JEFFERSON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

July 2, 2023

Prayer Requests

Family of Pat Snyder, Family of Ronnie Clifton, Davey, Middleton, Vincy Coadney, Robin Parker, Peggy Thompson, Mickie Burrow, Dottie Hand, Viola Cleo Bradshaw, Linda Long, Kelly Windsor, Vickie Jackson, Debbie Shelton, Gerald Smith, Donna Hatcher, Joyce Perry, Carell Kiger, Paisley Speas, Zac Carter, George Comer, Jack Westmoreland, Joe Medeiros, Josh Church, Zelda Wilson, Beckham Gattis, Vickie Duncan, Canvas Church, Collective Christian Church, Renew Church, Our Troops, Ukraine

Nursing Home & At Home

Betty Westmoreland, Patsy Morrison, John Winesette, Marie George, Shirley Alspaugh, Lewis Moore, Linda Macia, Hazel Young, Mary Alderman

If we take a name off and you would like it placed back on the prayer list, please email us at info@jeffersonchurch.org.

Prayer Chain: If you have any prayer concerns, please call Libby Tabor

Offering Stats

June 25, 2023 -	$26,406.04
June 2023 Total -	$73,447.19

NEW TO JEFFERSON?

Are you new to Jefferson?
If so, we would love to hear from you!
Please click this **link** to tell us more about yourself and to ask questions.

JEFFERSON OFFERING

If you are worshipping with us through our live streaming service and you would like an easy way to give your offerings, please go to our **website** to make a donation online.

WEDNESDAY CHAPEL SERVICE

We will not meet this week, July 5th, for chapel. Chapel services will resume on July 12th.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are always needed to make the service run smoothly on Sunday mornings.
If you are interested in helping out, go to this **link** to sign up!

WELCOME TO OUR FAMILY

Kenny & Eileen Nutter placed their membership on Sunday, June 25.
Welcome to our family!

Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you have prayer requests, please go to jeffersonchurch.life to let us know how we can pray for you.

Leslie and Jason are originally from the Finger Lakes region of New York. They married in 2001, had Maddie in 2002 and moved to Rural Hall in 2003. Leslie and Maddie were the first Stopyra's to visit Jefferson one Sunday morning in the fall of 2003 while Jason was working in the ER up in Mt. Airy. They were immersed in baptism shortly after that and have been members ever since. Mason was born in 2004 followed by Morgan in 2006. All three kids were blessed to be able to attend Rural Hall Elementary followed by Calvary Day School.

Jason became a deacon in 2010 and then an elder in 2011. He moved moved ERs from Northern Hospital to Baptist in 2014. Leslie is a full time mom. They are currently leading the 25:35 Sunday school class.

SUMMER HANGOUTS

JCC Kids

10am-12pm

June 13	**Playground & Picnic** Come to play and bring a picnic!	July 25	**Game Day** 9sq, GaGa, Disc Golf, Bikes Welcome
July 11	**Water Day** Come ready to get wet!	Aug 1	**Paint and Praise** Painting and Praising God!

All hangouts are for birth-5th grade. We ask that an adult stays with kids kinder and younger.

Make plans to join us this summer for our Hangouts! All events are FREE and are available to kids from birth - 5th Grade. An adult must stay with kids kinder and younger.

Our next Hangout will be on July 11 - WATER DAY! Come ready to get wet!

VBS Save the Date: Aug 6-9

If you would like to volunteer at VBS, click the link below to fill out the volunteer form.

VBS Volunteer Form

HSW (10th-Just Grad.) June 11th-16th

JR1 (4th-6th) June 18th-23rd

Feather 1 (1st-2nd) June 25th-26th

Feather 2 (2nd-3rd) June 27th-29th

Night & Day Camp (K-1st)
June 30th-July 1st
(an overnight experience for our youngest campers & a parent)

MS3 (7th-9th) July 23rd-28th

*Campers must be ENTERING grades listed in fall of 2023

Registration Opens April 10th

Use the Church App to register or click the link below.

CAMP REGISTRATION

Contact Chrissy or Philip for the scholarship code of 50% off!

The last Summer Hangout will be our annual trip to Carowinds with FCC King and Poplar Springs!

This hangout is Monday, August 14th and the cost is $50. Students will need money for lunch (in the park) and dinner (on the road).

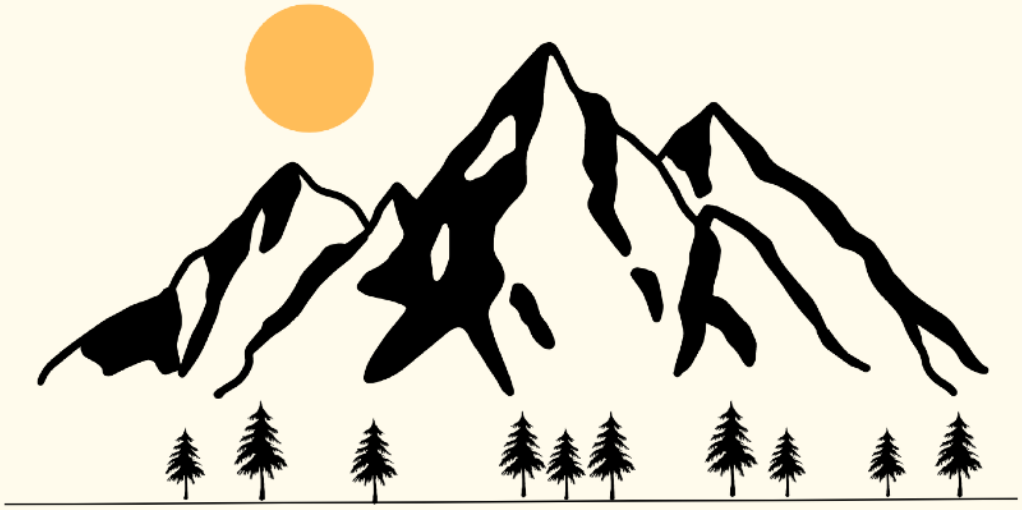
We will meet up at Jefferson at 8:30 am - breakfast will be provided. We should be back around 9 pm.

Sign up in the app or at the link below:

Carowinds

The July Summer Hangout is a **Dash Game** on July 19th! We will leave JCC at 11am and return around 3 or 3:30 pm. This Hangout is free for all middle and high school students.

JSM will cover the tickets and lunch. Any snacks or food besides lunch will be on the students.



YOUTH INC
MOUNTAIN RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 8-10

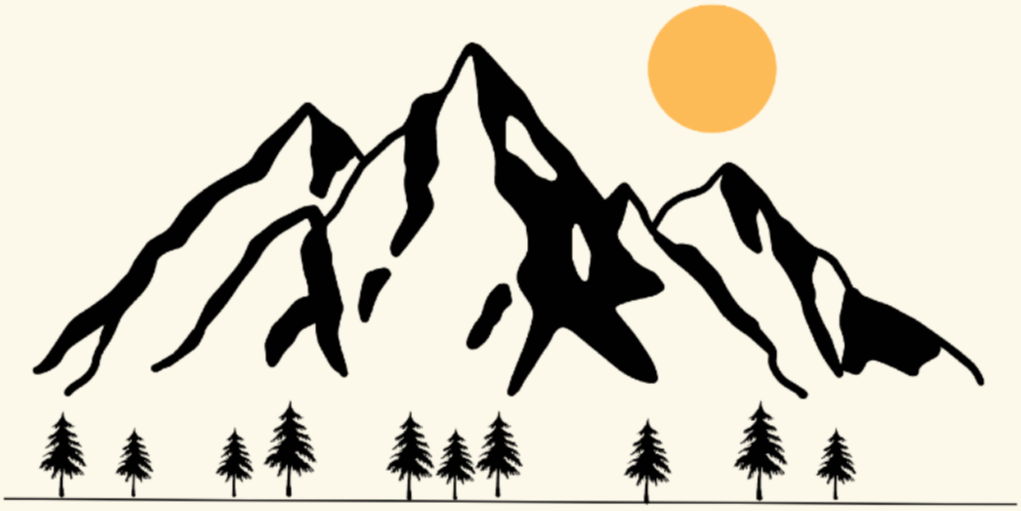
GATLINBURG, TN **COST: $100**

Registration for the Youth Inc. Fall Mountain Retreat is now open! This event is open to all middle school and high school students and will take place September 8-10.

Jefferson, along with 10 other churches, will head to Gatlinburg for a weekend of worship and fellowship. The cost is $100, which includes housing and 3 meals. Students will need money for 3 separate meals.

The deadline to pay and register is September 1st. Sign up on the app or by clicking the link below.

YOUTH INC MOUNTAIN RETREAT



Week 1

GIDEON

Why do you suppose we have a sense of inadequacy?

Unrealistic Criticism

Unrealistic Compliments

Unrealistic Comparisons

Gideon

God is going to take an ordinary man or woman and call them to something great.

Judges 6:11
11 The angel of the Lord came, and he sat under the oak that was in Ophrah, which belonged to Joash, the Abiezrite. His son Gideon was threshing wheat in the winepress in order to hide it from the Midianites.

Judges 6:12
12 Then the angel of the Lord appeared to him and said, “The Lord is with you, valiant warrior.”

1. God sees so much more in you than you could ever see in yourself.

Judges 6:13
13 Gideon said to him, “Please, my lord, if the Lord is with us, why has all this happened? And where are all his wonders that our ancestors told us about? They said, ‘Hasn’t the Lord brought us out of Egypt?’ But now the Lord has abandoned us and handed us over to Midian.”

Judges 6:14
14 The Lord turned to him and said, “Go…”

14 The Lord turned to him and said, “Go in the strength you have and deliver Israel from the grasp of Midian. I am sending you!”

“Because I am sending you.”

2. God has already given you more than you can imagine.

Ephesians 3:20
20 Now to Him who is able to do above and beyond all that we can ask or think according to the power that works in us…

Judges 6:15
15 He said to him, “Please, Lord, how can I deliver Israel? Look, my family is the weakest in Manasseh, and I am the youngest in my father’s family.”

Judges 6:16
16 “But I will be with you,” the Lord said to him.

2 Peter 1:3
3 His divine power has given us everything required for life and godliness through the knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness.

3. God working through you is less about you than you think.

Philippians 2:13
13 For it is God who is working in you both to will and to work according to His good purpose.

Matthew 28:18
18 “… And remember, I am with you always to the end of the age.”