



# Johnston Chapel Baptist Church

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10:00 A.M. Semiannual Business Meeting

4th Quarter Finance Report  
Business Meeting

## This Week

### Sunday

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

### Wednesday

Ladies' Prayer Group - Family Room - 6:30 p.m.  
Student Small Group - Youth Room - 6:30 p.m.  
MomLife - Room #132 - 6:30 p.m.  
AWANA/Arrows/Krew - drop off in gym - 6:30 p.m.  
Chapel 101 - Room #138 - 6:30 p.m.  
GROW Class - Auditorium - 7:00 p.m.

### Thursday

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

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



**HIT THE SLOPES!** - On Sunday, February 1, the Youth and Children are going skiing at Winterplace from 4:00–9:00 p.m. Family members are welcome! Plan to arrive early to get lift tickets, ski rentals, etc. The church van will leave at 2:30 p.m. for those needing transportation. Cost is \$60 per person, which includes your lift ticket and equipment rental. All children in 5th grade or under need to be accompanied by a parent or other adult. Please reserve your spot with Pastor Jason or Pastor Ricky no later than Wednesday, January 28.



**FIND TODAY'S SERVICE  
& THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN ONLINE**

View in the app or visit <http://bible.com/events/49548291>

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## WHAT'S HAPPENING

**SEMIANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING** - is today. Important decisions will be made on new Deacons, committee members, and the 2026 budget. Minutes from our July 2025 meeting are available at the Welcome Center.

**BENEVOLENT FUND OFFERING** - will be received on Sunday, February 1. The Benevolent Fund is administered by the Pastors and Deacons to care for needs within the church family. Please use a Special Offering envelope and mark it "Benevolent."



**SCA REENROLLMENT** - for current families and new enrollment for Johnston Chapel families is now open! Contact the School Office for more information.

**RECEIPTS FOR 2025 CONTRIBUTIONS** - will be mailed soon. If you do not receive a receipt or find an error, please call the Church Office. To ensure the deductibility of your gifts, please do not file your 2025 income tax return until you receive a written report from the Church.

**D.M.A. FELLOWSHIP OUTING** - to see *The Adventures of Robin Hood*, presented by the Bluefield Youth Theater, on Sunday, March 8. The bus will leave church at 2:05 p.m. and will stop for dinner (TBD) following the show. Cost is \$7 per person for transportation and admission. Please see Jim Nofsinger or Sheila Dunavant with your payment by February 12 to secure your place with our group reservation.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT TARGET MINISTRIES** - will begin new sessions on Wednesday, February 4, from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Brochures are available at the Information Center to share with family, friends, neighbors and co-workers.



Seminars and support groups for people who are experiencing separation and divorce. Learn to deal with the pain of the past and look forward to rebuilding your life. **Meets in Room #129.**



Helps children ages 5-12 (K-5th grade) heal from the pain they suffer from the loss of their family. Each week offers lessons as well as hands-on activities. **Meets in Room #127.**



Support groups for people grieving the loss of someone close. Sponsors understand what you are feeling and offer comfort and encouragement during this difficult time. **Meets in Room #135.**

## MINISTRY UPDATES

**JANUARY MISSIONS OFFERING** - will go to Vlad & Julia Kozoubovskii with Missions 3:16 for the Overcome Center they are building to minister to Ukrainians during the war. Please use a Missions Offering envelope for your gift.

**SECURITY UPDATE** - Beginning on Sunday, February 1, the hallway door leading into the nursery suite will be locked during church services to aid in the safety of our babies and toddlers while they are in our care. The door will be open before service for drop off and after for parent pickup. Should you need to enter

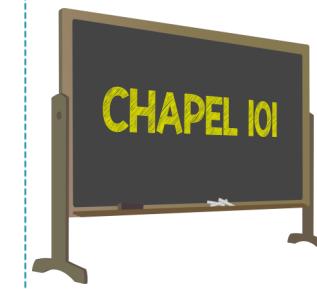
during the service time, a safety team member will be present to allow parent access. There is also a buzzer to alert the nursery volunteers if you should wish to enter. Additionally, we ask that only those picking up children enter the nursery hall area. Family and friends may gather in the main lobby and join parents there. Exiting the building through the main doors also helps keep our nursery more secure. Please speak with Pastor Jason if you have any questions or concerns.

Alpine Junior Camp for kids age 8-12 will be July 13-17, and registration is now open. Please pick up a camp letter at the Welcome Center or email Pastor Jason at [jbowden@johnstonchapel.org](mailto:jbowden@johnstonchapel.org) for all the details. Registration and \$75 deposit are due by February 1. Those that sign up before then will receive an Early Bird discount!



If your kids want all the excitement of camp with all the comfort of a night at home, then Alpine Day Camp is for you! It is for kids age 5-12, and costs only \$50 per day. Dates are June 1-5. Parents are responsible for daily transportation. Sign up for one or all days at [alpineministries.com/bible-camp/day-camp](http://alpineministries.com/bible-camp/day-camp). See Pastor Jason with questions.

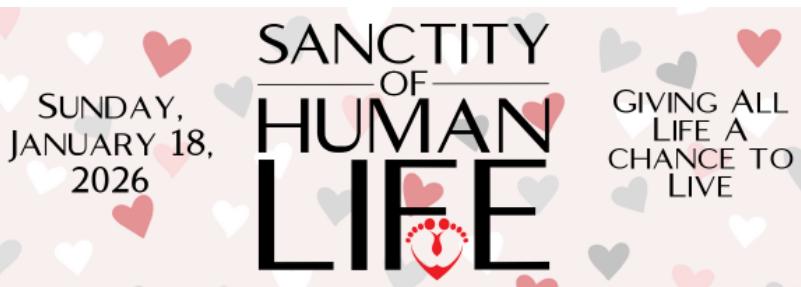
## MINISTRY FOCUS



Chapel 101 is the first of three discipleship classes to help you understand the purpose and ministry of Johnston Chapel. It is required for membership. Please sign up at the Welcome Center today if you are interested in taking the class this Wednesday.

Wednesday | Room #138 | 6:30 p.m.





Did you know that in America there are approximately 120 abortions every hour? Today is a special day to celebrate the Sanctity of Human Life! Together we can stand in opposition to the culture of death promoted by the abortion industry.

**“The Lord called me from the womb, from the body of my mother he named my name.”**

**Isaiah 49:1b (ESV)**

1. Attend Pro-Life Rally Day at the WV Capitol on February 12! Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. in the lower rotunda.
2. Contact your representatives! Ask them to pass bills that protect women, save babies, and protect people from assisted suicide. Where appropriate, thank them for their efforts to build a culture of life in West Virginia. You can find your representatives' contact information and voting records at [WVforLife.org/legislation](http://WVforLife.org/legislation).
3. Support the “Don’t Swallow the Lie” campaign to teach about the dangers of abortion pills and the fact that they can be reversed! While most mothers and babies are protected from abortion in WV, some are being lured into obtaining pills from out-of-state. More than 1 in 10 women experience severe medical issues after taking these pills. Visit [DontSwallowTheLie.com](http://DontSwallowTheLie.com) for more information.
4. Support the Abel Pregnancy Resource Center, whether financially or as a volunteer! They just kicked off their 2026 Baby Bottle Campaign, and they can always use additional client advocates and other helpers!



## Attendance and Giving Last Week:

GROWTH GROUPS	163
SUNDAY MORNING	290
WEDNESDAY EVENING	195
OFFERING	\$13,724.91



Weekly Budget Need: \$24,599.72

### Notes Posted:

Nina Harman

John & Debbie Poe (BMM-FL)

Jerry & Mary Robinson (ABC)

**CONTINUE TO PRAY** - for the OCC shoeboxes as they are processed and shipped around the world to boys and girls ready to receive these gifts and hear the gospel. The shoeboxes that we packed were sent to the countries of Columbia, Honduras, and Panama.

**FCA COLLEGE GAMEDAY** - at Concord University on Saturday, January 24, at 4:00 p.m. Admission is free, and there will be a free Bible for every child who attends. A free throw competition will be held at halftime. Concord's assistant coach, Drew Greene, will be the guest speaker.

### Coming up...

January 25 Communion

February 1 Benevolent Fund Offering

February 1 Ski Trip, Winterplace, 4:00–9:00 p.m.

February 4 GriefShare, DivorceCare, & DC4K begin, 6:30 p.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.

