

# The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

Week of September 24, 2018

He (Jesus) sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all". MARK 9:35 (NRSV)

Lord Jesus, thank you for freeing us from being so focused on our own wants and leading us to the joy of serving others in your name. Amen.

## Last week — In review

**September 23, 2018:** We gathered for worship at 9:30am with Sunday School and Fellowship following at 10:30am. Together, we welcomed Thomas Buchfink into the church through baptism during the service, and after church, we worked at Habitat for Humanity. Pastor Doug preached the sermon for the morning titled *Jesus Loves a Good Deal* with the text from Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52. To read a copy of this sermon, visit our website [www.federatedff.org](http://www.federatedff.org).

## This week — Looking ahead

**Men's Bible Study** will meet on Tuesdays this fall at 10am in the church Parlor. The first study meets tomorrow.

**Visiting Pioneer Care:** Federated is visiting Pioneer Care Tuesday, Sept 25th at 10:30am for coffee and fellowship with residents. Visitors welcome! We will meet in the Tree Top room.

**Confirmation Classes:** Remember! Confirmation classes resume this Wednesday, Sept 26th at church. The 7th-8th graders meet at 4pm and the 9th graders meet at 6:30pm.

**A Climate Change Forum** in Fergus wants to bring local churches and organizations together through small group forums to raise awareness about climate change. A group will meet Sunday, Sept 30th at 10:30am at Federated Church. God gave us this beautiful earth. Let's take care of it!

**Guatemala Fundraiser:** Our youth are raising money at Pizza Ranch, Oct 1st from 5pm-8pm. They will bus tables for tips and 10% of sales. Funds will go towards the 2019 Guatemala Mission Trip. Please support our youth!

**Rides:** We have several members needing rides to church on Sunday mornings. If you would like to help, please contact the church office. Thank you!

**Nursery:** Please contact the church if you can help in the nursery Sept 30th.

## Prayer requests

If you have a prayer request, please notify the church office.

## Weekly Calendar

### TUESDAY (9/25)

10:00am Ladies Coffee Hour  
10:00am Men's Bible Study  
10:30am Pioneer Care Coffee

### WEDNESDAY (9/26)

3:30pm Kid's Club  
4:00pm 7th-8th Confirmation  
6:00pm Bell Rehearsal  
6:30pm 9th Confirmation  
7:30pm Sr. High Youth Group  
7:30pm Choir Practice

### FRIDAY (9/28)

10:00am Men's Coffee Hour

### SUNDAY (9/30)

9:30am Worship  
(Stewardship Kickoff)  
10:30am Sunday School  
10:30am Adult Sunday School  
10:30am Coffee Hour  
10:30am Climate Change Forum



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