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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Thursday
11:00 am – 3:30 pm
fccgeorgetown.org
502-863-2049

Please check the weekly mailchimp, the bulletins, and with the office for minister's schedules as they are subject to change weekly depending on the needs of the church. If you'd like to make an appointment please contact the church at 502-863-2049 or fccgeorgetown@bellsouth.net

Adult Sunday School 9:45 am
Sunday Worship 11:00 am



Holy Week at FCC

Palm Sunday, April 10

9:45 a.m. – Adult Sunday School Class

10:00 a.m. – Palm Parade (in cars) with Georgetown Baptist and Mt. Olive Baptist (line up cars on College Street facing the college at 9:50 a.m.)

11:00 a.m. – Morning Worship (Palm processional at start of service- children meet on the College Street porch at 10:50 a.m.)

12:00 noon- Easter Egg Hunt

Wednesday, April 13

6:30 p.m. – Adult Study, Kids & Youth Group, Nursery Care

7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

Maundy Thursday, April 14

Join us in the sanctuary at 7:00 p.m. for a reflective service. Music, scripture, imagery, and more will help us remember the “full to the brim” love of God made real at that last meal Jesus and His disciples shared before His crucifixion.

Good Friday, April 15

A Community Good Friday service will be held in the John Hill Chapel at Georgetown College at 7:00 p.m., organized and led by the Scott County Pastors and Priests group. Chris will be among those offering brief meditations on the seven last words of Jesus on the cross.

Easter Sunday, April 17

9:45 a.m. – Adult Sunday School Class

11:00 a.m. – Resurrection Sunday Worship



We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world. As part of the body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.

Ukrainian Crisis

Week of Compassion is responding to the Ukrainian crisis through their partners in Eastern Europe. You can support their work through donating directly at www.weekofcompassion.org/donate or turn in a donation to the church (made out to FCC with "Week of Compassion" on the memo line or envelope- you can designate "Ukraine" if you want it to go directly to the Ukrainian crisis needs).

Current COVID-19 Policy

- We use current numbers/levels as provided by WEDCO, our local health department.
 - Green/low levels- no specific masking recommendations
 - Yellow/medium levels- masks are recommended, but not required in indoor group settings
 - Red/high levels- masks required in all indoor group settings
- Worship: For now, we will continue to use individually packaged communion available at the door, offering collection boxes at each entrance, and using every other pew to provide extra distance.
- Kids & Masks: Masks are required for everyone in smaller indoor group settings where children under 5 are present as they are not yet eligible for a vaccine. That will include all children 2 and older and adult leaders in those groups, regardless of their age or vaccination status. Such groups include Children Worship & Wonder, Wednesday Night Kids group, and nursery care.
- Groups of youth or adults may still choose to require a more cautious masking policy for their particular setting/gathering based on the needs & consensus of that group

Kids and Youth Ministries

Easter Egg Hunt

We'll have an Easter Egg Hunt for children following worship on **Sunday, April 10**. If you'd like to donate candy or items for the hunt, please donate bags of items small enough to be enclosed in eggs. We'll accept candy in the donation boxes at either main entrance through the morning of 10th, but prefer to receive it by Wednesday, April 6. If you have any questions, please contact Alison Fisher at alison.fisher@scott.kyschools.us or 859-619-9702.

Summer Camp at Camp Wakon'Da-Ho

The Christian Church in Kentucky offers summer camps for children and youth at the two regional camp sites. The one closest to us is Camp Wakon'Da-Ho in Liberty, KY. The church pays half of the camp fee for any FCC campers. Full information (including registration forms) can be found at www.ccinky.net/ministries/camp/wakonda-ho/ and information packets are available in the office as well.

Camp Wakon'Da-Ho Events:

Mini Camp: June 3-5 (2nd and 3rd graders)

CYF I Camp: June 6-11 (9th-12th graders)

Eighter's Camp: June 12-18 (8th and 9th graders)

Junior I Camp: June 20-24 (4th and 5th graders)

Camp 101 A: June 24-26 (K-2nd graders) *

*Camp 101 A & Camp 101 B requires a Parent/Guardian/Grandparent to attend with camper

CYF II Camp: June 27-July 2 (9th-12th graders)

Chi-Rho I Camp: July 4-9 (6th-8th graders)

Chi-Rho II Camp: July 11-16 (6th-8th graders) Junior II Camp:

July 18-22 (4th-5th graders)

Camp 101 B: July 23 (K-2nd graders)*



"THANK YOU" from Garth Elementary

Through your generosity, a donation of \$510 was made to Garth Elementary School's literacy program making it possible for each student to purchase a book during their recent Scholastic Book Fair. FCC members also purchased 14 books from the librarian's wish list for the library. Thank you very much!!!

Graduates

We'll be honoring our graduates in the May Keynote issue and in worship later this spring. If you or your child are graduating from high school, vocational school, college, or with advanced degrees (or graduated at any point since last May), please contact the church office (502-863-2049 or fccgeorgetown@bellsouth.net) or Alison Fisher (alison.fisher@scott.kyschools.us) by Sunday, April 24, with name, school from which they graduated, and (optional) post-graduation plans.

Proverbs 9:9 Scholarship Available

FCC is once again making available a \$3,000 scholarship to two senior students from local high schools or home school wishing to start college this fall. The criteria include socio-economic need, a 2.5 GPA or greater, having demonstrated love of neighbor, and completing an application. The scholarships from last year and this year are provided from funds originally received from the Readiness Center (an early learning school previously housed in our building). Local guidance counselors have been asked to distribute information about the scholarships. If you know anyone who would like an application, please contact Teresa in the church office. Applications are to be submitted by mail or in person to the church office and to be received no later than April 20.

Mission Trip Opportunity

We are gathering information regarding a potential mission trip to the areas in western Kentucky affected by the December tornadoes. The suggested trip duration from the Fuller Center is one week though we are finding out if shorter durations are possible. For the week-long trip, there is a fee of \$125 which covers housing and most meals. Workers must be at least 16 but anyone under 18 must have a parent or legal guardian with them at the worksite. Work consists of building rehab and new construction. If you are interested in this opportunity or would like more information, please contact Linda Glass at elzglass@bellsouth.net or 502-370-6733 or Holly Osborn at hfosborn@bellsouth.net or 502-316-1939.

Offerings & Outreach

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Needed Monthly	Received in March
\$22,472.57	\$17,720.00

As of the end of March 2022

General Budget YTD Income: \$61,162.35
General Budget YTD Expenses: \$63,166.44

Outreach Giving

Contributions collected as of March 31, 2022 for outreach giving are as follows:	
Amen House: \$100.00	Week of Compassion: \$3,200.05
Blanket Sunday: \$305.00	WOC Disaster Relief: \$1,050.00
WOC-Ukraine Relief: \$100.00	Garth Book Fair: \$510.00

PRAYER LIST

MEMBERS

Charlotte Showalter
Audrey Carr
Anne Hall

FAMILY

Kat Gress (aunt of John Fisher)
Danyelle Duncan (daughter of Regina House)

FRIENDS

Dwight Lindsay (of Anne Hall)
James Brewer-Calvert (of Martha Harris)
Darrick Lee (of Alison Fisher)
Mark Ellis (of Adam Trosper)
Carrie Grimmer (of Erin Cash)
Guy Waldrop
All those affected by COVID-19

HOMEBOUND

Louise Price (Windsor Gardens)
Charles & Mary Lou Haggard (Ashton Grove)

Kroger Rewards Code

You can support FCC through your Kroger Rewards. New enrollees will just enter code ED328 on your rewards account.

AMEN House

FCC is still receiving food and cash donations for the AMEN House. You may bring your donations on Sunday mornings or bring them to the church office.

Office Closed

The Church Office will be closed for an Easter Holiday on **Monday, April 18**.

Church Workday- Saturday, April 23

As many projects come to a close throughout the building, there are plenty of jobs to do to get our building fully clean and ready for use! We'll meet at the church at 9:00 a.m. and will have projects for all skill sets and physical capabilities. We'll provide juice and donuts- you bring your work gloves if you have them! We'll aim to finish around lunchtime and anticipate a second workday in May as well.

KY Disciples Women's Ministries

2022 Spring Conference- "When Women Connect..."

April 30, 2022 - 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Facebook Live-Stream: <https://www.facebook.com/ccinky>

Worship experience followed by four workshops, where we will educate ourselves more about racism, experience the healing sounds of a drum circle, enjoy a virtual trip to Morocco and end the day with prayer, meditation, and Bible study. There is no cost or registration and you should not need a Facebook account to be able to view the live-stream at www.facebook.com/ccinky

Chris On Vacation

Chris will be on vacation leave **Monday-Friday, April 25-29**. Our elders are available to respond to pastoral care needs during that time- please contact Diana Thomas (502-370-6915) if you have a need or become aware of one.

Making Sunday Happen

Sunday morning worship is one of the focal points of our life together and it takes several folks to make each Sunday morning happen! In addition to the staff, choir, deacons & elders, it also requires:

- 2 Greeters before worship (one at each main entrance)
- 2 Greeters during worship (available to respond to needs during the service time- one at each main entrance)
- Worship Leader (leading call to worship & scripture reading)
- Live-stream Operator (training available)
- Sound System Operator (training available)
- Nursery Care Help (high schooler or adult to assist Marcia Wallace, nursery coordinator)
- Children Worship & Wonder- 2 people- Storyteller & greeter

Are you willing to help in any of these ways? You can complete the online form here: <https://forms.gle/ki9G9O8RXB1r616a8>, contact the church office (502-863-2049 or fccgeorgetown@bellsouth.net), or Chris (cell/text 859-953-1613 or chriscashky@gmail.com).

Greeters Needed

After some deliberations, the board has approved an update to our safety plan which emphasizes both a welcoming and safe environment. We are requesting volunteers to serve as 'greeters', not trained safety volunteers. We will have one at each main entrance, College and Clinton Streets, both before worship and during worship. Greeters will greet folks as they arrive, answer questions, and give directions as usual. They may encounter folks who enter asking for other kinds of assistance and can invite them to join the service or return afterwards for further assistance (ie- a common sense approach to greeting people). We hope that you'll consider volunteering for this role. Live streaming will be available in the gathering area for the Clinton Street greeters. We will begin scheduling for the first of May and will need 2 greeters per Sunday.

Property Projects Update

The HVAC update/renovation work will finish up in April, with final work including control system and chapel unit installs. Renovation of the 2nd floor restrooms is nearing completion, new walls and doors for the fellowship hall stage are complete, LED lighting has been and is being installed in some areas for energy efficiency, and a few other smaller repairs are being tended to by contractors as well.

Elizabeth's Village Update

Elizabeth's Village (EV) continues to use our parsonage building for their transitional home space, which is currently serving 3 women and 4 children (they have been operating at reduced capacity due to COVID precautions). We rent the space to them for \$1 a year as part of the use agreement. Among their current needs are afterschool tutors for an elementary school aged child, general volunteers (women 21 and older), and volunteers to help mow and maintain their portion of the yard. If you wish to help in any of these ways, contact Kandice Whitehouse, executive director, at 502-863-0800.