Life at FRC

Today at FRC . . .

Greeters:
Feb 8 - Ken & Jean
Welcome Center: Lisha
Feb 8 - Lisha
Coffee Cleanup: Les
Feb 8 - Sammy
Coffee Host/Hostess: Paul, Candy
Feb 8 - Cheryl, Peggy
Newcomer Table: Jason
Feb 8 - Kim

Kid Connection: Kenzie, Jacob
Feb 8 - Krista, Kara
Worship Center: Chrissylynn, Morgan
Feb 8 - Sarah, Kira
Nursery: Brooke, Rachel, Marcia
Feb 8 - Heather, Brittany, Alaina
Screen Tech: Luke
Feb 8 - Ryan
Sound Tech: Ryan
Feb 8 - Kent

10:00 A.M. - Worship Service Pastor Dan E/Jesus Class
11:30 A.M. Praise Team Practice (for Ordination Service)
4:30 P.M. Ordination Service for Pastor Luke
NO RISE Youth Group

This Week . . .

Tues. - 9:00 A.M. Worship Planning Meeting
Wed. - 4:30-6:15 P.M. Club 57 Youth Group
6:30-8:00 P.M. GEMS & Cadets
Thurs. - 6:45 P.M. Praise Team Practice

Looking Ahead . . .

Feb 8 - Communion/11:30 A.M. Men's & Women's Bible Study (with lunch)
NO RISE Youth Group/Faith Promise Special Offering
Feb 9 - 4:30 P.M. Building & Grounds Meeting
Feb 10 - 6:30 P.M. Elders/Deacons Meetings & 7:30 P.M. Consistory Meeting
Feb 15 - College Care Packages Cards and Items Due Back/Jesus Class
11:30-3:30 P.M. Private Party (no volunteer/maintenance work)
Feb 21 - 8:00 A.M. First Men's Lenten Breakfast (at CLC)
Feb 22 - 11:30 A.M. Men's & Women's Bible Study (with lunch)
Baby Bottles Due Back
March 1 - 12:00-5:00 P.M. Private Party (no volunteer/maintenance work)
March 2 - 6:45 P.M. Connect Team Meeting
March 8 - Daylight Savings/11:30 A.M. Men's & Women's Bible Study

Men's Annual Lenten Breakfast - Who is Jesus? He called Himself the "Bread of Life," "Light of the World," "The Good Shepherd," and "The Way the Truth and the Life." Discover more about who Jesus is at the popular Men's Annual Lenten Breakfast series, hosted by the Church of the Living Christ (605 Hemlock, Fremont)! This year's series is based on the seven "I Am" statements Jesus made, referenced in the book of John. Enjoy breakfast starting at 8 am, followed by a relevant biblical message given by a local speaker or pastor! The first breakfast is Saturday, February 21 with the final breakfast being held on April 4. Suggested donation of $5.

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Pastor Luke Ordination Service will be here at FRC tonight Sunday, February 1 at 4:30 pm. Join us for worship, a short message, and refreshments! This event will NOT be livestreamed, although it will be available for viewing later by YouTube link. Hope to see you there!

Rooms of Refuge - There are still people in our community who are experiencing homelessness, and our church will again have the opportunity to serve as host Feb. 16-23. We still need many volunteers to stay overnight in the parsonage, provide dinners, provide breakfast items, and to stay with guests during the day on Sunday. If you can help, please let Rick or Donna S know. They will be at the Rooms of Refuge table in the Gathering Center after Church service.

Next Sunday, we gather for Holy Communion. Christ gives us this gift to build up our faith and remind us of His grace. Please examine your lives to make sure you are taking His grace seriously by living lives of gratitude. (1 Cor. 11: 28). If you fall short, repent and come to Communion in relief and thanksgiving that He receives us broken. If you are living gratefully and obediently, give thanks for His grace that has transformed you, and come to Communion to celebrate His victory over sin and death. Children who have not confessed their faith publicly are welcome to share in Communion provided they can recognize the meaning of the elements and have parental permission.

Faith Promise Special Offering will be next Sunday, February 8. If you need a special envelope, they are located in the Gathering Center on the Electronic Display closest to the Auditorium entrance.

Lost & Found - There is a Lost & Found box located in the Gathering Center under the coat racks. Please check the box and reclaim any items that are yours or your children's. Please also check the stack of dishes in the kitchen. Any remaining items will be donated at the end of next month if we can't determine the owner.

Save the Dates! Here are a few special events coming up at FRC in the distant future that you may wish to pencil into your calendar! Further info on these events will be shared with you as the dates approach.

Cadets Sunday - Mar 23 @ 10 am
Free Prom Dress Giveaway - Mar 27 (4 - 8 pm) & Mar 28 (9 am - 1 pm)
Maundy Thursday Worship Service - Apr 2 @ 7 pm
Easter Sunday Worship Service - Apr 5 @ 10 am
GEMS Sunday - Apr 26 @ 10 am
Creators Camp - June 23-25 (6:30 - 8:00 pm)

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Baby Bottles Drive from Insight Pregnancy Services
Baby bottles are available for you to take home and fill with your change, paper bills, or checks. They are located at the Sign-Up Center in the Gathering Center. Please return the bottles (including empty ones) by February 22. If you would prefer to give online, scan the QR code here! These funds are crucial for Insight to provide free services to our community. Please pray about supporting them in this drive!

Prom Dress Donations Needed! Prom dress donations are needed for our upcoming Free Prom Dress Giveaway Event on March 27 4-8pm and March 28 9am-1pm. **We are specifically looking for donations of: long dresses of all sizes, purses, shoes, jewelry, and teen-style men's ties, pants, shoes, and dress shirts.** Please bring any donations to the church office during business hours (Tues - Fri, 8 am – 3 pm), or right after church on Sundays. Volunteers will be needed, and we'll have more info coming soon about that! Any questions, or to volunteer, please speak with Cassie H.

College Care Packages - It's time to let our college kids know we are thinking and praying for them! Stop by the College Care Packages table after service (located by the elevator), write them an encouraging note, and pick up a tag to fill. Please attach the tag to the item and return it to the box outside the church office by Feb 15. Thank you!

Thank You - To all who braved the cold to come to FRCs Game Night Chili Cookoff. We had 8 yummy chilis compete, with LeeAnn B's chili coming in 1st! We had almost 30 people join us for a fun evening! We look forward to having one next year and hope everyone can join us!

Creators Camp is June 23-25 - It may be cold and snowy, but June will be here before you know it! It's never too early to start thinking about Creators Camp and pray about how the Lord might be calling you to make a difference for Christ in the next generation. Creators Camp features engaging Bible lessons and fun hobby and craft-style classes for kids in 2nd - 8th grades. Successful past classes include painting, rockets, laser tag, food making or decorating, slingshots, potted plants, bath bombs, woodworking, and many more. You can come up with your own idea for a class or choose from a list of possibilities. Please be praying and considering how you might be able to help! See Pastor Luke or Sarah C. with any questions or to chat about it!