This Week At FCC

Sunday	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:00 am	Worship Service
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Thanksgiving Boxes/Soupsgiving

Thanksgiving Food Boxes– November 18th

Soupsgiving: On Wednesday, November 18th, at 6:00pm, alongside packing the food boxes, we will also share a meal together. Bring your favorite soup and/or bread for a potluck meal that evening. Drinks will be provided. Please sign up at the Information Table if you plan to attend.

For food donations: bring items each week leading up to the time we will pack boxes. Place your items in the labeled bins located under the Information Table. See the bulletin insert for more information. If you have any questions or are interested in helping to collect, sort, pack, and/or deliver, contact Steve Owens (call or text 931-319-7784). If you plan on attending the meal and packing the Thanksgiving boxes sign up at the Information Table in the main hallway.

Women's Christmas Party– December 3rd

Christmas Without Calories (Just kidding!)

The Women's Ministry is having a Christmas party on Thursday, December 3rd, at 6:00 pm at Christina Goolsby's home. This event is open to all women of the church. Come enjoy food, fellowship, crafts, games, and an opportunity to give. Please bring a finger food and/or a dessert to share. Sign up at the Information Table. If you have any questions, contact Kelly Windlan (989-316-6550).

NEXT Steps: Witness Training Class– December 6th

On December 6th at 9:00 am, Pastor Brad will offer the Witness Training class in the Teen Room. 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.

Live Nativity– December 11th-13th

Our Live Nativity will take place December 11th-13th from 6:30pm-8:30pm each night. If you would like to be a part of the Live Nativity, sign up at the table in the lobby. For more information on this event, speak to Jennifer Crowell (call or text 931-252-1243).

November 15, 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 pushes us to conform, Jesus calls us to a life transformed by His grace. Throughout this series we will discover how God calls us, cleanses us, welcomes us into His family, and strengthens us to live with gratitude and purpose. Together, we'll explore how responding to His love in faith and obedience changes who we are—and how we live.

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DIFFERENT — In How We Live Among Others
Brad Windlan First Christian Church
Learn more: fcc-cookeville.org

Today, we'll see three ways we make God's goodness visible in the world around us.

1. We tell what God has _____ _____ ____

1 Peter 2:9 (NIV) "But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light."

2. We resist what wars against our _____

1 Peter 2:11 (NIV) "Dear friends, I urge you, as foreigners and exiles, to abstain from sinful desires, which wage war against your soul."

3. We do _____ where people can see it

1 Peter 2:12 (NIV) "Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us."

TALK IT OVER

1. Read 1 Peter 2:9–10. What's one way you've experienced God's mercy that you could share with someone in your own words?

2. Read 1 Peter 2:11. When you feel hurt or misunderstood, what reaction is hardest for you to resist? What would it look like to respond as someone who belongs to Jesus?

3. Read 1 Peter 2:12. Who in your life could see God's goodness through you this week? What's one specific thing you can do for that person?

Thanksgiving Food Boxes

2026

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 labeled 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:

- corn
- green beans
- spam
- canned tuna
- canned chicken
- instant potatoes
- packs of gravy
- boxed dressing (chicken or turkey)
- frosting
- 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 14th, 9:30am
-Pack boxes/Soupsgiving: November 18th, 6:00pm
-Deliver boxes: November 21st, 9:30am