



## First Church of God Monroe

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*Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong.  
Let all that you do be done in love.  
1 Corinthians 16:13-14*

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### **ANNOUNCEMENTS, MARCH 8, 2026**

**Wednesday Bible Study:** 7:00pm, Gospel of Matthew.  
Contact: *Pastor Mike*

**Extra Blessings:** 2nd Saturday of the month, March 14th, 7:30am  
–10:30am. 97 Families served in February.  
Contact: *Jason Sexton*

**Family Dinner:** Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm  
Contact: *Pastor Mike*

**Mauddy Thursday Footwashing Service:** April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00pm.

**Good Friday HymnSing Service:** April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00pm. Join us for  
an evening of traditional hymns as we celebrate a risen Savior!  
Contact: *Pastor Mike*

**Pastor Larry wrote a book!** Living in the Shadows describes  
some of the 'Shadows' that plague us in life; reveals how to  
recognize them, and provides a diagnosis tool to help identify and  
defeat the specific 'Shadow' we are wrestling with at the time.  
Contact: *Pastor Larry*

**Veteran's Ministry:** Coming Soon.  
Contact: *Brandon Carter*

**March 1<sup>st</sup> Tithes \$1,172.<sup>00</sup>**  
**Attendance ADULTS 28 / CHILDREN 8**



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Series: **Easter 2026 – Follow Me**  
Sermon: **Tuesday – Into the Wedding Feast**  
Scripture: **Matthew 22:2-14**

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*<sup>2</sup> "The kingdom of heaven is like a certain king who arranged a marriage for his son, <sup>3</sup> and sent out his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding; and they were not willing to come. <sup>4</sup> Again, he sent out other servants, saying, 'Tell those who are invited, "See, I have prepared my dinner; my oxen and fatted cattle are killed, and all things are ready. Come to the wedding." ' <sup>5</sup> But they made light of it and went their ways, one to his own farm, another to his business. <sup>6</sup> And the rest seized his servants, treated them spitefully, and killed them. <sup>7</sup> But when the king heard about it, he was furious. And he sent out his armies, destroyed those murderers, and burned up their city. <sup>8</sup> Then he said to his servants, 'The wedding is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy. <sup>9</sup> Therefore go into the highways, and as many as you find, invite to the wedding.' <sup>10</sup> So those servants went out into the highways and gathered together all whom they found, both bad and good. And the wedding hall was filled with guests.*

*<sup>11</sup> "But when the king came in to see the guests, he saw a man there who did not have on a wedding garment. <sup>12</sup> So he said to him, 'Friend, how did you come in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. <sup>13</sup> Then the king said to the servants, 'Bind him hand and foot, <sup>14</sup> take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'*

*<sup>14</sup> "For many are called, but few are chosen."*

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Read more: Matthew 21:23 – 24:51; Mark 11:20 – 13:37;  
Luke 20:1 – 21:36; John 12:20--38