

First Christian Church Newsletter

June 2, 2026

"... a planting of the Lord." Isaiah 61:3

(270) 333-2115

SERVANT SCHEDULE

June 7, 2026

Nursery: Julie Hendrickson and Reagan Hendrickson

Beginner's Church: Ellie Shouse and Daylee Shelton

Children's Church: Melissa Gatlin

Communion Meditation: Caleb Jenkin

Sunday Hallway Monitor: Matt Willett

Sunday School:

PREK and K: Janie Shouse and Lisa Jones

1st – 5th Grades: High School Youth

Middle School: Caitlin Nikolai

High School: Jared Austin and Cierra Austin

Adult Class: Charlie Watson

Coffee, Donuts & Communion Prep: Paul Steelman and Dennis Eastwood

Greeters: Trig Dayberry, Ross Gatlin, Isaiah May, Bennett Simmons and Trig Thompson

Computer: Alan Dayberry

Cleaning: Upstairs Section #1: Liz Wadlington

Upstairs Section #2: Brandi Wells

Youth Meet Sunday Evenings: Middle School: Class 4:00 p.m.

High School: Meal and Class 6:00 p.m.

Sunday Night Youth Group Meal: **Volunteer Needed**

Sunday Pray Gathering: Meet in Church Sanctuary at 5:30 p.m.



It is with great joy and gratitude that we announce that **Jared Austin has been chosen as our new Senior Pastor**. After much prayer, thoughtful discussion, and unity among our leadership and congregation, we believe God has clearly led us to this moment.

Jared brings a deep love for Jesus, a shepherd's heart, and a passion for preaching the Word. We are excited to support him and join him in the work God has prepared for our church in the days ahead.

Please join us in praying for Jared, his family, and our church as we step into this new season together.

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Purpose. Devoted. Community Committed.

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SAT 7/4
SUN 7/5

ALL-4-ONE
The Band Perry
BEN FULLER

THE GOURMETS
LACS
JOSH BALDWIN

SHOULDER + CRAFT
MEGAN WOODS

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MYLES GEE
DON READY

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STAY IN THE LOOP. SIGN UP FOR THE NEWSLETTER AT: MADISONVILLELIVING.COM

Meal Train for Sunday Night Youth

We need volunteers for Sunday night Youth meals (serving 30–35 people). Please sign up to help using the following link: <https://mealtrain.com/ee9v9l>



We are sincerely grateful for the outpouring of support from our community for the Food Pantry. Your generosity has made a significant impact in meeting the needs of those around us. During the distribution in April, your contributions enabled us to provide food assistance to **20** families, reaching a total of **61** individuals. Thank you to everyone who donated and helped make this effort possible.

Donations to the Food Pantry are needed throughout the year. Current items needed include spaghetti noodles, spaghetti sauce, macaroni and cheese and peanut butter. All donations are welcome and appreciated.

The June distribution will take place on Saturday, the 20th from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.



Vacation Bible “Cool” School Announcement

“Snow” Much Fun This Summer!

Vacation Bible “Cool” School Details

Join us for our upcoming Vacation Bible “Cool” School—a fun and faith-filled summer event for the whole family.

- **Dates: July 22–24**
- **Time: 5:00–8:00 p.m. each evening**

Invite your friends and family to enjoy a meaningful week of Bible learning, engaging activities, and fellowship. We look forward to welcoming everyone for a memorable time together.

Volunteer Opportunities

We are currently seeking volunteers to help make our Bible School a success. If you are interested in assisting, please contact either Melissa Gatlin at (270) 752-0540 or Lissa Neitz at (270) 952-0399. Your support is appreciated!

Please use the QR code to register for VBS.



June 14-18 High School Camp, Grades 9-12
June 22-26 Kids Camp, Grades, 4-6
July 6-10 Epic Camp, Grades 6-8

A registration link has been added to the church website sturgisfcc@org and to the church app. For those needing financial assistance, the codes are STURGIS50 AND STURGIS100.



Monday, Women’s Bible Study: Class meets in the Fellowship Hall at 4:30 p.m. For more information, contact Jane Ann Henshaw at (270) 952-2112.

Friday, Men’s Bible Study: Meet in Fellowship Hall at 6:15 a.m.



Breckenridge Place Retirement Community Ministry: Suzanne & Melissa will be providing music and songs on the first Monday of the month at 10:00 a.m. For more information and to get involved, please contact Suzanne Woodring or Melissa Gatlin.

Happy Anniversary!

JUNE ANNIVERSERIES

5 William and Tara O'Daniel
17 Bill and Heather Lewis
18 Cosmas and Christy Russelburg
20 Jim and Trish Young
29 Keith and Bonnie Conrad
30 Caleb and Kristian Jenkin



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

2 William Wolles
3 Luke French
8 Bill Lewis
10 Sarah Thompson
18 Ellie Shouse
20 Chuck Evans
24 John Tom Hagan
26 Adrian Mills
27 Ryan Davis
28 Lauren Hendrickson
28 Michael Wadlington
30 Charlee Baird

Remember in Prayer

Is there someone that you would like to add to our prayer list? Please e-mail the church office at secretary@sturgisfcc.org or call the church office at (270) 333-2115. You may also make prayer requests on the Church Website sturgisfcc.org.

- Carl and Connie McNichols- their marriage
- Mary Winders -life challenges-
- Jesse Smith- Ryan Utley's Stepfather has cancer
- Chad Garrett
- Myrna Eastwood

- Kevin Hardin- Karen Bate-Levy's nephew
- Betty Stone
- Maggie Nelson
- Becky Adamson
- The Haitian Village of Ticampeche
- Virginia Quinn
- Katie Cooper
- Doby and Amy Waggener
- Christin Jackson (Chemotherapy)
- Greg Greenwell-Health)
- Lane Baird
- Bryce Gill, Cierra Austin's -cousin-liver, and kidney issues
- Adrian Mills- Health issues
- Kale Gernatt
- Joey Bells-Life choices
- All who suffer with addictions
- FCC Trustees, Elders, Deacons, & FCC Family
- The Meadows Ministry, Children, and Families
- The FCC Food Pantry Ministry
- All Missions throughout the World,
 - All the Missions that FCC supports
- Our Country and its Leaders
- Pray for Israel, Haiti, and Ukraine