

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Note: As the staff strives to give ample time to all the elements of the worship service, we would like you to help us by submitting prospective bulletin and pulpit announcements to Barb by Wednesday.

Sympathy: We wish to extend our sympathy to Barry and Joy Brooks, Megan and Andy Flack and their families on the passing of Joy's mother on December 3. Please keep the entire family in your prayers.

Baby Looksy: Please join us today to celebrate Jennifer and Madelyn Marylin Hart at a come and go event from 1:30 to 3:00 (following the Guyana Chili Lunch) at the home of Kellie Stone, 1309 E 10th Ave. Come take a peek, meet the little one and even snuggle her for a bit. See Kellie if you have any questions.

Christmas Mailbox: The FHCC Christmas mailbox is now available for you to share your Christmas greetings with others. Please leave your cards in the "In Box" and we will sort and file the cards for pickup. Each family will have a file. Check it often as new cards come in every Sunday. If we inadvertently miss getting a family a file, please let Barb know.

December 27 Schedule: On Sunday, December 27, there will be no Sunday School classes during the Education Hour. There will be no 4 - 5 year olds class or Kids' Worship during the Worship Service. These children will remain with their parents. The Infant Nursery and 2 ½ to 3 year old class will be provided during the Worship as usual.

Resource Center: *Have you visited the Resource Center? Are you curious about what it is?* The Resource Center is our version of a book store. It is located in the foyer by the Information Center. We have a variety of ESV and NASB Study Bibles. We offer these materials to you at a suggested donation price. The price is on an envelope inside of the book. Please put your money in the envelope and leave it the box on the resource center shelf. We kindly ask that you do not put it in the offering plates. If you haven't checked it out, come by and see what is available!

STEWARDS FOR DECEMBER 20

2-5 Sunday School	Katie Davidson Tina Hauff	Adline Hartman
K - 2 nd Sunday School	Jacob and Kandi Dogotch	
3 rd – 6 th Sunday School	Marlin Flanagin Phillip Davis	Ruth Vilander Wendy Devilbiss
2-3 Year-Old Worship	Jim and Amy Balding	Amy Redden
4-5 Year-Old Worship	Rachel Hodges	Jonathan Wernli
Kids' Worship	Keith and Melissa Horney	Troy Winter Perry Ott
Communion	Barry Brooks	
Greeter	Marlin Flanagin	Ann Fullen
Hostess	Becky Douglas	
Nursery Education Hr	Shanelle Canaday	
Nursery Worship	Sharon VanGundy Bekah Peña Mary Anderson	Ron and Becky Douglas
Projection	Matt Huber	
Service to Shut-ins	Mark Vannocker	
Ushers	Jim Balding Mike Brazzle Tony Hanson Alan Henke	Steve Morgan Tom Sheeley Wade Vannocker

SERMON NOTES

Title: You Need a Friend
Text: Ecclesiastes 4:7-16

I. Isolation in Work (vv. 7-8):

II. The Benefits of Friendship (vv. 9-12):

III. Isolation in Leadership (vv. 13-16):

*“Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil.”
Ecclesiastes 4:9*

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, December 13, 2015
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
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear

Welcome
Luke 2:1-20

Worship in Song: Praise Team
(Feel free to stand or sit during Worship in Song)
The First Noel
Away in a Manger
Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Silent Night

Communion Marlin Flanagin
The Lord's Supper is open to all Christians

Offering

Special Music Praise Team

Announcements
No Kids' Worship

Worship in Song: Praise Team
(Feel free to stand or sit during Worship in Song)
Emmanuel

Message in Word Dave Hintz

Closing Song Praise Team
The First Noel
Following Worship, Barry and Joy Brooks will be available for Pastoral Care 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*

<u>Elders</u>		<u>Deacons</u>	
Rick Vilander, Chairman	Mike Brazzle	Floyd Dorsey	
Barry Brooks	Thad Davidson	Lonnie Standiferd	Mark Vannocker
Dave Hintz	John Wernli	Ted Vannocker	

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today: 12/13

- *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*
- *Guyana Chili Lunch Fundraiser, 12:15 p.m., Great Room*
- *Dads & Jr/Sr High Boys Bible Study, 5:30 p.m., Alvin Colston, Youth Lounge*

Monday: 12/14

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

Tuesday: 12/15

- *Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a.m., Becky Hintz, Fireside Rm., Childcare Provided*
- *Ladies Bible Study, 7 p.m., Maria Wernli, Fireside Room*

Wednesday: 12/16

Thursday: 12/17

- *Praise Team Practice, 7 p.m., Tysin Smith, Great Room*

Friday: 12/18

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

Saturday: 12/19

Sunday: 12/20

- *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*

GUYANA CHILI LUNCH FUNDRAISER

Team Guyana is cooking up some stick to your ribs, warm your belly chili! Please join us immediately following Worship in the Great Room. We'll have a presentation, allow you to hear from some of the team on what we'll be doing in Guyana and why we want to go!

IRON MEN SUMMIT 2016

Iron Men Summit is six weeks away and over half of the registrations have been purchased. Every week we get closer, the faster the spots fill up. If you have not registered, you need to do so as soon as possible. If you wait until the last minute, there is a good chance you will not get to go.

BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULES

Class:	Will Not Meet On:
Dave Hintz Monday study	12/21, 12/28
Mark Kraft Monday study	12/21, 12/28
Becky Hintz & Maria Wernli Tuesday studies	12/22, 12/29
Joy Brooks studies	<u>Resumes</u> in January
Marlin Flanagin Tues. study	<u>Resumes</u> 01/05
AWANA	<u>Resumes</u> 01/13
Youth Group	<u>Resumes</u> 01/13
Cathy Autrey Wed. study	<u>Resumes</u> 01/6
Ruth Vilander Thurs. study	<u>Resumes</u> 01/07
John Wernli Friday study	12/25, 1/1

THIS WEEK: YOUTH NEWS & NOTES

Sunday School (FOUNDATIONS)

Youth ministry just finished a walkthrough of some of the Bible basics in the Fundamentals of the Faith series. This is something that we want to revisit regularly in youth ministry to keep the essentials before the students in order to help provide a solid biblical foundation. Next we'll be exploring the Inductive Bible Study Method and how we can be getting the most out of our time in the Word.

Wednesday Nights (YOUTH GROUP)

We are teaching through Romans as we explore the call to evangelize the lost and advance the kingdom of Christ. We've worked on memory verses and evangelism outlines to help prepare the student to be ready with an answer for the hope within them.

Sunday Nights (SMALL GROUPS)

Separate girls and boys small groups have seen a mixed group of parents and students studying God's Word and interacting with one another with application being the focus. Proverbs is our current book as we strive for biblical wisdom and encourage Christ centered family focused discipleship.

The young men are taking turns learning how to prepare a devotional and leading in prayer as they develop the leadership so desperately needed in homes that wish to honor Christ.

Youth Group Events

Our most recent event was the Youth Sponsored event for the whole church called "Sleigh Ride, Celebrating the Savior". It was a real success and all that attended and served were blessed. We are looking forward to doing it again next year. We enjoyed the extra fellowship with the body during this season of celebrating the Savior. We even had neighbors who don't attend FHCC come and join in on the celebration. We hope that will produce some fruit in friendships and discipleship for the honor of Christ.

EASTER CANTATA

It's time to be thinking about the Easter cantata! Yes, already! If you are interested in singing with the Easter choir in 2016, please sign up at the Information Center. If you have not sung with the choir before, but would like to, please visit with Janet Heinrichs.

Christmas Eve Service



Shout joyfully to the Lord,
 all the earth; Break forth
 and sing for joy and sing
 praises. Psalm 98:4

Please join us for the
 Christmas Eve Worship
 Service
 in the Great Room
 at 6 p.m.

