

Tithes and Offerings



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Place in the blue offering bins in the lobby.



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give

or text GIVE
to 717-420-1600



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Order of Worship
September 14, 2025
Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome

Worship in Song
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Prayer

We Listen to the Word

Sermon Series: Faith Works
Sermon: "Part I. Faith Changes"

We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration
The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song
Prayer

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

*Words to music, responsive readings and
The Lord's Prayer will be on the screen*



6-8pm Friday, September 26

Pet Blessings

AT TABLE LIFE CHURCH'S FIRE PIT FRIDAY



Stop by the front lawn of Table Life Church (617 16th Street, New Cumberland, PA) to receive a special blessing for your pet! All animals are welcome (must be leashed or in a carrier)



For a complete list of ongoing ministries and upcoming events,
please visit tablelifechurch.org.

Doggy Bag-

Some questions to chew on:



1. How does it impact you to know that James was #1) one of Jesus' brothers, and #2) a skeptic who did not follow Jesus while he was alive? What caused him to change? Can you relate?
2. How does our identity and how we see ourselves impact our activity? What do you need to remember about who you are now and what God has done in your life?
3. How does faith in Jesus change how you see challenges?
4. How has a trial in your life changed you, grown your patience, or given you wisdom you didn't have before?
5. How does faith in Jesus change what we pursue or don't pursue in life? How do wealth and power attempt to fool us? What lies do temptations attempt to tell us?
6. What is God saying to you through this scripture and message?
7. As you face a new week, what does your faith remind you about who you are? What challenge do you need to look at differently? What pursuit is God calling you to change or sustain?

NEW HERE? NEED PRAYER?

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Connection Card

☐ I'm new here ☐ I'm a returning guest
☐ I have new contact information

Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____

How did you hear about us?
☐ Friend's referral ☐ Online
☐ Social Media ☐ Invited by _____
☐ Other _____

I would like to know more about or help with:
☐ What it means to follow Jesus
☐ Connecting to a group
☐ Serving
☐ Kids & Youth Ministry
Prayer Request _____

Please fill out a
connection card located
in the seats in front of
you. Or you can fill one
out online.



SCAN ME

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Series: Faith Works Part I. Faith Changes" Pastor Kris Beckert

Have you ever bought something you never used?

James 2:17 So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

How does faith work when you're facing trouble?

James 1:1 James, a servant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ, To the twelve tribes scattered among the nations: Greetings.

- The Book of James is attributed to _____
- He was a "pillar in the Church" (Galatians 2:9) who also guided a decisive moment in the Jerusalem Church (Acts 15)
- But during Jesus' ministry, James didn't believe (John 7:5)
- He came to faith after Jesus' resurrection (1 Cor 15:3-7)

1. Faith changes _____:
Remember who you are
2. Faith changes _____:
Look at what you have to gain

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James 1:2-4 Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, ³ because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. ⁴ Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.

1. You gain _____
 - Greek word hupomone: mone means to _____, hupo means _____
 - But it's not automatic and you must stay in the game
2. You gain _____

James 1:5-8 If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. ⁶ But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. ⁷ That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. ⁸ Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do.

3. Faith changes _____: Don't be fooled

James 1:9-11 Believers in humble circumstances ought to take pride in their high position. ¹⁰ But the rich should take pride in their humiliation—since they will pass away like a wild flower. ¹¹ For the sun rises with scorching heat and withers the plant; its blossom falls and its beauty is destroyed. In the same way, the rich will fade away even while they go about their business.

1. Don't be fooled by _____

2. Don't be fooled by _____

James 1:12-16 Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him. ¹³ When tempted, no one should say, "God is tempting me." For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone; ¹⁴ but each person is tempted when they are dragged away by their own evil desire and enticed. ¹⁵ Then, after desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, gives birth to death. ¹⁶ Don't be deceived, my dear brothers and sisters.

3. Rely on _____

James 1:17-18 Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows. ¹⁸ He chose to give us birth through the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of all he created.

Big Idea:
