



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

[www.facebook.com/firstfriendskokomo](http://www.facebook.com/firstfriendskokomo)

Donations can be made via the website:

[www.kokomofirstfriends.org](http://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](mailto:first.friends@sbcglobal.net) or by calling **765-453-9490**. Facebook messaging works, too!



## OCTOBER Birthdays

Jaimie Miller 10/5  
Ed Kammeyer 10/6  
David Taffe 10/9  
Rivers Waggoner 10/10  
Jeff Hendershot 10/13  
Ariana Pike 10/14  
Ruth Anne Kerby 10/17  
Kaitlin Kennedy, 10/17  
Pat Cottrell, 10/19  
Kathy Newby, 10/24  
Terry Newby, 10/26  
Raygon Miller 10/29



## OCTOBER Birthdays & Anniversaries

Jon & Jessica Newton, 10/24



## Chicken/Beef & Noodle Sale Sept. 12, 2020

Net Sale: \$1,669.

Proceeds: Peace Scholarship



Packing Boxes will be done on Thursday, October 1st. 1:30 pm.

**"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).

## Budget \$ Planning

Committee Heads,  
Please turn in your budget reports by **Oct. 5th.**



### Fall Impact

Nov. 6-8th.  
Ages 11-18 for Grades 7-12  
\$80, Camp will focus on service and giving back. Register at: [www.qhcyouthprogramming.com](http://www.qhcyouthprogramming.com)

### Lumberjack Day

Nov. 7th.  
Cut and split firewood for the winter season  
Food and coffee provided  
Jeans & flannel encouraged  
Beards are optional

## IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

*Susan Block*

*Mendy Boyle*

*Mary Gang*

*Bea McMurtrey*

*Dan Sheridan*

*Alec Wessendorf*

*Walt Wessendorf*



The KRM pantries are almost empty. Financial donations can be

made online at:

**[kokomorescuemission.org](http://kokomorescuemission.org)**

Kokomo Rescue Mission  
321 W. Mulberry St., 46901  
It costs about \$32.55 to provide 15 nutritious meals.

Food donations are needed, especially #10 cans.

Needed items are: Fruit, pork-n-beans, vegetables, beans, meats, ravioli/spaghetti, beef stew, chili, condiments, sugar, spices, vinegar, soy sauce, vanilla, spaghetti sauce, dry noodles, and rice



**American Red Cross**

We achieved our goal of collecting 20 units of blood at the Sept. 8th. blood drive!! Thank you! 29 appointments were scheduled, 22 people came to their appointment & 20 units of blood were collected.

All donations will be tested for Covid19 antibodies. The results of your antibody test can be viewed on your Red Cross online account.

Appointments can be made for **The next blood drive, Oct. 15 from 12-6 pm. Thank you! 1-800-733-2767**



Sept. 20: Hand Chime & Young Children's Bell practice during Meeting for Worship

Sept. 22: Admin. Comm., 6:30pm

Sept. 23: Bell Choir, 6:30pm  
Choir, 7:30pm

Sept. 24: Seasoned Friends 11:30am

Sept. 27: Monthly Meeting 11:45am  
Youth Handbells, Rise of Worship

Sept. 30: Bell Choir, 6:30pm  
Choir, 7:30 pm

Oct. 1: Packing shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child 1:30 pm

Oct. 3: Rummage Sale, 8am-3pm

Oct. 4: Mission Sunday, ACFIA

Oct. 7: Hobby Club, 9:30am-1pm  
Bell Choir, 6:30 pm  
Vocal Choir, 7:30 pm

Oct. 8: Finance Committee, 6pm

Oct. 11: Youth Handbells, Rise of Worship

Oct. 12: Outreach Comm., 2pm  
Trustee Comm., 4pm

Oct. 13: CM&E/CE, 6:30pm



**Rummage Sale  
October 3rd.  
8am-3pm**

Donations for the rummage sale will be accepted Sept. 28-Oct. 2nd. Please make sure the items donated are clean. If you would like to help or have questions, please call Linda at: 765-860-6976.

USFW, the WYM Office invites you to a Zoom meeting:  
Sep 22, 9:00 am, Meeting ID: 844 7303 8427, Passcode: 670449  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84473038427?pwd=amtFZUREMTM0VVBnOHBxNndQamZndz09>

The next First Friends Joy Circle meeting will be Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm. All women of the meeting are invited.



Donations are requested to help defray the cost, \$3,800, of resealing the church parking lot.

Please write "parking lot" in the memo line of your check or on your envelope if you would like to contribute. Thank you!

**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.

