

This Week At FCC

Sunday	9:00 am	Fellowship Hour
	10:00 am	Worship Service (Masks optional) No Youth Group
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Co-ed Volleyball
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Bible Study (Tom Frisbie)
	6:30 pm	Youth Group
Thursday	7:00 pm	Co-ed Volleyball

Upcoming Events

● Sonshiners Trip– April 20th

All Adults 50+ are invited to the **Falcon Crest Manor on Thursday, April 20th**. A bus will leave the church at 9:30 am. It is \$4 per person to ride the bus. The cost (includes tour, lunch, and show) is \$37.00 per person. Please see Sue Anne Smith or Denise Cross for ticket purchasing information. Please sign up at the information table in the main hallway by today, April 9th. For more information, contact Denise Cross (303-898-7755)

● Witness Training Class– April 23rd

On April 23rd, at 9:00 am, Pastor Brad will offer the Witness Training class in the 4th-6th grade classroom. In this class you will learn how to share your faith in a spirit-led way that works for you. If you would like to attend please let us know in the “Leave a message for the staff” section of the yellow connection card or through the YouVersion online connection card.

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April 09, 2023

OUR VISION AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Making Disciples in Cookeville, Putnam County, and to the ends of the earth.



Today's Sermon:

Today we are celebrating the greatest event in history... The Resurrection of Jesus Christ! Pastor Brad will present five powerful proofs for the resurrection and why this event changes everything!

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1 Corinthians 15:14 (NIV) "...if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith."

5 Proofs for the Resurrection of Jesus

PROOF #1) The _____ of the Romans

PROOF #2) The Faith & _____ of The Disciples

Acts 1:22 (NIV) "For one of these must become a witness with us of his resurrection."

Acts 2:32 (NIV) "God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of it."

Acts 3:15 (NIV) "You killed the author of life, but God raised him from the dead. We are witnesses of this."

Acts 4:2 (NIV) "They were greatly disturbed because the apostles were teaching the people, proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection of the dead."

Acts 4:33 (NIV) "With great power the apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus."

PROOF #3) The Post Resurrection _____

Acts 1:3 (NIV) "After his suffering, he presented himself to them and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God."

Matthew 28:16-17 (NIV) "Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted."

John 20:26-27 (NIV) "A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you!' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe.'"

1 Corinthians 15:3-6 (NIV) "For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. After that, he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep."

PROOF #4) Secular _____ Affirms The Resurrection

PROOF #5) Jesus is alive and active _____ of me

Romans 8:15-16 (NIV) "The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you live in fear again; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And by him we cry, 'Abba, Father.' The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children."

TRUTH 1: Jesus is _____ he claimed to be.

John 20:31 (NIV) "But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name."

TRUTH 2: Jesus has the _____ he claimed to have.

Matthew 28:18 (NIV) "Then Jesus came to them and said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.'"

TRUTH 3: Jesus _____ what he promises to do.

TALK IT OVER

- 1)** Which of the 5 Proofs for the resurrection (above) is most compelling for you?
- 2)** Which of the three truths (above) encourages you most at this moment?
- 3)** Talk for a moment about how Easter (the resurrection of Jesus) has changed the world.