

Larry’s Lines...

Weak Hands, Feeble Knees

The fighter enters the ring. His guard is up and he moves quickly around his opponent. But as the fight progresses he tends to drop his hands and stand flat-footed. Finally, utterly exhausted, his hands hang limply by his sides, the knees buckle, the legs give way and he goes down in a heap for the count of ten...he’s out.

The Christian is exposed to the same danger. He begins the Christian life with high hopes and noble resolves. He’s fresh and ready to “fight the good fight of faith.” But time takes its toll. Disappointments slap him in the face. He is buffeted by temptations, and slugged with sorrows. He is hit by adversity and left reeling under a blow of sickness. He’s ready to go down for the count.

Stop! Don’t let that one fall. The mature Christian stands in the corner of every sagging saint. He is there to “strengthen... the weak hands, and confirm the feeble knees.” He is there to speak the word of encouragement: “Be strong, fear not...your God will come...he will come and save you.”

Weak Christians are not to be snubbed and shunned. Suppose they are constitutionally gloomy, temperamentally vacillating, physically infirm, carnally minded and easily discouraged. These very traits constitute a special claim upon the strong. As Paul said, “We who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves; let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to edify him” (Romans 15:1,2).

Don’t turn your back on the weak brother. Set an example of cheerfulness, speak a word of encouragement, lift up your voice in prayer and place an arm of affection about him. Whatever is weak in his faith and hope, whatever tends to dishearten and discourage him, should be attended to.

“Strengthen...confirm...speak.” It’s the least you can do.

Have A Great Week,
Larry

Upcoming Events

Dress up your kids and your cars for the annual TRUNK or TREAT Night, Wednesday, October 30, 2019 right after evening services. Please be aware that some of our children have peanut allergies.



NOVEMBER 2, 2019 at 2:00am.

Deacons Meeting, November 3, 2019 at 5:00pm.

Seniors Group

The Seniors’ Group will be going to look at the fall foliage November 2, 2019. We will leave the Church Building at 8:00 AM and stop for breakfast. We will try to find somewhere to get a tall ice cream cone in the afternoon, and try to be back around 4:00 PM. Sign-up sheet in foyer. Contact Steve if you have questions

The Seniors’ Group will be going to Branson, MO on 12/7/2019 to see “A Brett Family Christmas Show” that starts at 10:00 AM. We need to leave the Church Building at 7:00 AM. We will NOT stop for breakfast We will stop somewhere for lunch and try to be back by 4:00 PM. Signup sheet is in the foyer. Please sign up by Nov 6, 2019, so I can make reservations. Cost is \$36.00 (Church can help if needed) Contact Steve if you have questions.

Baby Shower

A Baby Shower for Cole and Whitney Basinger will take place November 17, 2019 downstairs at 4:00pm. The couple is expecting a baby boy and they are registered at O’ Baby and Walmart. For more information, please see Kayla Holloway.



Happy Birthday

October 28th
Connie Harmon
Justin Scott
Debbie Goforth
Paul Nordin
October 31st
Hannah Ball
Paige Miller
Chanthavy Chanhnouvong
November 1st
Gary Ewart
November 2nd
Ethan Ladymon
Amy Allen
Bobby Dockery

Pantry Items
Peanut Butter and Jelly

Happy Anniversary

October 31st
Steve and Lisa
Martindale

JAR YOUTH/Mentors

The Deeper Youth Conference is coming up Nov. 8-9th. The deadline to sign up for Deeper is Sunday October, 27, 2019. <https://tinyurl.com/JAR-Deeper>
If anyone is able to house out of town groups coming to Deeper on Friday night of the conference please see Jeremy Myers.

October Mentor Challenge:
Pick someone in the church to “boo” with a small surprise this month. Mentors mark your calendar for a mentor training time on Nov. 10th. More details to come.

Teens will be having a Halloween Refuel at the building at 5:30pm downstairs before class. Costume contest. Bring a pumpkin to carve. Pizza will be provided.

Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits

Those with recent health issues: Lisa Martindale had her gall bladder removed, Arvin Allen will have a heart valve replacement in November, Calvin Billingsley is having heart issues, Janice Thomas fell and is getting rehab, Ruby Wall will have hand surgery and is doing great, Jessica Harriman’s grandfather is in the hospital, Shirley Hester will have surgery on her back October 31st, Jim Olmstead had knee surgery and is recovering, Mary Jo Hankla is recovering from knee surgery, Bruce Casada is having knee surging in November 4th.

Those fighting Cancer: Rachel Myers, Nathan Pirtle, Justin Williams (friend of Justin Cavanaugh), Oma Leta Smith, Elaine Nicklas, Eddie Thomas, Kim Williams (Megan Bassing’s Aunt), and Carol Edwards (Laura Hughes’s sister).

Our Expectant Mothers: Megan Johnson and Rachel Ladymon.

Our New Mothers: Monica/Beaux and Hanna/Charlie.

Shut-Ins who need your continual prayer and consideration!
Oma Leta Smith, Lenora Sutton, Emmett Windham, Shirley Bates, Roger and Shirley Gross, Norma Williams, Roy Howard, Betty Jordan, Geneva Montgomery, Vada Loker and Kendra Phillips.

Remember in Prayer: Our Military Service Men and Women deployed overseas and protecting our country abroad and at home. The leaders of our Church, our community, our state, and our country.

TAKE TIME TO SERVE!

Please sign-up for the 2020 year of preparing communion and working the nursery.

TEACHER SIGN UP!

Also, please sign-up for the winter quarter for teaching our young children.

Opportunity to Serve in The Month of NOVEMBER 2019

Lords Table

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| Larry Lloyd | Larry Keck |
| Julien Shew | Kevin Murray |
| Liga Stamps | Rodney Friend |
| Darby York | Caden Scott |
| Pete Ball | Matt Johnson |

Ushers

Phil Curlee
Josh Fortenberry
Ethan Ladymon

Announcements

Kevin Murray
Darron Mitchell
Phil Curlee

Prepare Communion

Lisa Lewis and Kaileigh Shefelbine

P.A. System

Chesley Martin

Song Leader

Mike Mitchell

Greeters

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|-------------|---------------|
| David Shew | Jared Cobb |
| Becky Bluse | Erin Bradford |

Nursery Attendants

Andrea Huffmaster Debbie Goforth

THE LORD’S DAY
ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

Alan Fortenberry
Song Leader
Doug Goodpasture

Hymn #1014
Jesus Loves Me

Hymn #538
My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less

Hymn #399
Jesus Calls Us

OPENING PRAYER
Mike Mitchell

Hymn #399
Jesus, Keep Me Near The Cross

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE
Ephesians 1:3-8
JP Bradford

Communion Prayer
David Cherry

LORD’S SUPPER
Offering

Hymn #590 (4 Verses)
Jesus Is All The World To Me

SERMON SCRIPTURE
Colossians 1:1-6
Lincoln Phillips

JESUS IS
THE ANSWER.

Invitation Hymn PP Only
Come To Jesus
Announcements
Alan Fortenberry

Closing Hymn #1015
Jesus Loves The Little Children

Closing Prayer
David Shew

Welcome Visitors!

We are so happy to have you and consider you our honored guest. If we can help you in any way, please don't hesitate to ask any of our members. We would love to help make your visit a pleasant one.

October Events

October 30th

Trunk or Treat

November Events

November 3rd

Deacons Meeting

Daylight Saving ends

November 6th

Re-Fuel @ Steak and Shake

November 8-9th

Deeper Youth Conference

November 10th

PM Guest Speaker

November 12th

Threads of Love

November 14th

Elders Meeting

November 16th

Teen Devo @ Keeter's

November 19th

Threads of Love

November 21st

Elders Meeting

November 24th

Singing Night

November 27th

Thanksgiving Devo

ReFuel @ Smitty's

November 28th-29th

Office Closed

December Events

December 1st

Deacons Meeting

AM Outline

1. When a person has an understanding of who Jesus is and what Jesus is doing for us, then and only then can he find the solutions to his own problems.
2. Who We Are. (1:1-3)
 - a. Saints
 - b. Brethren
3. Where We Are. (1:4-5)
 - a. Our faith.
 - b. Our love.
 - c. Our hope.
4. What We Have. (1:5-6)
 - a. The Gospel

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COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday:

Bible Class: 9:30 AM

Morning Worship: 10:20 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

Wednesday: 7:00 P.M.

Website: johnsonchurchofchrist.com

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4TH SUNDAY
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PROOF OF OUR LOVE
October 20, 2019

Bible Study: 151

Morning Worship: 214

Evening Worship: 242

Wednesday Night: 162

Chapters Read: 162

Contribution: \$9,818.00

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

October 27, 2019

Sunday Evening

October 30, 2019

Wednesday Evening

Song Leader: Herb Hughes

Prayer: Alan Fortenberry

Devotional: Ethan Ladymon

Announcements: Matt Bassing

Closing: Michael Marvin

NOVEMBER 3, 2019

Sunday Morning

Announcements: Kevin Murray

Song Leader: Mike Mitchell

Opening Prayer: Doug Goodpasture

Communion Scripture: Herb Hughes

Communion Prayer: Randall Harriman

Sermon Scripture: JP Bradford

Closing Prayer: Larry Paiz

ELDERS

Alan Fortenberry

Virgil Harmon

Joe Harriman

Terry Huffmaster

Kevin Murray

DEACONS

Jim Allen

Pete Ball

JP Bradford

David Cherry

Jared Cobb

Josh Fortenberry

Doug Goodpasture

Randall Harriman

Richard Hutton

Heath Huffmaster

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Michael Marvin

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David Shew

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Herbert Chukwu

Church Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesdays, & Thursday 8:30 - 4:30

Wednesday 8:30-6:30

Friday 8:30 - 2:30

A man has joy by the answer of
his mouth, And a word spoken
in due season, how good it is!
Proverbs 15:23 NKJV

October 27, 2019