

November 16, 2025

# **Prayer Requests**

Family of Patsy Morrison, Ashley Long, Andy Clifton, Kelly Windsor, Richard Lane, Jennifer Ortiz, Lisa Boyer, Brad Boyette, Addie Good, Landon Graham, Judy Cole, Betty Kiger, Sami Harris, Kevin Milton, Macklin Thomas, Lauren Morrison, Graham Miller, 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, 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

#### **Care Facility & At Home**

Libby Tabor, Marie George, Shirley Alspaugh, Lewis Moore, 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 Projected Offerings - \$1,144,000.00

Weekly Offering Need - \$22,000.00

November 9, 2025 Offering - \$17,606.89

Offerings Received in November - \$46,117.95

Offering Over/Under YTD - \$-120,043.71

#### **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!

#### LYDIA CIRCLE

The Lydia Circle will meet on Tuesday, November 18. Verna will be presiding. Carolyn will have our devotions.



This year we will go shopping together in groups on November 23 to purchase items for the Thanksgiving Baskets and Foster Care gift items. Our success and support of local families hinges on your monetary donations. Our three goals for this year's Thanksgiving Outreach are:

- To raise \$8,000 to be used towards Thanksgiving Baskets and Foster Care gift items.
- 60 turkeys to be brought in for the Thanksgiving Baskets.
- To collect 350 Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child.

To donate to this project, place a check in the offering plate on Sunday and write in the memo line of your check "Thanksgiving Outreach." Or click the link below to donate online. Select "Thanksgiving Outreach" from the Fund drop down menu: DONATE ONLINE

We also provide dinner at the conclusion of the event. Please register for the outreach event and for dinner by clicking the link below. We encourage those participating to bring a dessert to share at the dinner.

### THANKSGIVING OUTREACH SIGN UP



We have great plans for this year's Drive-Thru. We need you to volunteer. The Drive-Thru is not only a gift to this community, but it is also an offering to God. What an awesome way to praise God by sharing His wonderful story of His love!

We need 200 people to commit to help out each night (actors, traffic, childcare, food, sound, etc.) Everyone interested in helping should sign up by Sunday, November 23rd by clicking the link below. Please note that this year the dress rehearsal will be on Wednesday, December 3rd from 6-7pm.

**DRIVE THRU VOLUNTEER FORM** 



# Surviving the Holidays

provides encouragement, support, and valuable tools to navigate the season.

# Join us for this holiday seminar

Location

Date & time

Contact info

Jefferson Christian Church 8200 Jefferson Church Road Rural Hall, NC 27045

Sunday, November 16, 2025 1:00–3:00pm ET Virginia Love 336-970-3299 vlovetk14@gmail.com

griefshare.org/holidays



Progressive Dinner

November 16<sup>th</sup> 5-8:30pm

Capella, FCC King, Jefferson, Poplar Springs

Our annual fall Progressive Dinner is on November 16 from 5 to 8:30 pm! 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!

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

**PROGRESSIVE DINNER** 



The annual Youth Inc. High School Lock-out is November 21-22! Join us as we travel throughout the night to one fun destination after another!

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 \$40 and can be paid at the door.

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

**LOCK-OUT** 



# WEEK 2 SAVING

Many live for today, saving nothing for tomorrow.

Proverbs 21:20

<sup>20</sup> In the house of the wise are stores of choice food and oil, but a foolish man devours all that he has.

A man comes to Jesus looking for some financial advice.

Luke 12:13

<sup>13</sup> "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me."

The man asks Jesus to validate what he already believes.

Jesus refuses to be used as a pawn.

Luke 12:14-15

"Man, who appointed me a judge or an arbiter between you?" Then he said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions."(

### A Story about Saving

Luke 12:16-18

The ground of a certain rich man produced a good crop. He thought to himself, 'What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.'

"Then he said, 'This is what I'll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods."

# A Biblical Plan for Saving Wisely:

#### 1. Give First.

Proverbs 3:9-10

Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first-fruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine.

Proverbs 11:24 - New Century Version

Some people give much but get back even more. Others don't give what they should and end up poor.

# 2. Appreciate what we have.

Ecclesiastes 5:10

Whoever loves money never has enough...

Philippians 4:11-13 ~ Berean Standard Bible

I am not saying this out of need, for I have learned to be content regardless of my circumstances. I know how to live humbly, and I know how to abound. I am accustomed to any and every situation—to being filled and being hungry, to having plenty and having need. I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength.

#### 3. Attack debt aggressively.

Proverbs 22:7

The borrower is slave to the lender.

#### 4. Plan for financial setbacks.

Proverbs 6:6-8

Go to the ant, you sluggard; consider its ways and be wise! It has no commander, no overseer or ruler, yet it stores its provisions in summer and gathers its food at harvest.

#### 5. Accumulate little by little.

Proverbs 13:11

...whoever gathers money little by little makes it grow.

## There is a difference between wise saving and selfish hoarding.

Luke 12:17-19

He thought to himself, 'What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.' Then he said, 'This is what I'll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I'll say to myself, "You have plenty of good things laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry."

# Check your motives about why you save.

Luke 12:20-21

"But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?'

"This is how it will be with anyone who stores up things for himself but is not rich toward God."

# We ought to save like we'll live forever - because we will.

Proverbs 13:22

<sup>22</sup> A good person leaves an inheritance for their children's children...