

## This Week At FCC

Sunday	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	6:00 pm	Youth Group
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Co-ed Volleyball
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Bible Study (Tom Frisbie)
Thursday	7:00 pm	Co-ed Volleyball

## Church Picnic– July 26th

Join us for a church picnic on Wednesday, July 26th, at 6:00 pm, in the pavilion at First Christian Church. Hamburgers, hotdogs, and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish and/or dessert to share with everyone. Please sign up at the information table in the main hallway.

## Volunteer Opportunities

Looking for a way to be more involved? Volunteer! There are many areas in the church that would benefit from what you have to offer. Your experience, your desire, your heart to serve, your special talents, etc.; the list goes on and on. You are vital and important to your church. **There is a list of all current volunteer opportunities on the information board in the main hallway.**

### See the Information Table for

Upcoming Events  
& Sign-up Sheets

Small Group Information

July 16, 2023

## OUR VISION AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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



### Current Sermon Series:

The New Testament reveals to us what it means to know God; to have a relationship with Him and to walk with Him through faith in His Son, Jesus, the Christ. In this series, Pastor Brad will share the unique message, theme, and key points of each book in the New Testament and explain how it applies to our daily lives.

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Message Notes 7/16/2023  
The New Testament 19 1 John  
Brad Windlan First Christian Church  
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**#1. We \_\_\_\_\_ who God is.**

1 John 1:5 (NIV)

**#2. We actually have a \_\_\_\_\_ with God.**

1 John 1:6-7 (NIV)

**#3. We're \_\_\_\_\_ about our struggles.**

1 John 1:8-9 (NIV)

**#4. We love our fellow \_\_\_\_\_ like Jesus loves us.**

1 John 2:9-10 (NIV)

1 John 3:16 (NIV)

1 John 4:7-8 (NIV)

1 John 4:9 (NIV)

**#5. We do not love \_\_\_\_\_.**

1 John 2:15-17 (NIV)

**#6. We no longer fear \_\_\_\_\_.**

1 John 4:18 (NIV)

**#7. We've shifted from "have to", to "\_\_\_\_\_".**

1 John 5:2-3 (NIV)

**TALK IT OVER**

1. Read 1 John 1:5. How does your understanding of God as "light" shape your daily life and decisions? Can you share any specific examples?
2. Read 1 John 1:6-7. Reflecting on your relationship with God, what does it mean to "walk in the light" and how does it impact our fellowship with other believers?
3. Read 1 John 1:8-9. Why is it important for believers to be transparent about their struggles and to confess their sins to God? How does this practice contribute to our spiritual growth and relationship with God?
4. Read 1 John 2:9-10. Discuss the significance of loving fellow disciples as Jesus loves us. How does loving like this distinguish a mature disciple from those who still walk in darkness.
5. According to 1 John 2:15-17, what does it mean to "not love the world or anything in the world"? How do the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life distract us from loving God and pursuing His will? How can we practically live out this principle in our daily lives?