

SCHEDULE

In-person Gathering **Sun. 10:00 am**
Live-streaming **Sun. 10:00 am**
Prayer Event **Wed. 6:30 pm**

PRAISE BAND REHEARSAL

Praise Band Rehearsal
is scheduled on Thursday,
April 7 @ 7:00 p.m.

BASEMENT PROJECT

New epoxy floors are coming!

JOIN THE EFFORT—

We need **\$6,000** of which God has
already provided **\$4,700**.

Please mark your contribution:

Basement Project. BY FAITH!

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Travel to the cross with One
who will make sure that death
does not have the final word!

EASTER

**ONLY 21
DAYS AWAY!**



**MARCH FOR
JESUS**

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JUNE 4, 2022

*A celebration
of Jesus*

MARCH TEACHING SERIES

EMOTIONS

- Mar 06 » Where Is God When I Hurt?
- Mar 13 » Finding Relief From Anxiety
- Mar 20 » Angry Like Jesus
- Mar 27 » Feeling Lost in Sadness? Experience Joy Again

REUNION

REMEMBER THE GOOD TIMES

Save This Date **JUNE 24-25, 2022**

@ JUBILEE CHRISTIAN CENTRE

a JCC Homecoming!



CLASSES AVAILABLE

The 2nd and 4th Thursday
of March - April - May

6:30 TO 8:00 P.M.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

The Christian message is not an inclusive message that embraces all religions; it's not a message that there are many paths to the same place. The Christian message is summed up in the brave words of Peter before the Sanhedrin: "Jesus is 'the stone you builders rejected, which has become the cornerstone.' Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved" (Acts 4:11–12). —*Michael Youssef*

METRICS WILL RESUME IN APRIL

Our graphic designer is on vacation—metrics will resume in April when he returns.

Prayer REQUESTS

▶ SALVATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Jason G. | <input type="checkbox"/> Karen W. | <input type="checkbox"/> Tom M. | <input type="checkbox"/> Donald S. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brian H. | <input type="checkbox"/> Cheyenne W. | <input type="checkbox"/> Stein Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Alex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Benjamin G. | <input type="checkbox"/> Tyler M. | <input type="checkbox"/> Kirk Aricioglu | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ryan K. | <input type="checkbox"/> Gearen Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Dave S. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ray H. | <input type="checkbox"/> Mike F. | <input type="checkbox"/> Bato R. | |

▶ HEALTH ISSUES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Sam H. » Cardiac Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Keith » Cardiac Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Jessica K. » Breast Cancer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ruth H. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Carol C. » Cancer Spots | <input type="checkbox"/> Jen R. » Cardiac Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jean G. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Evelyn K. » Cardiac Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Ken R. » Diabetic Retinopathy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art B. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Wayne W. » COPD | <input type="checkbox"/> Charity S. » Hip Displasia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tommy P. » Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> Cristina P. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Enzo » Entubated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Noe F. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Debbie L. » Kidney/Liver Transplant | <input type="checkbox"/> Cheryl A. » Chron's Disease |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Macario A. » Dialysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Dean W. » COPD | <input type="checkbox"/> Jen R. » Atrial Fibrillation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Juan A. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Kimberly B. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Kevin K. » Pulmonary Emphysema |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laura K. » Auto Immune | <input type="checkbox"/> Fran G. » Hypertension | <input type="checkbox"/> Peggy K. » Recovering/-Surgery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ozzie M. » Dialysis | <input type="checkbox"/> Carol M. » COVID | <input type="checkbox"/> Laura A. » Recovering/-Surgery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armando L. » Back Injury | <input type="checkbox"/> Ashtyn H. » Circulation Disorder | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sergio P. » Needs kidney donor | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Darius » Health Issues | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Searria » Graves Disease | | |

▶ PROVISION

- Nathan/Sara Employment/Housing

EMOTIONS

Feeling Lost in Sadness?
Experience Joy Again

WHAT MADE JESUS SAD?

*After his triumphal entry, Jesus traveled to Jerusalem— And when he drew near and saw the city, he wept over it, **Luke 19:41***

*“O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing!” **Matthew 23:37***

He wants to **love, heal, and protect** those that are wrecked.
And when he can't, **He is saddened.**

THE DEPTH OF THE FATHER'S LOVE

In Luke 15, Jesus told an emotional story to help people know the depth of the Father's love.

- **Father had two sons.**
- **Younger one was tired of following the rules.**
- **He wanted to do his own thing.**
- **He insulted his Father beyond belief:**

*And the younger of them said to his father, ‘Father, give me the share of property that is coming to me.’ And he divided his property between them. **Luke 15:12***

Give me blessings without relationship.

Son goes off (does what many of us have done).

Parties brains out/fun for a little while.

**This guy hits bottom—out of money; out of friends;
out of hope.**

TURNING POINT

*“But when he came to himself, he said, ‘How many of my father’s hired servants have more than enough bread, but I perish here with hunger!’ **Luke 15:17***

He comes to his senses—the worst part for the son:

Wasn't the guilt.
Wasn't the shame.
Wasn't the regret.

He realized he was **far from his Father.**

He hadn't planned on walking away from God.
He drifted.

He plans this apology speech.

"I'm a loser. Not worthy to be your son."

He took the step and went back to his father.

*And he arose and came to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and felt compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him. **Luke 15:20***

HERE'S WHERE IT GETS GOOD

The Father welcomes his son with full honors.

Calls for a village-wide celebration.

He brings out a robe, a ring, and sandals!

He plainly states: "I'm no longer sad."

"My son isn't dead. He's alive. He's home!"

The older son heard the commotion.

Refuses to go to the party.

He too drifted, even though he was at home.

Proximity doesn't equal intimacy.

Bottom line: my God's love is perfect.

Nothing you could ever do make him love you more.

Nothing you could ever do to make Him love you any less.

He loves you with a perfect love.

And so...no matter why you left, no matter where you went,
no matter what you've done, no matter what you've become,
God is inviting you to come home.



CHANGE WARS

March 6 – March 27

For Easter, the JCC Kids Ministry would like to send chicken, goats, and clean water to impoverished countries through Samaritan's Purse.

Here's how you can help:

There will be two jars in the foyer. In this competition of Boys vs. Girls, we ask that you donate your coins to these jars over the next few weeks.

The object is to fill the jars with as many pennies as possible. The team with the most pennies on March 27 will win a prize. But there's a catch...any silver coins, paper money or checks will deduct from that team's penny count. So you can help one team with pennies while sabotaging the other team with other coins/money. In the end it all goes to charity so it's a win-win!!! Let's support these kids and help a great cause.