

SUNDAY 03/10/19

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JCC DIRECTORY...

is being updated. Check with Emma to make sure your information is accurate. Thank you for helping us get our basics straight!

TORNADO RESPONSE

A special offering will be received to send to God's Pit Crew as they respond to the tornadoes in Alabama where 25 have been killed.





How is God "WOWING"
you!

Fill out a "WOW" sheet. Post it on our board or on your fridge!

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Rick Warren's study, The Miracle of Mercy,

will be featured in the Tuesday Bible Study which resumes on Tuesday, March 12. The series will feature: The Five Marks of Mercy; Mercy Forgives the Fallen; Mercy Helps the Hurting; Mercy is Patient with Difficult People; Mercy is Kind to Enemies; and Mercy Cares for the Lost.

NEWSBOYS UNITED & MICHAEL W. SMITH SURROUNDED & UNITED TOUR SEARS CENTRE ARENA / APRIL 18



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.





Mar 03 » Principles of
Financial Blessing
Mar 10 » The Law of
Contentment
Mar 17 » The Laws of Sowing
and Reaping
Mar 24 » Blessed to be

a Blessing

PRAYER REQUESTS

SALVATION —
Jason G. Ray H. Gearen Family Tom M. Brian H. Karen W. Rick L. Stein Family Benjamin G. Cheyenne W. Mike F. Ryan K. Tyler M. Bill S.
HEALTH ISSUES —
Suzie S. » Health Issues Noe F. » Health Issues Toni R. » Health Issues Jean G. » Health Issues Kenny D. » Nuerological Sam H. » Cardiac Issues Maria C. » Hupertension Betty F. » Hip Fracture Danny R. » ALS Barb G. » Health Issues Shirley K. » Health Issues Ruth H. » Health Issues Michael D. » MS Kathy » Lung Cancer Jerry A. » Cyst Jim H. » Health Issues Will H. » Thorasic Nerve Patsy D. » Hip Fracture Chuck H. » Cancer Angela A. » Back Surgery Greg S. » Restoration Megan G. » Cancer
→ OTHER —
Gabe G. » Guidance

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Not reaching back for what was lost in my yesterdays. And not reaching for what I hope will be in my tomorrow. But living fully with what is right in front of me. And truly seeing the gift of this moment." —Lysa TerKuerst

METRICS THAT MATTER (03/03/19)

ATTENDANCE ► 32 GIVING ► \$3,626 GUESTS ► 3 VOLUNTEERS ► 15 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ► 0





Enjoy what you have rather than desiring what you don't have. Just dreaming about nice things is meaningless—like chasing the wind. Ecclesiastes 6:9 NLT

3 MYTHS ABOUT Having More

Having more will make me more happy.
Ecclesiastes 5:11

_ Having more will make me more important.

Luke 12:15

Having more will make me more secure.

¹¹ Not that I was ever in need, for I have learned how to be content with whatever I have. ¹² I know how to live on almost nothing or with everything. I have learned the secret of living in every situation, whether it is with a full stomach or empty, with plenty or little. ¹³ For I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength. Philippians 4:11-13 NLT



Pefuse TO COMPARE MYSELF TO OTHERS

Oh, don't worry; we wouldn't dare say that we are as wonderful as these other men who tell you how important they are! But they are only comparing themselves with each other, using themselves as the standard of measurement. How ignorant! 2 Corinthians 10:12 NLT

Pay careful attention to your own work, for then you will get the satisfaction of a job well done, and you won't need to compare yourself to anyone else. Galatians 6:4 NLT

- Demember LIFE IS NOT ABOUT THINGS

⁷ "Two things I ask of you, Lord; do not refuse me before I die:

⁸ Keep falsehood and lies far from me; give me neither poverty nor riches, but give me only my daily bread. ⁹ Otherwise, I may have too much and disown you and say, 'Who is the Lord?' Or I may become poor and steal, and so dishonor the name of my God. Proverbs 30:7-9

Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you. Hebrews 13:5

- Enjoy WHAT I HAVE + *

And it is a good thing to receive wealth from God and the good health to enjoy it. To enjoy your work and accept your lot in life—this is indeed a gift from God. Ecclesiastes 5:19 NLT

Teach those who are rich in this world not to be proud and not to trust in their money, which is so unreliable.

Their trust should be in God, who richly gives us all we need for our enjoyment. 1 Timothy 6:17 NLT

Focus ON WHAT WILL LAST FOREVER

In the blink of an eye wealth disappears, for it will sprout wings and fly away like an eagle. Proverbs 23:5 NLT

So we don't look at the troubles we can see now; rather, we fix our gaze on things that cannot be seen. For the things we see now will soon be gone, but the things we cannot see will last forever. 2 Corinthians 4:18 NLT