



# THE BEACON

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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**VBS 2023**  
**July 23 - 28**  
**6:00 to 8:30 PM**

**VBS Needs:** We need the following supplies for VBS. If you can help with any of these items, please let Tammy know. Please put your name on them somewhere if you want them back. Tammy will NOT remember who they came from! Thank you!

Items include: baby items (diapers, wipes, toys, etc. - 20), plastic greenery or potted plants, clear Christmas lights, stuffed animals (3), coats, sweaters, etc. (10), kids wading pools.

**\*\*\*\*\* Attention\*\*\*\*\***

**All bakers!**

We need cookies for VBS!  
Please bring cookies to the kitchen  
before July 23rd.

No nuts or peanut butter, please!

### PRAY FOR OUR KIDS

"Jesus, we pray that through VBS, kids in our community will grow in their relationship with you. We ask that you begin to break down any walls that might be preventing their young hearts from receiving your love. We ask that the truth of who you are sinks deep into their hearts. Let them leave knowing who you are and the overwhelming, joyful love you have for each and every one of them. May the impact of VBS last a lifetime."

### PRAY FOR FAMILIES

"Heavenly Father, let the changes in kids' hearts this week be an inspiration to their families. Let parents and caretakers pursue a deeper relationship with you. Let family connections grow stronger, deeper, and focused on you. Give kids strength to stand firmly rooted in their faith and relationship with you."

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phone at [www.fccnevada.org/give](http://www.fccnevada.org/give);  
or by check by mail or in the offering  
bucket.



If you need a ride to Sunday  
School or Church in our vans,  
please let us know by calling the  
church office at 667-3540 **BE-  
FORE NOON on FRIDAY.**



**Community Outreach Food Pantry** is collecting non-perishable food and dry goods. A box is in the parlor for your donation.

**Suggested July products:** Mac & cheese, canned veggies, salt & pepper, cereal, applesauce, pork & beans, raman noodles, and tea bags.



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# HELPING HANDS - August 2023



If you cannot serve on the date assigned, please trade with someone on the list. Thanks!

## COMMUNION PREPARATION:

Angie Moore



### Hospitality Ministry

When you see a visitor say "Howdy" and be sure to give them a Gift Bag from FCC filled with goodies!

## VAN DRIVERS

### Adults and Children

Aug 06 - Max Baxter

Aug 13 - Eddie Deming

Aug 20 - \*\*Driver needed\*\*

Aug 27 - Randy & Tracy Ellifrits



To help support our local Community Outreach Food Pantry, we collect non-perishable food and dry goods. A box is located in our parlor for collection.

YOU CAN HELP



**Suggested August products:** Chicken helper, canned veggies, jelly, pancake mix, pancake syrup, canned fruit, peanut butter, spices.

## Join Us For Adult Bible Studies and Small Groups

Monday - Jones/Platt SG - see bulletin for location

Tuesday - Young Disciples @ 6:00 pm, Church Parlor

Wednesday - Bible Study @ 6:30 pm, Parlor

3rd Wednesday each month - Hour of Prayer @ 6:30 pm, Parlor

1st and 3rd Thursday each month - Genesis Bible Study @ 2:30 pm, Parlor

The next issue of **THE BEACON** will be available on Sunday, August 6, 2023. The deadline for information for that issue is the prior Tuesday, August 1. Information or articles about your committee or project can be sent to [lyndaj@fcnevada.org](mailto:lyndaj@fcnevada.org) or brought to or called into the church office at 417-667-3540.



Leaders: Tammy Clark & SeekerGen students



Leaders: Angie Moore and Jenny Ring

First Christian Church worship service is Sunday mornings at 10:30 am. Sunday School for all ages is Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. Small groups happen throughout the week. For those of you who prefer to take part in our 10:30 am Sunday service from home, please tune into KNEM/KNMO 97.5 radio or follow the First Christian Church of Nevada, Missouri Facebook page.



## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

8/02 Morgan Austin  
Shirley Johnson

8/03 Kara Alford  
Wayne Jeans

8/04 Ron Richards

8/06 Tanya Webb  
Daryl Lamb

8/07 Andrew Arneson  
Mike Brooks  
John Haney

8/10 Doug Carr  
8/13 Kenny Butterfield  
Mary Webb

8/17 Gail Post

8/18 Larry McCord  
Billy Morris

8/22 Gavin Ring  
Ally Shumaker

8/23 Larry Cauthon

8/24 John McKinley

8/25 Robert Byers  
Sean Johnson

8/26 Earl Higgins  
Dalton Jones

Angie Moore  
John Shorten

8/28 Teresa McClure

8/29 Debbie Griggs

8/30 Susan Shepherd

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