

OUR MISSION

Love God. Follow Jesus. Love People. – Love surrounds following Jesus – The follower of Christ is found in obedience to him: loving God, loving people, and helping others do the same.

TEACHING

Our messages seek to communicate God's truth in compelling, relevant ways.

TITHES & OFFERING

Offering is a part of our worship, thanking God for what He does for us. Practically, this enables FCC to make a difference in our region and around the world. An offering collection box is located on the back table of the auditorium. If you are a guest, we do not expect you to give, and want you to feel no obligation to do so.

All Christ followers are encouranged to partake in communion. Individual communion cups are available at the back table located in the auditorium.

ROUP LIFE

Our family groups are a great way to connect our community. We have groups meeting in Wilmington, Braidwood, and Coal City. Let us know if you're interested by filling out the connection card.



Weekly Information

| Attendance (7/13) | 179 |
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| Offering (7/13) | \$3,131.67 |
| Surplus/ <mark>Deficit</mark> | -\$18,402.57 |
| Building Fund | \$8,655.52 |

<u>Elders</u>

Chuck Bloom (Chairman), Dave Davis, Duane Dubbert (Secretary), Floyd Hattan, Don Lund (Vice-Chairman)

<u>Deacons</u> Jake Copeland, Fred Morelli

Staff

Lead Pastor: Jason Pace Worship Leader: Dan Lesch Children's Director: Dacia Lambert Administrative Assistant: Karen Jackson



LISTEN TO THE "RISE & SHINE" DEVO MONDAYS-THURSDAYS, 8:30AM LIVE ON FB







Love God • Follow Jesus • Love People

Sunday, July 20, 2025 8:30am & 10:00am

We are thrilled you chose to worship with us at FCC!

If it's your **first time** with us, please take a moment to fill out a **connection card** located in the seat back in front of you. We would love the chance to connect with you, pray for you and have a record of your visit. You can drop it off in the black box at the back of the auditorium. Also, please stop by our welcome center. We have a gift for you!

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UPCOMING EVENTS



PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

- · Prayers for divine healing for Linda Hattan's friend Mary Kay Fries who has an irreparable fracture in her back.
- Praise God that Linda Hattan's recent endoscopy was easy and for Flyod's good progress following his ankle replacement.
 Prayers for Alison Dubbert's Aunt Alta who had a heart attack.
 Prayers for Deb Mack's friend Craig Tuley to recover from open heart surgery.
 Prayers for Connor Joffe and his partner who are closing on a house in August!

- Praise God for this new chapter for Conner!
- · Continued prayers for Kay Davis as she is nearing the end of chemotherapy treatment for cancer.



Do you have a prayer request or praise? Fill out the prayer request card in the seat back in front of you or scan the QR code.

SERMON NOTES



At the Movies Mufasa

Proverbs 18:21: Death and life are in the power of the , and those who love it will eat its

Betrayal is our self-story: _____.

Recovery is us picking up the pieces and telling a _____ story.

The story we retell is written by the ______ we believe.

We are not ______ in retelling our story, so be careful.

The story we tell will lead to either _____ or

John 15:13 There's no greater ______ than to lay down one's ______ for one's friends.

Unforgiven people eventually ______ what we them into.

Scarr-ed people are scared people and scared people _____ people.

Jesus calls us not by our sins but by _____.

The only _____ Christ counts are the ones He took upon himself to _____ us...not US.

