

GREETERS FOR NEXT WEEK:

November 30th Jim & Pat Blair

ACOLYTE FOR NEXT WEEK:

November 30th Emma Kisner

NURSERY FOR NEXT WEEK:

November 30th Kate Carson

JUNIOR CHURCH FOR NEXT WEEK:

November 30th Rhonda Piper

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE FOR NEXT WEEK:

November 30th Jenny Cartwright

WORSHIP LEADER FOR NEXT WEEK:

November 30th Cille Childers

FLOWERS

Today’s beautiful flowers were given by Jim & Pat Blair and Mike & Barbara Derenburger thanking God for ALL of our many blessings.

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY WISHES

A special and heartfelt congratulations goes out to all those with Birthdays and Anniversaries this week.

November	25 th	Nicholas Willeke
	26 th	Lee & Karen Mansell Mike & Laurie Mooney

ANNOUNCEMENTS

November 23rd, 2014

HAPPENINGS THIS COMING WEEK

Sunday, November 23 rd	8:30 am Sounds of Celebration 9:00 am Teen Choir 9:15 am Adult Sunday School Confirmation Class 10:30 am Worship Service & Confirmation 11:30am Reception for Confirmants
Monday, November 24 th	4 pm Prayer Walk, Bike Path *weather permitting
Tuesday, November 25 th	1:00 pm Tabitha Sewing Circle 6:00 pm TOPS
Sunday, November 30 th	8:30 am Sounds of Celebration 9:00 am Teen Choir 9:15 am Adult Sunday School 9:30 am Children’s Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service Worship Drama & baptism 11:30 am Street Church

Office hours & Contacts

Pastor Kevin’s hours are Monday – Thursday 9am to 5pm.
Pastor Kevin’s e-mail address is pastorkevin@thejpc.org
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Our phone number is 967-7541
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Prayer chain e-mail is JPCPrayerRequest@hotmail.com
Web site: www.thejpc.org

The office will be closed Thursday, November 27th and Friday, November 28th. Happy Thanksgiving to you all!!!



Confirmation

Pastor Kevin and session would like to welcome our newest members; Sidney Blair, Wesley Cox, Moriah Fleming, Ben Heckathorn, Nathan Heckathorn, Lyra Irwin, David Mansell, and Phoebe Richards.

There will be a reception following the worship hour in our fellowship hall. Please plan to stay and congratulate our new young members.



AN EVENT NOT TO BE MISSED.....

The Women's Association ANGEL PROGRAM will be held THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 6:30 pm. This program is always joyous, musical and very inspirational. The evening begins with a dessert buffet and coffee bar. All women of the church are invited.

Congregational Meeting

There will be a short congregational meeting after the Service on Sunday, December 7th for the purpose of approving a refinance loan on the 122 S. Oregon Street property.

Creative Design



We need folks who have a talent for developing a logo, designing a webpage, and for doing an overall "branding" of our church. Several logo ideas have already been submitted but help is needed to put those into graphic form and to begin the process of incorporating it into and enhancing the overall communications of the church.

If you are interested - please let Pastor Kevin know ASAP!

Weekly Tithes and Offerings for November 2, 2014

	Received Last Week	Needed
Current Operating Fund	\$4,104.00	\$3,427
Building Expansion Fund	\$295.00	\$683
Benevolence Fund	\$401.00	
	Received For November	Needed Monthly
Current Operating Fund	\$11,804.00	\$14,850
Building Fund	\$4,120.00	\$2,957

Great news! We are on-track for income to meet the Current Fund needs and have exceeded the income needed for the Building Expansion needs. Thank you.

Scott Lockwood

Outreach



Do you like to visit? Have time to deliver a church provided gift or flowers to someone in the Congregation who would enjoy a smiling face, a hug or a short visit? Your answer is YES! The church has a need for you. Please contact the church office and say, "Please put my name on the Reach Out and Visit list." Thank you from Jeanne and Congregational Care in advance.

MITTEN TREE



Decorating the Mitten Tree begins November 16. Last year the Mitten Tree had over 100 mittens. What a glorious site to see!

This year, please load the tree with mittens and HATS! All items go the Johnstown Area Food Pantry.

Each Sunday we raise our voices in thanksgiving for the blessings God bestows upon us. The Food Pantry is thankful for the compassion and sharing ways of us, the Congregation of JPC.



"Hang the Greens"

Please join us on Monday evening Nov.24 at 6:30 to help decorate our church for Christmas. We so appreciate you taking an hour to "Hang the Greens". Refreshments will be provided. It is fun to be a part of the transition from Fall to the Advent Season and the more we have- "the merrier"!

Hello Girlfriends!



Are you looking for time away from your business of life...for time to stop and smell the roses? Join us for our Garden Getaway retreat and experience this and more.

Garden Getaway is a relaxing garden themed retreat for the women of our church.

Included are worship, Bible study, and time for laughter and reflection.

Friday, May 1, 2015 we will begin with dinner and end around 4pm on the 2nd. Deer Creek State Park is our destination this year. The cost is \$105-\$135 depending on the room occupancy. Meals are included.

A \$20 non-refundable deposit is due by January 11th. Please see Melanie Main or Karen Blair for more information.



Thank You Notes...

Just a little thank you for the prayers that my mother, Mary Ann Heise, received from your faithful prayer chain at Johnstown Presbyterian. Thank you to all who prayed. I really appreciate it! My mother is back at home and doing well. Amen! God is good!

Thanks again and God Bless,

Jeannie Kerns (church housekeeper)

SERMON NOTES – Zechariah 3:1-10 (NIV)

“The Gospel through Zechariah – a look at the character of...”

1. Satan (The Accuser)

"Then he showed me Joshua the high priest standing before the angel of the LORD, and Satan standing at his right side to accuse him." (v 1)

2. The Lord (The Advocate)

"Now Joshua was dressed in filthy clothes as he stood before the angel. The angel said to those who were standing before him, "Take off his filthy clothes." Then he said to Joshua, "See, I have taken away your sin, and I will put rich garments on you." (vv 3-4)

Prayer Concerns
November 20, 2014
JPCPrayerRequest@hotmail.com

Continued Prayers

- Our governmental leaders
- Middle East violence
- Flooding in Sabaneta, Dominican Republic,

Life Events

- Marilyn and Steve LeClair and Marilyn's son Eston Wenger will be going on their medical mission trip to the Sabaneta, Dominican Republic on November 20 through November 26. There has been severe flooding and also some violence recently. Pray for their medical success and also their safety.

Healing

- John Replogle has been diagnosed with a brain tumor.
- Barbara Haines has a serious autoimmune disorder. She is showing some signs of improvement. Barbara is a former member of this church.
- Margaret Bobo, neighbor and friend of Maxinde Pardee, has had stroke events this summer.
- Mike Robinson who is paralyzed from the waist down as a result of a tree falling on him.
- Maxine Pardee has myasthenia gravis and extreme pain.
- Ron Goodman, Jane Muller's brother-in-law, latter stages of Parkinson's disease.
- Rev. Edward Carlson, Maxine Pardee's son-in-law, has serious medical issues.
- Megan Carlson, Maxine Pardee's granddaughter, was hospitalized for a work-related back injury; however, there seems to be additional undiagnosed problems.
- Norma Duncan needs continued prayer. It has been gratifying to see her well enough to attend church on occasion.

- Margie Wheaton, Betty Ford's daughter, is in a nursing facility because of her Parkinson's.
- Gloria Miller, friend of Kaye Cook, has severe kidney disorder.
- Judy Schultz, Suzy Sayer's mother, recovering from neck and back surgery.
- Jeff Dunlap, son of Jeanette Dunlap, had surgery on his bowel October 23. He will be off work for 2 to 3 months.
- Mike Spangler, Marie Fleming's brother-in-law, has Stevens-Johnston Syndrome. It is a rare, serious skin disorder resulting from a reaction to a drug.
- Gwen and John Haspels, Presbyterian missionaries in Ethiopia who were attacked and injured by armed bandits October 1, have been taken to Presbyterian Hospital in New York City, for reconstructive surgery.
- Kimberly Baughn is recovering from major surgery.

Cancer

- Victoria Boals, New Albany High student with brain cancer. Is gratified to know her doctors have changed their minds and do not consider her terminal. She is attending school this year.
- Megan Johnson Cervi, daughter of Bill Johnson, will be getting treatments for melanoma through October.
- Charles "Copper" Thacker has advanced lung cancer.
- Sharon Johnson, friend of Hazel Almendinger, had a complete breast removal for cancer. Her daughter and granddaughter, both have cancer. They seem to be progressing.
- Rod Lunt, friend of the Almendingers grandson Matt in Kansas, has melanoma.
- Patty Oyler, friend of Kaye Cook, has colon cancer.
- Brian Fisher, friend of Mark and Katie Miller, has a cancerous spot on his left lung. He had been on our prayer chain as late as this March for colon cancer.
- Lea Ann Snyder, friend of Roger & Donna Heines, Barbara & Bill Mitchell, and Phyllis Kraner, has cancer throughout her body.

Death

- Joe Urdock died November 15 of colon cancer. Funeral was November 20.

Those Shut in or Confined to their Homes

- Roy H. Sarbaugh, Carol Hoff's father
- Alice Neibarger, New Albany Gardens and Care Center, Columbus, OH 43230.
- Betty Ford
- Lawrence Bishop at Sharonbrooke Sr. Living Center, 920 Sharon Valley Road, OH 43055
- Ellen Howell, Hazel Almendinger's sister, is house bound. She is in pain management for spinal stenosis.
- Cecil and Maryann Grimes, brother and sister-in-law to Maxine Pardee: Cecil has worsening Alzheimer's and Maryann has a lung condition. They are elderly and day-to-day activities are getting harder.
- Rev. Tom Jackman, former minister of the Johnstown Presbyterian church in the late 60's and early 70's, 200 Cottage Dr. Apt 302, Palmyra Pa. 17078-3608