

For complete announcements and contact information, visit our website at www.foccs.net.

#### **Attendance and Weekly Offerings**

<u>LAST WEEK</u> <u>LAST YEAR</u>

Attendance: 392 631

Offerings: \$12,859.16 Needed Weekly: \$22,055 Offerings YTD: \$742,909.55

**Budgeted Offerings YTD:** \$904,255

Sunday School MTD: \$30.55

#### Contact us

#### Family of Christ

675 W Baptist Rd

Colorado Springs, CO 80921

Church: 719.481.2255 Fax: 719.481.1366

Church Office: office@foccs.net

#### **Child Development Center**

719.481.0796

#### **Church Office hours**

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Friday: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm



You can help make our annual **Fall Festival** *spooktacular...* Everyone is invited to celebrate with us during this fantastic event featuring a *Trunk or Treat* along with tons of games, candy, and awesome prizes! We're still looking for folks to host trunks for the *Trunk or Treat* and are also accepting donations of bags of candy for the event. If you would like to participate, need ideas for decorating, or want to share the ideas you have, contact Cris Bonser at **crisbonser@foccs.net**.

# Weekly Announcements October 15 - 21, 2017

#### VOTERS' ASSEMBLY - October 29 at 11:30 am

We're excited to announce the final 2017 Senior Pastor Candidate List: Pastor Kristopher Morris and Pastor Adam Hengst.

The Divine Call Voters' Assembly is now scheduled for Sunday, October 29. October 29 is *Reformation Sunday*, and marks the 500th anniversary of Luther's 95 Theses. What an amazing day for the congregation to spend united in worship, fellowship, and prayer as we discern God's plan for our next Senior Pastor! The Divine Call Voters' Assembly will convene following the one (combined) service that will be held that morning at 10:00 am.

In the meantime, the Call Committee is preparing the Voters' Assembly packet that will include absentee ballot instructions for those members who will be out of town on October 29 and therefore unable to attend in person. We will send this packet to everyone in the coming weeks prior to the meeting.

If you have any questions or concerns about the Call process or status, please direct them to **CallCommittee@foccs.net.** 

#### **STUDENT MINISTRY BONFIRE - THANK YOU**

We had 60 students attend our annual Student Ministry Bonfire this year! A huge thank you all the volunteers who helped make this event such a success – with a special thanks to Chris & Elizabeth Hinz, Corey Hopkins, Heidi Jeseritz, Kathy Kirk, John Schutt, and Luis, Michelle, David, & Michael Nunez for all the time and energy they put into making this Bonfire such a wonderful experience.

#### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Kids 3:11:** Please continue to prayerfully consider serving in Children's Ministry on Sunday mornings! Our program, **Kids 3:11**, is always in need of volunteer teachers and check-in/check-out volunteers. Please contact the CM team at **children@foccs.net** to learn about the ways you can help make our program great!

**Kidz Club:** All children ages 3 - 6th Grade, please join us this Sunday, October 15, from 5:00 - 7:00 pm for Kidz Club! As with any Children's Ministry program, Kidz Club could not run without volunteers. Please contact Vanessa Schweiger at **vanessaschweiger@foccs.net** to find out how you can help keep this program running!

## **Prayer Requests**

#### Concerns

- ♦ Prayers of healing for Darrin Edmond.
- Cindy Lamb, who begins weekly chemotherapy treatments on October 16.
- Marcia Schutt, who is having hip surgery on October 23.

#### **Thanksgiving**

Diana Harris, whose surgery on October 11 was successful!

#### **Birthdays**

- 15 Becky Van Winkle, Tom Lindgren, Matthew Baker
- 16 Keith Howk, Rachel Varney
- 17 Keri Hamula, Devin Arnholt, Nick Bruns
- 18 Anna Borden, Lawson McVay, Logan McVay
- 19 Tim Henry, John Gue, Tyler Doolittle, Sam Johnson
- 20 Delores Brinkman, Luke Jeseritz
- 21 Wanda Carlson, John Schutt, Dean Sims, Andrea Thaemert, Andrew Jeseritz

#### **Anniversaries**

15 Chris & Elizabeth Hinz

1 year

16 Bret & Julie Collard

18 years

17 Louise & Michael DeTurk

47 years

17 George & Kaleen Fry

25 years

20 Stephen & Julie Campbell

27 years

#### Police/Fire/EMS

Jordan, Larry, Mike, Scott, Joe, Eric, Barry, Ben, Eric M.

## Serving/Stationed in the Military or Working Overseas

Logan and Olivia Dean, Chris Sutton, Tim Driscoll, Michael Havenar, Christy Petruzzi, Forrest Kuhlmann

**Submit Your Prayer Requests** 

719.481.2255 - www.foccs.net (under care)

## **Outreach Opportunities**

RAK (Random Acts of Kindness) is a LifeGroup at FOC where people can gather to serve one Saturday a month! For more information, please contact Gordon or Melinda Reichal at gordonreichal@aol.com or mreichal@aol.com.

More details can be found at our
Ministry Information towers or
by visiting our website at **WWW.foccs.net** 



## SIX CORE MINISTRIES at FOC

#### **WORSHIP ARTS**

Contact Shannon Wexelberg for volunteer opportunities!

#### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Contact Vanessa Schweiger for volunteer opportunities!

#### STUDENT MINISTRY

October 15: Sermon on Mt. Herman

#### **LIFEGROUPS**

Contact Cris Bonser for more information about joining a LifeGroup!

#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY**

**Evening Women's Bible Study -** Weekly on Mondays - 6:00 pm; *The Armor of God* by Priscilla Shirer (hosted by Carol Masters: 407.756.9526)

**JEWELS Women's Bible Study -** Weekly on Tuesdays - 9:00 - 11:00 am; CURRENT STUDY: *Isaiah: Here I am* **Send Me** by Thomas Nelson

Crochet and Knitting Group - 3rd Tuesday of the month

Women's Bible Study - Weekly on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm and Saturdays at 9:00 am; CURRENT STUDY: *Entrusted: A Study of 2 Timothy* by Beth Moore

#### **MEN'S MINISTRY**

Men's Friday Morning Bible Study: Weekly on Fridays - 8:00 - 9:30 am (Group meets at the Village Inn in Monument)

Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study: Weekly on Saturdays - 8:00 - 9:30 am; CURRENT STUDY: *The Power of a Whisper* by Bill Hybels