PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE

NOVEMBER 1, 2026

FRIENDS OF FAITH,

YOU REMEMBERED TO SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK! Wonderful! It is a great joy to welcome you to FCC on this first day of the 11th month. We are praying that you feel very welcome here and that God's Holy Spirit touches your heart.

We are thrilled to welcome Girish Kumon to our platform this morning. This young man has given his life to reaching Muslim's with the life changing Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. As Islamic influence is growing in our community, we are praying God will help us win them to Christ and halt the spread of their malignant doctrine.

EACH One Reach ONE TEACH One

OUR CHURCH THANKSGIVING DINNER IS SATURDAY, NOV 21 at 6pm at Five Oaks.in Olivette, MO.

WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20, the BRADFORD FAMILY will return to FCC with all their instruments, their great family, and a wonderful CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION SERVICE.

HAVE YOU VOTED YET? Be sure to vote before the polls close on Tuesday, Nov. 4. The Apostle Paul urged us to pray for our leaders so that Christians could lead quiet lives. I love that thought. And we have the joy of voting for leaders who will also defend Christ and His followers.

BE ENCOURAGED! WE'RE CHRISTIANS!

WHY CHRISTIANS MUST VOTE

JESUS said His disciples were to be salt and light. Matthew 5:13–14 Salt is a preservative. The more Christ followers there are in society, the more that society will be preserved from the ills of vice.

Our light is not self-generated, it is Christ reflected! Like the moon reflecting the glory of the sun, we reflect the glory of the Son! By voting we reflect the Light of Virtue in the public square.

Jesus urges us to recognize our civic responsibility, saying, *"Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's."* Matthew 22:21 Voting is a Christian citizen's responsibility.

The Apostle Paul exhorted his readers, to make, "*supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, for all men; For kings, and for all that are in authority…"* 1 Timothy 2:1–2 The power to choose kings was not known in the ancient world, but here it is! We have both the power of prayer and the power of the ballot! We use both.

Moses taught God's people to choose good leaders. *"Provide out of all the people able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness…"* Ex. 18:21. God's will has not changed. Seek out and support candidates who fear God & love truth.

The privilege of participating in choosing our leaders is granted by God, secured by blood, and entrusted to us as a sacred responsibility.
Some loathe the choice of candidates and refuse to vote. But if we do not vote for the lesser of the two evils, we guarantee that the most evil will win.

Prayerfully vote for candidates that will be faithful to protect life, promote liberty, and pursue justice. Vote conscientiously and prayerfully. Vote!



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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2026

Welcome to FCC!

We trust you sense God's presence & that you feel very welcome here. Please let us know how we may help you.

10:15 a.m. **ADULT BIBLE CLASS**	5:30 p.m. **PRAYER TIME**
11:00 a.m. **MORNING WORSHI**	6:00 p.m. **PRAISE & PREACHING**

– THE CRUSADER'S CREED –

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of Heaven and Earth;

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; descended into the grave, the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church,
the inspired infallible Word of God
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and
the life everlasting. AMEN.

Scripture of the Month

Each month we are encouraging God's people to memorize a passage of Scripture

JOHN 6:68,69

68 Then Simon Peter answered him,
Lord, to whom shall we go?
thou hast the words of eternal life.
69 And we believe and are sure that thou art
that Christ, the Son of the living God.

FCC NEWSLINE

Important Announcements and Updates

THANK YOU FOR COMING! Thanks for checking in with Christy in the lobby. You may text (314) 607-1424 or e-mail: PastorRick@FCCStLouis.org, or fill out a contact card on our welcome table.

JOIN US THIS THIS MORNING FOR THE ADULT BIBLE CLASS (ABC) WITH JOE EARLE 10:15.a.m

THANK YOU FOR GIVING TO THE LORD The Lord loves cheerful givers. You can not outgive God!. GIVE ONLINE WWW.FCCSTLOUIS.ORG or at FCCStLouisMO@gmail.com, or 2969 N Lindbergh, St.Ann, MO 63074.

NOVEMBER	YEAR TO DATE	2026 GOAL	ATT. 10/25
	$170,305	$226,000	109

HERE ARE SOME IMPORTANT DATES

WE WELCOME MISSIONARY GIRISH from INDIA, TODAY! Focusing on Ministry to Muslims.
IHC MISSOURI, Friday, Nov 6, at 7pm.
VETERAN'S SUNDAY, Nov 8 11A Posting the Colors
FCC THANKSGIVING DINNER, Sat., Nov 21
THE BRADFORD FAMILY CHRISTMAS CONCERT will be here on SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20 at 6pm. Invite your family and friends for this wonderful service..

PROJECT RENEW MISSION ACCOMPLISHED!



THANKS to C&B Paving and the PROJECT RENEW supporters who made our new parking lot a beautiful reality this week! Thank you so much!

FCC PRAYER & PRAISE

Reports of Answered Prayers and Your Requests

- THANK GOD FOR HIS BLESSINGS THIS WEEK!
- Pray for our services today.
- CHARLOTTE LOCKHART is in ICU at BJC St Peters after a second surgery on Monday.
- DEREK CARROLL
- WESLEY PARMLEY
- GILDA LOZANO
- RALPH BULLAR
- DARLENE BULLAR
- ART HASSINGER appreciates our prayers at the loss of Debbie.
- CHAROLOTTE COLONNA
- JOE EARLE has a kidney disorder.
- KRIS MAUER
- YVONNE'S MOTHER
- REMEMBER THE SPIRITUAL NEEDS in our church family.
- DIANNE LYTLE BEVERLY
- GYLYNELLE HULL has cancer
- DONNY DUKE, Cancer
- LISA BREWER, Cancer
- MIKE ERNST mourning the loss of his mother.
- PRAY for our NATION,
- RICK FEGER
- SCOTT FEGER
- RON FEGER
- BENJAMIN EARLE
- BROTHER GARY OLIVER'S SISTER NORMA
- CHRISTY DODSON
- BLANCA ALMANZA
- The recently bereaved families of STEPHEN GIBSON, BARBIE SHREVES, SHARON KLOPOTOSKI, MAGGIE SOHN'S SISTER, , PEGGY KING, MARY HOWSDEN, TAMMY LEWIS,
- LEA KILLAM .
- ADELINE GREAVES
- JANE FEGER
- YVONNE MASON
- DIANNE's brothers JOEL LYTLE and MARK LYTLE.
- DAISY GOODRICH
- DIANNE BEVERLY.
- JODY OLIVER
- MIKE & BETTY JOBBINS
- NORMA OLIVER
- ED HENDRICKSON
- SHARON NICKELSON
- DONNA HURLBUT
- SISTER BETTY OGLESBY
- DEBBIE FULLER

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IT IS IMPORTANT that we get the word out about AMENDMENT 3 (YES!) and AMENDMENT 6. (NO!) Amendment 3 is a life-protecting amendment that prohibits transgender surgery on minors. AMENDMENT 6 would wreck havoc with our representative democracy.



PRAY PRAY PRAY for this year's election. The implications are huge.