

# NEW PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS



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To receive the weekly email or to have your prayer requests and updates  
be included, please email: [office@tccsalem.org](mailto:office@tccsalem.org).

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## SERMON SERIES:



**"The Man From the Desert"**  
**Matthew 3:1-12**  
January 18, 2026



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## ENTERING INTO THE LORD'S HOUSE

Welcome and Announcements\*\*

Call to Worship

### WORSHIP THROUGH SONG & CONFESSION\*

Hymn: Come Ye Sinners Poor and Needy

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

*Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word and deed. We have not loved You with all of our heart, soul, mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done and the good we have left undone. Lord, You are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger and plenteous in mercy. There is always forgiveness with You. Restore to us the joy of Your salvation. Bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us and let Your word abide with us, until it has wrought in us Your holy will. Amen.*

Hymn: Christ is Mine Forevermore

Hymn: I Will Glory in My Redeemer

### MINISTRY MOMENT

Deacons

### WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER

Congregational Prayer & Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

### WORSHIP THROUGH THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Response to Giving: Doxology.\*

***(Children Dismissed to Nursery)***

### WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD

Scripture Memory Verse

*Colossians 3:23-24 (ESV)*

*Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.*

Matthew 3:1-12

*The Man from the Desert* Pastor Jonathan Chechile

### JOYS & CONCERNS

### RESPONSIVE SONG\*

Hymn: Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me

### BENEDICTION

\*\* To preserve the sanctity of worship please silence any devices.

\* All who are able, please stand. *Readings in italics are read together.*

## WEEKLY HAPPENINGS

### **Adult Ministries**

*Men's Discipleship*, Saturdays 7:30 am

Christian Community Center

*Women's Bible Study*, Thursdays 9:30am

Christian Education Building

### **Children's Ministry**

*AWANA (K-8)*, Thursdays 6:15 pm

Christian Education Building

### **Sunday School (Sundays, 8:45 am)**

*Adults & High School*: Christianity in America

*Toddlers - 8th Gr*: The Gospel Project

Christian Education Building

### **Membership Class**

Running from January 7<sup>th</sup>- February 11<sup>th</sup>

## Income Summary

<b>Last Week Collections:</b>	<b>\$1,530</b>
<b>Weekly Goal:</b>	<b>\$4,211</b>
<b>Collections - year to date:</b>	<b>\$189,364</b>
<b>Budget - year to date:</b>	<b>\$191,574</b>
<b>Shortfall:</b>	<b>\$2,210</b>
<b>2025-2026 Total Budget:</b>	<b>\$218,969</b>

### EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:


- The TCCS Deacons would like to invite you to help us restock our Food Pantry. Items suggestions - peanut butter, spaghetti, sauce, tuna, and soups. A shopping cart will be placed in the entrance of the church where donations can be dropped off. Thank you!

Please refrain from bringing dark liquids into the Meeting House.

Water and dry snacks are welcome!

# JANUARY 2026

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