



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!

Give Online 



Many missionaries have had to retreat from their fields due to the Corona Virus, OCC partners worldwide are stepping up and ready to use shoebox gifts along with literature to share the Gospel.

Shoebox Prayer Network: samaritanspurse.org/praywithOCC

Cloth Face Masks Needed

Cloth masks are needed to add to the shoe boxes. Please consider donating cloth, washable, reusable face masks. Thank you!



Fall Impact

Nov. 6-8th.
Ages 11-18 for Grades 7-12
\$80, Camp will focus on service and giving back. Register at: www.ghcyouthprogramming.com

Lumberjack Day

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

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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

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Anniversaries

Jon & Jessica Newton, 10/24



Prayer Requests for Operation Shoe Box

*Please pray that the children will come to know Christ.

*Pray for the 218,000 teachers who are teaching the Greatest Journey lessons.

*Lift up the millions of boys and girls who are participating in the discipleship program, asking God that they will know Jesus more deeply.

National Collection Week will be Nov. 16-23rd.

IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

Susan Block

Mendy Boyle

Mary Gang

Bea McMurtrey

Dan Sheridan

Alec Wessendorf

Walt Wessendorf



The Fairfield USFW invites WYM ladies and beyond to join them for the program part of their meetings, usually on the 4th. Mon. of each month, Zoom meetings are at 2pm. On 10/26/20 Sharon Langlotz will speak on women's rights and Quakers roles in this effort. Contact Sarah Lookabill for more information:
slookabill@att.net
317-839-4712



- Oct. 11: Rise of Worship
Youth Handbells
- Oct. 12: 2pm Outreach Comm.
4pm Trustee Comm.
- Oct. 13: 6:30pm CM&E/CE
- Oct. 14: 6:30pm Bell Choir
7:30pm Vocal Choir
- Oct. 15: 12-6pm American Red
Cross Blood Drive
Fellowship Hall
- Oct. 18: Meeting for Worship
Handchimes & Young
Children's Bells During
- Oct. 20: 4pm Delta Kappa Gamma
6:30pm Admin. Comm.
- Oct. 21: 9am Hobby Club
6:30pm Bell Choir
7:30pm Vocal Choir
- Oct. 22: 11:30am Seasoned
Friends, New London
- Oct. 24: 11:30am Girl Scouts 459
- Oct. 25: Rise of Worship
Youth Handbells
- Oct. 26: 5:30pm Tri Kappa



Pastor Appreciation

Many churches observe October as Pastor Appreciation Month.

During a church anniversary celebration, a pastor overheard a group discussing various congregational leaders over the years. Her ears perked up when an older member said, "Whenever someone asks which of our pastors I liked best, my answer is always, 'The one we have at any given time is my favorite.'"

What a relief for the pastor to hear — and what a great lesson for Pastor Appreciation Month. God sends each shepherd to us with a specific set of spiritual gifts and then works through those gifts to bless us.

Encourage your pastor by assuring him of your prayers and love.



The next blood drive is on **Oct. 15th. from 12-6 pm** in the Fellowship hall

Appointments are required and can be made by calling

1-800-733-2767

Or visiting the website

Www.redcrossblood.org

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

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.

