



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)

OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, July 6, 2020

CHURCH STAFF

DR. RICHARD C. EMERSON
Senior Minister

REV. EVAN DOLIVE
Associate Minister

REV. MIRANDA DOLIVE
Minister of Music

AARON TURNER
Organist

LAUREN WARREN
Children's Director/
Child Care Coordinator

AMANDA GRIMES
P.R.E.P. School Director

NANCY HOLLOMAN
Interim Financial Secretary

GEORGE TERRELL
Sunday Coordinator

BETTY KIRKINDOLL
Secretary

RUTH LEWIS
Maintenance Manager

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We will resume “in person” worship on Sunday, June 28. Many of you completed the online survey and the responses were positive. We will be following CDC guidelines using these recommendations:

Limit of 50 people in the sanctuary and 25 in the balcony (with overflow in Disciple House)

Wearing of face masks

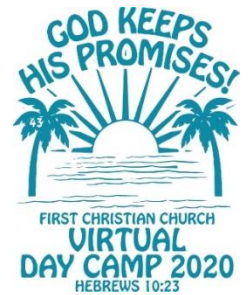
No Congregational singing

No child care will be provided

No Sunday School

For those not ready to return for “in person” worship, please continue to watch online each week.

Virtual Day Camp is this week. There is a video each day (Tues., Wed., Thurs.). On Friday, the 19th, we are airing our Vidday project. All of these videos (and a link to printables) can be found on the church website fcclongview.org/daycamp, on the church's Facebook page, and on the FCC Day Camp page. Goodie bags are available in the church office while supplies last.



T-shirts can still be ordered from Alicia Connolly at whimsicalwear903@gmail.com.

We will have Day Camp Sunday on June 21. It is still just a virtual streamed service. We will sing camp songs and hear a collaborative sermon based on our camp theme, Hebrews 10:23, God keeps his promises!



We would like to wish all of our Fathers a “Happy Father’s Day!”

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

Stay informed by going to
www.fcclongview.org



Please welcome our new
Financial Secretary, Harriett
Harrison! Stop by to meet her.

Congratulations to Sandi
Holyfield upon her
marriage to Ray Stanley!



Annual Garage Sale!
July 29 – 31, 2020

Setup for the garage sale will begin June 20 – 24
and the 28th.

We will start accepting drop offs on :

Tuesday, June 23 Tuesday, July 7
Tuesday, June 30 Tuesday, July 14

Drop off time: 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm (someone will
be there to assist you). **All items need to be in
boxes if possible!**

Please bring your treasures and come help us get
ready for this annual sale. We need help to make it
successful. Anyone can help!

Call Chris Shelton if you need pickup of a large
quantity of items or large items at **903-353-4063**.

Items Needed: All items are accepted with the
exception of old TVs. Flat screen or panel TVs are
acceptable. All other items are welcome including
pieces of furniture.

**Please come and help with the garage sale setup
and days of the sale. We need your help to make
it successful. See Calendar insert for more
information on drop off dates in July and the dates
of the sale.**



**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
request, 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!



Our food drive for Longview Community Ministries was a huge success! We exceeded our goal of 1,023 food items. We collected 1,766 items so . . . Reverend Emerson and Rev. Ev each got a pie in the face! You can watch this on our Facebook page.



In years past, we have requested volunteers and cakes to be taken to the Rusk State Hospital for an annual "Birthday Party".

Due to COVID-19, we will not be allowed to attend a party or bring cakes, however, we are collecting donations to send to them so they can continue to have this event. If you would like to participate, please send your donation to the church office with the memo: Rusk Birthday.

Thank you. The recipients will be very grateful.

!!!CORNERSTONE CLASS!!!

You may pick up your Summer 2020 *The Present Word* Adult Bible Lessons in the church office.



UPDATE FROM DISCIPLES CROSSING

It is our sincere hope that Fall retreats will resume as they have in the past. Further, we have already begun planning Summer 2021 to make it out of this world and even better than ever!

We want to address a couple of groups specifically: Youth currently in 12th grade and getting ready to graduate: we are looking at some ideas specifically for you. We know that this Summer was one you have been looking forward to since you started coming to camp. We will do our best to figure out a way for you to have your moment.

Youth currently in 8th grade and looking forward to Eighters: Never fear there will be Eighters for you! This is a camp we know you have been waiting for since you were old enough to know to wait for it. Be patient: just a little longer as we continue to make plans for you.

The camp staff and all decision makers are devastated that we don't get to fulfill our calling this summer and minister to each and every one of you. Please keep the Board of Directors, the Programming Committee members, summer camp directors, counselors and camp staff in your prayers. This is also a financially devastating decision. If you are able please consider donating to the camp.

Adult Sunday School



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

Members and Friends Prayer List

Members: David Dolive, Gay Gilbert, Ric McNulty, James Egner & family, Howard Buchanan Family, Aaron Turner, 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: Cora Faith Brewer, 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, 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 Betty Lyn Collier and family upon the death of her son, Ken Collier.



Also to Terry McKnight and family upon the death of his sister-in-law, Melinda McKnight.

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or on social media!

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Follow us on Twitter at twitter.com/fclongview

where you can see scriptures, pictures and upcoming events.



LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR:

Sunday, June 21 – Day Camp Sunday

Genesis 21:8-21; Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17;

Romans 6:1b-11; Matthew 10:24-39

Collaborative Sermon



Sunday, June 28 -

Genesis 22:1-14; Psalm 13; Romans 6:12-23;

Matthew 10:40-42

Dr. Richard Emerson

The next publication of "The Long View" will be mailed on

Thursday, July 9. If you have an article you wish to

include in "The Long View", please e-mail it to

bkirkindoll@fclongview.org or bring it to the church

office no later than noon Thursday, July 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS VS EXPENSES

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