

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THANK YOU:** To our church family, we want to thank you so much for all the calls, messages, cards, visits, food, and especially for your prayers during Terry's chemo treatments, his hospitalization, and now that we are back home. We are so grateful for our church family. Terry and Cindy Phillips

**New Ladies Bible Study:** Genesis, a Precept Upon Precept Inductive Study on Abraham. Abraham was called "the friend of God." What can you learn from him that will ground your faith, challenge your walk, and give you hope for the future? This six-week study begins Tuesday, November 8th. Choose either 9:30-11:30 a.m. in the Youth Lounge or 6:30-8:30 p.m. at 1529 Road 170. Study book is \$10.00. A sign-up sheet is available at the Information Center. Books are available at the Resource Center.

**RESOURCE CENTER:** Shepherding a Child's Heart. Many parenting books are based on hit-or-miss theories steeped in secular thinking. This one draws from Pastor Ted Tripp's seasoned experience as a father – and from God's Holy Word. Grounded in the Bible's divine plan for parenting, this guide defines your goals as a parent and provides the Scriptural methods for accomplishing them. Ready for more to study along with this book? Take a look at the Parenting Handbook. Not a reader? Take a look at the DVD.

**Christmas Helpers:** During the next several weeks, college students planning to go to Cross Con(ference) in Indianapolis over Christmas break will be fundraising to help cover their expenses. They have two activities scheduled:

- **Santa's Helpers Fundraiser.** Let us help you with your Christmas decorations! A team of college students will come to your home and put up your Christmas decorations. Inside/outside you provide the decorations and direction and we'll get the job done. They will come back in January and take them down. Cost: Your donation. Contact Amber Seymour for more information at 785-317-2030 or [aseymou2@g.emporia.edu](mailto:aseymou2@g.emporia.edu).
- **Kids' Night Fundraiser,** Friday, December 2, 5-9 p.m. This is way more than babysitting your kids so that mom and dad can go on a date or do some undistracted Christmas shopping. This is a fun night-in for your kids as they hang out with the college students for a great time. Includes: dinner, games, story-time, crafts and tons of laughs. To register, sign up at the Information Center. If you know some parents for whom this night out would be a blessing, why not consider gifting them the night out? Cost: Your donation. Contact Bri Hand for information at 913-744-0282 or [bhand@g.emporia.edu](mailto:bhand@g.emporia.edu).

STEWARDS FOR NOVEMBER 6

2-5's Sunday School	Scott Marshall Tina Hauff	Liz Jowers
K - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday School	Carissa Marshall	Jenny Gottstein
3 <sup>rd</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday School	Marlin Flanagan Phillip Davis	Tiffany Davis Linnie Knight
2-3's Worship	Leanne Feathers Sarah Harris	Amy Redden
4-5's Worship	Bridget Haag Julia Hintz	Jacob Harris
Kids' Worship	Tammy Windle Lenise Satterfield	Thad Davidson Brian Haag
Communion	John Wernli	
Greeter	Mike Haag	Linda Haag
Hostess	Darla Flanagan	
Nursery Education Hr	Anne Winter	
Nursery Worship	Kellie Stone Jessica Madinger	Jennifer Egbert Emily Boehm
Projection	Kyla Kuss	
Service to Shut-ins	Perry Ott	
Ushers	Barry Autrey Marshall Anderson Leon Dallke Eric Gilger	Gar Knight Perry Ott Steve Standerwick

SERMON NOTES

Title: The Power of God in Christ  
Text: Ephesians 1:20-23

I. God's Power in Christ was Shown through the Resurrection (v. 20a):

II. God's Power in Christ was Solidified in the Ascension (v. 20b-21):

III. God's Power in Christ Serves the Church (v. 22-23):



*and what is the immeasurable greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His great might that He worked in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And He put all things under His feet and gave Him as head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.*  
*Ephesians 1:19-23*

## WORSHIP SERVICE

*The purpose of Flint Hills Christian Church is to obey the Great Commandment (Mark 12:30-31) and fulfill the Great Commission (Matt. 28:19-20).*

**Sunday, October 30, 2016**  
**Prayer Meeting, 8 a.m., Prayer Room**  
**Worship Service, 10:15 a.m.**

*(Please set all electronic devices to silent during worship.)*

Opening Song Praise Team  
*Are You Washed?*

Welcome  
*Acts 25*

Worship in Song: Praise Team  
*(Feel free to stand or sit during Worship in Song)*  
*How Great is Our God*  
*I Will Glory in My Redeemer*  
*Behold Our God*  
*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Communion Alvin Colston  
  
*The Lord's Supper is open to all Christians*

Offering

Special Music Praise Team

Announcements

*No Kids' Worship today*

Worship in Song: Praise Team  
*(Feel free to stand or sit during Worship in Song)*  
*In Christ Alone*

Message in Word Dave Hintz

Closing Song Praise Team  
*Behold Our God*  
*Following Worship, Tysin & Candace Smith will be available for Counsel by the Prayer Room*



Dave Hintz ..... *Pastor/Teacher*  
Alvin Colston..... *Student Ministries Pastor*  
George Sleezer ..... *Shepherding Pastor*  
Floyd Dorsey ..... *Good Samaritan Fund*  
Scott Marshall, Tysin Smith, Janet Heinrichs, Brock Peña ..... *Praise Leaders*  
Barbara Haag ..... *Ministerial Assistant*  
Pamela Standerwick..... *Children's Ministry Coordinator*  
Tysin Smith, Bri Hand, Jonathan Wernli ..... *Custodial/Maintenance*

### Elders

Barry Brooks Alvin Colston  
Thad Davidson David Hintz  
Rick Vilander, Chm. John Wernli

### Deacons

Mike Brazzle  
Mark Kraft  
Floyd Dorsey  
Lonnie Standifer

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Today: 10/30

- *Prayer Meeting, 8 a.m., Prayer Room*
- *Education Hour, 9 a.m., Youth Center and Harvest House*
- *Worship Service, 10:15 a.m., Great Room*
- *Harvest Party, 5:30 p.m., Harvest House*

### Monday: 10/31

- *Men's Bible Study, 12 p.m., Dave Hintz, Church Office*
- *Men's Bible Study, 7 p.m., Mark Kraft, Youth Lounge*

### Tuesday: 11/01

- *Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a.m., Becky Hintz, Fireside Rm., Childcare provided*
- *Ladies Bible Study, 7 p.m., Maria Wernli, Fireside Room*
- *Men's Bible Study, 7 p.m., Marlin Flanagin, Youth Lounge*

### Wednesday: 11/02

- *AWANA, 6:30 p.m., Harvest House*
- *Youth Group, 6:30 p.m., Alvin Colston, Youth Lounge*

### Thursday: 11/03

- *Praise Team Practice, 7 p.m., Brock Pena, Great Room*
- *Ladies Bible Study, 7 p.m., Ruth Vilander, Youth Lounge*
- *Xenos Men's Small Group, 8:00 p.m., Alvin Colston, Inner Bean*
- *Xenos Ladies Small Group, 8:00 p.m., Jenny Colston, Inner Bean*

### Friday: 11/04

- *Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m., John Wernli, 1420 C of E Drive*
- *Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m., Mike Brazzle, Youth Lounge*

### Saturday: 11/05

### Sunday: 11/06

- *Prayer Meeting, 8 a.m., Prayer Room*
- *Education Hour, 9 a.m., Youth Center and Harvest House*
- *Worship Service, 10:15 a.m., Great Room*
- *Jr/Sr High Boys/Dads Study Group, 5:30 p.m., Alvin Colston, Youth Lounge*
- *Jr/Sr High Girls Study Group, 5:30 p.m., Pamela Standerwick, Chapel*

## HARVEST PARTY

Join us for the Harvest Party tonight. Family Dinner for church members/regular attenders will be 5:30-6:45 p.m. Games, and activities for all FHCC families and their guests will be from 7-9 p.m. This is an outreach event to the community, so be sure to invite your friends to join us at 7 p.m. Costumes are welcome, but no scary costumes please.

## CONGRATULATIONS GALORE

Congratulations to Alex and Leah Miller on the birth of their son Nathan James at 8:37 Monday morning, October 17. He weighed 8 pounds and 2 ounces on his arrival, and is 20 ¾ inches long. Along with Alex and Leah, Nathan was welcomed home by Joanna and Cade!

Best wishes also go out to Eric and Rachel Hodges upon the arrival of Jeremiah Bronson on Wednesday, October 18 at 9:09 a.m. Big brothers, Archer, Vincent and Owen were excited to see their new brother, who weighed 9 pounds 13.4 ounces and is 20 ½ inches long.

And the baby excitement continues as James & Aubrey Schenker welcomed daughter, Sandra Grace, born October 20 at 10:48 a.m. Sandra weighed 7 pounds 12 ounces and is 20 inches long. She has two brothers, Alex and Nick.

## COTTONTALES

Please stop by the CottonTales display at the Information Center and consider their items for Christmas gifts – especially the new Girl Tiger! These are items that need to be pre-ordered, so if you are interested please do that soon. These are gifts made by Ukrainian refugee women to help support their families, so your purchases are deeply appreciated!

## THIS WEEK: FROM THE ELDERS

### **Making a Difference - The Parenting Conference**

God's grace and provision for FHCC is often lavished upon us. One of the best and most recent which He made for us individually and collectively was the parenting conference we were able to experience at the beginning of this month.

What was the parenting conference? Well, for those that were not there, let me tell you about it. Chris Hamilton came to us from Grace Community Church in Sun Valley California and presented to us the Biblical description of, and commands for, parenting as Christian parents. He has considerable experience from volunteering in the various ministries to youth and parents in the church. He has carefully studied God's word about parenting and has used what he learned, both in ministry and his own family. With skill and clarity, he presented to us a Biblical foundation for parenting in general, as well as specific insights into raising boys, raising girls, and being parents and even grandparents.

If you were there, I don't have to tell you about his quality presentations. I am sure we all benefitted from Chris showing us the scriptures that set the foundation of parenting being to train children to fear God, embrace the wisdom of God, obey both God and earthly authorities, and to repent when wrongs are committed. I particularly valued his discussion showing that "being sorry" is not being repentant and can even be a face-saving way to avoid repentance.

So, why am I reminding you about the conference? Well there are two reasons. First of all, it is easy to be greatly impressed with good teaching and insight from God's word, and then let it end there. That would be a tragedy. If you attended the conference, I would ask you to name one specific action you have taken to implement what you learned. How is it going? Is the implementation now effective, or do you need to renew your plan or efforts? Are you and your spouse both committed to see good change occur? If you have a good example, what would be your next action to continue growing and being sanctified as a parent? Secondly, if you did not attend the conference, or if you need to remind yourself of what was presented, you have a great opportunity. The sessions were both audio and video recorded and are on our web site. Under "Resources" click on "Other Audio" or "Video" and then on the sessions. Your challenge is to make the most of this excellent resource.

Wishing the best for you and your family,  
Rick Vilander – Elder

## FHCC THANKSGIVING DINNER

Please join us for Thanksgiving Dinner, Sunday, November 20th immediately following our worship service. Doxa youth will be hosting the dinner this year in place of our October lunch fundraiser. Free will donations will go towards the expenses of Ascend Summer Camp 2017. We are always grateful for your continued support of our youth fundraisers. Please register at the Information Center so we know how many to plan for.

## IRONMEN

The next Ironmen Dinner will be November 11<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. in the Great Room. Tim Elsner from Cornerstone Bible Church in Wichita will be the guest speaker for the evening. His message will be "The Purpose of Trials for the Believer" based on Romans 5:3-8. Please be sure to invite friends and family and also sign up soon to attend, as this evening is coming up fast!

## RC ON RC

The Xenos and Inner Bean will sponsor a video series by R.C. Sproul titled "RC on RC" in which he will speak on Roman Catholicism. This will be held Tuesday mornings from November 8 through December 6. Each video will be followed by 30 minutes of discussion, and is open to all who desire to attend. This will be held at the Inner Bean from 7 to 8:30 a.m.