



# JEFFERSON

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

September 8, 2024

### Prayer Requests

Dawn Haithcock, Ornella Cota, Cindy Hutchens, Kenny Olsen, Dave Jackson, Keirsten Curtis, Derek Baker, Ollie Nicholson, Linda Harrison, Jacob Nielsen, Kelly Windsor, Randy Bell, Donna Vopacke, John Wilson, Pam Casey, Paul Sproles, Landon Burrow, Josie Seranno, Ashley Long, John Sovik, Felix O’Hal, Grayson Allen, Cathy Smith, Paisley Speas, Teresa Vawter, Leroy Smith, Tom Stopyra, Lisa Pullium, Sheila Cox, Colleen Bennett, Sylvia Stewart, Bill & Linda Long, Gerald Smith, Donna Hatcher, Carell Kiger, George Comer, Joe Medeiros, Josh Church, Zelda Wilson, Beckham Gattis, Vickie Duncan, Canvas Church, Collective Christian Church, Renew Church, Our Troops, Ukraine, Israel

### Nursing Home & At Home

Patsy Morrison, 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](mailto:info@jeffersonchurch.org).

**Prayer Chain:** If you have any prayer concerns, please call Libby Tabor (336.969.5086).

### Offering Stats

September 1, 2024 -	\$28,617.31
August 2024 Total -	\$65,447.42

### 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 would like to give your offerings online, click this link to go to our [website](#).

### WEDNESDAY CHAPEL SERVICE

Join us at 11am in the sanctuary as we join together to sing hymns and share in the Word of God.

### GET INVOLVED

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!

### YOUNG AT HEART

The Young at Heart will meet on September 10<sup>th</sup> at 11am. Following the meeting everyone will depart for lunch at the new Panda Buffet in Winston-Salem. Contact Billy McHone with questions at [mchoneb@windstream.net](mailto:mchoneb@windstream.net).

### LYDIA CIRCLE

The Lydia Circle will meet Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:30AM. Leslie Madren (Children’s Ministry Director) will have our devotions. Penny will bring boxes of snacks to go to nursing homes.  
Any questions, call Libby Tabor (336-969-5086).

*Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you have prayer requests, please go to [jeffersonchurch.life](http://jeffersonchurch.life) to let us know how we can pray for you.*

# Guest Lunch

OCTOBER 6, 2024  
12:30 - 2:30

If you are new to Jefferson and want to find out who we are, what we're all about and meet our staff, plan to join us for lunch. Click the link below to Sign Up.

[GUEST LUNCH](#)



## LIFE *Join a* GROUP

THRIVE IN COMMUNITY



Midweek life groups start back on September 25. Discover community for people just like you, whether you're a young adult, newly married, new parents or empty nesters. This is the perfect time to connect with people who are walking in the same season of life as you. Sign up by clicking the link below.

[Life Group Sign Ups](#)

# COMMUNITY FESTIVAL

**FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!**

**SEPT. 22**

**KING CENTRAL PARK**

**3-6PM**



Mark your calendars! This year's Community Festival will be held on Sunday, September 22. We need you to: grill or serve food, popcorn, drinks, assist children on inflatables, greet or register guests for prize giveaways, set up tables and tents, or clean up after the event. It will take an army of volunteers. Please sign up to help by clicking the link below.

[Community Festival Volunteer Form](#)

# Men's BREAKFAST

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH | 8-10AM**

Join us for our Men's Breakfast on Saturday, September 28 from 8-10AM. Scott Haulter, minister at Catalyst Church, will be our guest speaker. Sign up by clicking the link below.

[Men's Breakfast Registration](#)

# NIGHT OF WORSHIP

SEPTEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup> · 6:30-8:00PM

## Attention Jefferson family!

We are excited to announce our first Night of Worship. Join us as we worship Jesus through song and prayer during the week, not just on a Sunday morning.

This event is open to everyone, so invite your friends and family to join us for a fun and memorable evening.

This is a great opportunity to invite someone that may not be willing to come to church on a Sunday morning but would come to concert-like event on a weeknight. Let's invite and let God do the rest!

**September 11 from 6:30-8:00pm**

**Childcare is provided for Birth - 3 Years Old**

Let's come together as a church community and make this event one to remember. See you there!

## FAMILY

## AT THE FARM

### THE FARM AT DOBSON

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 29  
2:00-6:00

\$12 PER PERSON



A KID FUSION EVENT

## JOIN US FOR OUR FAMILY EVENT AT THE FARM.

THIS EVENT IS OPEN TO ALL FAMILIES.

Sunday, September 29 from 2-6pm

The cost is \$12 per person.

Sign up by clicking the link below.

This event includes:

- admission and access to their kid/family activity area and access to over 30+ attractions.
- one pumpkin per child 12 and under (located at exit).
- shooting the apple cannon 2 times free.

This event does NOT include the gem mine, concessions, or merchandise.

*Payment for this event should be given to Leslie prior to the event.*

**REGISTER**



## VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT AT FCC KING

FCC King is hosting a dodgeball tourney for all 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders on October 6<sup>th</sup>! Teams will consist of 7 players, with 5 on the court. Each team must have at least two girls and can have a maximum of one adult. A sign-up sheet and rules will be in the high school and middle school room. Invite your friends from school to join your team! There will be pizza and drinks!

## YOUTH INC CHICKEN STEW

The annual Youth Inc. Chicken Stew is happening on November 3<sup>rd</sup> this year. This awesome event is for all high school and middle school students and friends. There will be gaga ball, 9 Square, and other games.

The cost is \$5 for this event. Please RSVP for this event using the Jefferson Church app or on the student iPad in the lobby.



## Progressive Dinner

November 10<sup>th</sup>  
5-8:30pm



Capella, FCC King, Jefferson, Poplar Springs

## FALL PROGRESSIVE DINNER

Our annual fall Progressive Dinner is November 10<sup>th</sup> from 5:00pm to 8:30pm! We will be joining Capella, FCC King, and Poplar Springs as we travel to the different churches for different courses of the meal.

All middle and high school students are welcome to attend, along with their friends. There is no cost for this event. Please RSVP for this event using the Jefferson Church app or on the student iPad in the lobby.

The annual Youth Inc. High School Lock-out is November 22-23! Join us as we travel throughout the night to one fun destination after the other! Our journey begins at CiCi's Pizza. Next, we head to a trampoline park. The third stop is ice skating. And we wrap the night/morning up with a movie!

This is a HIGH SCHOOL ONLY EVENT! The cost is \$35 and can be paid at the door. Please register for this event using the Jefferson Church app, or on the student iPad in the lobby.



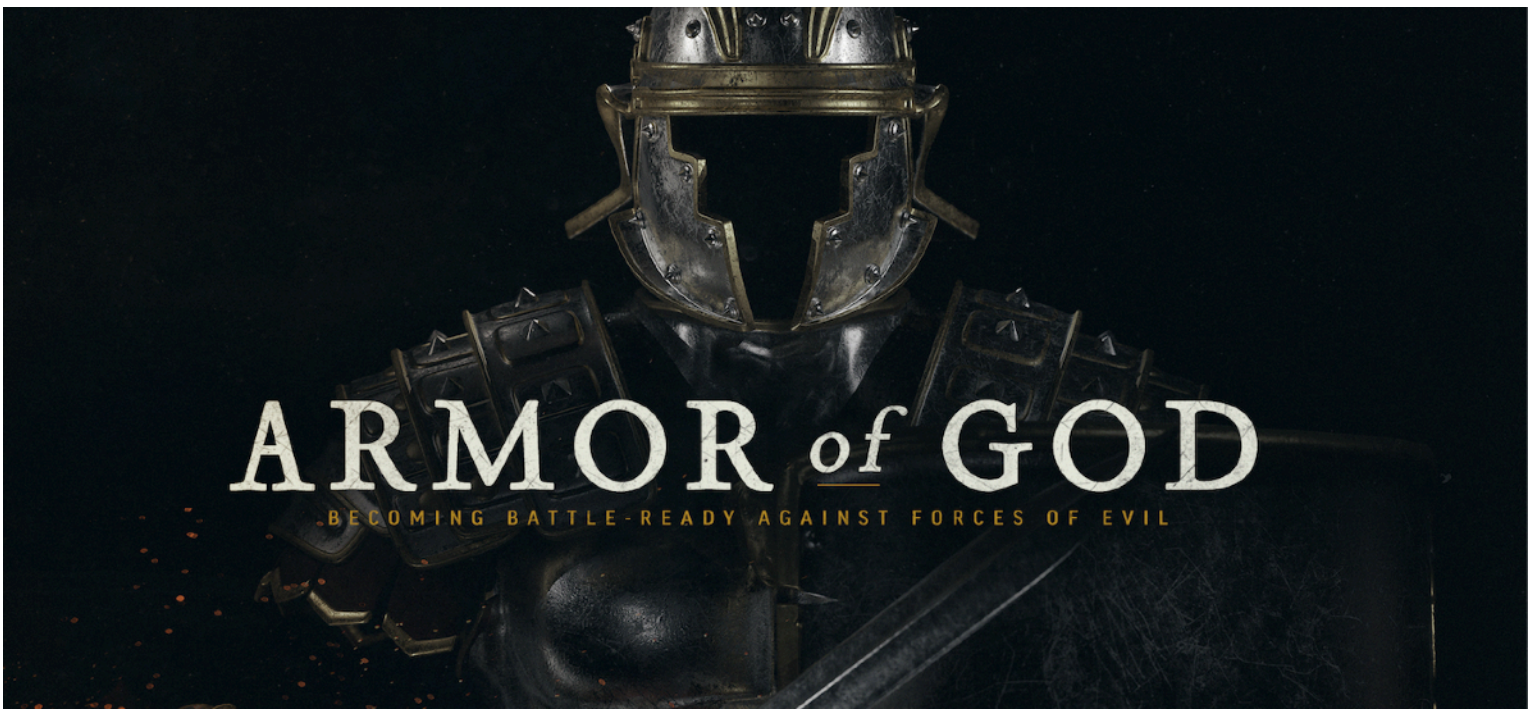
COST:  
\$35

## YOUTH INC. HIGH SCHOOL LOCK-OUT

PIZZA  
TRAMPOLINE PARK  
ICE SKATING  
MOVIE

NOV.  
22-23  
9:30PM-7AM





**WEEK 3**  
**The Breastplate of Righteousness**

Proverbs 4:23

<sup>23</sup> Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life.

**Righteousness is simply right living.**

**It is the idea of Meeting a Standard or  
Passing Inspection.**

**Righteousness will guard the most vital parts of your life.**

Proverbs 13:6

<sup>6</sup> Righteousness guards the man of integrity, but wickedness overthrows the sinner.

**Wickedness invites the enemy into your life.**

**“Remember that a sinful foothold can easily and quickly become a major stronghold.”**

- David Vaughan

**Get rid of the rotteness in your life.**

**Fake Righteousness doesn't fool God or the enemy.**

Romans 3:10

<sup>10</sup> There is no one righteous, not even one.

**Righteous is not earned, it is embraced.**

## **Justification.**

2 Corinthians 5:21

<sup>21</sup> God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

1 Peter 2:24

<sup>24</sup> He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sin and live for righteousness.

### **The basic components to being a human being...**

#### **Flesh (Body)**

Galatians 2:20

<sup>20</sup> I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me...

#### **Mind (Soul)**

Romans 12:2

<sup>2</sup> Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.

#### **Spirit (Eternal)**

**Righteousness has to begin in your spirit.**

**Until righteousness has been embraced in your spirit, you can never experience righteousness in the other parts of your life.**

#### **Sanctification**

Ephesians 4:17-24

<sup>17</sup> So I tell you this, and insist on it in the Lord, that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their thinking. <sup>18</sup> They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts. <sup>19</sup> Having lost all sensitivity, they have given themselves over to sensuality so as to indulge in every kind of impurity, with a continual lust for more. <sup>20</sup> You, however, did not come to know Christ that way. <sup>21</sup> Surely you heard of him and were taught in him in accordance with the truth that is in Jesus. <sup>22</sup> You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; <sup>23</sup> to be made new in the attitude of your minds; <sup>24</sup> and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

**Whatever you feed will grow.**

**Whatever you starve will die.**

**Feed your spirit and you will get righteousness.**

**Feed your flesh and you will get rottenness.**

**The same Jesus that saves us is the Jesus that sanctifies us.**