

First Christian Church Newsletter

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Upcoming Events

- **Sun, Feb. 8—Worship Service** at 10:45 am
Join us in person or online via Facebook and YouTube! Recurring every Sunday.
- **Tues, Feb. 3—Women's Bible Study** at 2:00 pm
Open to anyone non-binary or fem-identifying who is looking for a safe, feminine space for Bible study. Recurring every Tuesday.
- **Wed, Feb. 11—Leadership Council Meeting** at 7:00 pm
All members are welcome and encouraged to attend. A Zoom link will be sent to members prior to the call.
- **Sun, Feb. 15—Worship Service** at 10:45 am
Join us in person or online via Facebook and YouTube! Recurring every Sunday.
- **Tues, Feb. 17—Women's Bible Study** at 2:00 pm
Open to anyone non-binary or fem-identifying who is looking for a safe, feminine space for Bible study. Recurring every Tuesday.
- **Sun, Feb. 22—Elders' Meeting** at 10:00 am
Elders will meet in person in the sanctuary prior to worship. Please let an Elder co-chair know if you are unable to attend.
- **Sun, Feb. 22—Worship Service** at 10:45 am
Join us in person or online via Facebook and YouTube! Recurring every Sunday.

Updates to Our Contact Information

As you heard last week, our mailing address is has changed! As of today, our phone number has changed as well. Please make note of the following updates.

Thank you for your attention to these important updates!

Our new mailing address is:

**P.O. Box 17321
Lakeside Park, KY 41017**

If a package or mailing requires more than just a P.O. Box, please use:

**123 Buttermilk Pike
P.O. Box 17321
Lakeside Park, KY 41017**

Our new phone number is:

(859) 287-6279

Additionally, you can contact the church office at firstonfifthcc@gmail.com for any questions, concerns, or prayer request updates.

Spotlight: Arretta Ketron

Welcome to the
Spot-light,
Arretta Ketron!

(As you read you may recognize some of these questions... we are using the Proust Questionnaire as used in Vanity Fair. It is said that in answering these questions, an individual will reveal their true self! Read along and decide for yourself if you can determine the true self of Jeff!)

What is your idea of perfect happiness?

Perfect happiness would be when EVERYONE is healthy, happy and has what they need.

What is your greatest fear?

The continuance of the hate, fear and greed in this country

What is the trait you most deplore in yourself?

Not asking for help and feeling like I need to do things by myself.

What is the trait you most deplore in others?

Hate.

Which living person do you most admire?

My daughter. She is a good person who cares about others and someone who gives me hope for the future.

What is your greatest extravagance?

Technology

What is your current state of mind?

Sadness and anger with what's happening with ICE

What do you consider the most overrated virtue?

Acceptance. It's time to stop accepting things the way they are and make a change.

On what occasion do you lie?

To not hurt someone

What do you most dislike about your appearance?

My hair

Which living person do you most despise?

Donald Trump.

What is the quality you most like in a person?

Kindness.

Which words or phrases do you most overuse?

Right?

What or who is the greatest love of your life?

My family

When and where were you happiest?

On vacation in Gatlinburg with my family. Getting stuck on the sky lift in the rain and laughing until we cried.

Which talent would you most like to have?

Healing

If you could change one thing about yourself, what would it be?

My memory. If I have to walk into the kitchen one more time and forget why I went there, I will lose it!

What do you consider your greatest achievement?

My wonderful family.

If you were to die and come back as a person or a thing, what would it be?

My cat

Where would you most like to live?

On an island with all the animals that need a home

What is your most treasured possession?

My mother's Bible

What do you regard as the lowest depth of misery?

The second election.

What is your favorite occupation?

A good doctor.

What is your most marked characteristic?

My height, or lack of height.

What do you most value in your friends?

Kindness to others

Who are your favorite writers?

Mitch Albom, Nicholas Sparks, Patricia Cornwell

Who is your hero of fiction?

Katniss Everdeen

Which historical figure do you most identify with?

Eleanor Roosevelt. She was someone who advocated for the vulnerable and championed human rights for those who couldn't care for themselves.

Who are your heroes in real life?

The people who stand up for those that can't stand up for themselves.

What are your favorite names?

Nick and Leah

What is it that you most dislike?

The Pandora's box that's been opened that has allowed hate, lies and misinformation to be accepted and revered.

What is your greatest regret?

Not listening to my gut more.

What is your motto?

You never know what someone is going through. Be kind.

NEW Lent Study Starting Soon



Elder Sheila Iott will be hosting a new study during the Lent season! Sessions will begin February 25th and will continue every Wednesday evening at 7:00 pm, until April 1st.

The study will follow *The Final Days: A Lenten Journey through the Gospels* by Matt Rawle.

A Zoom link will be set up and sent out prior to the call.

Prayer Requests

If there is a name that needs to be removed or added to the prayer list, please contact the church office via email at firstonfifthcc@gmail.com. Prayer request details are kept private and only first names will be published publicly for prayer. Prayer Requests will remain on the list for one month, and then will automatically be removed unless we have been asked to keep it on.

- Amy
- Bekah
- Bristol
- Char
- Greg
- Hannah
- Interim Pastor Search Committee
- Janet
- Jean
- Jeff
- John
- Mary
- Norma
- Pam
- Peck
- Scott
- Susan

Welcome wholly.
Love authentically.
Share God's grace
abundantly.



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