

December 2024

December 8, 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Healthy Relationships 6:30 pm	2 Men's Chr. Fellowship, St. Louis CoC	3	4 A-Mike and Kathy Wilson B-Theodore Mitchell Mason Russel Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m.	5 9:30am Life Group Keith's office A-Charlie and Andrea Anderson 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	6 10 a.m. LOL Hull's Cabin B-Vic Welch Life Group at the Mitchell home	7 B- Jeff Berens
8 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Healthy Relationships 6:30 pm	9 Women's Chr. Fellowship Farwell CoC B-Laura Hilton A-Logan and Tylynn Sackett	10 Baby Pantry Elder/Deacon Meeting	11 Women's luncheon Marlview 11:30 Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m.	12 9:30am Life Group Keith's office 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	13 10 a.m. LOL Hull's Cabin	14 Rehearsal Children's Christmas program 10a.m. - noon
15 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worshipwith Children's Christmas program Healthy Relationships 6:30pm	16	17	18 B-Mike Buck B- Dan Schmoekel Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m	19 9:30am Life Group Keith's office B-Norene Beach 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	20 B-Michael Russell Life Group at the Mitchell home	21
22 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship B-Ben Russell Healthy Relationships 6:30 pm	23	24 Christmas Eve Service 6 p.m.	25	26 B-Gerald Hull B-Macklen Russell 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	27	28 B-Karen Waldron
29 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship Healthy Relationships 6:30 pm	30	31	<i>Birthdays and Anniversaries</i> A – Anniversary B – Birthday We apologize if we have missed your special day. Please inform the church office of any updates or omissions.			

We welcome you to



Ferris Church of Christ

Go. Teach. Baptize.

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Welcome to Ferris Church of Christ!

We are glad you are here today.

Children’s Church is available to K-5th graders and Nursery is available for ages 0-4, each Sunday during the sermon.

In order to know you better, pray for you and/or serve you in any way, please fill out a **Connection Card** located in the pews and place it in the offering box in the foyer area.

Praise and Worship

Security: Darrell Hetherington

Communion Meditation: Gerald Hull

Communion Servers: Blake Russell, Vic Welch, Ben Russell, Jeff Berens

Taking of the Lord’s Supper

Christians are invited to participate. Please partake of the bread and cup at this time.

Sermon: Keith Mitchell
“Advent Preparation”
Luke 1: 5-25

Invitation

Closing Prayer

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Trays will not be passed to collect tithes and offerings. Please place your offering in the box located in the foyer before service begins.

Sunday morning service is live streamed on Facebook. If you are unable to join us in person, we invite you to join us virtually

Upcoming events

- **Healthy Relationships** Dec. 8, 6:30 at church
- **December 11** Women’s Lunch Bunch at Marlview, 11:30 a.m. All women welcome!
- **December 14** Children’s program rehearsal 10 a.m. – noon.
- **December 15** Children’s Christmas Program and will be part of the morning worship service.
- **December 14&15** Community Nativity Walk at Rock Lake Bible Methodist Church
- **December 1-24** Advent series sermons
- **January 6** Men’s Christian Fellowship Westlawn CoC (Shepherd)
- **January 13** Women’s Christian Fellowship Coe CoC

Notes:

PRAYER NEEDS

- ❖ Our nation, President, elected leaders, military personnel
- ❖ Our missionaries
- ❖ Ronda Stoudt Allen (Andrea A’s cousin w/ Stage 4 Lung Cancer)
- ❖ Gerry VanSyckle (ALS, friend of Andrea A.)
- ❖ Derek Harris
- ❖ Fred Kinsey
- ❖ Rosemary Krafft
- ❖ Annie (Stratton) Leach
- ❖ Al & Cheryl Throop
- ❖ Verna Beth Hayward
- ❖ Hazel Williams
- ❖ Chris Emery
- ❖ Linda Ingram and Ty
- ❖ Trisha Lynn
- ❖ Arnie and Donna Smidt
- ❖ Brad Wanless
- ❖ Lorin Cook

**Prayer needs may be added by leaving a message at*

General Announcements

- If you are willing to bake a dozen cookies for the Nativity Walk at Rock Lake Bible Methodist Church, please see Keith who will arrange for them to be delivered prior to the event.
- **Nursery worker needed.** There is an immediate need for a nursery worker during the fourth Sunday each month. If you are willing to serve in this capacity once monthly, or even every other month, please volunteer with Gerald Hull.
- **Text-Em-All** If you are not on the text/call list and would like to be added, contact the church office or complete a connection card.

Serving next Sunday, Dec. 15, 2024

Communion Meditation: Luke Essex
Communion Servers: Denny Hansen, Troy Sackett, Chris Stratton, Luke Essex
Greeters: Vic and Lu Anne Welch
Nursery: Lu Anne Welch
Soundboard Operator: Brian Waldron
Security: Vic Welch

Sunday School Classes (9:30 a.m.)

Adult Overflow room
High School (9th – 12th) room 307
Middle School (6th – 8th) room 306
Upper Elementary (3rd - 5th) room 305
Early Elementary (PreK – 2nd) room 304

Mid-Week Studies

(See calendar on back for confirmed meeting dates)

Thursdays 9:30 at Keith’s office
Thursdays 6:30 Life Group @ RLCA
Fridays 10am: Ladies of Light @ Hull’s cabin resumes Sept. 20 continuing the study begun last spring
Every other Friday 7pm: Life Group @ the Mitchell’s
Wednesday 6:30 p.m. youth group at church