**WHAT’S HAPPENING**

** Communion do this in remembrance of me.**
We will observe Communion in our service next Sunday. Kids Club (grades 1-5) will be cancelled so parents may lead their children in communion. Prepackaged cups are available at the Welcome Center.

**A LETTER ABOUT FEES** - and methods of giving was recently mailed from the church. If you have not received one and do not receive it in the next week, please contact the Church Office. Don’t forget that you can now cover electronic giving fees for the church when you give online or by text! To give by text, simply text “DONATE” to 304-301-5222 and follow the link to give. Thank you for faithfully supporting the ministry of Johnston Chapel.

**FINAL COUNTDOWN** - to retire our debt! We have applied $34,502.36 toward the payments so far through special gifts and budgeted monies. Please be in prayer about how you can help with this significant need. Any funds received in excess of the loan payoff will go to the Building Fund to establish a reserve for unexpected needs and future repairs. Please use a Building Fund Offering envelope for your gift, or text “BUILDING” to 304-301-5222 (304-301-JCBC) to make a special gift online.

**PAID SO FAR: $34,502.36**
**STILL NEEDED: $6,497.64**

**MINISTRY UPDATES**

**JULY MISSIONS OFFERING** - will go to Lonya German and Fair Haven Baptist Church in Ukraine as they seek to serve those around them by replacing roofs that have been damaged in the war. Please use a Missions Offering envelope for your gift.

**PLEASE COME AND HELP CELEBRATE** - Josiah Richardson’s achievement of earning every available merit badge—139! This is a rare accomplishment that only about 600 scouts are known to have completed in the history of the BSA. Everyone is invited to come TODAY from 5:00–7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a main dish or side to share. Dessert and drinks will be provided. There will be a short program and some games in addition to dinner.

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

**SAVE THE DATE** - for the 2023 Johnston Chapel Ladies’ Conference, Seasons of Grace, which will be held November 10-11. We look forward to seeing you there!

**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.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - Collection Week will be here before we know it! For the month of July, we are collecting school supply items such as crayons, colored pencils, pencils, pencil sharpeners, pens, small notebooks, and erasers for our packing party on October 15. Remember, each item should fit into a shoebox with other items. The collection container is in the lobby.

**GROW Class**
- Student Small Groups
- Ladies
- Sudan

**Titus 2 Women’s Ministries Kickoff Party!**
- Challenges.
- Sudan will be reporting on the distribution of food from past Hunger Challenges
- Fellowship Hall
- 8:00 & 9:00 a.m.
- Next Sunday will be move up day for the children
- Welcome Center or contact Vonda Wyatt (304-922-2113) for more information.

**YOUR NEXT TITUS 2 WOMEN’S BRUNCH** - is quickly approaching! All women are invited to meet in Room #140 on Saturday, August 12, from 10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. Please bring a dish to share (drinks will be provided) and a baby gift for the Abel Pregnancy Resource Center. We hope to see you there!

**TIME TO MOVE UP!** - Next Sunday will be move-up day for the children’s and youth ministries. Please see Pastor Jason, Pastor James, or Kathy Hawks to learn where your child will go for the 2023-2024 year.

**THANKS FOR A GREAT SUMMER** - of awesome praise and worship in our Wednesday Children’s ministries! Our faithful leaders for nursery through 5th grade will be taking a break over the next few weeks while preparations are made for upcoming activities. Please plan to bring your whole family to the Pavilion on Wednesday, August 30, at 6:30 p.m. for the Fall Children’s Ministries Kickoff Party!

**TO DEVELOP DISCIPLES OF CHRIST WHO LOVE HIM, GROW IN HIM, AND SERVE HIM**

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The Comfort of Mourning
Matthew 5:4

Kingdom living is characterized by ________________
____________________ over ________________.

I. Mourning is ________________

II. Mourning is ________________

III. Mourning is ________________

Are we ________________ or ________________?

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Note Posted:
Ginger Clower

Our Sympathy to the Families of:
Tish Coleman
Racine Stefancic, daughter of Rita Shreve

DID YOU LOSE IT? WE MAY HAVE FOUND IT! - Bibles and other articles have been found here at the church and placed at the Lost & Found near the elevator. Please check there if you are missing an item. Any items not claimed TODAY will be donated.

Coming up…
August 6   Communion
August 9   Deacon’s Meeting, Conference Room, 8:15 p.m.
August 10  D.M.A. Fellowship Luncheon, Room #140, 10:30 a.m.
August 11-12  Friday Night Campout & 3D Archery
August 12  Titus 2 Brunch, Fellowship Hall, 10:30 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.