

This Week At FCC

Sunday	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:00 am	Worship Service
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Bible Study (Tom Frisbie)
Friday	6:00 pm	Trunk-or-Treat

Meals for the Goolsbys

We have a meal ministry set up for the Goolsby family to cover dinners over the next few months as Christina continues her chemo treatments. If you would like to help prepare meals there is a sign up sheet available on the Information Table. Let us continue to pray and support this family during this time.

Trunk-OR-Treat Participants

If you signed up to participate in Trunk-OR-Treat, please stop by the Information Table to see the layout for the event and to grab a volunteer flyer.



Women's Brunch– November 8th

Sally White will be hosting the next women's brunch on Saturday, November 13th, at 10:00 am, in her home. Please bring a brunch dish to share and sign up at the Information Table. For more information, contact Cindy Rush (847-489-8924).

October 26, 2025

OUR VISION AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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



Current Sermon Series:

What if everyone really got what they deserved? Would your paycheck change? Would prisons shrink or explode? Would nice guys finish first... or last? Truth is, if we got what we deserve, life would be far worse. But by His amazing grace, God gives us something infinitely better!

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I Deserve It 03

I Deserve To Be Counted Out – But God Gave Me Another Chance!

Brad Windlan First Christian Church

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Luke 22:54-55 (NIV) “Then seizing [Jesus], they led him away and took him into the house of the high priest. Peter followed at a distance. And when some there had kindled a fire in the middle of the courtyard and had sat down together, Peter sat down with them.”

PETER’S MISTAKES

#1 He Underestimated His Own _____.

QUOTE: “Acknowledging weakness—is the first step toward true strength.”

Micah 6:8 (NIV) “He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.”

#2 He Followed Jesus at a _____.

Luke 22:54 (NIV) “Then seizing [Jesus], they led him away and took him into the house of the high priest. Peter followed at a distance.”

Luke 22:56-60a (NIV) “A servant girl saw him seated there in the firelight. She looked closely at him and said, “This man was with him.” ⁵⁷ But he denied it. ‘Woman, I don’t know him,’ he said. ⁵⁸ A little later someone else saw him and said, ‘You also are one of them.’ ‘Man, I am not!’ Peter replied. ⁵⁹ About an hour later another asserted, ‘Certainly this fellow was with him, for he is a Galilean.’ ⁶⁰ Peter replied, ‘Man, I don’t know what you’re talking about!’”

Luke 22:60b-62 (NIV) “...Just as he was speaking, the rooster crowed. ⁶¹ The Lord turned and looked straight at Peter. Then Peter remembered the word the Lord had spoken to him: ‘Before the rooster crows today, you will disown me three times.’ ⁶² And [Peter] went outside and wept bitterly.”

TALK IT OVER

1. What weaknesses do you underestimate? How can you get more honest when you blow it?
2. In what ways are you following Jesus from a distance?
3. How hard is it for you to accept God’s grace? What can you do this week to accept a second chance for your mistakes?

Thanksgiving Food Boxes

2025

FCC Family and Friends,

This Thanksgiving we are sharing the love of Christ with our community by collecting, packing, and delivering dinners to our elderly and/or disabled neighbors at Walnut Village. Our goal is to serve 80 families over this holiday. The mission is to share, pray, and lift up our great Savior Jesus Christ while preparing and presenting those meals.

For food donations: you may bring items each week leading up to the time we will pack boxes. Please place your items in the colored bins underneath the Information Table.

Please note you are not limited in amount or type of items from the list to bring (You can bring any items at any time). Also, any and all monetary donations are greatly appreciated. Please remember to memo "for food boxes".

Items needed:

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| - corn | - instant potatoes |
| - green beans | - packs of gravy |
| - spam | - boxed dressing (chicken or turkey) |
| - canned tuna | - frosting |
| - canned chicken | - cake mix |

*If you have any questions or are interested in helping to collect, sort, pack, and/or deliver, please contact
Steve Owens (call or text 931-319-7784).*

Dates and times are as follows:

- Hand out flyers:** November 15th, 9:30am
- Pack boxes:** November 19th, 6:00pm
- Deliver boxes:** November 22nd, 9:30am