

August/September 2025

August 24, 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
SEPTEMBER	1	2	3	4 9:30am Life Group Keith's office 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	5	6
7 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship Promotion Sunday Grandparent Recognition	8 B-Rosalee Hull	9	10	11 9:30am Life Group Keith's office B-Kathy O'Dell 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	12 B-Atlas Cerventes	13
AUGUST 10 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship	11	12 Baby Pantry 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Elder Meeting 6 pm Elder/Deacon meeting 7 p.m.	13	14 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	15	16 B-Aspen Hansen
17 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship B-Troy Sackett	18	19 A-Mike and Karen Buck	20	21 B-Brooks Hansen 6:30 Life Group at Rock Lake	22	23
24 S-Schl worship B-Jonita Eldred A-Vic and LuAnne Welch Picnic at the Mithchells 31 S- Schl /Worship A-Dan and Phyllis Schmoekel	25 B-Al Throop	26	27 Sr. Luncheon 12:00 Ferris Church of Christ B-Tylynn Sackett	28 A-Darell and Connie Hetherington	29 Birthdays and Anniversaries <div><div>A – Anniversary B – Birthday. Please inform the church office of any updates or omissions</div></div>	30

We welcome you to



Ferris Church
of Christ
Go. Teach. Baptize.

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Troy Sackett

Welcome to Ferris Church of Christ!

We are glad you are here today.

Children’s Church is available for grades K-5 during the sermon. Nursery is available for ages 0-4.

If you are new to Ferris Church or to serve you through prayer or in other ways, please fill out a **Connection Card** located in the pews and place it in the offering box in the foyer area.

Praise and Worship

Security: Al Throop

Nursery: Roxanne Russell

Communion Meditation: Cody Hansen

Communion Servers: Brian Waldron,
Michael Russell, Denny Hansen, Blake Essex

Taking of the Lord’s Supper
*Christians are invited to participate.
Please partake of the bread and cup at this time.*

Sermon: Keith Mitchell
Amos 8
The Show is Not Over

Invitation

Closing Prayer

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings
Trays will not be passed to collect tithes and offerings. Please place your offering in the box located in the foyer before service begins.

Sunday morning service is live streamed on Facebook for anyone unable to attend in person.

Upcoming Events

- **August 24** Picnic at the Mitchell home
- **August 27** Senior Luncheon
- **September 7** Grandparents Day recognition
- **September 7** Promotion Sunday, Sunday school children advancing to the next level will celebrate in their respective classrooms
- **September 19** LOL, 10 a.m.
- **September 21** Back to Church Sunday and carry in luncheon
- **September 21** reports due for the annual report

Notes:

PRAYER NEEDS

- ❖ Our nation, President, elected leaders, military personnel
- ❖ Our missionaries
- ❖ George and Colleen Waldron
- ❖ Ronda Stoudt Allen (Andrea A’s cousin w/ Stage 4 Lung Cancer)
- ❖ Gerry VanSyckle (ALS, friend of Andrea A.)
- ❖ Derek Harris
- ❖ Rosemary Krafft
- ❖ Al & Cheryl Throop
- ❖ Shirley Finch (Al Throop’s sister) in the loss of her husband
- ❖ Verna Beth Hayward
- ❖ Hazel Williams
- ❖ Linda Ingram and Ty
- ❖ Arnie and Donna Smidt
- ❖ Brad Wanless
- ❖ Lorin Cook

**Prayer needs may be added by leaving a message at the church office or a note on a connection card. Changes and updates are appreciated.*

Mid-Week Studies

(See calendar on back for confirmed meeting dates)

Thursdays 9:30 at Keith’s office
Thursdays 6:30 Life Group @ RLCA
Fridays 10am: Ladies of Light @ Hull’s Barn (resumes September 19)
First and third Sunday 6:30 pm: Discipleship and Fellowship class at church
Fridays 6:00 p.m. youth group at RLCA (resumes in September)

Sunday School

Adult Overflow room
High School (9th – 12th) room 307
Middle School (6th – 8th) room 306
Upper Elementary (3rd - 5th) room 305
Early Elementary (PreK – 2nd) room 304

Serving next Sunday, August 31, 2025

Communion Meditation: Jody Waldron
Communion Servers: Brian Waldron, Luke Essex, Ben Russell, Tony Stubbins
Greeters: Gerald and Rosalee Hull
Nursery: Susan Stubbins
Soundboard Operator: Karen Waldron
Security: Jeff Berens

General Announcements

- **Youth Group** will not meet for the month of August but will resume in September.
- **Senior Luncheon** sign up deadline is today
- **Picnic at the Mitchells** will begin at 5 p.m. tonight. Bring a side dish to share.
- **Beginning September 7**, the bulletin prayer list will be refreshed monthly except for long term prayer needs. If you have a prayer request to include in the bulletin, please complete a connection card and give to Keith or Bev or call/email the church office with request. If the person is not a member of the congregation, please include your name and connection to that individual.
- **Harvest Festival** coming to Ferris Church of Christ on Oct. 25, a community wide event. Many hands will be needed, your help, input, and prayers are requested. Please begin saving plastic ice cream tubs needed to store and freeze chili prepared in advance.
- **LOL** resumes September 19
- **Hospice** is in dire need of local volunteers. Please see the flier on the entryway bulletin board for contact information to volunteer for this ministry.
- **Nomination ballots** for elders and deacons will be available next week.