

September 20, 2026



September Mission of the Month 360 Communities

360 Communities delivers safety and stability that improves lives in Dakota County. With effective and holistic programming, they leverage community partnerships, build trusting relationships, and break cycles of violence and poverty.

Their goals are to:

- Decrease domestic & sexual violence
- Reduce homelessness
- Prevent child abuse and neglect
- Increase high school graduation rates
- Increase food stability
- Increase access to healthy food
- Improve early childhood development
- Raise awareness of community needs

Weekly Education Opportunities Starting Soon for the 2026 - 2027 Year!

Adult Education Hour

Adult Education begins today! Join Pastor Brent in the conference room beginning at 10:45, wrapping up at 11:30. Then come any Sunday following to jump in and learn more as you continue on your spiritual journey.

Men's Bible Study

Men's Bible Study continues to meet on Tuesday mornings at 7:30 AM. You can come in person or via an on-line link. Contact Pastor Brent for more information.

FOC Kids & Youth

Sunday School is every Sunday at 10:35 unless noted.

Confirmation & Youth Group meets every Wednesday beginning at 6 PM

Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study continues on the first Monday of the month at 10 AM. Next session is 10/5. Study will be on Hagar, Ruth, and Mary Magdalene. Contact Linda Bartz with any questions.

Wednesday, September 23rd

6:00 PM: Pizza Dinner (Optional for all Youth and Youth Leaders)

6:20 PM: Music/Message/Games for all Youth

6:45 PM: Breakout into Confirmation and Youth Groups for the rest of the evening

Youth Programming Begins this week! New schedule for the year is listed to the left.



Youth Fall Retreat Fri. Oct. 2 - Sun. Oct 4

Our Fall Youth Retreat for all 6th-12th graders will be here before we know it! Come join in on a fun-filled and faith-filled weekend. It is a great way to get to know other church youth kids- it is often where the best connections happen! It can also be a way to introduce a friend to Family of Christ! The dates are Oct 2, 3, and 4th and will be in Rosemount at Spring Lake Park Retreat Building.

We will meet at church on Friday, Oct 2 at 5:45 (we need to leave by 6:00).

Dana will send a packing list and sign-up genius to help with food sometime next week.

Tanzania Quilt Raffle

The pictured quilt will be raffled off on Tanzania Sunday, October 11th. Tickets will be sold after worship beginning today, Sunday, September 20th. Tickets are \$5 for one or \$20 for five. You do not have to be present to win.

All proceeds will be donated to Dignity for Daughters.



FOC Kids

Registration is Open for Sunday School (SS) starting this fall. The link is: <https://familyofchristlakeville.breezechms.com/form/e1262d13>

First Day of Sunday School is today, grab a treat and head to the MPR for music!

FOC Youth

Registration is Open for Confirmation (grades 6 - 9) and Youth Group (grades 9-12). The link is: <https://familyofchristlakeville.breezechms.com/form/e1262d9597>

First day of Youth Programming is this Wednesday, September 23rd. Head to the narthex for pizza or into the Sanctuary if you don't come for dinner.

Next Youth Sunday: October 11th, are you signed up to volunteer?
Confirmation Sunday is October 25th.



Dates to Remember

Tuesday, September 22: Men's Bible Study 7:30 AM

Wednesday, September 23: Youth Programming Begins at 6:00 PM

Sunday, September 27: Worship w/ Sunday School & Adult Education

Tuesday, September 29: Men's Bible Study 7:30 AM

Wednesday, September 30: Youth Programming

Friday, October 2 - Sunday, October 4: Youth Fall Retreat

