



JEFFERSON

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

September 6, 2026

Prayer Requests

Barry Easter family, Bill Prater, Gary Shaw, Sr., Paul Jensen, Amanda Cantrell, David Peppers, Eric Badgett, Judy Thomas, Alene Pell, Mary Kiser, Adam Yates, Wayne Kiger, Norris Roope, Jeanine Anderson, Mary Medeiros, June Booze, Adrian Marini, Billy Ingram, Kelly Windsor, Macklin Thomas, Dustin Gordon, Beckham Gattis, Michael & Linda Harrison, Randy Bell, Paisley Speas, Colleen Bennett, Bill & Linda Long, Donna Hatcher, Joe Medeiros, Josh Church, Zelda Wilson, Collective Christian Church, Renew Church, Anthology Church, Our Troops, Ukraine, Israel

Care Facility & At Home

Carell Kiger, Hazel Cook, Libby Tabor, Marie George, Shirley Alspaugh, Hazel Young

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

2026 Projected Offerings -	\$1,040,000.00
Weekly Offering Need -	\$20,000.00
August 30, 2026 Offering -	\$19,336.00
Offerings Received in August -	\$101,240.41

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 Tuesday, September 8 in the Cafe. We meet the second Tuesday of each month. Join us for some good fellowship and fun!

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.



COMMUNITY *Festival*

SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY

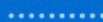
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3PM TO 6PM

Mark your calendars! This year's Community Festival will be held on Sunday, September 20.

We need you to: grill or serve food, popcorn, drinks, assist children on inflatables, greet and register guests for prize giveaways, set up tables and tents, or clean up after the event. It will take an army of volunteers. Sign up to help by clicking the link below.

[Community Festival Volunteers](#)



STARTING POINT

SEPTEMBER 27TH @ 10AM

If you are new to Jefferson, please join us for Starting Point on Sunday, September 27th at 10 AM on the second floor at Jefferson.

During this 4 week session, we will highlight Jefferson Christian Church's mission and values, providing you with a better understanding of who we are and what we are about.

JSM SUNDAY NIGHTS

FALL 2026

SEPTEMBER

9/6 - MT. RETREAT (NO GROUP)
9/13 - GAME NIGHT
9/20 - COMMUNITY FESTIVAL
9/27 - HIKE AT HANGING ROCK

OCTOBER

10/4 - FAIR NIGHT
10/11 - THE GATHERING (YOUTH INC)
10/18 - TOPGOLF NIGHT
10/25 - JCC CHICKEN STEW

NOVEMBER

11/1 - YOUTH INC. CHICKEN STEW
11/8 - THE GATHERING (YOUTH INC)
11/15 - PROGRESSIVE DINNER
11/22 - THANKSGIVING OUTREACH
11/29 - NO GROUP

DECEMBER

12/6 - CHRISTMAS CAROLING
12/13 - THE GATHERING (YOUTH INC)
12/20 - NO GROUP
12/27 - NO GROUP

Sunday Night Schedule:

It's a new school year, which means Sunday nights are back! We have so many great things planned until the end of the year! Check out the tentative schedule and join us on Sunday nights! We hope to see y'all there!



TOPGOLF

JSM TOPGOLF
OUTING

SUNDAY,
OCTOBER 18TH

5PM - 7PM

COST: \$30

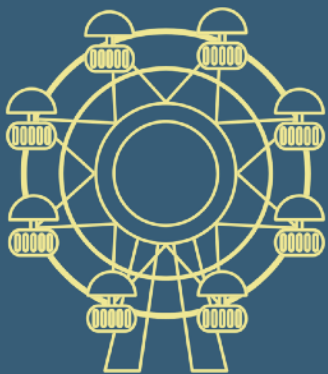
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20 SPOTS
AVAILABLE!
REGISTER TODAY!



JSM TOPGOLF OUTING

Another Sunday night event is a TopGolf outing! This Sunday night event is scheduled for Oct 18th. We will leave JCC at 4:15pm and will return by 7:30pm. The cost is \$30, which will cover games and food. Space is limited to the first 20 students! Don't miss out on this Sunday night event!

You can register your student using the Jefferson app or the student iPad in the lobby.



JSM FAIR DAY

OCT. 4TH
3-7:30 PM

ADMISSION IS FREE. RIDES
AND FOOD ARE ON YOU.
REGISTRATION IS LIMITED.

JSM DAY AT THE FAIR

One of our Sunday night events is a Carolina Classic Fair Day! This Sunday night event is scheduled for October 4th. We will leave JCC at 3 p.m. and will return by 7:30 p.m. Admission is covered. Students will need money for rides and food. Registration is limited to 30 students! Don't miss out on this Sunday night event! We welcome parents to go and help chaperone; please see Philip.

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

[JSM FAIR DAY](#)

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Trunk or Treat & Chicken Stew



Come join us for a fun evening of **food, fellowship, and fun** at our annual Trunk or Treat & Chicken Stew on **Sunday, October 25, from 5-7pm**. Chicken stew will be served at the Pavillon. The Trunk or Treat will be located in the front lower parking lot.

We need YOU! We are looking for people who would be willing to:

- Decorate a trunk and pass out candy
- Help make this a fun and memorable night for our kids and family

CANDY DONATIONS:

We will begin collecting candy donations at the **beginning of October**. Every donation helps make this event special!

If you would like to **decorate a trunk and participate**, please sign up by clicking the link below!

[**TRUNK or TREAT CAR SIGNUP**](#)

Jefferson Kids GLOW NIGHT

Come out for a fun night with dinner, worship and games.

**OCTOBER 11
5-7 PM**

FOR 4 YEAR OLDS - 5TH GRADERS

JEFFERSON KIDS GLOW NIGHT!

Get ready for an awesome night with Jefferson Kids!

Sunday, October 11th

5:00-7:00 PM

for kids ages 4 through 5th grade

We'll have a night full of food, fellowship, worship, and games—and, of course, LOTS of glow!

We can't wait to spend the evening together!

Please register your child so we can plan accordingly for food.

Come ready to GLOW! —

[**GLOW NIGHT REGISTRATION**](#)

Trail Life is hosting an open house on Sunday, September 13th at 4pm at Jefferson. This is an interest meeting for parents to learn more about Trail Life. There will be fun and games for the boys during the open house.



TRAIL LIFE USA™

Adventure › Character › Leadership



(Week 1)
CUT THE TIES

Romans 1:16

¹⁶ “For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.”

Diluting the Gospel can cause it to lose its effectiveness.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO REPENT?

**To repent means to change your mind or your thinking.
It means to turn around and change your direction.**

Matthew 4:17 ~ Jesus

¹⁷ “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”

Acts 2:38 ~ Peter

³⁸ “Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins.”

BURN THE SHIPS: NO GOING BACK

Following Jesus means eliminating the possibility of going back to the life I left behind.

Luke 9:57-58

⁵⁷ As they were walking along the road, a man said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." ⁵⁸ Jesus replied, "Foxes have dens and birds have nests, but the Son of Man has no place to lay his head."

Lord, I'll follow You - - as long as...

Luke 9:59-60

⁵⁹ He said to another man, "Follow me." But he replied, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." ⁶⁰ Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and proclaim the kingdom of God."

Sometimes the problem isn't that we say "no" to God, it's that we say, "Not yet."

Luke 9:61-62

⁶¹ Still another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but first let me go back and say goodbye to my family." ⁶² Jesus replied, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God."

We can't follow Jesus while constantly longing for the old life.

Philippians 3:13-14

¹³ "Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal."

What ships need to burn?

A relationship, an addiction, bitterness, pride, greed, a secret sin, dishonesty, or something else?