



Phillipsburg First Christian Church

OCTOBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

From the Pastor's Pen

- By Pastor LeRoy Herder

Back to Church -- A Special Celebration

Several months ago we began planning for Back to Church Sunday. First we express a huge THANK YOU to all who prayed, invited, gave out brochures, etc. We say thank you to all who came out and helped spruce up the grounds and the church building.

God blessed September 18 with a beautiful day and we are thankful for all who came out to worship that day. The service began with a wonderful song by the children. What a joy it was to hear them shout out, "He is the light, light, light, light of the world!" THANK YOU, children and Donna Jarvis, who lead them and parents who brought them.

The praise team lead us in lifting our voices together in praise to the Lord. THANK YOU praise team and tech team for the faithful work you do every Sunday. We paused and meditated on what Jesus Christ did for us on the cross as we participated in the Lord's Supper. Our souls were fed by Pastor LeRoy as preached about the wonder of the love of God, based on John 3:16.

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Church Events

- Oct 2nd Christian Men's Fellowship
- Oct 2nd Prayer Shawl Ministry
- Oct 5th Book Club
- Oct 10th Material Girls Quilt Guild
- Oct 12th Evangelism Meeting
- Oct 16th Elders Meeting
- Oct 23rd Woke Lecture
- Oct 24st Missions Meeting
- Oct. 30th Sunday Supper Club
- Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 Youth Groups

The Pastor's Pen Continued

Then we headed back to the fellowship hall where all participated in a trivia game about Phillips County. (Did you learn something new about Phillips County?) Then it was time to head to the food table, loaded down with a delicious array of brisket, ham, hot dishes, salads and desserts. A huge thanks to all who brought food, helped serve AND clean up! The day was indeed a blessing for this church body and we trust was precious in the sight of our Lord.

That one day is over but let's now look ahead and see what God has for our body for the future! Let's never stop praying, inviting, speaking to others about our precious Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.



Thank You

Dear Friends in Christ,

With All Our Thanks

We want you to know that we're grateful for your kind and considerate way, and we thank you for being so special...

All the love shown from all we've known, with prayers, cards, and calls showing us that we have found a loving Church Family. Thank you. We love you too!

With Christ's Love,

Donna Farr & Lois Runion

Woke Lecture

"Woke" Lecture Sunday October 23 – 5:00 p.m.

When I held the first 'Woke' lecture in August, we had 32 turn out and they were really interested.

We did not have time to include anywhere near all the information and many requested that I do another lecture.

The second half of the woke lecture will be held on Oct. 23rd in the fellowship hall at 5:00 PM.

We will cover information on CRT (Critical Race Theory), gender identity and other current issues.

As Christians, we need to be aware of what is going on in our world so that we can stand firm for the truths of scripture.

This lecture is open to everyone, so invite others to come and join us.

Looking forward to seeing you on the 23rd of Oct.

Doc Herder

Sunday Supper Club

“And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encourage one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.” Hebrews 10: 24-25

The evangelism team is starting a new program called Sunday Supper Club. The purpose is to get together in small groups and get to know your fellow attenders of First Christian Church better. A couple of groups have met so far and response has been positive.

Members of the team will continue to host, but our hope is that others will feel called to start hosting also. There are no real rules. Invite people from church over for supper some evening (it really doesn't even need to be Sunday if that doesn't work for you). We have chosen the last Sunday of each month, but again, whatever works best for the group is fine. Provide a meal or make it potluck, whatever works for your situation. Visit and learn more about each other outside of church, have a short devotion or discussion topic, maybe some fun activity.

Want to be involved but not up to hosting, let Donna Jarvis or Sue Miller know. We will continue to host and hope to get as many involved as possible. Maybe you would like to plan a short activity, make a dessert to share or just want to meet more people from our church. The main goal is to fellowship with one another, share our faith and strengthen each other in the Lord.

October Scripture

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

Ephesians 4:32 (NIV)



October Birthdays



01 Kelly Cote'	10 Sonya Aiken
01 Shelly Cote'	12 Mariah Coomes
01 Beth Norris	12 Jonathan Hunnacutt
01 Emily Schneider	12 Cory Johnson
02 Beacam Byerly	13 Scarlett Javis
05 Tony Thomas	13 Penny Moffatt
06 Camie Schneider	15 Locke Korobka
07 John Brandon	15 Beth Vrbas
07 Bailey Byerly	18 Clairra Dibble
08 Dan Crist	20 Jessica Pugh
08 Parker Dibble	25 Tara Hopson
08 Trenton Weinman	29 Miley Moffatt
09 Avery Aiken	30 Jake Epley
09 Pam Crist	31 Sherry Calhoon



September Offering

04	\$3,054.00
11	\$2,610.50
18	\$3,080.50
25	TBA

Each Sunday we need to collect \$2,596.15 to meet our budget.

Please pray about your giving.

Remember, you cannot out-give God.

Mission Offering

\$104.95

September Attendance

04 - 94	18 - 145
11 - 125	25 - TBA

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BACK TO Church Sunday

September 18, 2022

