

35 UNFORGETTABLE DAYS BEFORE EASTER

HELP US MAKE THIS AN **EASTER** FOR PEOPLE WHO NEED TO CONNECT WITH GOD-
PLAN TO GET INVOLVED!

FEB

28

- > Prayer commitments for unchurched friends
- > Invite Cards available for distribution
- > Banners posted on JCC website/Facebook
- > E-vites ready to send to friends/family
- > Prayer for our intern
- > **EASTER PROJECT OFFERING**

PRAYER GATHERING

Kimberly Lancaster leads a Prayer Group in the Grapple Room to provide a prayer covering for the service, our prayer requests and our unchurched friends. Join her for this strategic time of intercession. **Sundays 9:15 to 9:45...**

Bible Study Stuff

There will be a 2-week break: March 1 and March 8. A new series launches on Tues 03/15 @ 7:00 p.m.

DITCH the BAGGAGE
CHANGE YOUR LIFE
based on the book by NANCY ALCONO



Heart
FOR THE CITY
release celebration and concert

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Friday APRIL 08 @ 7PM



Featuring gifted Hip-Hop Artist
Nehemiah
Invite your friends...

CONNECTION CARD Each week everyone will be asked to fill out a Connection Card in order to **"MEASURE"** our church in five key areas. There will be a summary report each week in the bulletin that identifies those five key metrics.

Please turn in your card each week. Members, leaders and guests will be asked to turn these in.



February
Teaching
Series

Take heart

- Feb 07 » Take Heart > God Will Make a Way
Feb 14 » Take Heart > Our God is Enough
Feb 21 » Take Heart > God Keeps His Promises
Feb 28 » I Love My Church - I Invite

PRAYER REQUESTS

Breanna V.	▶ Health Issues
Lily M.	▶ Dementia
Anabelle G.	▶ Lung Cancer
Andrew H.	▶ Health Issues
Noe F.	▶ Health Issues
Elizabeth S.	▶ Health Issues
Kenny D.	▶ Skull Fracture
Trevor W.	▶ Deployed to Afghanistan
Danny L.	▶ Peace Corps Assignment
Ralph H.	▶ Fluid in the brain
Moe M.	▶ Lung Cancer
Ruth S.	▶ Undiagnosed Health Issues
Jim B.	▶ Eye Problems
Mary H.	▶ Mobility Issues
Suzie S.	▶ Health Issues
Elvira C.	▶ Breast Cancer
Peggy H.	▶ Rheumatoid Arthritis
Lotz Family	▶ Grief/Loss of Parents
Barb D.	▶ Bone Cancer
Barb S.	▶ Injury
Phyllis L.	▶ Skin Cancer
Persecuted Christians	▶ Hostilities/Suffering

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Jesus washed the Apostles feet not to get the dirt off their feet but to get the doubt out of their hearts as he called them to be... **SERVANTS**"
—Anthony Mangun

02/14/16

METRICS
THAT MATTER

36

ATTENDANCE

\$826

GIVING

2

GUESTS

10

VOLUNTEERS

0

DECISIONS FOR CHRIST

Take heart

God Keeps His Promise

Key Scripture

1 Chronicles 7:14 If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

Cycle of Israel + Acts 2:1-4

Sin: The Children Of Israel Did Evil In The Sight Of The Lord.

Suffering: And The Lord Delivered Them Into The Hands Of Spoilers.

Supplication: And The Children Of Israel Cried Unto The Lord.

Salvation: Six Times The Lord Raised Up A Judge, "And Delivered Them Out Of The Hands Of Their Enemies All The Days Of The Judge For It Repented The Lord Because Of Their Groanings."

1 And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. **2** And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. **3** And there appeared unto them cloven tongues as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. **4** And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost and began to speak in other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Acts 2:17 And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out My Spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

Brief History Of Revival (and a few people associated with them)

1734-43 The Great Awakening - Jonathan Edwards, George Whitfield; In England: John Wesley.

1800-1840 The Second Great Awakening, James McGready (Logan County, KY) Charles Finney (New York).

1857-58 The Great Prayer Meeting Revival (Or the Businessmen's Revival) New York, Phoebe Palmer, Jeremiah Lanphier.

1800-1840 Welsh Revival, Evan Roberts, Rosina Davis, Mrs. Jesse Penn Lewis.

1906-07 Toronto, Canada, (Mrs. Hebden), Winnipeg Canada, Norway and Sweden, British Isles, Denmark, Holland, India.

1908 Germany. Later: Russia Bulgaria, Latvia, Finland, France.

1906 The Azusa Street Revival - William J. Seymour, Charles Parham.



1 *Timing* —Spiritual and moral decline which leads to intense prayer.

2 *Prayer* —God puts a longing into the hearts of many to pray.

3 *The Word* —Preaching or reading of God's Word brings conviction.

4 *The Holy Spirit* —Takes people to a supernatural spiritual depth.

5 *Conviction* —Sinners are affected and seek Christ.

6 *Glory for God* —Praise, honor and glory goes to God.

7 *Reformation and Renewal* —Produces lasting fruit.

8 *Manifestations* —Intercessory prayer, tongues, miracles (vary)

9 *Messy* —Controversies swirl about miracles, abuses, excesses, suspicions, theological disputes.

10 *Cyclical* —Crest and decline.

+ Renewal

God touches the heart of a single individual (A daily experience in the life of a believer).

+ Revival

God touches a community of faith. (A phenomenon among believers that affects unbelievers).

+ Awakening

Revival spills out and affects the overall community.

⁸ Then shall thy light break forth as the morning, and thine health shall spring forth speedily; and thy righteousness shall go before thee; the glory of the LORD shall be thy reward. ⁹ Then shalt thou call, and the LORD shall answer; thou shalt cry, and he shall say, Here I am. If thou take away from the midst of thee the yoke, the putting forth of the finger, and speaking vanity; ¹⁰ And if thou draw out thy soul to the hungry, and satisfy the afflicted soul; then shall thy light rise in obscurity, and thy darkness be as the noon day. ¹¹ And the LORD shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought, and make fat thy bones: and thou shalt be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not. ¹² And they that shall be of thee shall build the old waste places: thou shalt raise up the foundations of many generations; and thou shalt be called, The repairer of the breach, The restorer of paths to dwell in. **Isaiah 58: 8-12**