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**Pastor Claude Shue** 



Website www.fccfredonia.org Sunday school: 9:00 AM. Worship 10:30 AM. God's Praise Warriors Thursday 4:00-5:30 PM. Office hours: Mon. – Thurs. 9:00 – 2:30 PM. Secretary: Cheryl Rice

#### **Our Mission Statement**

To help one another grow in Christian faith through worship, witness, fellowship, and service to our community and the world.

# **February 27 Caller**



# Prayer Concerns

**Condolences: to the family of Betty Wimer** 

In the hospital:

**Local Concerns**: Marilyn Compton, Rex & Tina

**Thomas** 

<u>Continuing Concerns</u>: Clara & David McCluskey, Nadine Timmons, Howard Svaty, Louise Kelsey, Mardina Gregory, Wayne Sircoulomb, Bob Compton, Evelyn DeCou, Lois McBride, Diane Carver, Linda Shue, Evelyn Tarter, Lois Ramsey, Charlie North, George Chapman, Helen Smith, Louise Morrison, Margaret Shinkle, Imogene Walton

Our extended family: Janice Spohn Barrows, Rita Renfro, Bill Ward, Debbie Sunthimer, Brenda Firr, Sharon Heien, Myla Farwell, Chuck Baker, Maxine Wilson, Charles Kennedy, Betty Bell, Laura Banning, Melody Billings, JR Schwarz, Emily Hudson, Justin Voorhies, Brenda Lockhart and our uniformed men and women serving our country at home and abroad. All storm and wild fire victims as well as shooting victims.

<u>Please call the church office (378-4118) with</u> <u>information or updates</u> related to illnesses, hospitalizations, crisis, or immediate family deaths, so that care can be offered.

Serving in the Military: Griffin Voorhies- Marines

#### **Financial Report**

Sunday	General Offering
Feb. 17	\$1134.78
Feb. 24	\$1778.33



# Happy Birthday!

Feb. 27 – Sondra Harrelson Kendall Pryor Mar 04 - Lucine Reed Baker\*



First Christian Church Family,

Thank you for being there for us during this difficult time. We appreciate your steadfast prayers and enjoyed the delicious meal prepared for our family. It has been a comforting blessing to each of us.

With Love. The families of Barbara Neill



The Celebration of Life Service for Wauneta Shaver was beautiful. We would like to thank the ladies for the wonderful lunch. It was very much appreciated.

Larry & Diane Shaver, Karen & Gary Hoffsommer, and Diane Kissel

**Notice** – Hospital Auxiliary Bazar and Chicken Noodle Dinner will be **here March 01** from 11:00 – 1:00p.m.



# Called to Serve - March

#### Sunday, March 03

Table Elders: Mike Jeffers & Darin Vaughn Home Communion: Marvin Gregory Deacons: Ray Barger & Cary Hutton

Deaconesses: Pat Hilyard & Becky Ramsey

**Greeter: Tina Thomas** 

Usher: Rex Thomas AV. Nancy Burns

Children's Chat: Becky Ramsey

Lay leader: Jess Reed

## Sunday, March 10

Table Elders: Mary Compton and DeAnna Vaughn

Home Communion: Ed Viers

Deacons: Mary Shue & Matthew Malloy Deaconesses: Pat Hilyard & Becky Ramsey

Greeter: Doris Claiborne

Usher: Cleda Robinson AV. Merlyn Ramsey

Children's Chat: Becky Ramsey Lay leader: Nancy Rogers

#### Sunday, March 17

Table Elders: David Rogers & Carl Thornton

Home Communion: Darin Vaughn

Deacons: Pat & Jess Reed

Deaconesses: Pat Hilyard & Becky Ramsey

Greeter: Delores Kempinger

Usher: Marilyn Compton AV. Jess Reed

Children's Chat: Becky Ramsey Lay leader: Mary Compton



in March

Thursday, March 07, 2019, 7:00 P.M. Fellowship Hall – Nancy Burns Lesson Leader and

Hostess

All Ladies of the church invited.



# A Message from Pastor Shue

I am hopeful that spring like weather is just around the corner for us. I'm

just not sure which corner this time. Please mark March 06, 2019 on your calendar, and put 7:30 A.M. on there as well. This is when we are going to have our Ash Wednesday Service. This is the first Ash Wednesday Service since I have been here so we are going to have it in the chapel. However, if the turnout is larger than expected we will move to the sanctuary. Also for those unable to attend the morning service I will be in my office from 8:00 – 4:00 p. m. and I am willing to place ashes on your forehead during these times.

Because Ash Wednesday is the start of the Lenten season I would like to briefly talk about how important it is for us as Christians to show the Creator God that we too are willing to give up something that is important to us during this time. For example we might give up meat or some other important thing in our daily lives. In a very small way we are reminded each time that we are unable to enjoy the small pleasures in our lives, of the huge sacrifices that the Father God and his Son Jesus Christ have made in our lives. As believers of Jesus Christ we need to show those around us that we are aware of these sacrifices by the wearing of the sign of the cross on our foreheads on Ash Wednesday. This small act is just one more way for us to show God that we are trying to bring glory to Him in this sinful world. I hope to see each of you at the Ash Wednesday Service.

I hope each of you have a truly blessed week.

Your Servant in Christ,

Pastor Claude Shue



7:30 A.M. March 06,2019
First Christian Church Chapel
303 N 7<sup>th</sup> (Playground entrance)
Fredonia, Kansas
Everyone Welcome!
Continental breakfast following in
Fellowship Hall

Pastor Claude will have a come and go imposition of Ashes for those unable to attend.



# **Camp Supplies**

#### **Greatest Need:**

- Paper Towels, Napkins
- 13 & 33 Gallon trash bags
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Flower sack dish towels
- Dish cloths

#### Other needs:

- Comet/soft scrub
- 55 gallon trash bags
- Zip-lock bags qt and gal sizes
- Crock pot liners

## **Not Needed:**

- Plastic wrap
- Dish soap
- Paper plates
- Bar soap
- Kleenex





There will be a church family pot luck dinner next Sunday, March 3, as we say "So Long and thank you" to our friend Phyllis Leckey as she moves to Rogers, Arkansas.

Meatballs and Cheesy Potatoes drink and table service will be furnished. You are invited to bring a salad, side dish, or dessert.

A basket will be available for cards.



### **On Our Calendar**

Feb. 27- 9:00 a.m. Prayer Group 9:00 – 10:00 Exercise Group 5:00 – 6:45 p.m. Cadet Girl Scouts 7:00 p.m. – Choir Practice

Feb. 28 -9:00 -10:00 a.m. Exercise Group

Mar 01– 9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Exercise Group 11:00 – 1:00 Hosp. Chicken Noodle Dinner

Mar. 03 –Noon Dinner for Phyllis Leckey 1:30 – Morningstar Worship

Mar 04 - 9:00 -10:00 a.m. Exercise Group

Mar 05– 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Homeless Matters 4:00 – 6:30 p.m. Youth

Mar 06 -- 7:30 a.m. Ash Wednesday Service 9:00 - 10:00 Exercise Group 5:00 - 6:45 p.m. Cadet Girl Scouts 7:00 p.m. - Choir Practice

Mar 07 – 7:00 p.m. CWF Hearts in March

Mar 08 - 9:00 -10:00 a.m. Exercise Group

Mar 11 - 9:00 - 10:00 Exercise Group

Mar 12 - 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Homeless Matters 4:00 – 6:30 p.m. Youth New Caller

\*Articles for the caller may be edited due to length, content, or for clarification.

If needed please pick up a camp schedule at church. I was unable to add it to this Caller in the on line version. The print version that is mailed out has it.