

PRAYING FOR OUR JERSEY FAMILY AS THEY RETURN BACK TO SCHOOL!

Emberlee Hager, Kindergarten, Southwood Elem
 Bayleigh Stallings, Kindergarten, Mt. Calvary Christian
 Tyler Frank, Kindergarten, Southmont Elem
 Gabe Butler, 1st Grade, Welcome Elem
 Nolan Biesecker, 2nd Grade, High Point Christian
 Caleb Cash, 2nd Grade, Homeschool
 Arabella Caffey, 3rd Grade, Tyro Elem
 Trevor Frank, 3rd Grade, Southmont Elem
 Colton Cash, 4th Grade, Homeschool
 Lily Lanning, 4th Grade, Sheets Memorial Christian
 Vanessa Ross, 5th Grade, Tyro Elem
 Jace Benfield, 5th Grade, Southwood Elem
 Thomas Leonard, 5th Grade, Southwood Elem
 Gracyn Blackburn, 5th Grade, Southwood Elem
 Taylor Hoffman, 5th Grade, Churchland Elem
 Brayden Frank, 6th Grade, CDMS
 Bailey Trotter, 6th Grade, Lake Norman Charter
 Khloe Koontz, 6th Grade, CDMS
 Milee Randall, 6th Grade, CDMS
 Alivia Brown, 7th Grade, CDMS
 Evan Cash, 7th Grade, Homeschool
 Caroline Young, 7th Grade, Tyro Middle

Jeremiah Blackburn, 8th Grade, CDMS
 Blake Milner, 8th Grade, CDMS
 Steven Street, 8th Grade, Homeschool
 Cayla Ham, 9th Grade, CDHS
 Aiden Hoffman, 9th Grade, WDHS
 Bethany Myers, 9th Grade, CDHS
 Ian Cash, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Harley Lanning, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Payton Benfield, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Blakely Frank, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Alison Leonard, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Sydney Milligan, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Brett Milligan, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Tanner Milner, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Jacob Byrd, 10th Grade, CDHS
 Ella Barbee, 11th Grade, WDHS
 Ella Batson, 11th Grade, Jay M. Robinson HS
 Cari Street, 11th Grade, CDHS
 Eli Trantham, 11th Grade, CDHS
 Julia Wattenbarger, Senior, CDHS
 Lee Young, Senior, WDHS
 Ella Trantham, Senior, CDHS



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Celebrating JBC

⁸ Most important of all, continue to show deep love for each other, for love covers a multitude of sins. ⁹ Cheerfully share your home with those who need a meal or a place to stay. ¹⁰ God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another. 1 Peter 4:8-10 NLT

Birthdays

August 2 Debra Randall 127 Skyline Dr. Lexington, NC 27292	August 25 Derrick Blackburn 331 Silver Ridge Dr. Lexington, NC 27292
August 4 Julia Wattenbarger 6965 Linwood- Southmont Rd. Lexington, NC 27292	August 26 Angie Ham 6726 Linwood- Southmont Rd. Lexington, NC 27292
August 7 George Smith 2750 Jersey Church Rd. Lexington, NC 27292	August 27 Peggy Owen Cadence-Mooresville 198 Waterlynn Rd. Mooresville, NC 28117
August 10 LeAnn Collett 12915 Hwy. 8 South Lexington, NC 27292	August 31 Mike Myers P. O. Box 866 Linwood, NC 27299
August 11 Lindsay Gustafson 245 River Rock Dr. Lexington, NC 27292	
August 14 Richard Gant 14425 Dori Dr. Huntersville, NC 28078	
August 21 Brenda Penninger 618 J M Penninger Rd. Lexington, NC 27292	

Anniversaries

August 10
 Paul & Liz Batson
 1218 Hickory Point Dr.
 Lexington, NC 27292

New Arrival

Congratulations to new grandparents: Terry & Barbara Trexler. Their new grandson, Macon Scott Trexler was born July 18, weighing 7 lbs. and 18 3/4" long. Macon's parents are Josh & Carly Trexler, and Macon's great-grandmother is Barbara Trexler.

New Address

Vicki Voyles has moved to Germany. Her new address:
 Vicki Voyles
 CMR 489 Box 307
 APO AE 09751

College Students

Lindsay Gustafson-Lenoir Rhyne
 Austin Ham-Western Carolina
 David Smith-NC State
 Katie Penninger-NC State
 Ayden Batson-Wingate
 Ashtyn Barbee-Campbell

From the Pastor

Hello Jersey Church Family!

Thank you so much for your prayers, cards, phone calls, and meals following my recent knee surgery. I am grateful for such a loving and caring church family for not only me and my family, but also the way you care for one another. You are a blessing! My knee is recovering well and while I won't be running any marathons soon (let's be honest, I wasn't planning to anyway), I hope to be back up to full-ish speed before too long.

With August comes back-to-school season. It seems like this summer has flown by, but here we are ready for another school year. One of the things I am most proud of about Jersey is the way we invest in our schools and their staff and students. Each year, Jersey serves multiple meals to sports teams, feeds teachers and staff at various times throughout the year, helps with Special Olympics, provides volunteers for programs, and so much more. Reaching into our schools is a way to share the love of God in a practical way and while we may not be "preaching" the Gospel with words in these moments, we're showing it through our actions. Our schools are truly a mission field. When we serve lunch to teachers, we're saying we are here for you and support you. And when that time comes in their lives where they need a church or support from people of faith, they'll remember that church that is always there for the school. God uses big and small things in His kingdom to change peoples' lives.

It's going to be a great summer at Jersey!

As we wind down summer, we have the month of August and then our fall programming kicks back off with Sunday and Wednesday nights. I am excited for that to begin again. But before then, don't miss out on the opportunities this month to fel-

lowship with your church family. The Jersey Pool Party is August 6 at Southside Swim Club and will be a great time, whether you swim or not. Also, we will have a great breakfast together as we celebrate Sunday School and recognize our Sunday School teachers on Sunday School Promotion Sunday on August 27.

Thank you for being a blessing, Jersey!

Blessings,
Pastor Paul

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WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

SUNDAYS

- 8:30am Contemporary Worship
- 9:30am Fellowship w/Breakfast
- 10:00am Sunday School
- 11:00am Traditional Worship
- 5:30pm Choir Practice

TUESDAYS

- 2:00pm Chair Yoga

WEDNESDAYS

- 7:30pm Praise Team Practice

UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 30-Aug 3 Vacation Bible School
- Aug. 6 VBS Sunday
- Aug. 6 Church Pool Party
- Aug. 9 Youth Movie Day
- Aug. 16 Kids' Fun Day
- Aug. 27 Sunday School Promotion

Spotlight On...



SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION & TEACHER APPRECIATION BREAKFAST

Jersey is blessed with great Sunday School teachers and leaders! On Sunday, August 27, we will celebrate Sunday School and have promotion Sunday for our children and youth classes at 9:30am. This will take the place of traditional Sunday School that day and will include a wonderful, full breakfast to celebrate! Whether you're part of a Sunday School Class or not, you are invited to attend!

August 2023

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

		1 5:15 pm VBS	2 5:15 pm VBS	3 5:15 pm VBS	4	5 Homeless Shelter Ministry Deacon Family Ministry
6 10:30am VBS Sunday 4:00pm Deacon's Meet 6-9pm Pool Party At Southside Pool	7 2pm Chair Yoga	8 2pm Chair Yoga	9 3:15pm Youth Movie Day	10 3:15pm Youth Movie Day	11	12
13	14 2pm Chair Yoga	15 2pm Chair Yoga	16 10am Children's Fun Day at Fun Factory	17	18	19
20	21 2pm Chair Yoga	22 2pm Chair Yoga	23	24	25	26
27 9:30am Sunday School Appreciation & Promotion Day	28	29 2pm Chair Yoga	30	31		

Praying for Each Other

Church Members

Eric Mainess, John & Phyllis Willis, Charlotte Dougan, Bobby Joe Owen, Margaret Beeker, Rev. Phillip Gregory & Barbara Gregory, Jonie Myers, Dolly Lemly, Jacob Randall, Robert Sturdivant, Roger Hilliard and Patsy Hilliard, Kim Workman, Philip Workman, Jennifer Penninger, Arabella Caffey, Doris Owen, Gail Smith

Our Friends

Frances Hughes, Carol Hughes' mother-in-law; Jordan Sharpe, Ruth Sharpe's grandson; Shirley Blankenship; Charles Blankenship; Dennis Tate, Patsy Hilliard's brother; Ronda Troutman, Keith Weaver's sister; Emily Mann, Roger & Malcolm Myers' niece; Robert & Darlene Caudle, Malcolm & Roger Myers' sister, brother-in-law; Jim Hilliard, Margaret Lemly's brother; Linda Hunt, friend of Lynn Myers, Marilyn McDowell, Andria Smith's mother; Mike Love, Liz Batson's father, Jane Cox, Barbara Chapman's care giver; Susan Jester, friend of Becky Myers, Scott Quinn, Laura Lanning's brother, Pauline Moretz, Kim Workman's aunt, Larry Swaim, Wendy Milner's uncle, Kathy Batten, Gail Smith's sister

In Assisted Living Care

Aline Lyon, Abbotts Creek; Gail Mainess, Brookdale Assisted Living; Peggy Owen, Cadence-Mooresville; Eloise Hilliard, Gail Sewell, Ruth Swink Lexington Healthcare; Connie Carrick, Margaret Lemly, Piedmont Crossing; Ann Darr, Trinity Oaks, Salisbury

August Breakfast Schedule

Aug. 6 Andy/Jami Barbee
 Aug. 13 Josh/Susan Frank
 Aug. 20 Austin/Emily Trotter
 Aug. 27 Rodney/Kristen Benfield

MEMBERS IN MINISTRY

August 6

8:30 Service

Audio-Grant Snider
 Media-
 Video-Trey Brown

11:00 Service

A/V-David Shields

Nursery

Millie Warner, Emily Trotter

August 13

8:30 Service

Audio-Patrick Cash
 Media-Ian Cash
 Video-Tanner Milner

11:00 Service

Sammy Shoaf

Nursery

Susan Frank, Laura Lanning

August 20

8:30 Service

Audio-Kevin Wattenbarger
 Media-Ralph Randall
 Video-Trey Brown

11:00 Service

Jared Hager

Nursery

Jami Barbee, Leslie Young

August 27

8:30 Service

Audio-Dan Hoffman
 Media-Grant Snider
 Video-Tanner Milner

11:00 Service

A/V-Brent Lookabill

Nursery

Jessica Snider, Aaron Brown

August Blessing Box –Mike & Melissa Myers

Family Ministry News

It's hard to believe that summer is almost over! I know all the children and youth are sad that summer flew by and it is almost time for school to start again. Awana and Children's Choir will pick back up September 10. We have had so much fun this summer with all of our outings. We have just one more Wednesday outing before school starts back.

VBS starts Sunday, July 30 and runs through Thursday, August 3. There will be a free meal from 5:15pm-5:45pm every night, and VBS will be from 5:45pm-8pm. VBS Sunday will be August 6. There will be one service at 10:30am. The children will be performing the songs that they learned at VBS. That night, August 6, we will have a VBS Party/ Church wide Pool Party at SouthSide Swim Club. We have the pool from 6pm-9pm. We will be cooking out!

This month the children will be doing a series called KNOWN, LOVED, LED and THINK AGAIN:

- August 6- KNOWN, LOVED, LED
- August 13- Cain and Abel
- August 20- The Tower of Babel
- August 27- The Golden Calf

Here are the Children's outings that are scheduled for the month of August:

- August 6- VBS Sunday!! One Service at 10:30, Sunday School at 9:30
- August 6- VBS/Church Wide Pool Party at SouthSide Swim Club. 6pm-9pm. Meal will be provided.
- August 16- Fun Factory. Meet at the church 10am. The cost is \$13. We will be back at the church around 1pm.

I know all the youth are sad that summertime is coming to an end. Sunday night youth will pick back up September 10 and Wednesday night youth will start back on September 6. We have one last outing in August. It will be August 9, and we will be going to the movies.

The youth will be continuing Bible Studies for Life: Students during Sunday school. This month's series is Set Apart:

- August 6- Set Apart in the Way We Think
- August 13-Set Apart in the Way We Live
- August 20-Set Apart for the Journey
- August 27- Abigail- a Woman of Wisdom

Here are the youth outing/ events that are scheduled for the month of August:

- August 6- VBS Sunday!! One Service at 10:30, Sunday School at 9:30
- August 6- VBS/Church Wide Pool Party at SouthSide Swim Club. 6pm-9pm. Meal will be provided.
- August 9- Movie day, we will be seeing Haunted Mansion at AMC High Point. We will meet at the church at 3:15pm for a 4pm movie and return to the church around 6:45pm. Tickets are \$11 and I need to know who is going by August 2. Money for the tickets should be turned into the church marked for youth movie as I have to buy the tickets ahead of time.

Announcements

Davidson County Senior Services has opened the Southmont Café to senior residents of Southmont and Linwood communities. Martha Trantham is the site coordinator and can be reached at 336-798-2933. The site is open every day, Monday-Friday from 9am until 1 pm. Lunch is served at 11 am. Various activities are planned for each day or month. Bingo is played every Tuesday. This site is the old Southmont School cafeteria or that little brick building at the Southmont ballfield. You must be 60 and above to be able to take part in these activities. You may call the site phone number, listed above, to make arrangements to attend or go for lunch.

College Students, please send the Church Office your school address and email address so we can send you information about what's happening at Jersey and encourage you throughout the school year!



Records and Reports

JULY TITHES & OFFERINGS

General Fund Giving	\$32,164.51
Other Giving:	
Ham Family	\$240.00
Pastor's Pantry	\$70.00
Heck Jones	\$75.00
Blessing Box	\$85.00
Amerigas Refund	\$4,562.21
Memorial-Edith Myers	\$1,440.00
Lottie Moon	\$114.96
Columbarium	\$200.00

ATTENDANCE

July 2		July 23	
8:30 am	99	8:30am	103
11:00 am	44	11:00am	67
Sunday School	106	Sunday School	90
July 9		July 30	
8:30 am	97	8:30am	86
11:00 am	67	11:00am	63
Sunday School	104	Sunday School	90
July 16			
8:30 am	116		
11:00 am	61		
Sunday School	110		