

SAFE AT THE BASE

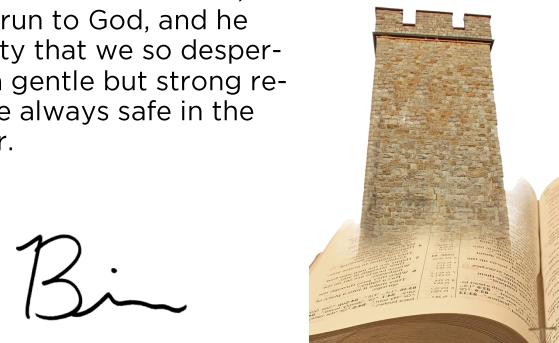
Do you remember playing tag as a kid? You always hoped that the fastest kid wasn't first to be "it" so you could run around for a little bit without being tagged. One of the crucial first steps to starting any game of tag is establishing where the base is that is considered a "no tag zone." Maybe it's a car, or a chair, or a specific room, but it always means safety, no matter what. Obviously, you can't stay there for very long. That would be cheating. And the tagger can't just wait for you. That would be puppy guarding. But you get that moment of thrill when they're right behind you, about to get you, then—boom! You're safe at the base. What a rush!

But, in a game of tag, there are no *real* stakes.

"The name of the LORD is a strong tower; the righteous man runs into it and is safe." (Proverbs 18:10). In life, there are real stakes. We have jobs that require our attention. Families, husbands, wives, and children to whom we are obligated. The stakes are real, life is stressful, and it is no longer a simple, lighthearted game. In 1 Peter 5:8, Peter describes the devil as a roaring lion, searching for someone to devour. We are being chased, not by friend but by the adversary. And even though the stakes have been raised, and the game is no longer a game, we still have a safe haven that provides safety, no matter what.

As Solomon says in the verse above, the righteous can run to God, and he provides that safety that we so desperately seek. What a gentle but strong reminder that we are always safe in the arms of our Father.

Tag, you're it!



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

January 25
*2:42 Small Groups Meet

January 30
*AT Leader Potato Bake

January 31
*YM Fast Food & PJ's

February 1
*L2L Lunch & Practices
*Elders'/Deacons' Meetings
*6PM L2L/Bible Bowl Service

February 8
*2:42 Small Groups Meet

February 12
*Ladies' Ministry Humble House Valentine's Dinner

February 15
*2:42 Small Groups Meet

February 16
*YM Service Project

February 17
*Men's Prayer Breakfast

February 22
*2:42 Groups Meet

February 26
*Ladies Area-Wide Salad Supper

February 28
*YM Overflow

Pickleball

Monday Nights
6:00 p.m.
in the FAC



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

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WEEK OF JANUARY 18, 2026

ATTENDANCE	BUDGET
AM Worship—253	\$ 18,405.12
Bible Class—193	
2:42 Groups—150	
Wednesday—136	
YTD Avg. WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION	\$ 16,809.30
2026 RESPONSES:	Baptisms— New Members—2

January 25, 2026

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—Small Groups
Wednesday PM—6:00

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





INFO CENTER

NEW WITH US? Please fill out a Let's Connect card from the chair rack and drop it in the collection plate or 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.

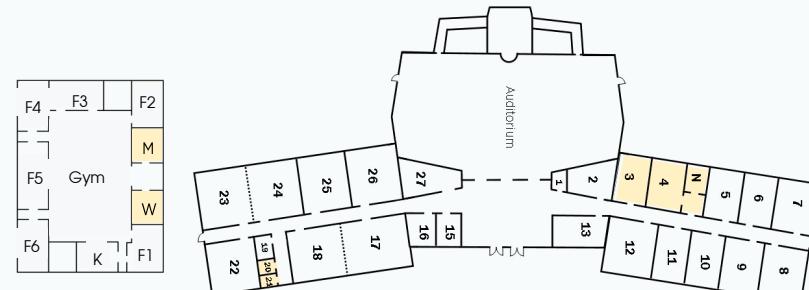
Activity bags are available for check-out in the Welcome Center.

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.

Facilities, Classes & Locations

Sunday Morning Classes

Adults	17/18	Balanced, God's Way
Adults	26	Intentional Disciples
Adults	F2	The Story of Life: OT Law
Adults	F1	Discipleship Through Acts
Young Adults	F5	Taught by Hunter Morris
HS & MS	F3	L2L/Pearls



Family Activity Center

ELDERS

Elder On Call: Jim Holsombake (850) 832-0330

Hal Burleson, Paul Calhoun, Joel Chapman, Jim Holsombake, Jim Hurley, Bart Lewis, Lawrence Peavler, Carl Scott and Gary Witham

DEACONS

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

MINISTERS

Lead Minister
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Nick Rice (928) 225-0814
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Youth Minister
Brian Crosby (406) 871-7085
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HAPPENING TODAY



Small groups resume meeting.

See Nick Rice if you would like to get plugged into a small group or if you have any questions.

Lists of 2:24 Group times and locations can be picked up in the foyer.

Action Team Leaders' Potato Bake

Friday, January 30
6:00 p.m. at the home of Lawrence & Kelley Peavler

All Action Team leaders are encouraged to attend.

Everything is provided.



News & Events

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

Upcoming Ladies' Ministry Events

Sign-up sheets for February's events are posted on the Ladies' Ministry bulletin board across from the Kingdom Kids room.

Humble House Valentine's Dinner

Thursday, February 12
6:00 p.m. in the FAC



Ladies' Area-Wide Salad Supper
Thursday, February 26
6:00 p.m. in the FAC

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

L2L Lunch & Practices
Lunch—11:30a.m.-12:30p.m.



Elders'/Deacons' Meeting
Deacons meet at 4:15 p.m. in room 17/18.

L2L Split PM Service
6:00 p.m.

For the Men

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Tuesday, February 17
6:45 a.m. in the FAC



For the Ladies

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Class
10:00 a.m. in the FAC
Hope to see you there!

The next lunch in the FAC is **February 17**.

Teen Corner

BIBLE CLASSES

Sunday Mornings

L2L Pearls Study

Wednesday Nights

Dating and Marriage

UPCOMING EVENTS

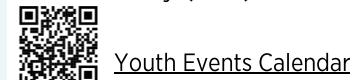
January 31

Fast Food & PJ's

February 2

Renew

Youth Minister
Brian Crosby (406) 871-7085



HAPPENING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1

L2L Lunch & Practices

Lunch—11:30a.m.-12:30p.m.

L2L Practices:

Speech, Song Leading/
Songs of Praise and Bible Bowl

L2L Bible Bowl Presentation

6:00 p.m. Sunday Night
Services

Elders'/Deacons' Meeting

Deacons meet at

4:15 p.m. in room 17/18.



Directories Available

Action Team leaders will begin handing out the 2026 Family Albums on February 1.

Our program won't allow us to list contact information for more than one individual below each picture. A comprehensive list of individuals' contact information can be found in the back of the directory.

Updated pages will be available quarterly, as needed. For your convenience, a pocket to hold updates was added to the back cover of the directory.

Scan here to see
this year's schedule.



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