



Welcome to our worship service!

Thank you for joining us today. We are so glad you are here! If this is your first time with us, please fill out a connection card from the chair in front of you and place in the offering box in the back of the room. We would love to talk with you and we also have a special gift for you!

Today's Services:

8:00 am - Traditional Worship Service

9:30 am - Adult Sunday School

10:30 am - Contemporary Worship Service

10:30 am - Children's Church (Nursery-4th grade)

Today's Sermon: *Jesus - The Light of the World*

Text: John 8

Tony Crouch

Communion:

If you are a Christ-follower, you are invited to share with us in remembering the Lord's Supper. You do not need to be a member of First Christian Church to participate. Both the bread and juice are ready for you in all 4 corners of the auditorium.

Please help yourself and take your time.

{Today's Meditation: Roger Surtees}

Preaching Schedule

March:

15 - Jesus - The Light Who Gives Sight (Brian Patterson)

22 - Jesus - The Good Shepherd (Tony Crouch)

29 - The Glorified King (Tony Crouch)

April:

5 - Jesus - The Risen Lord

Missions we support:

Abel Sairattanyu family (Thailand)

Jack Swanson family (Chile)

Little Galilee Christian Camp

Roseland Good News Daycare (Ms. Pearl)

Operation Christmas Child

Announcements

Weekly Youth Groups:

High School - Sun. 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the shed.

College Age - Tues. 6:00 - 8:00 pm.

Elementary "Equip" - Wed. 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the kid's wing.

Junior High - Fri. 3:30 - 5:00 pm in the shed.

Community Men's Breakfast:

We will host the next Community Men's Breakfast this coming Saturday, March 14th at 7:30 am. All men are invited & Joe Carter will be the speaker. Come hungry!

New Kingdom Builder Study:

J.D. Greear takes a deeper look at Jesus's life, death, and resurrection in the Gospel of Matthew, revealing the ways we should see ourselves in Jesus's story. Join us for this 5-week RightNow Media study called 'Easter'. We will start this study next Sunday, March 15 at 9:15 am.

Please join us!

GriefShare:

We began another GriefShare Support Group last Tuesday. It goes from 2:00 - 3:30 pm & will continue every Tuesday thru May 26th.

If you'd like to sign-up, please call the office at (217) 253-2394 or email Tony at tony@fctuscola.com

FCC Kingdom Worker Scholarship:

College students & parents - The office is accepting essays to apply for scholarships now thru the April 27th deadline. An email was sent to our college students with all the details. Information is also available on the stand in the back of the sanctuary. Please call the office with any questions.

Holy Week & Easter Services:

* Palm Sunday Services - March 29th at 8:00 am & 10:30 am.

* Passover Service - Wednesday, April 1st at 6:00 pm.

* Good Friday Service - April 3rd at 6:00 pm.

* Easter Sunday Services - April 5th at 8:00 am. & 10:30 am.

Operation Christmas Child:

During the month of March we are collecting WOW items, stuffed animals, dolls & toys.

Find LOTS of great affordable options at:

wowsupplies.com



See Jenni Boyd or Megan Reynolds with questions.



Church Office Hours:

Mon - Thurs 8:00 am - 4:30 pm
Friday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
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At Church



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March 1, 2026

In-person Attendance: 134
Online: 397
General Fund: \$6,781.00

Community Men's Breakfast

Saturday, March 14th
7:30 am



**First Christian Church
100 E. Church St. Tuscola, IL**

** Sign-up deadline will be Sunday, March 8th

For more information, call the church office at
217-253-2394



Serving: pancakes, bacon,
sausage gravy & biscuits,
fruit, milk, juice & coffee.

**Speaker will be Joe Carter from
Tuscola Church of the Nazarene**



March 8, 2026

*Jesus - The Light of the World
Loving and Living like Jesus*

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Prayer Requests

Key Thought:

***“The light of Christ does not merely
inform us; it transforms us.”*** N.T. Wright

- 1) Jesus Is the _____ (v. 12a)**
- 2) The Light _____ (vs. 13-20)**
- 3) _____ the Light _____ to Life (v. 12b)**

Notes:

Jason Brooks
Karen Tucker
Tom Bennett
Felicia Tucker
Christy Taylor
Mark Huff - Keri Dean's father
Wayne - Megan Reynolds' father
Mary Bond - Shelley Knight's step-mother
Rich Whittington
Tammy & Bill Frederickson
Candace & Chase Dewitt
Terry Bassett
Rachel Romine & children
DJ Domskey
Sandy Simpson
Greg & Brenda Harris
Santiago SantaMaria - Shannon Murphy's grandson
Judy Martin
Toby Livingston
Melissa Lawless
Brad Hornaday
Amy McDonald - Bob Utterback's daughter
Michelle Everhart
Chris Brown
Rita Herbert
Jim & Deb Beeson
Wayne Livingston Jr. - Jodi Livingston's Nephew

*****If you have an update or a request to add, please fill
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