

This Week At FCC

Sunday	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:00 am	Worship Service
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Bible Study

Sunday, May 31st

First Christian Church



Fifty years of faith, fellowship, and family - and we want to celebrate it with ALL of you! Come worship, reminisce, and rejoice with us as we celebrate His goodness and look forward to all He has yet to do.

9:00 am - Fellowship hour (coffee, donuts, and fruit will be provided)

10:00 am - Worship Service

11:30 am - Church Picnic: The main meal will be catered.

Planning to attend? Please sign up at the Information Table and be sure to note if you will be bringing a sweet dessert to share.

50th Anniversary: Celebration Cards

We are celebrating 50 years of what God has done at First Christian Church and every person in this room is part of that story! **We invite you to celebrate by writing down a memory from your time here, whether it's a ministry you served in, a moment of answered prayer, or simply the community that welcomed you in.** Celebration cards are tucked into your bulletin and available on the Information Table. This invitation is for everyone — whether you've called FCC home for decades or just a few weeks. All completed cards will be part of a special display on our 50th Anniversary Sunday, May 31st! Please place your cards in the collection basket in the foyer.

See the Information Table for

Upcoming Events
& Sign-up Sheets

Volunteer Opportunities

May 17, 2026

OUR VISION AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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



Current Sermon Series:



In a world that constantly pulls our attention forward, God often calls us to look back. "Remember: Faith That Looks Back to Move Forward" explores how remembering what God has done strengthens our faith for what lies ahead. Together, we will rediscover the power of the cross, the truth of His Word, and the story He's writing in our lives.

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Message Notes 5/17/2026

REMEMBER: Faith That Looks Back to Move Forward

02 — Remember the Truth

Josh Hale First Christian Church

Learn more: fcc-cookeville.org

We don't drift because we don't know truth—we drift because we _____ it.

3 reasons we need to be constantly reminded of the truth...

Reason #1: Because we are _____ to forget

2 Peter 1:12 (NIV) “So I will always remind you of these things, even though you know them and are firmly established in the truth you now have.”

Even mature believers need _____.

Application:

Don't outgrow simple truths—_____ to them often.

Reason #2: Because truth _____ us

2 Peter 1:12 (NIV) “So I will always remind you of these things, even though you know them and are firmly established in the truth you now have.”

Remembered truth keeps us _____.

Application:

Build simple _____ that keep truth in front of you daily.

Reason #3: Because _____ matters

2 Peter 1:15 (NIV) “And I will make every effort to see that after my departure you will always be able to remember these things.”

Truth is meant to be remembered _____ us.

Application:

Share what God has taught you—pass it on _____.

Call To Action

This week, repeat one key truth daily—and share it with someone else.

Key Truths:

-God is with me. - Matthew 28:20

-God is faithful. - Lamentations 3:22-23

-Grace is enough. - 2 Corinthians 12:9

-God is in control. - Psalm 115:3

-I am fully known and deeply loved. - Romans 8:38-39

-My life has a purpose. - Ephesians 2:10

-The Word of God is my foundation. - Matthew 7:24

Talk It Over:

1. What truths about God are easiest for you to forget when life becomes difficult or distracting?
2. What “anchors” help keep you grounded spiritually when emotions, circumstances, or culture feel unstable?
3. What kind of spiritual legacy are you intentionally building right now?

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