

Johnston Chapel Baptist Church Love * Grow * Serve

10:00 A.M. Worship Service

Doubting God's Promises - Pastor Dan Thyng



Sunday

Bible Fellowships - 8:45 & 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday

Ladies' Prayer Group - Family Room - 6:30 p.m. Student Small Groups - Youth Room - 6:30 p.m. DivorceCare - Room #129 - 6:30 p.m. GriefShare - Room #135 - 6:30 p.m. AWANA, Arrows, & Krew - drop off in Gym - 6:30 p.m. GROW Class - Auditorium - 7:00 p.m. Christmas Choir Practice - Room #138 - 8:15 p.m.

Thursday

Men's Prayer Group - Conference Room - 7:30 a.m.

Friday

SCA Middle & High School Christmas Program - Auditorium - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday

Men's Fellowship Breakfast - Fellowship Hall - 8:00 a.m.

CROSSCON IS A CONFERENCE - for young adults whose mission is to call this generation to make their lives count by making Jesus' name known. We will be taking a group of 18-to-25-year-olds to this conference on January 5-7, 2026. Get more information and sign up by using the QR code and filling out the registration and payment forms. Please sign up TODAY and pay the total cost of \$250 per



person by Sun., Dec. 14. If you have any questions, please see Pastor James or contact him at 304-920-5005 or jwalsh@johnstonchapel.org.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

WE WILL OBSERVE COMMUNION - in our service next Sunday. Kids' Club (grades 1-5) is cancelled so parents may lead their families in communion.

WE WILL CELEBRATE BAPTISMS - in our service on Sunday, December 14. Baptism is a wonderful opportunity to share with the church what Christ has done in your heart as a believer. Please see one of the pastors if you are interested in being baptized.

D.M.A. FELLOWSHIP CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON - at Fincastle on Thursday, December 11, at 11:30 a.m. Our program will feature music by the Halls Ridge Boys with *The Most Wonderful Time of the Year* buffet to follow. Cost is \$23 per person. Please make checks payable to the church and return them TODAY to reserve your place with Sheila Dunavant or Jim Nofsinger. The church bus will leave at 10:30 a.m. for those needing transportation; please let Jim Nofsinger know if you plan to ride the bus. All adults age 55+ are invited to attend this annual fellowship celebration.

GLOBAL CROSSTALK - the latest news from our missionaries, is now at the Information Center. The December Prayer Calendar is also available to help you pray for our church staff, ministries and missionaries.





A GO FUND OFFERING - will be received next Sunday to support long-term career missionaries sent out by Johnston Chapel. Please use a Special Offering envelope and mark it "GO Fund," or give online at www.johnstonchapel.org. Additional gifts to this fund may be given at any time.

BEGINNING JANUARY 1 - all monies received through the Church for Summit Christian Academy will go toward completion of the expansion project or toward the loan payments for the project. Thank you for your continued giving toward this important need!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS - for the SCA Christmas Programs! The Middle & High School will present *Celebrate*, *He Is with Us!* this Friday at 7:00 p.m., featuring performances by the 6th Grade Class on ukulele, the 7-8th Grade and High School choirs, and special vocal solos and duets. The Elementary will present *The King Is Born in Bethlehem* on Friday, December 12, at 7:00 p.m., featuring "traditional carols, joyful chaos, and the occasional tambourine surprise" as our younger students share their Christmas spirit. All are welcome to join us for these programs celebrating the arrival of our newborn King!

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MINISTRY **UPDATES**

NOVEMBER MISSIONS OFFERING - will go to our supported missionaries Adam & Faith Drake, who serve in Togo, and Holly Friesen, who serves in Ukraine. Please use a Missions Offering envelope for your gift.

ATTENTION, PARENTS! - All children who attend Kids' Club are invited to help lead morning worship on Sunday, December 14, by singing one song. The kids have already been working on their song on Sunday mornings during Kids' Club. On that morning, your children should meet in the Choir Room at 9:45 a.m. so we can prepare and line up to go to the Auditorium. See Pastor Jason with any questions.

We have a group going to the Operation Christmas Child Processing Center in Charlotte, NC, tomorrow, and we have space for additional volunteers. If you would like to go with us, please sign up at the Welcome Center, and Pastor James will be in touch with you TODAY. We will meet at the church at 10:00 a.m., leaving shortly after. Then, we will eat lunch and travel the rest of the way, serving at the processing center from 3:00-7:00 p.m. Afterward, we will eat dinner before returning home. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor James at 304-920-5005.

Thank you to everyone who has supported OCC this year. We were blessed to fill 1,097 boxes at our packing party! The cost to ship these boxes is \$10,970, and any donations over that amount will cover our packing party



expenses or go to fund the Greatest Journey that is given to the children for discipleship. So far, we have received \$11,031.69; please use a Special Offering envelope marked "OCC" if you would still like to give. Continue to pray as these boxes are processed and shipped around the world to boys and girls who will receive these gifts and hear the gospel.

MINISTRY FOCUS



The Men's Fellowship Breakfast is a great opportunity for men of all ages to come together for food, faith, and fellowship. Enjoy a great home-cooked breakfast, a short devotion from God's Word, and a time to encourage one another.

Saturday | Fellowship Hall | 8:00 a.m.



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John 20:24-29

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II. Have I		?
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God's HOLY BIBLE & THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN ONLINE		

ew in the app or visit http://bible.com/events/49526944

Attendance and Giving Last Week:

GROWTH GROUPS 1

SUNDAY MORNING 333

WEDNESDAY EVENING N/A

OFFERING \$14,958.00

Weekly Budget Need: \$24,599.72 | Deficit as of 11/23: \$116,359.87

BOXED CHRISTMAS CARDS - and other cards are now available for purchase in the church library for your convenience. These cards are sold at cost, and no profit is made by the church. Stop in to see the beautiful designs!

CHAPEL 201 - our second discipleship class, will introduce you to how you can grow in Christ and challenge you to get connected to a growth group here at the Chapel. Pastor Dan will teach this class on Wed., December 10, from 6:30—8:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. Please sign up at the Welcome Center to attend.





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2026 GOD'S CREATION CALENDARS - are available for purchase in the library for only \$10. They make great Christmas gifts! Proceeds benefit the SCA Junior Class; please make checks payable to SCA.

Coming up...

December 7 Communion; GO Fund Offering

December 10 Chapel 201, Room #138, 6:30 p.m.

December 10 Deacon's Meeting, Conference Room, 8:15 p.m.

December 11 D.M.A. Christmas Luncheon, Fincastle, 11:30 a.m.

Helpful information for our guests

- Our nursery is available during our Wednesday and Sunday services.
- Kids Club for grades 1-5 meets every Sunday during our worship service.
- Want a record of your giving to JCBC? Please use a church envelope.
- The elevator and Lost & Found are located near the main stairwell.
- Hearing devices are available at the Welcome Center.
- The wireless network "JCBC Guest" is available. Please silence phones and pagers.
- Please use cups with lids when bringing drinks into the Auditorium.

