

Life at FRC

Today at FRC . . .

Greeters: Ken, Jean
March 8 - Tom & Vera

Welcome Center: Lisha
March 8 - Lisha

Coffee Cleanup: Les
March 8 - Sammy K

Coffee Host/Hostess: Cheryl, Les
March 8 - Peggy

Newcomer Table: Jason
March 8 - Kim M

10:00 A.M. - Worship Service/Jesus Class

5:40 P.M. - RISE Youth Group

This Week . . .

Mon - 6:45 P.M. Connect Team Meeting

Tue. - 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 . . .

March 8 - 11:30 A.M. Men's & Women's Bible Study (with lunch)/Faith Promise
Special Offering/Daylight Savings

March 9 - 4:30 P.M. Building & Grounds Team Meeting

March 10 - 6:30 P.M. Elders/Deacons Meetings/7:30 P.M. Consistory Meeting

March 14 - 10:00 AM -6:00 P.M. Private Party (no volunteer/maintenance work)

March 15 - 11:30 A.M. Welcome Lunch (in Fellowship Hall)

March 21 - 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M. Private Party (no volunteer/maintenance work)

March 22 - Cadets Sunday & Special Offering/11:30 A.M. Men's & Women's
Bible Study (with lunch)

March 26 - 12:00 - 3:00 P.M. Prom Dress Setup

March 27 - 4:00-8:00 P.M. Free Prom Dress Giveaway

March 28 - 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M. Free Prom Dress Giveaway

March 29 - Palm Sunday

April 1 - 6:30 P.M. GEMS/Cadets Annual Car Derby Race

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

Baby Bottles Drive from Insight Pregnancy Services - Please return any baby bottles (even empty ones) to the basket in the Gathering Center as soon as possible. We appear to be missing a few. Thank you!

Kid Connection: Krista, Kara

March 8 - Jacob & Kenzie

Worship Center: Chrissylynn, Morgan
March 8 - Lindsay, Case

Nursery: Briemann, Christine, Cat
March 8 - Brittany, Mary V, Kylie

Screen Tech: Luke
March 8 - Sarah

Sound Tech: Ryan
March 8 - Kent

FRC News & Events

Help with Hand 2 Hand donations needed!

We have another year of opportunity with H2H to feed hungry kids on the weekends. This year we will be collecting peanut butter, pancake mix, pancake syrup, individually wrapped granola bars, and quart & gallon sized zip closure bags. All jars or bottles need to be plastic & NOT glass, and smaller portioned bottles or single serving packages are best. There is a large box for donations in the Gathering Center near the library, and there is also a box available downstairs near the front doors. Thank you for your help in feeding hungry community kids on the weekends! For more info on this ministry, please visit the website: www.h2hkids.org. Questions, or to make a monetary donation, contact Marjory W.



Meal Ministry - The Serve Team is in the process of updating their list of individuals who would be willing to provide meals for people and families in our church after surgeries, illnesses, etc. and/or who are willing to provide salads and desserts for funerals held at our church. When opportunities arise and a church family requests help with meals, we will email or text people on the list to see if you might be available to prepare and drop off a meal or dish on a specific date, or for an upcoming funeral. If you might be interested, please add your name to the list at the Sign-Up Center. Any questions, please contact Bev P. Thank you!

Christian Book Donation Ministry - Do you have old Bibles or Christian books laying around that you don't use anymore, but would like to see put to good use? If so, considering donating them to our Christian Book Donation Ministry! Donate gently used (or new) Christian books (fiction or non-fiction), Bibles (children or adults), CDs or DVDs, reference materials, Sunday school materials, or Gospel teaching materials for kids (puppets, puzzles, nativity sets, etc.) We will ship them to ministries who bring your donations to US prisons and Christian missionaries overseas. Simply drop your book donation in the box in the church library, or if you would like to make a donation to help cover the shipping costs, simply write "Christian Book Donation Ministry" on your offering envelope. If you have questions or want more info, contact Lee-Ann B or Sarah C.

Welcome Lunch - Pastor Luke and other FRC members would like to get to know our new church-goers better at an after-church lunch on Sunday, March 15 @ 11:30 am. If you and your family began attending FRC in the past year, we invite you to come to our Welcome Lunch. Bring your kids! Please add your name to the list at the Sign-Up Center if you wish to attend so we can better plan for food.

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Calling All Men! FRC is looking for dedicated Christian men to pass the torch of faith to the next generation of boys and girls in our kids' Sunday school classes during regular church services. Teacher openings are available in both preschool and elementary classes. All training will be provided, and no special skills are needed! Children grow in their faith under the caring instruction of BOTH male and female Sunday school teachers. For more info, contact Sarah C. or Pastor Luke.

Creators Camp is June 23-25 - 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 & 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!

Prom Dress Donations Needed! Prom dress donations are needed for our upcoming Free Prom Dress Giveaway Event on March 27 4-8 pm and March 28 9 am-1 pm. **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!

Operation Christmas Child - It's time again to start thinking about items for Operation Christmas Child! Savvy shoppers know that they can impact more children around the world for eternity by looking for shoebox items throughout the year! This is a great time of year to find excellent holiday clearance deals and sales. Visit their website at: <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/what-goes-in-my-shoebox-suggestions/> to see great ideas for year-round shopping and packing tips! Shoebox donations collected throughout the year will be used for our Packing Party in November. Please place your items in the green and red box outside the church library in the Gathering Center. Reminder: Candy/food, toothpaste, liquids, bar soap, and used items **cannot** be packed in the shoeboxes. Thank you!

Prayer Chain - We have an email prayer chain group where we share prayer concerns that are brought to our attention so those can be prayed over. If you have a heart for prayer and would like to join our prayer chain, please contact the church office so we can add your email address to our list.