

Welcome to First Christian Church!

We are so glad you are here!

If this is your first time joining us and/or if you have a prayer request, please complete a Welcome/Prayer Card (located in the pew back) and place it in the offering plate. Thanks!

WE GATHER TOGETHER

Prelude and Welcome

*Call to Worship

*Opening Prayer and Response

WE WORSHIP IN SONG AND GIVING

*“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

*“Gone”

“Great Are You Lord”

Offering

“Glorify Thy Name”

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD PROCLAIMED: DR. T. J. GENTRY

Staying Spiritually Fit During Summer

WE COMMUNE AT THE LORD’S TABLE

All baptized Christians are invited to partake.

*WE GO FORTH ON MISSION

*Please Stand

This Week @ FCC

Today, Sun., June 12

- Worship: 9 am
- Sunday School: 10 am
- Choir Practice: 11 am
- VBS for Pre-K – 4th Grade: 5:30 – 8 pm

Mon. – Wed., June 13 – 15

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Thu., June 16

- Young & Rested Canasta and Lunch: 9:30 am

Sat., June 18

- Young & Rested Platters Concert and Lunch: 3:30 pm

Upcoming Events

- **NO LETTER WRITERS THIS TUESDAY**
- June Bible Study Dessert Fellowship: Sun., June 26, 6 pm
- Youth Branson VBS (5th – 12th Grade): Mon., July 11 – Wed., July 13
- Young & Rested: FCC Senior Adult Ministry
 - Thu., July 21, 9:30 am: Canasta and Lunch
 - Sat., July 23, 10:30 am: Elvis Presley Gospel Show and Lunch (\$25 per person; payable when registering for trip)



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For the Sake of the Gospel

Resources include:

- * Today’s Living Word: Daily Bible Teaching
- * Cherry Street Pulpit: Weekly Sermons
- * Defenders’ Q&A: 3 Minute Apologetics
- * Come to the Table: Communion Reflection

God’s People Gathered

Worship Last Week: 110 / 2022 Average: 141

Sunday School Last Week: 85 / 2022 Average: 91

God’s People Gave: May 2022 (Through May 29)

Church Operating Giving	Missions Giving	Total Giving	Budget	Over (Under)
\$ 21,363.53	\$ 3,204.52	\$ 24,568.05	\$ 27,770.00	\$ (3,201.95)

God's Rebuilding Fund	New Covenant Christian School	Parking Lot Donations
\$ 63.80	\$ 4,962.00	\$ 310.00

Text “Give” to 618-248-4481 or visit www.fccwf.org/giving.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UNDERWAY!

It’s time to plan to replace the parking lot at FCC. After resealing and resealing, the day approaches when a new surface will be needed. A capital campaign is underway to receive gifts for the parking lot replacement fund. If you would like to give for the parking lot, please mark it “Parking Lot Fund.” **Our goal is \$150,000. We can do it!**

Pray for One Another

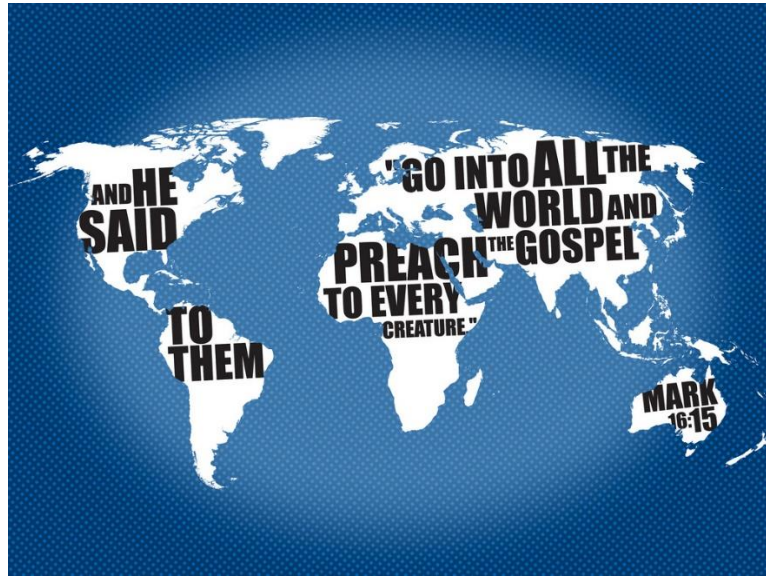
Health Concerns: Tim Ricci, Linda Upton, Wanda Finn, Gene Williams, Sloan Brown, Pam Jeralds, Lance Baldwin, Heather Vogel, Nick Stearns, Renee Mifflin, Janet Throgmorton, Jim Carter, Kari Karnes, Julie and Nikki Morris, Tim Williams, Chuck Gunter, Arnita and Jim Parker, Joyce Lucas, Scott Williams, Hudson Pace, Roger Chance, Keith Alsip, Roy McDaniel, Janet Reeves, Jackson Ogden, Avery Potter, Bob Means, Jerry Wicker, John Shum, Dee Wallace, Donna Bozarth, Terri Stewart, Missy Story, Leah Black, Allison Lawrence, A. J. Farkis, Sue Bellamy, Barbara Wilmore, Virgil Russell, Denny Bush, Mary Wallace, Barbara Winnet, Guy Henry, Charles Martie, Jr., Amanda Brewer, Kelly Burkitt, Nancy Denton, Shirley Williams, Wendy Russell

Other Concerns: Kids and Youth VBS, People of Ukraine, FCC Elders, FCC Widows and Widowers, NCCS Teachers and Students, US Armed Forces, Southern Illinois Christian Service Camp, Missionaries, Local/State/Federal Government Officials

Memory Verse for This Week: Psalm 46:1-2a

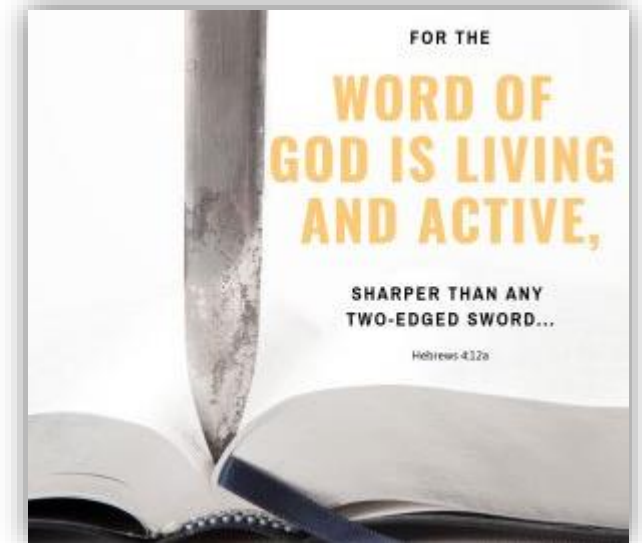
*God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble.
Therefore we will not fear.*

Notes from Today’s Message



The LORD's Day

Sunday, June 12, A.D. 2022



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Do you want to be right with God and have a fresh start?

The solution is as simple as ABCD:

A: Admit that you are a sinner in need of a Savior.

“All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God . . . The wages of sin is death . . . the gift of God is eternal life in Christ.”

(Romans 3:23, 6:23)

B: Believe that Jesus, died to pay for your sins and rose from the dead so that you can have a relationship with God and spend eternity in Heaven.

“God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”

(John 3:16)

C: Confess your faith that Jesus is Lord, repent, and be baptized into Christ for the remission of your sins.

“If you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.”

(Romans 10:9)

“Repent, and . . . be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive . . . the Holy Spirit.”

(Acts 2:38)

D: Dedicate yourself to God's Word and His people.

“They continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in breaking of bread, and in prayers.”

(Acts 2:42)