

July 27, 2025

Prayer Requests

Landon Graham, Judy Cole, Betty Kiger, Sami Harris, Kevin Milton, Macklin Thomas, Lauren Morrison, Graham Miller, Silas Porter, Tim Phillips, Jasper Moore, Matthew Dixon, Dustin Gordon, Steven Robertson, Beckham Gattis, Dawn Haithcock, Michael & Linda Harrison, Randy Bell, Grayson Allen, Paisley Speas, Teresa Vawter, Leroy Smith, Tom Stopyra, Sheila Cox, Colleen Bennett, Bill & Linda Long, Donna Hatcher, Carell Kiger, Joe Medeiros, Josh Church, Zelda Wilson, Canvas Church, Collective Christian Church, Renew Church, Anthology Church, Our Troops, Ukraine, Israel

Nursing Home & At Home

Libby Tabor, 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.

Prayer Chain: If you have any prayer concerns, please call Libby Tabor (336.408.1946).

Financial Giving Report

2025 Budget -	\$1,144,000.00
Weekly Need -	\$22,000.00
July 20, 2025 -	\$21,498.90
Received in July -	\$64,519.24
Over/Under YTD -	\$-63,500.77

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!



PRAYER AND WORSHIP NIGHT is just THREE WEEKS AWAY!

We'll see you on August 17th, at 6:30pm as we gather to worship and pray together.

Come ready to reflect on all God is doing in our church and to ask for Him to do even more through us to advance His Kingdom and bring Him Glory!

*Childcare is available for 3 years old and under.

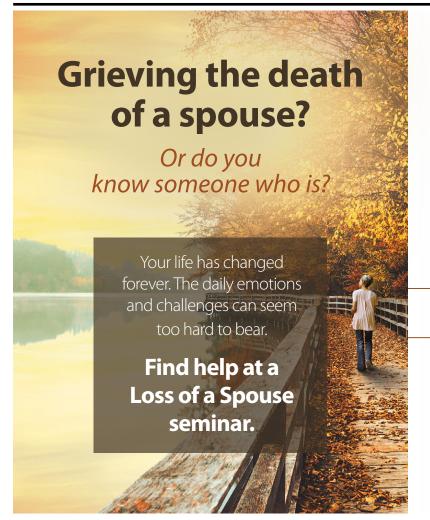




We are here to help you on your grief journey. Grief is a journey that shouldn't be traveled alone. You may feel like no one understands and be tempted to isolate, but as counselor David Bueno Martin says, "Healing happens in the context of finding others who can help you." A GriefShare group is a safe place to find support.

Our GriefShare group will meet weekly on Thursdays at 10am from August 28 - November 20. Click the link to sign up.

GRIEF SHARE





Join us for this encouraging seminar.

Sunday, August 17 at 1pm

This 2 hour seminar includes light refreshments and small bites.

LOSS OF A SPOUSE



SAVE THE DATE

JULY 27 - 30

VBS
AT "CAMP JCC"

6-8PMDinner starts at 5pm.

For 3 year olds through rising 6th graders.

Mark your calendars and make plans to join us for this year's VBS as we learn to Live it Out!

Click the link below to register your kids and to volunteer!

REGISTRATION

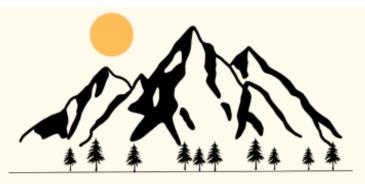
VOLUNTEER FORM



Our annual end-of-summer trip to Carowinds with Capella, FCC King, and Poplar Springs is Monday, August 4th. The cost is \$50 and can be paid with cash or a check. Students will need money for lunch (in the park) and dinner (on the road). Please be at Jefferson by 8:30 a.m. Breakfast will be provided. We should return to JCC around 9pm.

You can register your student using the link below, the Jefferson app, or on the student iPad in the lobby.

CAROWINDS



YOUTH INC MOUNTAIN RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 5-7

GATLINBURG, TN

COST: \$100

Registration for the Youth Inc. Fall Mountain Retreat is now open! This event is open to all MS and HS students and will take place September 5-7. Jefferson, along with 8 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 Aug. 29th.

You can register your student using the link below, the Jefferson app, or on the student iPad in the lobby.

MOUNTAIN RETREAT



The Summer Hangout Series schedule is set for an amazing summer of fun! These hangouts are fun ways to be together during the summertime!

Times for the events will be announced during the month they occur. The dates and events are subject to change with the weather.

TOP GOLF - We made a change in venue for our last July summer hangout. We will now spend the afternoon at Top Golf in Greensboro!

This hangout is limited to the first 20 students who register! We will leave Jefferson at 1:15 and will return by 4:45 p.m. The cost is still \$20 for this hangout. You can register your student using the link below.

<u>TOPGOLF</u>

PICKLE AND PIZZA

tournament



AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH GYM Arrive at JCC at 4 p.m. and we will return at 7 p.m.

> Bring your pickleball paddles if you have them! If not, we will provide some.

Join us for our first-ever Pickle and Pizza Tournament on Saturday,
August 2nd, from 4 to 7 p.m.!
This event will be held at First
Christian Church.

The tournament will be a doubles format. This is a free event, and we will provide pizza and drinks.

Whether you are a pickleball pro or a first-timer, we hope to see you there!



MEET AT JCC BY 1:30
PICKUP AT 4PM JCC
PLEASE EAT LUNCH BEFOREHAND
BRING A TOWEL AND CHANGE OF CLOTHES

WANT TO ENJOY THE WARM WEATHER AND SPEND SOME TIME WITH YOUR FRIENDS AT THE POOL? JOIN MCKENNA AND PHILIP FOR SOME POOL DAYS THIS SUMMER!

WE WILL HOST GENDER-SPECIFIC DAYS FIRST BEFORE HOSTING A POOL DAY FOR EVERYONE!

PLEASE BE AT JCC BY 1:30 P.M. AND EAT LUNCH BEFORE ARRIVING. WE WILL RETURN TO JCC BY 4 P.M. BRING A TOWEL AND A CHANGE OF CLOTHES WITH YOU.

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO SPENDING TIME WITH EVERYONE AT THE POOL!



WEEK 8 BOATING & FISHING

Luke 5:1-11

- ¹ One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret with the people crowding around him and listening to the word of God, ² he saw at the water's edge two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing their nets. ³ He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little from shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat.
- ⁴ When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch."
- ⁵ Simon answered, "Master, we've worked hard all night and haven't caught anything. But because you say so, I will let down the nets."
- ⁶ When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break. ⁷ So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they can and filled both boats so fun that they began to sink.
- ⁸ When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from me, Lord, I am a sinful man!" ⁹ For he and all his companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had taken, ¹⁰ and so were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon's partners.

Then Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid; from now on you will catch men."

¹¹ So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

Following Jesus means self-denial.

Luke 9:23	L	u	ke	9	:23
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²³ Then he said to them all: "If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself... and take up his cross daily and follow me..."

There is a great weight to carrying our cross.

Luke 18:22-23

²² ... "You still lack one thing. Sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me."

²³ When he heard this, he became very sad, because he was a man of great wealth.

What are the nets that you won't drop?

Wealth?

Your Calendar?

Comfort and Control?

Following Jesus is a decision to accept Him as your Savior and make Him your Lord.

Will you follow Jesus?