



The worship service is live streamed on Sundays at 10:30 am via our Facebook page.

www.facebook.com/firstfriendskokomo

Donations can be made via the website:

www.kokomofirstfriends.org

by clicking "Donate" at the top of the page. Checks can also be mailed to the office.



To keep social distancing measures during the work week (at least a 6 foot distance between people), please make use of calling or emailing the office, rather than in-office visits.

This practice helps to keep everyone safe, limits exposure, and reduces the cleaning that has to be done after each in-person visit.

Communicate **safely** with the office by either emailing: first.friends@sbcglobal.net or by calling **765-453-9490**. Facebook messaging works, too!



Mesquakie Friends Prayer Requests

- For all who have contracted the virus, for a cure/vaccine to be discovered.
- For God to continue to bless Mac & Berny McDonald & that they continue to follow the Spirit's guidance.
- For our substance abuse Recovery Community during social distancing. Live meetings are slowly returning.

AUGUST Birthdays

- Rosemary Pike, August 6
- Valerie Rhum, August 10
- Merrell Kenworthy, August 11
- Mike Wyant, August 11
- Emily West, August 20
- Ashley Crew, August 21
- Joan Lamm, August 25
- Susie Holston, August 27
- Conner Kennedy, August 30
- Katie Hillman, August 30

Jingle Sunday is August 30th. , Lugulu Hospital

Friends Lugulu Mission Hospital was established by Quaker missionaries in 1913. Now a 100-bed hospital, the hospital provides emergency, medical, and surgical services in a densely populated region where such resources are scarce.



Want to fill your own shoe box? Contact Cheryl or Faye to get your shoe box &

let them know if you would like one for a girl or boy and what age. The Outreach Comm. is in need of the following items:

"WOW" items: Stuffed animals, Small instruments (harmonica/recorder), Soccer balls with manual air pumps, Dolls/trucks (that will fit in the shoe box with other things).

Other gift items:

- Match Box or Hot Wheels cars
- Underwear, clothing
- Jump ropes
- Yo Yos
- Sun Glasses
- Play Jewelry & Watches
- Stickers, crayons, small craft kits

Cannot accept: Candy, toothpaste, liquids, war toys, or glass items.

Financial donations: Are also accepted (write: "shoe box", or "OCC" in the memo. line).



First Friends has received a grant for updated audio/video equipment, but we are still in need of \$550 to make up the balance. Please prayerfully consider contributing towards the new equipment for live streaming, etc.. Thank you!

IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

- Susan Block*
- Mendy Boyle*
- Jerry Bunnell*
- Mary Gang*
- Dolly Kellar*
- Bea McMurtrey*
- Dan Sheridan*
- Alec Wessendorf*
- Walt Wessendorf*
- Emily West*



The summer months are marked with a decline in donations for the KRM. Please remember the hurting people who come to the mission for help this summer.

Financial donations can be made online at kokomorescuemission.org or mailed to:

Kokomo Rescue Mission
321 W. Mulberry St,
Kokomo, IN 46901

Friendsunitedmeeting.org
Lugulu Adopt-a-Bed Program

The FUM Adopt-a-Bed program covers Lugulu hospital expenses for individuals who are unable to pay. Upon recommendation by a nurse, and via screening by a doctor and the chaplain, patients who are unable to pay their bill are admitted to the *Adopt-a-Bed Program*. This program provides financial assistance to patients whose families are unable to raise enough money to cover the costs of their medical care. Without the *Adopt-a-Bed* fund, the hospital would not be able to continue to provide medical care to those without financial means. There are many qualified people on waiting lists for the *Adopt-a-Bed* program. Please consider making a one-time gift or monthly pledge on the fum website, to this vital program.



**Aug. 2: Mission Sunday
ACFIA**

Aug. 5: Hobby Club
9:00-2:00

Aug. 10: Outreach Committee
2:00
Trustee Committee
4:00

Aug. 11: CM&E and CE
6:30

Aug. 13: Finance Committee
6:00

Aug. 18: Administrative Comm.
6:30

Aug. 19: Hobby Club
9:00-2:00

Aug. 20: American Red Cross
Blood Drive 12-6 pm

Aug. 23: Youth Sunday

Aug. 27: Seasoned Friends
New London 11:30 am

Aug. 29: Shower, 11am-6pm

Aug. 30: Jingle Sunday, Lugulu

Sept. 12: Chicken/Beef Noodle Sale

ACFIA is a religious & educational work among American Indians at 6 centers in Kickapoo, Council House, Wyandotte, Hominy, Oklahoma, McIntosh, Alabama, & Mesquakie, Iowa, sponsored by the Associated Committee of Friends on Indian Affairs.

Youth Sunday
Aug. 23rd.

The youth will be leading the Worship Service. A pitch-in lunch to follow.



Western Yearly Meeting Special Project
Belize Friends School, Goal: \$15,000

Belize Friends School gives the Belize youth a second chance to succeed at entering high school or trade school and to be successful in life.

Donations can be sent to:
Western Yearly Meeting, 203 S. East Street,
P.O. Box 70, Plainfield, IN 46168

Write checks out to: **WYM Benevolence Fund**
Write "**2020 Special Project**" in the memo. line.

This year's Special Project is to support the expenses of the school. All donations need to be in by early December in order to be counted in the 2020 total.

Wear a face mask in public and when around others that are not in your household.

Stay 6 feet away from those that are not in your household.

Use hand sanitizer when entering the Meeting House and after touching surfaces or your face.

Sanitize surfaces that you have touched, door knobs, light switches, books, pews, desk tops, etc.

Stay home when possible and make use of safe communication options to protect others: phone calls, email, text, letter, cards, Facebook, Zoom, conference calls, etc.

