



The Chalice

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
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FEBRUARY

Monday, February 17
10:30 am – Coffee Chat

Wednesday, February 19
5:00 pm - Meal Ministry
7:00 pm - Choir

Thursday, February 20
10:30 am – Bible Study

Sunday, February 23 – Special Offering
10:00 am – Sunday School
11:00 am – Worship
Elder: Bill Hunt

Monday, February 24
5:00 pm – Disciple Women's Meeting

Wednesday, February 26
5:00 pm – Meal Ministry
7:00 pm – Choir

Thursday, February 27
10:30 am – Bible Study

Friday, February 28
1:00 pm – Outreach Meeting



Sunday, March 2
10:00 am – Sunday School
11:00 am – Worship
Elder: Cathy Moorehead

Tuesday, March 4
6:00 pm – “Fat Tuesday”
Pancake dinner

Wednesday, March 5
7:00 pm – Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, March 6
10:30 am – Bible Study

Sunday, March 9

10:00 am – Sunday School
11:00 am – Worship
Elder: Ann Smith

Wednesday, March 12

Chalice News due to Rosa
5:00 pm – Meal Ministry
7:00 pm – Choir

Thursday, March 13

10:30 am – Bible Study

Sunday, March 16

10:00 am – Sunday School
11:00 am – Worship
Elder: Rosa Hall

Monday, March 17

6:30 pm – Board Meeting

Wednesday, March 19

5:00 pm - Meal Ministry
7:00 pm - Choir

Thursday, March 20

10:30 am – Bible Study

Sunday, March 23

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11:00 am – Worship
Elder: Rosa Hall

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Friday, March 28

1:00 pm – Outreach Meeting

Sunday, March 30 – Change for Change

10:00 am – Sunday School
11:00 am – Worship
Elder: Bill Hunt

**FCCW Board Meeting
January 20, 2025**

Members present: Bill Hunt, Rosa Hall, Alan Cloar, Barbara Powell, Mary Lillie Watson, Kathy Reising, Tracy Henson.

The meeting was called to order by Bill with an opening prayer.

Barbara moved that the agenda be accepted as presented. There was a second.

Prayer concerns were lifted in prayer by Alan.

December minutes were approved as presented.

Treasurer Report was given by Kathy Reising. Discussion followed. The report was approved as presented.

Old Business: none
New Business: none

Reports by Committees:

Outreach: Barbara

Change for Change is collected on 5th Sundays for Relay for Life.

The Meal Ministry is active each Wednesday.

A mock-up of the brochure is ready for critiquing.

Next meeting is Jan. 31 at 1 pm.

Property: Mary Lillie

The contract with Fire Ant Management will be canceled. \$625 Mary Lillie will manage the issue with Termidor SC as needed.

The church sign in the front yard has been changed to LED lights by Davis Sign.

A member asked for Handicapped signs to be added to our parking lot in the back. ML will look into getting the signage.

The side door on Simonton Bridge is being redone with a commercial lock system.

Checked the annex for anything freezing with such low temperatures over the last week.

Water, hot water, thermostat, refrigerator, toilet. The toilet may need replacing.

Bathrooms in church will be painted.

Doors and windowsills on the church front will be cleaned and refreshed when it is warmer.

Sidewalk salt is available.

Worship: Tracy

Christmas/Advent items have been taken down.

Easter is our next season.

Ash Wednesday is March 5.

Minister's Report

Advent, Christmas Cantata, and Christmas Eve services were well attended.

Bible Study, each Thursday, Luke.

Pastoral visits, getting caught back up.

Prayer notes have been sent to people as needed.

Bly Hartley, IT support, met with Elaine McTyre, Alan, Kathy Reising and Cathy Moore-head. She will present a proposal about our needs and fees.

We will work on being more visible and connected in the community.

Communion: Bill

Adjourned with a prayer by Alan

Submitted by Board Secretary, Rosa Hall, and Bill Hunt, Board Chair

Financial Report January 2025

By Kathy Reising for Gina Hansford, Treasurer

JAN CONTRIBUTIONS	2025 YTD CONTRIBUTIONS	2025 BUDGETED CONTRIBUTIONS
\$10,546	\$10,546	\$13,730
JAN EXPENSES	2025 YTD EXPENSES	2025 BUDGETED EXPENSES
\$15,983	\$15,983	\$14,955



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2025 YTD CONTRIBUTIONS MINUS EXPENSES	\$ (5,437)
2025 CONTRIBUTIONS VS BUDGET	\$ (3,184) (UNDER)
2025 EXPENSES VS BUDGET	\$ (1,028) (OVER)

YEAR TO DATE (4 SUNDAYS)

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS BUDGET	\$3,433
AVERAGE WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS ACTUAL	<u>\$2,637</u>
AVERAGE WEEKLY SHORTAGE PER BUDGET	\$ (796)

	JAN 31, 2025	DEC 31, 2024	CHANGE IN ACCOUNT
GENERAL FUNDS	\$27,723	\$32,847	\$ -5,124 (16%)
DESIGNATED FUNDS	\$43,995	\$45,060	\$ -1,065 (2%)

STATEMENTS, AS OF	DEC 31, 2024	DEC 31, 2023	
SAVINGS GENERAL FUNDS	\$249,818	\$203,861	\$45,957 23%
ENDOWMENT FUNDS	\$237,399	\$207,105	\$30,294 15%

ITEMS OF NOTE: SPECIAL OFFERINGS AND DONATIONS YEAR TO DATE 01/31/2025

PAID DAVIS SIGN TO CONVERT FRONT SIGN TO LED - \$ 1324.18
PAID ACADEMY LOCK & KEY TO R&R STREET SIDE DOOR - \$ 721.82