



# First Christian Church

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In the heart of the community, with the community at heart.

## Month-At-A-Glance

- 5 Ladies Breakfast & Fellowship at 9am
- 5 Remove the Greenery & Workday at 10am
- 9 Wednesday Evening Programs Resume
- 13 Board Meeting & Team Huddle
- 18-20 Youth Mid-Winter Retreat at GCC

# January

## WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

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Our morning Bible Study will resume on Wednesday, January 9th at 10am. We will be studying the life of Mary. Come join us!



Our regular breakfast meeting will be Saturday, January 5th at 9am. We will be making plans for upcoming activities and ministries. After our meeting, please plan to stay and help do some things around our building, including removing our Christmas greenery.

*Create in me a  
clean heart,  
O God;  
and renew a  
right spirit  
within  
me.*

*Psalm 51:10*

Our Secret Sister Revealing Party will be Tuesday, January 8th at 6pm. If you can not attend and have a Secret Sister, please bring a gift by with her name and sign your name.

Bring your favorite finger-food and come prepared to have a great time!

If you would like to participate this year please come to the party and begin the new year with us.

### Our Vision

*"To be in the Heart of the Community, with the Community at Heart!"*

### Our Mission

To LOVE:

- Lead Others to Christ,
- Obey God and His Word,
- Volunteer Our Abilities,
- Exalt God's Presence

## Events For The Month

### Everyone Is Needed

We will meet at 10am to remove the greenery and the men will use that day fixing up things that need to be worked on. The more help we have the faster the work will go. Please put this on your calendar. The Ladies Ministry will provide breakfast for everyone.

### Wednesday Evening

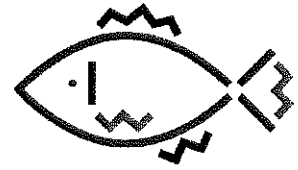
#### Programs Resume

U-Turn, Kids Club and Family Enrichment classes resume on Wednesday, January 9th. Make involvement in one of the activities as one of your New Year's Resolutions.

### Team Huddle

The quarterly Board Meeting & Team Huddle will be Sunday, January 13th, immediately after the morning service. If you are responsible for a ministry at FCC, this would be you. The huddle will be first and then the board will meet. Anyone interested is invited.

# Youth News



**Get back in the swing of things...**

## **U-TURN**

Starts back on Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm  
6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students

## **D-GROUPS**

The Discipleship Groups will meet again on Sunday nights at 6:00pm  
→ 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade meets with Trey and Kelly Kerby at the church building  
→ 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade meets with Robert and Suzie Brown at their house



**You'll want to go!!!!!!**

**Mid-Winter Retreat  
Guadalupe Christian Camp  
January 18-20, 2008**

**For 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students**

**Cost is \$40.00 per person for registration**

**If you plan to attend, you need to sign-up with one of the youth sponsors and complete the Medical Release and Permission Forms.**



**Youth  
Retreat**