting Crowd (FCCCC for short) as we endeavor to "catch up" in June. Whether or not you've joined us before, you are welcome to join us at 10 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. on June 15 in the "Art Room" in the Education Wing of the church. Our group, led by the self-named Commander Caren Renee Haining will revisit the projects engaged in during the first half of the year. The topics are: "Greeting Cards," "Tumbled Tile Coasters," "Jewelry Making" & "3-D Paper Crafting." If you missed any of the sessions or want to make more of the items, this is your chance to revisit these areas.

Tools, equipment, supplies and training will be provided. In order for the Commander to prepare properly, please sign up using the sign-up sheet in the south hall. If you need more information, contact Caren Renee at 353-7613. Her e-mail address is: thehainings@comcast.net.

Thank You Note

We would like to thank everyone who was so good to visit John when he was sick. Thank you also for the food and many cards we received. A special thanks to Rev. Bobbitt for the visits and the memorial service and the CWF ladies for serving coffee and cookies afterwards.

There are so many to thank, I hope I haven't forgotten anyone.

The John Campbell Family



Book Club Meets June 1st

The FCC Book Club is currently reading *Prayers for Sale* by Sandra Dallas (a popular Colorado author). This story is set in a Colorado mining town in 1936 and tells the story of a young newlywed who stops to buy a prayer from an elderly widow and gains not only a prayer, but a friend. We will be meeting to discuss the book on Wednesday, June 1st, at 6:00 p.m. at Connie Harbert's house.



Pastor Linda's Hours

Pastor Linda's hours this summer will be Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00–1:00, with the exception of 4th of July and Labor Day. Pastor Linda will attend Chi Rho Camp June 25th through July 2nd; General Assembly: July 9th through July 13th; Mission Trips: July 23rd through August 6th.

Navajo Work Trip 2011

Plan now for our mission trip to the Navajo Nation on September 21-25.

You will create connections with fellow workers from many churches, along with some of the Navajo people. You will also enjoy the opportunity to respond to your calling as a servant of God who knows that Jesus calls us to love our neighbors as ourselves. You can provide improved housing and personal caring for people who need a lift of love and friendship.

Registration forms are available in the hallway outside of Fellowship Hall. Talk with Connie Harbert for details.

Extravagant Generosity?

Have you heard of this term before? I was recently looking at a series on stewardship for our fall campaign that Tim shared with me called *Extravagant Generosity*. The title piqued my interest. Have you ever thought of your giving of money and time to the church as generosity? How about extravagant generosity?

According to the dictionary, the definitions of generosity include readiness for giving and freedom from meanness or smallness of mind or character. These definitions bring a different twist to how we may think about giving to the church—both in our time and money.

The Lord blesses us in so many ways that it is impossible to say thanks enough, but giving a little back as a token of our appreciation is all that is asked for. It takes us away from a specific act, to a way of life. Look for more exploration of this subject over the coming months.

David Haining, Stewardship Chair

Pastor Linda's Ponderings

"Where can I go from your spirit? Or where can I flee from your presence? If I ascend to heaven, you are there; if I make my bed in Sheol, you are there. If I take the wings of the morning and settle at the farthest limits of the sea, even there your hand shall lead me, and your right hand shall hold me fast. If I say, 'Surely the darkness shall cover me, and the light around me become night', even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day, for darkness is as light to you." Psalm 139:7-12.

As I was driving to Fort Worth, Texas to pick up my daughter after her freshman year at TCU, I used my phone's GPS system. It was amazing because no matter where I was, even if it was in the middle of nowhere, the tracking system would find my location; it would find me and then tell me which way to go! Even when I missed a turn, the system stayed calm and cool and never said anything mean or unkind—it simply told me the name of the next street and the best way to proceed.

As I thought about the GPS system and how great it was, my thoughts turned toward God, and I began to reflect on Psalm 139. I love the thought that no matter where I go or how far I travel, God is there with me—there is no place I can go where God is not.

And there is more! God is not only with us, but God actively seeks us out and searches for us in order to guide us in the right direction. When we make a wrong turn, God is there to gently turn us around and set us on the right path. God is willing to do this over and over again. There are no boundaries for God; his love and mercy have no end!

I am grateful for the time alone and the time spent in reflection, for GPS systems, and for the guidance of God in my life and the lives of others. I am grateful for the sky and the fields and for the many ways that God reveals his love for us and for all of humanity. I am grateful for God's love and mercy and for the knowledge that God is always with us no matter where we go.

Youth News for June

Elijah Meets God at Horeb

"He said, 'Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by.' Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake; and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence." 1 Kings 19: 11-12

We live in a world that is full of distractions - some of them good and some not so good. Either way they add to the noise and sometimes confusion in our lives. If God speaks to us in the sound of sheer silence, then how can we even begin to hear God in the midst of all the noise? One way we do this is through others - we can see and hear God through the voices of our friends and family. Another way is through the words we find in the scriptures - we are able to hear what God has said and how he has moved in the history of all humanity. Another way is through prayer and taking time not only to share with God, but to listen - which is sometimes the most difficult to do.

This summer there will be all sorts of opportunities to experience many things - some good and some not so good. I want to encourage you to spend time with your friends who have a strong faith, to spend time reading the scriptures - that's right, I said reading the scriptures. There are many types of writings in the Bible - poetry, narrative, parables, biographies, drama, humor, wisdom and law. Picking up and reading the Bible is more fun than you think! If you want something specific to read, just ask me and I can give you recommendations. Spend time in prayer, and spend time intentionally listening for God.

There are many voices out there. Make sure you are taking time to listen to the voice of God because God has something really amazing to say to you!

JUNE ACTIVITIES:

5th - CYF Mission Trip Meeting for youth and parents at 10:45 a.m. in the Parlor.

Chi Rho Mission Trip Meeting for youth and parents at 6:00 p.m. at Heart of the Rockies Christian Church, Fort Collins, Colorado.

6th through 10th - VBS - 9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

19th - CYF and Juniors leave for La Foret - The van will probably leave at 1:45 p.m. from the church for both camps.

24th - Discovery Camp

26th - Chi Rho Camp

JULY EVENTS:

CYF Mission Trip to Fort Worth, Texas - July 23rd - July 30th.

Chi Rho Mission Trip to Alamosa, Colorado - July 31st - August 6th.

Dear FCC: Please pray for our campers and staff and later ask them about their time at camp!

Jude





Katelyn's Mission Trip to Belize

Have you ever been a part of a group that did not work together? Or a group that could not get anything accomplished because the members never stopped arguing? Musical groups break up because of arguing and infighting, sports teams lose games because individual players try to be the star and do not work together.

Every year the senior class from my school, Dayspring Christian Academy, goes on an international mission trip. This year my class went to Bermudian Landing, a village in Belize. Including Bermudian Landing, we volunteered at schools in villages close to Bermudian Landing. At the schools we hosted a vacation Bible school, with sports, snacks, crafts, music, and story time. At the church we planned a Wednesday night service. Something we did not expect at that Wednesday night service was another mission group that arrived earlier in the day to also have something for the service as well. They had prepared a skit about the Body of Christ, which seemed to be God trying to tell our class that we needed to work together.

Before we left for the trip we had a hard time agreeing on anything. Everyone believed they had a better idea than anyone else. Even though we have different gifts and talents, we never even tried to work together; the only thing we could do really well together was argue. A lot of the time it was a personal thing, more about not liking the person who made the suggestion than not liking the suggestion itself. We would argue about basically everything, from what songs to sing for the Singing Valentine's fundraiser, to where to go for the senior mission trip. Sometimes even if we did not have any other option, we would argue because we did not like the person who made the suggestion. This happened when our class was deciding on a class verse—only a few people wanted the verse that was suggested, but the people who disagreed did not make any new suggestions, only said they did not want the suggested verse.

When we got to Belize there were no big arguments, which was basically a miracle. We stopped trying to push through our own individual ideas and started working together doing what we were good at. We had taken money down there to buy supplies for the schools and church we had volunteered with. When deciding how to spend the money, we agreed on all the amounts immediately without arguments. At the schools and the church we did not argue about what we individually wanted to do and did what we could do that needed to be done for the schools and the church.

By each doing what we were good at, we accomplished more than if we had always been arguing about unimportant things. Working together was not always easy to do. For the most part we did well, but there were a few arguments. Understandable since we were spending basically twenty-four hours a day together. No one tried to do anyone else's job or take on anyone else's responsibility.

Working together is hard to do, but necessary to accomplish many things. To win games, players on a sports team must work together. To play music that sounds good, members of an orchestra or band must listen to each other and play together. As Christians we need to work together with our faith community to live out our faith.

~Katelyn Waldo



Pentecost Special Offering

On behalf of a grateful church, I want to thank you in advance for your support of the new church movement. More than 12 years ago, Rev. Richard Hamm wrote in his book, 20/20 Vision, that he envisioned the creation of more than 1,000 new Disciples churches between 2001 and 2020. Many thought that this was an unachievable objective.

At Pentecost in 2011, we Disciples stand just beyond the halfway point towards our 2020 goal. I am pleased to report that the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) has started more than 692 new congregations since 2001, reaching more than 42,000 new Disciples.

One of the most recent church plants is in Prosper, Texas, where the North Texas Area of the Southwest Region has called Doug Kriz, along with his wife Meredith and two small children, to Prosper to gather a yet-to-be named community of faith. We ask your church to pray for the Kriz family and all of our new church planters as they live out their mission to help bring people into relationship with Christ.

The Pentecost Offering is evenly divided between the region where the offering was taken and New Church Ministry. The offering is used to directly support starting new congregations and funds the recruitment, assessment, training and coaching of our new church planters in the first two years of their new plant. We invite you to join us in expanding the new church movement by supporting these courageous leaders through prayer and financial assistance.

Charlie Wallace
Minister, Congregational Relations

Birth Dates, E-Mail Addresses

Have you ever given us your birth date or your e-mail address? Please call or e-mail the church office at 352-1292 or fccadmin@comcast.net.

A Prayer for a Discipleship Church

My Church is composed
of people like me.
I help make it what it is.
It will be friendly, if I am.
It will be holy, if I am.
Its pews will be filled,
if I help fill them.
It will do great work, if I work.
It will be prayerful, if I pray.
It will bring others into its worship,
if I invite and bring them.
It will be a church of loyalty and love,
of fearlessness and faith,
of compassion, charity and mercy,
if I, who make it what it is,
am filled with these same things.
Therefore, with the help of God,
I now dedicate myself to
the task of being all the things
that I want My Church to be.
-Adapted from the Diocese of San Diego



The Yard Sale raised \$1,244.39!



The youth will use 90% of the money toward their mission trips and tithed the rest to Outreach.

Let's Go to the Rodeo!

Round up the family and let's head over to the Greeley Stampede Rodeo on June 28! There will be sign-up sheet on the easel outside Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$12. Meet at the church at 5:00 to ride the bus together if you would like to save money on parking fees, or we'll see you at the rodeo at 7:00 p.m.





Christian Women's Fellowship

The CWF will not have a general meeting again until September; however, groups will meet in June for their socials. Peace Group will meet on June 2nd at 11:30; location TBA. Kindness Group will also meet on the 2nd at 11:30 at Cattlemen's. Joy Group will meet at Connie's house on the 21st for lunch. Please see your group leader for details.

Our new CWF Board will have an organizational meeting on July 7th at 9:30 a.m. in the parlor. The first general meeting for next year will be September 1, 2011. Study books for next year will be Have You Ever Seen a Hearse Pulling a Trailer? by James W. Moore. Each group will have a book, but if you wish to have your own copy, you will need to purchase that on your own.

The CRMR Women's Renewal Conference will be held September 16-18 in Colorado Springs at the Glen Eyrie Conference Center. The registration deadline is July 1st and CWF will contribute \$75 toward your registration fees! If you would like more information, please speak with Judi or go to the Web site at www.centralrockymountaindisciples.org.

Christian Men's Fellowship Group

The Christian Men's Fellowship Group will meet on **June 11** from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. All men from the church, neighbors, friends, and relatives are invited to attend. It is a great way for someone to more informally get to know our church. Current plans are to have breakfast, fellowship, and a program.

Thanks to all the men who helped serve dessert at the annual Daughter's Dessert evening. You all did a superb job and helped make the evening a success!!



Church Financial Update

Income 2011	Budgeted Year to Date	\$89,145.52
	Actual as of 4/30/11	\$88,594.31
Expenses 2011	Budgeted Year to Date	\$89,145.52
	Actual as of 4/30/11	\$86,600.89



Elder's Message

Here at First Christian Church there are many jobs to be done, but no one person has the gifts or talents to do all of them. Christ calls us to do more than just warm a spot on a pew. Not everyone can sing in the choir (especially me), or be an Elder or teach a church school class. However, there is a job for everyone.

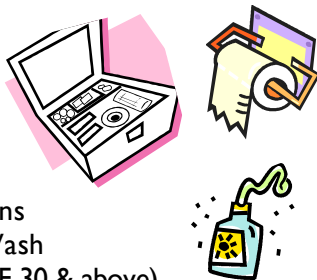
Paul in writing to the Christian Church at Corinth said: "Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles; second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? But strive for the greater gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way." I Corinthians 12: 27-31.

Next time you are asked to serve in some capacity, consider it carefully, even pray about it. Someone saw the potential in you to serve in that way. Remember, we are one body, but many members. It takes us all at First Christian Church to serve Christ in this place.

Jim Prichard

Tennyson Center Needs for June

- Chapstick
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Toilet Paper
- Hand Lotion
- First Aid Kits
- Super Tampons
- Kids' Body Wash
- Sunscreen (SPF 30 & above)



Labor Day Campout Plans

Mark your calendar now and sign up on the Camping Sheet posted on the bulletin board near Fellowship Hall. We have made reservations for Mountain Park Campground, 21 miles west of Highway 287 on Highway 14. It's situated amid ponderosa pines along the south shore of the Cache La Poudre River.

The group camping area will accommodate tents and RVs. Volleyball & basketball courts and horseshoe pits are available. There is even an enclosed building we will use for cooking/eating.

If we have 10 families it will cost each family about \$34 for three nights. We can check in Friday, September 2nd, at 2:00 p.m. and stay until 1:00 p.m. on Monday, September 5th. Hazel and Bob Gibson and Carl and Carolyn England will be FCC camp hosts this year. Please contact them if you have further questions. Campers will meet later this summer to make plans for this traditional camping event.



Letter From Room at the Inn

FCC has been notified that after several months of prayerful consideration, Room at the Inn has suspended operation of its ministry. According to Leighton Mekeal, pastor of First United Church of Christ and chair of the RATI board of directors, a season of renewal is needed following a very trying transition period after the resignations of several key staff members.

Leighton wrote, "All of our current families have been placed in housing. Please know that the one amazing constant in our situation has been the gift of our Host Congregations! You all have been incredible and your constant support has been a blessing. You have helped change the lives of countless persons to self-sufficiency and hope."

He has invited our input and our prayers as the board considers the future of the ministry.

Baby Bottle Campaign



A baby bottle represents the nourishment we received from someone who loved us and took care of us when we couldn't do it ourselves. Someone was there to help us grow physically. Someone was also there to introduce us to God and help us grow spiritually. Who were those people for you?

From Mother's Day until Father's Day we have the opportunity to help others grow. This year our donations will be given directly to the Disciples of Christ Church in Argentina. Pastor Tim and his family served as missionaries in Argentina from 1996-2004 and will be visiting this July. Our offering will benefit many outreach programs for children, youth, and families. Please fill the bottles with your spare change & return them to the church on Father's Day, June 20th.

Youth Water Fun Postponed

The Youth Group Year-End Celebration and Water Fun was postponed due to questionable weather and conflicts with graduation parties. It has been re-scheduled for June 5. Details are still being worked out; watch the weekly caller or talk with Pastor Linda for more information.



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June Birthdays



3 Dorothy Boston	9 Carla Ikenouye	16 Emily Warntz	19 Kelli Hays
4 Morris Allison	9 Marla Johnson	17 Connie Davis	26 Fred Tjardes
4 Kathy Lee	13 Carol Smith	18 Carolyn Schroeder	29 Bernie Holland
6 Amy Haining	14 Richard Simon	19 Louise Graber	30 Rich Recor
			30 Paul Schneider



Who Ya Gonna Call?

While Pastor Tim is on Sabbatical (June 13–September 13) we plan to continue a thriving ministry. We have made plans to try to cover all areas.

As is true whether Tim is present or not, Susan Neeley and the church office are central to our communication. Susan is in the office most weekdays between 9 a.m. and 3:30 pm. You can leave a voice message outside of office hours if your message is not urgent. Susan will either help you or get your information to the correct person. Phone 970-352-1292 or email: fccadmin@comcast.net. Call or email the church office if:

1. You have a prayer concern to be shared on the prayer chain or prayer list in the bulletin.
2. You have a pastoral care need (hospital, requested visit, funeral plan, situation in which you need spiritual help).
3. You are unable to serve in worship and have found a replacement.
4. You would like to schedule an event or meeting at the church (Susan is the schedule keeper).

If you have a pastoral need and the office is closed, you can contact Pastor Linda at 970-217-6325. If Linda is not around, please contact Lena Morris at 970-301-0273 or Connie Harbert at 970-381-6858. Each week an Elder will be on call to help with pastoral care, but we ask that Linda, Lena, or Connie be your initial contact.

As always you may also contact our various leaders to share a thought of thanksgiving or concern:

General Board Chair: Shannon King; Trustee Chair: Rich Recor; Elder Chair: Connie Davis; Worship: Nita White; Property: Gary Ikenouye; Outreach: Hazel Gibson; Education: Alicia Loschen; Stewardship: David Haining; Membership: Shannon King; Staff Relations: Caren Renee Haining; Youth: Kris King. A complete list of leadership can be found on the Web at fccgreeley.com or in the front office.

~The Sabbatical Team



Save the Date!

VBS will be June 6-10.

9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

Join us for a Picnic at 5:30 on Friday and listen to the VBS Children's Choir on Sunday, June 12th.



Our theme this year is God's Love is Everywhere!

We will visit Israel, Kenya, Somalia, Japan & Venezuela—and Greeley!

Registration forms are available outside Pastor Linda's office. Come join the fun!



Vacation Bible School



Current needs include: duct tape; cereal boxes; sidewalk chalk; soup cans or plastic frozen juice cans; shoe box lids; 1 bag of play sand (not colored); new or like new white t-shirts (children's and small adult sizes); old copper pennies; 10 2-litre bottles of diet, clear-colored soda pop; 10 cylindrical packages of Mentos candy; white cardstock; wooden or plastic chopsticks; and small bottles of glue.

A bin for these items is located in Fellowship Hall.

If you can donate or help in any way, please contact Alicia Loschen, Jodi Bobbitt, or Caitlin Berg.

Servers for the Month of June

	June 5	June 12	June 19	June 26
Worship Coordinator this Month:	Nita White			
9:30 Sanctuary Service				
Preacher	Tim Bobbitt	Tim Bobbitt	Linda Harding	Connie Harbert
Elder: North	Kris King	Nita White	Roger Harbert	Jim Prichard
Elder: South	Nita White	Roger Harbert	Jim Prichard	Kris King
Worship Leader	Caren Renee Haining	Judi Ring	Diane Doyle	Gretchen Howland
Song Leader	Rich Recor	Bill Kehl	Connie Davis	Gerre Tjardes
Sound Operator	Katelyn Waldo	Bruce Waldo	Caren Renee Haining	Gary Ikenouye
Van Driver	Paul Warntz	Fred Tjardes	Jim Ploegstra	Gary Ikenouye
Diaconate	Connie Harbert ±	Connie Harbert ■	Connie Harbert ⇐	Connie Harbert ▲
	Nick Harding ±	Nick Harding ■	Nick Harding ⇐	Nick Harding ▲
	Kristin Rone ▲	Kristin Rone ±	Kristin Rone ■	Kristin Rone ⇐
	Carolyn Rainbolt ▲	Carolyn Rainbolt ±	Carolyn Rainbolt ■	Carolyn Rainbolt ⇐
	Susan Luecht ⇐	Susan Luecht ▲	Susan Luecht ±	Susan Luecht ■
	Jim Luecht ⇐	Jim Luecht ▲	Jim Luecht ±	Jim Luecht ■
	Shannon King ■	Shannon King ⇐	Shannon King ▲	Shannon King ±
	Daniel Recor ■	Daniel Recor ⇐	Daniel Recor ▲	Daniel Recor ±
Greeters	Jim, Susan Luecht Ron, Charlotte Shetler Carl, Carolyn England	The Heatherlys White Family Darron, Debbie Berg	Julie Hoskins Norma Basey Marie Caster	Marilyn Lesser Kathleen Davis Betty Jensen
Coffee Hour Host	Need Volunteer	Need Volunteer	Need Volunteer	Need Volunteer
Acolytes	Baylee Brems Emilee Ploegstra	Nathan Bobbitt David King	Weston Boyce Becky Boyce	Austin Loschen Hunter Evans
Children's Moment	Erika Hartmann	Kris King	Linda Harding	David Haining
Children's Church	Pachi Stanley Brady H, Lauryn W	Family Sunday Family Sunday	Pachi Stanley Daniel R, Andrew B	Family Sunday Family Sunday

KEY: Preparation = ± Clean Up Sanctuary = ▲ No Extra Duties = ⇐ Clean Up Communion = ■

If you are unable to serve on your designated Sunday, please make arrangements for a replacement. Please notify your team leader and the church of any changes.