



**CHRIST COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
KNOWING JESUS AND MAKING JESUS KNOWN

**From the Ashes**  
Week 1: Temptation  
3/1/2026

Good morning C3 family, today we are kicking off a new sermon series “From the Ashes” that will prepare us for Easter. Each week we will look at one aspect of Jesus’ life and ministry during His time here on earth and what we can learn from Him. Today we will be learning about dealing with temptation. Jesus experienced temptation of every kind and was able to overcome. His example teaches us what we need to know in battling temptation and rising above it in our own lives.

**Scripture:** Matthew 3: 13-17, Matthew 4:1-11, James 1:13-15, Hebrews 4:12

**1. When dealing with temptation remember you are a \_\_\_\_\_ of most \_\_\_\_\_.**

<sup>17</sup> And a voice from heaven said, “This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased.”  
Matthew 3:17

**2. When you are tempted, trust in \_\_\_\_\_.**

<sup>4</sup> Jesus answered, “It is written: ‘Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.’” Matthew 4:3–4

**3. When tempted, trust in \_\_\_\_\_.**

<sup>7</sup> Jesus answered him, “It is also written: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’” Matthew 4:7

**4. When tempted to compromise for \_\_\_\_\_, choose to \_\_\_\_\_.**

<sup>10</sup> Jesus said to him, “Away from me, Satan! For it is written: ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.’” Matthew 4:10

**Applying the Message: Where is Satan attacking you right now?**

Provision: Are you doubting God will provide?

Protection: Are you testing God instead of trusting Him?

Position: Are you compromising who God called you to be?

**Victory comes when you trust that:**

God is your Provider!

God is your Protector!

God has already secured your Position!