



# FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH - DISCIPLES OF CHRIST MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

## DW Project

The Disciples Women's mission for January is for DWF Kansas Christian Home. The home is an independent living, continuing care retirement community, and nursing home that was developed for those who have retired from disciples ministry. There is a place for all to receive help at DWF Kansas Christian Home.

## Kansas Disciples,

Regional ministers across the country are advising their churches on how best to respond to the tornadoes and high wind damage of recent weeks. Here is that wisdom, adapted for Kansas churches:

1. Please prayerfully consider sending money directly to Week of Compassion - and indicate it is for tornado relief. 100 percent of your gifts go to ministry as WOC administrative costs are covered by endowments.
2. There are other partner organizations/denominations that have immediate disaster response teams and they are best equipped to handle this part of the recovery.
3. The Disciples part of the Disaster Recovery process are the teams that arrive 3-6 months after the event is out of the news and set up mission stations to provide for the 2-3 year ongoing rebuild.
4. Kansas churches that want to send mission teams under the auspices of the Disciples can contact Week of Compassion or Disciples Volunteering.

## In Our Prayers

CARE HOMES/HOMEBOUND – June Dodds, Rutheen Hammack, Londa Metcalf, Doris Drummond, Jean Daetwiler, Mary Lea Ashcraft, Warren & Mary Koogle, Marsha Bayless, Iona Shipp, Bert Dean, & June Miller

HEALTH CONCERNS – Carol Fincher, Mike Womeldorff, Erlene Cares, Ginger Dixon, Lois Parker, Anne Allen, Barbara Robbins, Suzi Ginn, Shane Gwartney, Ted Hizey, Terri Thornton, Charlotte Brown, Juanita Shephard, L.D. Janssen, Roper Blackburn-Campmier, Jacob Blackburn, Bettie Nash

WORLD CONCERNS – Covid-19

**THEREFORE, IF ANYONE IS IN CHRIST, THE NEW CREATION HAS COME:  
THE OLD HAS GONE, THE NEW IS HERE! - 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17**

# Calendar of Events



**January 2022** It is the **second month of winter**. In the Southern Hemisphere January is a summer month the equivalent of July. Sometimes the Saxons called January the wolf month because hungry wolves would come into their towns searching for food this time of year.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>26</b> 9:30-FCC Worship followed by Sunday School	<b>27</b> <b>Fruitcake Day</b>	<b>28</b>  <i>Joyce Austin</i>	<b>29</b> 5:30-Youth Group 6:00-Choir Practice 7:00-Bell Practice  <i>Arlice Smith</i>	<b>30</b> 5:30-FPC Bible Study at Wall Family Center	<b>31</b> New Year's Day (obs.)  <i>Mike Howerter</i>	<b>1</b> <b>New Year's Day</b>
<b>2</b> 9:30-FCC Worship in Fellowship Hall followed by Sunday School	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> <b>National Trivia Day</b> 9:30-DW Executive Board Mtg	<b>5</b> 5:30-Youth Group 6:00-Choir Practice 7:00-Bell Practice	<b>6</b> <b>National Bean Day</b> 11:00-FPC Moving Day 5:30-FPC Bible Study at Wall Family Center <i>Lee Wegner</i>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>  <i>Mary Koogle</i>
<b>9</b> 9:30-FCC Worship followed by S.S. 10:30-All Churches Brunch 11:00-FPC Worship	<b>10</b> <b>National 4<sup>th</sup> Graders Day</b>	<b>11</b> <b>National Milk Day</b> 11:30-DW Brown Bag Luncheon 2:00-FPC Tea 6:00-FPC Space	<b>12</b> 5:30-Youth Group 6:00-Choir Practice 7:00-Bell Practice	<b>13</b> 10:00-Clergy Mtg. 5:30-FPC Bible Study at Wall Family Center	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> <b>National Hat Day</b>
<b>16</b> 9:30-FCC Worship followed by S.S. 11:00-FPC Worship 12:00-FCC Board Mtg <i>Mark Watkins</i>	<b>17</b> <b>Martin Luther King Day</b> Office Closed 1:30-PEO	<b>18</b> 5:00-FPC Session	<b>19</b> <b>National Popcorn Day</b> 5:30-Youth Group 6:00-Choir Practice 7:00-Bell Practice	<b>20</b> 5:30-FPC Bible Study at Wall Family Center  <i>Barbara Robbins</i>	<b>21</b>  <i>Jeanette Horton</i>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b> <b>National Pie Day</b> 9:30-FCC Worship followed by Sunday School 11:00-FPC Worship <i>Dale Dean</i>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <b>Opposite Day</b> 2:00-FPC Tea 6:00-FPC Space	<b>26</b> <b>Spouse's Day</b> 5:30-Youth Group 6:00-Choir Practice 7:00-Bell Practice	<b>27</b> 5:30-FPC Bible Study at Wall Family Center  <i>Mary Vinson</i>	<b>28</b> <b>Fun at Work Day</b>  <i>Jennifer McElroy</i>	<b>29</b> <b>Kansas's Birthday</b>
<b>30</b> 9:30-FCC Worship followed by Sunday School 11:00-FPC Worship	<b>31</b> <b>Backwards Day</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Groundhog Day</b> 5:30-Youth Group 6:00-Choir Practice 7:00-Bell Practice	<b>3</b> 5:30-FPC Bible Study at Wall Family Center	<b>4</b> <b>World Cancer Day</b>	<b>5</b>  <i>Sandy Womeldorff</i>

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