



Upcoming Events at FCC!

- **Sunday, February 16th — Church Family Lunch** following worship
This month we are having a baked potato bar! Potatoes and toppings provided—folks are encouraged to bring a salad or dessert to share.
- **Sunday, February 23rd — Alternate Worship Location!** at 10:45 AM
This week we will be worshiping with the congregation at Madison Avenue Christian Church. Please do not arrive at First Christian Church for worship.
- **Sunday, March 2nd — Elders' Meeting** at 10:00 AM
This is the monthly meeting for our Elders. Please let an Elder Co-Chair know if you are unable to attend in person.
- **Sunday, March 2nd — FCC Book Club** at 2:00 PM via Zoom
The selected book is "More or Less Maddy" by Lisa Genova. If you need to be added to the email list for this group, please contact the church office. Thank you!
- **Wednesday, March 5th — Ash Wednesday Service** at 6:30 PM
We will be joining Erlanger Christian Church at their location. Our own Pastor Sheri will be leading the service.



Recurring Events at FCC

Don't forget! In addition to our upcoming events, we also host many events weekly, both online and in person. Check out our recurring events list and see if there's something for you! Contact the church office for more information on how to join these events.



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| <u>SUNDAYS</u> | — Worship at 10:45 AM (hybrid, both online and in person) |
| <u>TUESDAYS</u> | — Women's Bible Study* at 2:00 PM (online)
Alcoholics Anonymous at 7:00 PM (in person) |
| <u>THURSDAYS</u> | — Alcoholics Anonymous at 7:30 PM (in person) |
| <u>SATURDAYS</u> | — Community Dinner at 5:30 PM (in person)
Narcotics Anonymous at 10:00 PM (in person) |

* Open to anyone non-binary or female presenting who is looking for a safe, feminine space for Bible study.

Church Family Lunch Details!

This Sunday we will be having our monthly Church Family Lunch following worship. A baked potato bar will be provided, including toppings. **We are asking that folks make a donation towards the cost of lunch** to help offset the costs. Donations can be made in person, to the church through the mail, or via our [Givelify](#) account by adding the memo "Lunch".

If you'd like to add to the meal, salads and desserts to share would be appreciated!

If you would like to attend the meal but are unable to donate or bring something to share, let us feed you anyway! We would love to share with any who attend!



NEW Worship Location for 02/23

The Sunday worship service for February 23rd will be held at Madison Avenue Christian Church. Several of our members will be participating in the Women's Regional Choir, which will be performing at Madison Avenue that morning. Please mark your calendars so you can enjoy their worship leadership that Sunday.

 Their service begins at 10:45 AM. Please plan to carpool and arrive early, as we anticipate it will be crowded. Madison Avenue Christian Church also offers a live-stream of their Sunday worship services on their website at <https://mchurch.com/find-faith/worship-online/>.

Panorama Update from Sue & Steve

Dear Members of First Christian Church,

This is an update... Sue and I began taking food to the seniors at Panorama Apartments about 5 years ago. We knew that no one living there was literally starving, but we thought there were many living there who needed some help. That has been verified every week by the 20—25 people who wait for us to arrive on Thursday. Also, the staff in the office tell us that the others come down after we leave and the food is gone by the afternoon.

Staff members shared that in December the food was really appreciated because a monthly box of food from the Salvation Army never came.

Many of the members of FCC have in the past donated food or money for this outreach effort which is done in First Christian's name. We purchase the food from Master Provisions in Florence for \$0.25 per pound. This includes canned meat, fruit, vegetables, spaghetti & sauce, fresh fruit & vegetables, jelly, bread, macaroni, cookies, cereal, snacks, instant oatmeal, and boost drinks. We purchase whatever we need and store it in a room in Fellowship Hall.

If you would care to help with this ministry, the easiest way is to give Sheri Jackson a check, marking on it "for Panorama food". You could purchase food yourself, but \$0.25 per pound allows more food to be purchased.

Again, we wanted you to know that this outreach ministry is still helping people in the name of First Christian Church. We would be grateful for any help you could give to the seniors at Panorama.

May God bless you.

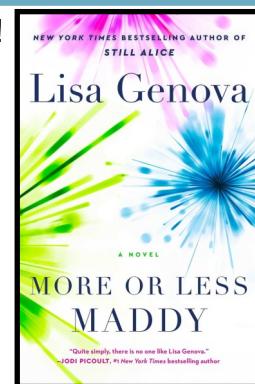
Sincerely,

Sue and Steve Rehfuss

FCC Book Club Details

We are blessed to have an active book club here at FCC and would love if you would join in! This month's selection is "More or Less Maddy" by Lisa Genova. This book was a recent release in January of this year. [Goodreads](#) describes "More or Less Maddy" as "a breathless, riveting novel about a young woman diagnosed with bipolar disorder who rejects the stability and approval found in a traditionally 'normal' life for a career in stand-up comedy".

Our club will meet on Sunday, March 2nd via Zoom to discuss this book. If you would like to be added to our Book Club email list for reminder emails and access to the Zoom link, please contact the church office.



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