

To our Guests:

We are glad you've chosen to worship today at Friendswood. We invite you to make worship with us a weekly event.

Please complete a green Welcome Card located on the chair back in front of you. When our offering plates are passed the only thing we ask you to put in is the card.

If you would like to learn more about Friendswood, please call and speak with one of our ministers at 281.482.7966.

We hope you feel welcomed and at home today!

Please accept this invitation to come to one of our House Groups for an evening of fellowship and Bible study.

House Group Listing

Ed & Vernelle Hoskins, Bob & Connie Young, 808 Stephen Ct., Fwd., 281-482-7239, Sunday at 5 PM

Charles & Dian Kirklin, 607 Linkwood, Fwd., 281-482-3427, Tuesday at 6:30 PM

Charles Kirklin & Esther Speck, 400 E. Parkwood #178, Fwd., 281-482-7453, Sundays from 6:30-7:30 PM at Village on the Park.

Jeff Kirklin, 6404 Hillock Ln., Pearland, 281-795-1260 or 832-439-0726, Sunday at 6 PM

Mike & Celeste Ross, Ron & Susan Cox, 16439 Hibiscus, Fwd., 281-482-8753, Sunday at 6PM

Scott & Amy Mitchell, Adrian & Anna Duron, 832-569-4134, Sunday at 5:30PM

Jim & Nancy Smothermon, Carl & Betty Dillon, 1206 Thomas, Fwd., 281-482-1702, Sunday at 6PM

Upcoming Events

Today — Ordination service for Garrett & Meghan Hollingsworth

—Fellowship Meal with money tree for the Hollingsworths

—Terry Fowler will be taking photos of elders with their spouses, deacons, and of the staff.

Wednesday, July 2nd —Brown Bag optional 6:00 PM

—Peak of the Week 7:00 PM, Youth hosts

Friday, July 4th — Patriotic Celebration at the Kovitz's 5:00 PM

Wednesday, July 9th — Brown Bag optional 6:00 PM

—Peak of the Week 7:00 PM, worship

Saturday, July 19th — Friendswood Community Prayer Breakfast at

Good Shepherd Episcopal

Last Sunday: Attendance: 171 Offering: \$22,055.10 Budget: \$9,819.00
FCS Contribution: \$6,000.00

Prayer Needs

To have a prayer request listed, fill out a Prayer Request card from the chair back. Please continue to update your request by emailing office@fwdcofc.org

Friendswood Members:

Jeff & Lindsay Kirklin, expecting and due in February.

Wendie & Michael Lawley, expecting a BOY and due in late July.

Courtney & Kyle McGinn, expecting and due in February.

Renewed Health:

Charlene Fulgham, Stephen Fulgham, Doris Griffin, Elsie Hendrickson, Terri Hollingsworth, Evelyn Jackson, David McGinn, Eleanor Nunnally, Andrew Rutledge, Bill Shropshire, Esther Speck, Bette Thompson, Buna Vowell, Carmen Walters, Linda Williams.

Family/Friends:

Carol Adair, (Chad Adair's mother) diagnosed with multiple myeloma.

Betty Bazzy, (Lisa Zeringue's mother) diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

Pavica Brecak, (Duda Fulgham's mother in Croatia) is struggling with dementia.

Roger Cumba, (Janet Kirklin's cousin) diagnosed with cancer, please pray for healing before July surgery at M.D. Anderson.

C J Dupree, (Jean Dupree's ex-husband) diagnosed with neck & throat cancer and will be having radiation treatment soon.

Noah Givens, (10 month old son of coworker of Laurel Sanborn) a tumor has been discovered in his chest and underwent a biopsy this week.

Larry Jessup, (Janet Kirklin's cousin) will undergo one year of chemo for stage 4 cancer, please pray for helpful treatment.

Robby & Kami (Hughes) Day, expecting a GIRL in October.

Carroll Kelly, (Steve Kelly's father) experiencing heart complications while undergoing treatment for cancer.

Debbie Lounsberry, (friend & coworker of Leanne Howell) diagnosed with cancer in several organs and will begin aggressive chemo.

Nelda Porterfield, (Celeste Ross' sister) now suffers from aphasia from a stroke, but has not spoken a few words, continues to recover.

Bob Ross, (Mike Ross' father) has been re-admitted to the hospital but is doing well.

Greg & Brittany (Hughes) Schroeder, expecting a GIRL in October.

Marty Shumaker, (Coach at Bay Area Christian) has moved to a rehabilitation facility and is undergoing therapy as he continues to recover.

Kay Taliaferro, (former member) continues treatment for cancer. You can stay updated by visiting their blog, www.gary-kay.blogspot.com.

Bill Westmoreland, (former member) undergoing cancer treatment.

Service Men and Women:

Seth Creswell, (Amy Mitchell's brother) serving in Iraq.

Michael Eyman, (Pam Smithgall's cousin) serving in Afghanistan, near Kandahar.

Wes Kuenstler, (Kyle McGinn's cousin) serves in Special Forces in Afghanistan.

Eric Sacramento, in training at Ft. Leonard Wood in Missouri.

Our sermons are podcast on the church website. Go to www.fwdcofc.org and click on the "Church of Christ in Friendswood Sermons" link in the middle of the page.

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Worship Service

We exist to share in God's life through Jesus Christ. We connect people to God through Scripture, Community, Serving, and Inner Life.

God Calls Us Together Into His Holy Presence

Call to Worship	Danny Mercer	
	<i>O What a Glorious God</i>	Screen
	<i>Almighty</i>	#105
	<i>You Are the Song That I Sing</i>	#238
Scripture Reading: Psalm 25: 1, 4-15		
	<i>Step by Step</i>	#15
	<i>Teach Me Your Way, O Lord</i>	#762

God Speaks To Us Through His Word

Life of the Vine: Kindness

Open my Heart Screen

God Shares With Us At His Table

	<i>Worthy, Your are Worthy</i>	#232
Communion		
	<i>Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross</i>	#383
Shepherd's Prayer		Tom Kirklin

God Sends Us Out Into His Mission

Offering		
Our Common Life		
	<i>Look What God is Doing</i>	Screen

June Greeters:

David Veatch and Adam Reeder

Nursery Helpers:

Today: Lindsay Harrell & Lindsay Kirklin

Next Week: Carol & Anna McDaniel

June Communion

Preparers:

The Womacks

Elder of the Month:

Tom Kirklin

Service Times:

Sundays: 9 AM Bible Class; 10:15 AM Worship

Wednesdays: 6 PM Eats, 7 PM Peak of the Week and Team Kids

Please make sure your cell phones are turned off.

Family News...

Baby Showers

Ladies, you are invited to a plethora of baby showers coming up:

- Shower and brunch honoring April Bouley and 1st baby girl on Saturday, July 12th, 10:30 AM at the home of Carolyn Simpson, 4034 Ravensway Ct , Pearland. April is registered at Babies R' Us and Target. For any questions or RSVP please contact Kim VanPelt or Amy Mitchell.
- Kami (Hughes) Day and baby girl on Sunday, July 13th, 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM at Southeast Church of Christ. Kami is registered at Babies R' Us and Target. Contact Diana Bradshaw for more information.
- Brittany (Hughes) Schroeder and baby girl on Saturday, July 12, 11:00 AM at the home of Diana Bradshaw, 232 Magnolia Way, League City. Brittany is registered at Babies R' Us and Target. See Diana Bradshaw for more information.

Attention Elders, Deacons, and Staff

Terry Fowler will finish taking photos of the elders with their spouses, deacons, and staff Today.

Vacation Bible School "Gone Hog Wild"

Mark your calendar to join us for VBS "Son Harvest: County Fair" on August 3rd - 6th, 2008 at 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM for ages 2 years through 3rd grade. Volunteers are still needed, especially for the festival activities for the last night. Also, we ask that everyone start saving two liter soda bottles to be used for games and crafts.

Fellowship Luncheon

Join us Today for a down home Southern style meal and great time of fellowship welcoming Garrett and Meghan. Also, we will be presenting a money tree in honor of the Hollingsworths joining our church family.

Attention Parents

Currently, there is an incomplete fence around the playground. We ask that for the safety of your children they do not use the equipment unsupervised.

Open Invitation to a Patriotic Celebration

If you are staying in town this 4th of July holiday, plan on being at the Kovitz's that evening. So, bring food, drinks, and desserts for you and your family, lawn chairs, card table (if able), games, fireworks (if there is no fire ban), and an anticipation of a good time. The fun starts at approximately 5:00 PM.

Peak of the Week

This coming Wednesday night everyone is invited at 6:00 PM to bring their own dinner and have a time of fellowship with one another.

At 7:00 PM the youth will perform a series of skits that they have been diligently working on.

The prayer group will also meet in the library.

FUSION Student Ministries

June 30th SYS at Grace Crossing Community Church of Christ in Conroe. Meet at the church at 4:30 PM, we'll go to dinner at Whataburger, then leave at 5:20 PM for Conroe. We should return to the building around 10:15 PM. Bring wide ruled notebook paper for Impact Church.

July 2nd, Youth Group hosts Peak of the Week

July 3rd, TNT 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM

July 6th-11th, Mpulse at ACU (Jr. High)

July 14th, SYS at Bammel Church of Christ

July 19th, Car wash fundraiser

July 16th, Youth Class

July 17, TNT 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM

July 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 Youth TNT Peggy McCullum B/D	4	5 Kay Belk B/D Emily Richards B/D
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Mpulse Jr. High						
		Linda O'Brien B/D	Jeffery Thomas B/D			
13	14 Youth @ SYS	15 Connor Thomas B/D Erika Vowell B/D	16 Dick Bockart B/D Kirk McDaniel B/D	17 Youth TNT Lindsay Harrell B/D	18 Diana Bradshaw B/D	19 Youth Car Wash Prayer Breakfast @ Good Shepherd Episcopal
20 Beverly Thomas B/D	21 Youth @ SYS John Thomas B/D Alex VanPelt B/D	22	23 Terri Hollingsworth B/D	24 Youth TNT	25	26 Jake Mercer B/D
27 Vernell Hoskins B/D Bruce Williams B/D	28 Youth @ SYS	29 Gayle Norman B/D	30 Ron Cox B/D Cara Hoskins B/D	31 Youth TNT		