

Grace Notes

Enjoying the Gift of God Together at FCPC!

December 2017

Julie and Louis Lester
December 27

Julie and Donn Shaffer December 28

December Birthdays

Becky Grabow December 1 Christ Nanfito December 3 Judy Vandermeulen December 4 Laura Shaner December 13 Bret Klabunde December 18 December 20 Mary Beth Brandt Madison Nelson December 21 Hunter Bolen December 28 Neale Shaner December 29



DATE CHANGE!!!!!!!! ORNAMENT EXCHANGE AND BRUNCH

Please join the women of FCPC for our annual Christmas Ornament Exchange and Brunch.

DATE: December 16, 2017

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: FCPC Fellowship Hall

Children are welcome this year and we also hope that you will invite family and friends to attend. Please bring a Christmas Ornament wrapped as a gift to exchange and a covered dish or other brunch item to share.

New Member Orientation

If you are interested in learning more about FCPC, then you are invited to come to an orientation time scheduled for December 3rd following worship.

This will be a time to hear what FCPC is about, and answer any questions you have about the church.

You can RSVP @

Inclement Weather Policy

pastorgreggfcpc@gmail.com

If they cancel school, there are NO activities at the church.

Worship is never cancelled!

NEXT SESSION MEETING DECEMBER 10, 2017

NEXT DEACON'S MEETING DECEMBER 17, 2017

RECYCLING The next recycling date is:

DECEMBER 16th
8:00—Noon
There are 2 shifts available, please
visit the sign up sheet and help
where and when you can.

POINSETTIAS

Order forms are available on the tables by the Sanctuary entrances beginning November 19th through December 3rd.

To place your order for poinsettias to honor or remember loved ones and/or friends, complete an order form, attach your check or cash to the form and place in offering plate or basket.

Poinsettias will be on display Sunday, December 17th and 24th.

Poinsettias cost \$7.00 each. Please indicate if you would like pink, white or red.

Please plan to pick up your poinsettia(s) after Christmas Eve worship, which is at 5:00 pm on 12/24. Thank you.

Worship Team Marcia Delehoy Gloria Penas



In December we will be collecting Peanut Butter and Jelly for the Washington County Food Pantry!

Christmas IS Cancelled!

Join us for our annual Children's Christmas program

Date: Sunday, December 17th

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Fort Calhoun Presbyterian Church

Rehearsal mayhem on stage becomes so crazy that our narrator finally announces "Christmas IS Cancelled". What happens next is a wonder to behold. No one can cancel Christmas. Christmas comes no matter how dark the world., how confused the people, how discouraged the church because in the middle of chaos God's Baby, our Gift, is born.

THAT IS THE PROMISE THAT KEEPS CHRISTMAS COMING.

IT'S JESUS. ALWAYS JESUS!

Please join us after the program for a cookie reception.

Quiet Room

There is a "quiet room" available by the coat room with a rocking chair for any parent that would like a spot to sit with their infant and still listen to the service.

Junior High Youth Group 5:30 p.m. Every Wednesday except 2nd Wednesday of the month

Come join the fun and bring a friend or two!

STU SPRICK AND RITCH NELSON HAVE ONCE AGAIN PROVIDED THE CONGREGATION WITH BEAUTIFUL CALENDARS. PLEASE PICK YOURS UP TODAY.

THANK YOU!

NURSERY

With the amount of people coming to worship with toddlers, we thought it would be a good idea to try out a nursery.

The nursery will be located in the Education Building in the far classroom. There will be people signed up each week to watch them.

Feel free to drop off your kids and enjoy the worship and know that they are in capable hands!

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

DECEMBER 3RD 6:00 pm

DECEMBER 10TH 6:00 pm

The 2017/2018 Church Elders and Deacons

Administration - Jack Dill, Laura Pullen

Congregation – Reg Boyer, Fred Schutz

Education - Jeff Shaner, Kristy Bolen

Membership - Nancy Boyer, Pat Arndt

Mission - Michelle Quinlan, Tracy Baxter

Worship – Gloria Penas, Marcia Delehoy

Deacons – Betty Kucera, Katie Moriarty, Barb Moriarty, Linda Bluedorn, Robin Anderson, Gloria Meyer, Michelle Nelson, Mary Jo Dolinsky, Jamie Bouwman

Clerk - Nancy Boyer

Treasurer - Ralph Bluedorn

Session Meets the 2nd Wednesday of Each Month at 7:30 p.m. Deacon's Meet the 3rd Wednesday of Each Month at 6:30 p.m.

DECEMBER 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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6:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group at Miller's Home	4	5	5:30 Jr. High YG 6:00 RR 6:00 Faith Village 6:30 Confirmation 6:45 Choir 7:30 Lifegroup	7 3:30 Bible Study 6:30 Bible Study	8	9 10:30 am Christmas in Calhoun 2:00 pm Kayla Seefus Baby Shower
10 10:30 Session Meeting 6:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group at Miller's Home	. 11	12	13 5:30 Jr. High YG 6:00 RR 6:00 Faith Village 6:30 Confirmation 6:45 Choir 7:30 Lifegroup	3:30 Bible Study 6:30 Bible Study	15	10:00 am Ornament Exchange
17 10:30 Deacon's Meeting 6:30 pm Children's Christmas Program	18	19	20 5:30 Jr. High YG 6:00 RR 6:00 Faith Village 6:30 Confirmation 6:45 Choir Lifegroup	3:30 Bible Study 6:30 Bible Study	22	23
5:00 pm Christmas Eve Worship 11:00 pm Christmas Eve Worship	25	26	27	28	29	30

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