

**GREETERS FOR NEXT WEEK:**

November 8<sup>th</sup> Scott, Andra, Emma and Kate Kisner

**ACOLYTE FOR NEXT WEEK:**

November 8<sup>th</sup> Emma Kisner

**NURSERY FOR NEXT WEEK:**

November 8<sup>th</sup> Sidney Blair

**JUNIOR CHURCH FOR NEXT WEEK:**

November 8<sup>th</sup> Carrie Almendinger

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE FOR NEXT WEEK:**

November 8<sup>th</sup> Jeff Uhde

**WORSHIP LEADER FOR NEXT WEEK:**

November 8<sup>th</sup> Ben Heckathorn

**FLOWERS:** Today’s beautiful flowers were given Ken & Jean Weaver in honor of our 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary and in honor of our parents.

**BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY WISHES**

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

- November 1 Lincoln Derenberger
- 5 Keymell Cartwright
- 6 Rhonda Piper

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

November 1, 2015

**HAPPENINGS THIS COMING WEEK**

- Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup>
  - 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
  - 5:30 pm Financial Peace
- Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>
  - 4 pm Prayer Walk, Bike Path
  - \*weather permitting
- Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - 9:00 am Tuesday Morning Bible Study
  - 1:00 pm Tabitha Sewing Circle
  - 5:15 Joy Ringers & Jr. Choir
  - 6:00 pm TOPS
  - 7:00 pm Adult Choir
- Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup>
- Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>
  - 8:00 am Men’s Coffee Hour
  - 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
  - 11:30 am Chili Cook-Off
  - 5:30 pm Financial Peace

**Office hours & Contacts**

Pastor Kevin’s hours are Monday – Thursday 9am to 5pm.  
 Pastor Kevin’s e-mail address is [pastorkevin@thejpc.org](mailto:pastorkevin@thejpc.org)  
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 Prayer chain e-mail is [JPCPrayerRequest@hotmail.com](mailto:JPCPrayerRequest@hotmail.com)  
 Web site: [www.thejpc.org](http://www.thejpc.org)



### Men's Ministry

Pastor Kevin would like to invite the men to watch the Browns vs Bengals game at Hillcrest Golf Course. The game is at 8:30 on Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup>. Come enjoy the game, some food and fellowship with the men of the church.

### Chili Cook-off



Do you think you have the best chili in Johnstown? Then bring it to the Women's Association chili cook off on November 8<sup>th</sup> following church. If you are not a chili cook then come and do the difficult job of taste testing the entries and choose your favorite. Donations will then go to benefit the JPC Women's Association.



### JPC Arts & Crafts Show

Our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Arts and Crafts Show will be held on Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm. We have over 25 vendors, many are new this year. We have handmade jewelry, greeting cards, embroidery, quilted items, Johnstown and Northridge school booths, crochet items, recycled and upcycled crafts, original art, and the Hot Spot Coffee House.

Tell everyone you know!!!

### Operation



We will once again collect shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Operation Christmas Child is a ministry of Samaritan's Purse - an organization led by Franklin Graham. They have collected and distributed boxes full of gifts and hygiene supplies to millions of children around the world.

Shoeboxes are due November 15, and the suggested donation to cover the cost of shipping each box is \$7. There are envelopes in the Narthex if you are interested in participating.

Thank you for your support of this mission! If you have any questions, please see Katie Miller.



### BOGO EVENT BUY ONE AND GET ONE

Buy one bottle of salad dressing.  
Get one bag of stuffing mix, too.



We are providing these items for the Thanksgiving baskets packed by the Johnstown - Northridge Area Food Pantry.

Our goal is 60 bottles of salad dressing. The flavor could be Ranch, French, Italian, or whatever your favorite dressing for a salad might be. 60 bags of stuffing mix would be a fabulous extra gift to the Food Pantry. The Johnstown - Northridge Area Food Pantry is a local mission we support. You truly help someone close to home.

Bring your items to church November 1 and November 8. The Food Pantry will pack the Thanksgiving boxes November 15.

A favorite Thanksgiving hymn is "We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing", and then we share that blessing by reaching out to others. Thank you for lending a helping hand.



### HO! HO! HO!

Monday, November 23 at 6:30 pm

Mark your calendars TODAY! Christmas is coming for sure and it is time to prepare our wonderful church for all the services and celebrations that we will host to celebrate our Savior's birth.

It has long been a tradition to gather together to decorate our sanctuary, narthex and doors with all the trimmings. How blessed we are to have beautiful nativities, trees, Chrismons, poinsettias, wreaths, swags, roping and ornaments.

We really need a lot of help to carry the items up from the basement and to assemble and place them throughout our church and outside. The task usually takes only about an hour, if we have a good turnout. It is a wonderful way to begin the holiday in the right way and in the right place at the right time - our Church!

We will see to it that you are provided with food and drink in appreciation of your efforts! No one will go home hungry!

Please come join in and help us make a large task very small by having a great turn out of JPC elves (YOU). We promise you will have fun as you see our church transformed!

We need men, women, children and families and friends! The more the merrier!

Thank you for sharing your time with us on Monday, November 23 at 6:30!!!

Weekly Tithes and Offerings -October 25, 2015

	<b>Received</b> <b><u>Last Week</u></b>	<b>Needed</b> <b><u>For Week</u></b>
Current (Operating) Fund	\$5,384	\$3,600
Building Loan Fund	\$453	\$683

	<b>Received</b> <b><u>For Month</u></b>	<b>Needed</b> <b><u>For Month</u></b>
Current (Operating) Fund	\$15,695	\$15,601
Building Loan Fund	\$3,148	\$2,957



Dear Friends,

Ken and I want to thank you for your prayers, cards and flowers. He is still going to follow up appointments and the slow reduction of eye drops and ointments.

Your Friends in Christ,  
Ken and Jean Weaver

To our Presbyterian Family,

I was quite surprised that none of you let slip about our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary party. Ken and I were so happy to see so many of you there. Thank you for all the cards and your attendance helped make our day very special.

We were married on Oct. 29, it was beggar's night. Once again 50 years later Oct. 29 is beggar's night.

Thank you for helping to make our celebration so special.

Your Friends,  
Jean and Ken

**SERMON NOTES – “Navigating the 7 Deadly Sins: Gluttony”**

Joshua 7:19-26 (NIV)

1. The Problem

*“When I saw in the plunder a beautiful robe from Babylonia, two hundred shekels of silver and a wedge of gold weighing fifty shekels, I coveted them and took them. They are hidden in the ground inside my tent, with the silver underneath.” (v 21)*

2. The Solution

*“Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith...” (Hebrews 12:1-2a)*

**Prayer Concerns**  
**October 29, 2015**  
[JPCPrayerRequest@hotmail.com](mailto:JPCPrayerRequest@hotmail.com)

**Continued Prayers**

- Our governmental leaders
- The Middle East and ISIS violence

**Healing**

- Melissa Wittmer had pneumonia.
- Lucy Shaffer, the kindergarten-aged daughter and Katie and Scott, had her tonsils and adenoids out Friday October 9 at Children's Hospital's Main Campus for her procedures. There was also some dental work.
- Nancy Venard will have had back surgery. She is now recuperating at New Albany Gardens.
- Sam Schaile. Dianne Alexander's brother, recovering after being run over by a truck and severely injured. He has had more than one surgery because of this.
- Rev. Edward Carlson, Maxine Pardee's son-in-law, has ongoing medical issues that need prayer.
- Bill Kraner, Phyllis' husband, has ongoing health problems.
- Emma Kisner has been having absence seizures. Pray she will soon outgrow them.
- Jamie Pardee tore an Achilles tendon while qualifying for her black belt in Karate. She is recovering from September 17 surgery.
- Marjorie Stires, Hazel Almendinger's friend, has health issues.
- Emma Chipps, Darren Richards' aunt, recovering from open heart surgery.
- Ty Choate's mother is dealing with a serious blood bacterial infection after having her appendix removed. Ty is Katie Almendinger's boyfriend.

**Cancer**

- Caroline Mitchell, 21-month old granddaughter of Barb and Bill Mitchell, will be treated for leukemia for up to two years.
- Lea Ann Snyder, friend of Roger & Donna Hines, Barbara & Bill Mitchell, and Phyllis Kraner, has cancer throughout her body.
- Cathy Wine, Alice Main's cousin, being treated for colon cancer.
- Dana Logan, acquaintance of Kaye Cook, has Stage 4 lung cancer. She is now with Hospice Care.

- Maelee Leonard, daughter of a co-worker of Katie Almendinger, who is only 7 months old, is she recovering from a malignant tumor removal from her bladder. She started getting chemotherapy treatments on August 10th.
- Henry Webster, friend of Katie Miller, suffering from seizures. He was operated for a brain tumor. The tumor has shrunk. He will continue on chemo for the next several months.
- Debbie Johnson, friend of Hazel Almendinger, has terminal cancer.
- Donna Clark, friend of Hazel Almendinger, has leukemia.
- Cathy Wine, Alice Main's cousin, has colon cancer and the chemo treatments have made her very sick and weak.

**Long Term Illnesses or Disabilities**

- Maxine Pardee myasthenia gravis and extreme pain.
- Ed Carlson the younger, Maxine Pardee's grandson, has Marfan Syndrome, a rare genetic condition which affects the heart and breathing.
- Brian Eckstein, Brandon and Adam Eckstein's father has ongoing serious issues.

**Death**

- Richard "Dick" Rogge passed away Tuesday, October 27, at the age of 85. Gretel Lloyd Humes, a school teacher at Northridge, is his daughter and Carrie Almendinger's sister-in-law.

**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, Marion, OH.
- Margie Wheaten, Betty Ford's daughter, is in a nursing facility because of her Parkinson's disease.
- Lawrence Bishop at Sharonbrooke Sr. Living Center, 920 Sharon Valley Road, Newark, 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.
- 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