



The Long View

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:15 am – Sunday School
10:30 am – Worship Service in Sanctuary
(Currently on Facebook Live only)

OFFICE HOURS

(Temporary Hours during COVID 19)

Monday-Thursday
9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Friday
9:00 am – 12:00 pm)

(Post Covid 19 Hours)

Monday – Thursday
9:00am – 4:30pm
Friday
9:00am – Noon

CHURCH STAFF

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Senior Minister

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Associate Minister

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In 2001, the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) embraced a bold vision: to start 1,000 new churches in 1,000 different ways by the year 2020. And we did it! We STARTED 1,034 NEW CHURCHES . . . AND COUNTING!

Express your gratitude for what God has done and contribute to the continued work of starting more churches. Your gift to the Pentecost Offering will help the movement continue.

The Mini and Day Camp experience will be ONLINE this year due to the COVID19 pandemic. Please fill out the form on our website EVEN if you had previously signed up for Mini or Day camp. To sign up and get more info go to fcclongview.org/daycamp



In honor of Virtual Day Camp 2020, let’s round up at least 1,023 food items for Longview Community Ministries!!

LCM Needs:

- Peanut Butter
- Canned chicken & tuna
- Pasta
- Canned fruit

Drop your donations off at First Christian Church’s covered drive on 7th St. in Longview on Saturday, June 6 from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm.

Rumor has it that Dr. Emerson will get a pie-in-the-face if the 1,023 goal is met. Maybe two pies!

The mission of this congregation is the proclamation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through all areas of its’ life and work, witnessing in all situations to the grace of God in Jesus Christ, thereby seeking in all people a response in faith and commitment to him.

Matthew 28:18-20

**MARK YOUR
CALENDAR!**

JUNE

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Sunday morning, while Mom and I were waiting for our Virtual Church Service to begin, Mom spied into our back yard and was surprised and delighted to see an Easter lily blooming on its own. The plant was displayed in the sanctuary most likely Easter Sunday, 2018 along with other lilies we had placed in honor of Dad, Mom's Dad, Uncle Jack Leak and other deceased relatives of ours. The sole lily's bloom was still alive and vigorous Memorial Day!

J. M. Jones

Congratulations to Ann and David Grimes on the birth of their grandson, Theodore Issac Graviett on May 13.



**FELLOWSHIP
DINNERS ARE
CANCELED TILL
FURTHER NOTICE.**

**Give
Online**

If you are able to make your offering/tithe, please do so. Remember you can mail your tithes to the church office at 720 N. 6th St., Longview, TX 75601 or give online at www.fcclongview.org/give. **BE SURE TO SIGN IN AND CREATE AN ACCOUNT BEFORE YOU GIVE FOR THE FIRST TIME. IT WILL BE PASSWORD PROTECTED.**



If you have a prayer requests, please contact the church office or go to:

fcclongview.org/prayerrequest
or click on the link in our church app.
We will continue to pray for those who are in need.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Please be in contact with each other. Checking on others and staying connected is very important during this time. Let others know you are thinking of them.

Printed sermons are available in the church office. There is a mailing list that goes out on Monday. If you or someone you know would like to be added to the list, please contact the church office.



We will not have any more regularly scheduled Zoom calls this month.

Stay tuned for additional dates and activities in the future.

Please stay safe and keep the faith!



ANNUAL GARAGE SALE!

Our **tentative** date for our annual garage sale is August 12 – 15. Stay tuned for details to follow!



The Board of Disciples Crossing has decided to cancel all camps for Summer 2020.

Go to:

[fcclongview.org/summercamp2020](https://www.fcclongview.org/summercamp2020)

to watch a video explaining the decision. You can also go to:

[https://www.disciplescrossing.org/emergency-risk management](https://www.disciplescrossing.org/emergency-risk-management)

for more information.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES!

Tyler Alan Bachtell
White Oak High School

Katherine Gale Fields
Spring Hill High School

Justin Cole Hickerson
Spring Hill High School

Jacob Jackson Roberts
Gladewater High School

Taryn Rebekah Herbert
Hallsville High School

Adult Sunday School

Apart for a Time,



Together in Spirit

ABC Class – *Honoring God, NIV Standard Lesson Commentary*
Meets 4th floor, West End, Last Room
Teacher: Rotating

ACTS Class – *Epic of Eden: Jonah* by Sandra Richter
Meets 4th floor, East End, Last Room

Cornerstone Class – *The Present Word – Living in Covenant* by Donald K. McKim
Meets in Cornerstone Hall
Teacher: Rick Shepherd

GNG Class — *Lectionary*
Meets in Conference Room
Teacher: Rotating

Seekers Class – *Epic of Eden: Isaiah* by Sandra Richter
Meets 4th floor, East End - Last Room on Right
Teacher: Bill Holloman

Sojourners – *Parables* by John White
Meets in 4th Floor Library
Teacher: Jodi Bachtell

New Class – *The Book of Luke* by J. Ellsworth Kalas
Meets 4th Floor "old" Vision's Classroom
Teacher: Charles Bachtell

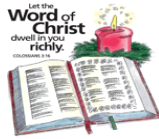
LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR:

Sunday, June 7 -

Genesis 1:1-2:4a; Psalm 8;
2 Corinthians 13:11-13; Matthew 28:16-20
Dr. Richard Emerson

Sunday, June 14 -

Genesis 18:1-15, (21:1-7); Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19;
Romans 5:1-8; Matthew 9:35-10:8, (9-23)
Dr. Richard Emerson



Attendance

WORSHIP SERVICES

May 24.....Online Service
May 31.....Online Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL

May 24.....No Classes
May 31.....No Classes

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can see scriptures, pictures and upcoming
events.



Members and Friends Prayer List

Members: James Egner & family, Howard Buchanan Family, Aaron Turner, Don Wilson, Donna Park, Glenda Bruce, Rick Johnston, Chris Shelton, The Williams Family, David Farmer, Jolene Auderer, David Dolive, Brigitte & Logan Damewood, Sharon Lundgren, Pat & Bob Terrell, Colton Rieger, Fran Grimes, Don Auderer, Jodie Johnson, Kenneth Glaze, J. C. Fort, Randy Cook & family, Betty Scott, David Grimes, George Terrell, Isabel Terrell Family, Sue Davis, Lacey Cline, June Green, Debi Plaxco, Bill Moorman, Barbara Dickinson, Ramona Dickinson, Nita Lindsay, Martha Cochran, Mary Flatt, Billie Ogden, Margaret & Carlos Griffin

Friends: Bill Newman, The Parents of Tommy Newton, The Brown Family, Diana & Mark Miller, Kyle & Vicki Couser, Deb Clouatre, Teresa Turner, Brittany Gill, Ted & Rhonda Martin, Jamie, Melinda McKnight, the Kisner Family, The Gilbert Family, The Lomelo Family, The Marsh Family, David Smelley, Dede Baumgarner, Lori Hughes, Eva Davis, Sarah Cotter, Kenneth Reece, Children with cancer, Caregivers, Dementia Patients

As well as: Our homebound and shut-in members; our nation, government, military, police and fire department personnel; and those who do not yet know Jesus' love and saving grace.

We extend Christian sympathy to the Egner Family upon the death of Marilyn.



Also to the family and friends of Howard Buchanan upon his death.

The next publication of "The Long View" will be mailed on Thursday, June 18. If you have an article you wish to include in "The Long View", please e-mail it to bkirkindoll@fcclongview.org or bring it to the church office no later than noon Thursday, June 11.

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