

10:00 A.M. Worship Service 1st Quarter Finance Report Worship - MCA Choir Testimony - Ricky Epperly



#### Sunday

Bible Fellowships - 8:45 & 9:00 a.m. Q&A Session with Ricky Epperly - Youth Room - 5:00 p.m.

### Wednesday

Ladies' Prayer Group - Family Room - 6:30 p.m. Student Small Groups - Youth Room - 6:30 p.m. GriefShare - Room #136 - 6:30 p.m. DivorceCare - Room #129 - 6:30 p.m. AWANA/Arrows/Krew - drop off in gym - 6:30 p.m. GROW Class - Auditorium - 7:00 p.m.

### Thursday

National Day of Prayer Men's Prayer Group - Conference Room - 7:30 a.m. MCA Middle & High School Open House - Auditorium - 5:30 p.m.

### Saturday

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

**THE SEW & SEWS** - will meet on Saturday, May 11, in Room #140 from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Come join the fun and learn to sew!

WE NEED 12 LADIES - to each bake two dozen homemade cookies for the



MCA Middle & High School Open House this Thursday at 5:30 p.m., starting in the Auditorium. Cookies should be dropped off at the high school office by noon on Thursday. If you can help with this need, please sign up TODAY at the Welcome Center.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

**2024 3D ARCHERY SHOOTS** - will begin soon! They are held on the 2nd Saturday of the month, May through September, from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. We will also continue our Friday night campouts! Bring your tent, games, guitars, and more, and join us for an evening of fun before the shoot on Saturday. Those who choose to camp are responsible for all their own equipment, food,



and cleanup. The pavilion bathrooms will be open. For Saturdays, we need about 4 volunteers to help with set up (tables and chairs, targets in the field, and the net and targets for the children) and tear down (everything except campsites). Setup begins at 7:00 a.m., and teardown begins at 2:30 p.m. If you can help with this unique ministry, even just one

event, please contact Pastor Jim Simmons at 304-920-0175. This is a tremendous outreach ministry to our community. Invite a friend and join the fun!

**D.M.A. FELLOWSHIP OUTING** - The "Billy Graham's Hometown Tour" on June 4 is a unique outing about North Carolina's Favorite Son and his hometown of Charlotte. It begins at the Billy Graham Library, where you will discover how a humble farmer's son shared God's love with millions of people around the world. Following lunch at the Graham Brothers Dairy Bar, you will head out for a tour, seeing some of the historic sites in the life of Billy Graham. Cost is \$40 per person. Departure from church will be at 6:55 a.m., returning around 9:00 p.m. See Jim Nofsinger or Sheila Dunavant by Wednesday, May 15, with your payment to reserve your place.

### CALLING ALL GOLFERS! - The Abel Pregnancy Resource Center is hosting their



annual Master's Open Golf Tournament on July 27 at Fountain Springs Golf Course in Peterstown, WV. If you would like to register a team for the tournament, please do so at www.aprcfundraiser.org. You can also get more information by contacting the Abel Center at 304-325-2000 or info@abelcenter.org.

THE COMBINED MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL - mission trip will be July 6-13 in Cleveland, OH, with World Changers. We will be doing projects to serve the community by hosting a block party or putting on a backyard Bible club as we teach the students to build relationships and share the gospel. The final payment is due Sunday, June 2. You may pay by cash or check, but please make sure it is in an envelope with your child(ren)'s name, the total amount, and what it is for.

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# MINISTRY UPDATES

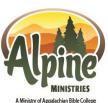
APRIL MISSIONS OFFERING - will be going to Lonya German and his church as they seek to help with humanitarian aid and roofing projects as the weather warms up and they are able to help meet people's needs amidst the ongoing war in Ukraine. Please use a Missions Offering envelope for your gift.



WE WILL HONOR OUR GRADUATES - during our service on
Sunday, May 19. If you are a 2024 high school graduate or college graduate from December 2023 through June 2024, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

ALPINE JUNIOR CAMP - for kids age 8-12 will be July 15-19, and

registration is now open. Please pick up a camp letter at the Welcome Center or email Pastor Jason at jbowden@johnstonchapel.org for all the details. Registration and \$75 deposit are due **by Tuesday**. Sign up now for the early bird discount; after Tuesday there may be no reserved spots available. Please contact Pastor Jason with any questions.





**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - For the month of April, we will collect stuffed animals. OCC requests that all gift items be new, and they must fit in a shoebox. Gift suggestions are available at the drop-off container by the restrooms. Contact Vonda Wyatt if you have any questions.

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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.



Ricky Epperly will candidate today for the position of Pastor of Student Ministries. He will share his testimony of salvation, call to ministry, and



philosophy of youth discipleship. This afternoon you will have the opportunity to interact with him, his wife, Ciera, and their daughter, Blakelynn, and ask questions at 5:00 p.m. in the Youth Room. For further details concerning Ricky's training and experience, please review his resume, which can be found at the Welcome Center. The church will vote on the recommendation of the Pastors and Deacons for Ricky to become our next Pastor of Student Ministries on Sunday, May 19. Please be in prayer about this important decision for our church.



Missions Sunday is next Sunday! Daniel & Karrah Darling, who are going to Spain to make disciples through Faith Baptist Mission, will be with us. We will also have Brian & Emily Young with us. Brian serves with Fellowship of Christian Athletes as the Area Director for Southern West Virginia. We will be voting on supporting both of these missionaries with regular monthly support in our next business meeting, so please come learn about how they are reaching people for Christ. Their most recent prayer letters are in today's bulletin.





Attendance and Giving Last Week:			
GROWTH GROUPS	252	<b>B</b> WAYS	
SUNDAY MORNING	370	TOGIVE	
WEDNESDAY EVENING	212		
OFFERING	\$28,322.00	in-person online automated	

Weekly Budget Need: \$25,243.32

# Note Posted:

Harold & Louise Haldren

## Our Sympathy to the Family of:

Nancy Parks, mother of Vonda Wyatt



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

**D.M.A. FELLOWSHIP FALL TOUR** - *Daniel* and Museum of the Bible, October 21-24. Tour flyers with details and cost can be found at the Information Center. Please complete and return the registration form your deposit to the Church Office, Sheila Dunavant, or Jim Nofsinger to reserve your place. All senior citizens are invited to join this 4-day getaway tour!

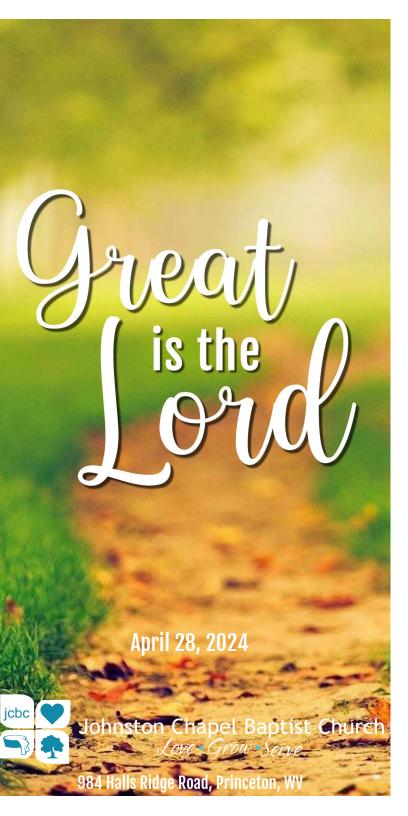
### Coming up...

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- May 8 Deacon's Meeting, Conference Room, 8:15 p.m.
- May 9 D.M.A. Fellowship Luncheon, Room #140, 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.



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