

BEST MARRIAGE EVER

In Genesis 2, we read about the creation of all things. It is a very simple explanation of the most complicated event in the history of the world. Simple enough that children can grasp it, complex enough that the sharpest scientific minds cannot.

Think about that for a second.

Some of the most brilliant scientific minds in the world have dedicated their careers to answering the questions that are raised in Genesis chapters 1 and 2. The things that Genesis doesn't say could fill volumes of books. In fact, it has filled volumes of books, libraries of books.

I'd like you to see what happens shortly thereafter. God looks down at Adam and, for the first time, sees that his creation was incomplete.

"Then the LORD God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him."
-Genesis 2:18

The result of God's noticing Adam's situation was the creation of Eve (verse 22), and the institution of marriage (verse 24). Immediately after Adam makes his appearance in the garden, God recognizes that something is missing, and he provides a solution. That solution was a marriage, and that marriage was to last forever. The biblical text says that they'd join in marriage and become "one flesh." Literally, they'd stop existing as two things, and start existing as one better thing.

We're going to be hosting an event, open to the community, that is designed to strengthen marriages. The program is called "Best Marriage Ever," and is going to give you tools to create a better marriage. This program is really good. The topic is really important.

The event will be held in our FAC on Friday and Saturday, May 17 and 18, with a wrap-up session after services on June 9.

Nick

About Our Worship

Prayer As an integral part of Christian life, our worship includes a lot of prayer. (1 Thessalonians 5:17)

Singing Worship is interactive and participatory. (Ephesians 5:19) We invite you to join in as we praise God through singing.

Lord's Supper Each week we celebrate our unity and reflect on the sacrifice of Christ. (1 Corinthians 11:23-26)

Offering Offerings are an act of obedience and gratitude. (1 Corinthians 16:1-2) *Guests are not expected or obligated to give.*

Message The teaching/preaching time seeks to communicate God's truth in relevant ways. (2 Timothy 4:2)

EVENTS CALENDAR

Today

- *Elder Installation
- *Final 2:42 Group Meeting- Meetings resume in the fall

April 29

- *YM Renew

May 4

- *Men's Fellowship

May 5

- *Senior Recognition & Family Night in the FAC

May 12

- *Mother's Day
No PM Service

May 13

- *VBS Worknight

May 16

- *Ladies' Game Night

May 17

- *YM Girls' & Guys' Nights Out

May 19

- *Guest & New Member Lunch

May 20

- *VBS Worknight

May 21

- *Men's Prayer Breakfast

May 27

- *Memorial Day—Office Closed

May 30

- *YM Milk & Honey

SERVICES TIMES

- Sunday Worship - 9 am & 6 pm
- Sunday School - 10:30 am
- Wednesday Bible Study - 6 pm

OFFICE HOURS:

- 8:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Monday through Friday

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WEEK OF APRIL 21, 2024

ATTENDANCE	BUDGET
AM Worship—297	\$ 16,555.33
Bible Class—NA	
2:42 Groups—163	YTD AVG. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION
Wed. Bible Study—156	\$ 17,902.12

2024 RESPONSES: Baptisms—3
New Members—4

April 28, 2024

Welcome

WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE
HERE AND PRAY YOU ARE
BLESSED THROUGH YOUR
TIME WITH US TODAY.

WORSHIP SERVICES

- Sunday AM Worship—9:00
- Sunday AM Bible Class—10:30
- Sunday PM Worship—6:00
- Wednesday PM—6:00



You can join our live-streamed worship at JenksChurchofChrist.com



INFO CENTER

NEW WITH US? Please fill out a Connect card from the chair rack and drop it in the box in the foyer.

Questions? Our elders or ministers would be glad to visit with you. You can also visit the resources page of our church website at jenkschurchofchrist.com/resources/.

Please stop by our **Welcome Center**, where you can grab a cup of coffee and find more resources and information about what's happening at Jenks Ave.

HAVE KIDS? WE OFFER:

Attended nursery for children under 24 months.

Training room - located at the back of the auditorium. You may sit with your children and still participate in worship service.

Infant nursing room - a quiet place to rock, change and feed. Wall monitors allow mothers to see and hear the worship service.

Activity bags are available for check-out in the Welcome Center.


Kingdom Kids—Sunday evenings during evening worship (ages 3 years to 2nd grade). A safe, learning-friendly environment where children learn about the Bible through puppet shows, singing, games, and crafts.

ELDERS

Elder On Call: Bob Backus
(850) 348-2644

Bob Backus, Hal Bureson, Paul Calhoun, Jim Holsombake, Bart Lewis, Matt Wegner and Gary Witham

DEACONS

 Visit our website for a list of deacons and their service areas.

MINISTERS

Lead Minister
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Youth Minister
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Facilities, Classes & Locations

Sunday Morning Classes

Adults	Rm 17/18	Sharing Your Faith	Under 2	Rm 13
Adults	Rm 22	OT Poetry and Prophets	2's- 3's	Rm 5
Adults	Rm 26	Sermon on the Mount	4's & 5's	Rm 8
Adults	F1	The Great Commission	K/1st	Rm 9
HS & MS	F3	Building Biblical Relationships	2nd/3rd	Rm 11
			4th/5th	Rm 12

Wednesday Classes

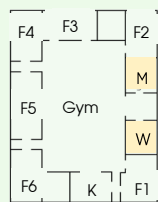
2 Timothy & Titus	Rm 17/18
Young Ladies' Class	Rm 25
2:42 Leader Training	Rm 22
Men's Class	F1
HS/MS	F3
Faith Ave— 2 yrs-5th grade	

All children are dropped off in rm. 23 between 5:50-6:00 pm and picked up between 7:00-7:10 pm. Children must be signed in and out by a parent.

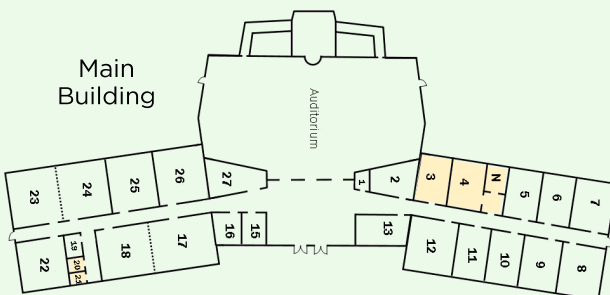
WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday AM Worship—9:00
AM Bible Class—10:30
Sunday PM Worship—6:00
Wednesday PM—6:00

Don't forget to look for two swords in this week's bulletin!



Family Activity Center



Restrooms



News & Events

See the back of the bulletin for a more complete list of activities and meetings.

2:42 fi groups

This week is the final 2:42 Group of the season. Groups resume meeting in the fall.

Elder Installation

Lawrence Peavler will be installed as an elder this morning. Please encourage Lawrence and Kelley and keep them in your prayers as he begins serving the church as an elder.

Men's Fellowship @ The Powder Room

Saturday, May 4

12 noon—meet for lunch (location TBD)
1:30-3:00 pm—The Powder Room



Range fees and simulator are covered. Men are responsible for their lunch and ammunition.

Senior Recognition & Family Night in the FAC

Sunday, May 5, 6:00 pm

Come celebrate with our High School graduates!



A devotional and graduation celebration will be followed by a Mexican potluck meal. Drinks and dessert provided.

This year's graduates:

Anna Cherry, Mac Gortemoller, Taylor Jackson, Kaycee McClellan, Kyle McClellan, Madison Murphy, Jasmine Orum, Owen Page, Cameron Pinkus, Sadie Shipp and Lana Smith

Parents & Graduates: Please begin bringing items for the table as soon as possible.

Mother's Day

Sunday, May 12
There is no evening worship on this day.



VBS
June 30-July 3

Worknights begin Monday, May 13 5:30-7:30pm in the FAC

Contact Katy Jackson or Amy Furbee if you would like to volunteer to help with this year's VBS.

New MEMBERS' & GUESTS' LUNCH

Sunday, May 19
After class in the FAC

New members and guests are invited to join us for a free lunch following class.

Thank You

Dear church family,
A heartfelt thank you for all the hugs, calls, cards and prayers due to the passing of my brother, David.

Myself and my other brothers will feel his absence here but look forward to our heavenly family reunion.

In Christian Love, Jo Mantz

College Graduates!

Merritt Reece graduates from the University of Florida with a Bachelors of Science in Nutritional Science on May 5.

CAMP WIREGRASS

Campers, if you invite a friend, your friend goes for free! Call the office for the registration code.

10th-12th June 2-7
7th-9th June 9-14
5th-6th June 16-21
3rd-4th July 21-26

Visit campwiregrass.info for a complete schedule and to register.

For the Men

Men's Prayer Breakfast
Tuesday, May 21
6:45 am in the FAC

For the Ladies

Tuesday Morning Bible Class
10:00 am in the FAC

Ladies' Game Night

Thursday, May 16
6:00 pm in the FAC

Teen Corner

BIBLE CLASSES

Sunday Mornings
Building Biblical Relationships

Wednesday Nights
Don't Give the Enemy a Seat at Your Table

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 29
Renew

May 17
Girls' & Guys' Nights Out

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Youth Events Calendar