

WELCOME TO

We honor you...if it's your first visit or you have been here on several occasions. We believe you are a gift from God and strive to provide:

- A warm welcome
- Biblical teaching
- Uplifting music

Know that we are here to help you know *Jesus better!*



## CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Instructor: Deb Perez

Orientation: Thursday, May 9, 2024  
7:00 p.m.



## MOTHER'S DAY

Join us as we  
honor our ladies at JCC on  
Sunday, May 12!



**MARCH FOR  
JESUS**

**THANK YOU  
JESUS**

**MAY 18, 2024 @ 10 AM**

# POWER TODAY



May 5 » The Promise of Power  
 May 12 » Mother's Day  
 May 19 » Tongues, Fire, and Wind  
 May 26 » Everybody Needs This

## Prayer REQUESTS

### ▶ SALVATION

- Walter Miner III     Gearen Family     Tom M.     Stein Family  
 Ryan K.     Tyler M.     Mandy W.     Dave. O

### ▶ HEALTH ISSUES

- Art B. » Health Issues     Yalda Samano » Cancer  
 Armando » Back Issues     Walter Miner III. » Health Issues  
 Mandy W. » Cancer  
 Merle » Health Issues  
 Carlos V. » Health Issues  
 Angie & Family » Life Issues  
 Bob A. Healing/Kidney  
 Camilia S. » Cancer/Leg  
 Robert G. » Health Issues  
 Kevin K. » Health Issues  
 Lucille S. » Health Issues  
 Augustin A. » Sobriety



### METRICS THAT MATTER (04/28/24)

ATTENDANCE ▶ 36    GIVING ▶ \$1,022    GUESTS ▶ 0  
 VOLUNTEERS ▶ 14    DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ▶ 0



all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

## OMNIPOTENCE

means all-powerful. God has supreme power. This means God can do what he wants. It means he is not subject to physical limitations like man is. Being omnipotent, God has power over wind, water, gravity, physics, etc.

Three Greek words are translated “power” in Scripture—*exousia* (“authority”), *dunamis* (“ability”), and *kratos* (“strength”) Galatians 5:22

**This word, indicative of might, strength, force, is used in the Old Testament in numerous instances being varied in the) to words like “valor,” “rule,” “strength,” “might,” “dominion.”**

We see this in creation, the many miracles and prophecies.

**Matthew 28:18** “And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, ‘All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.’”



We see this in his miracles, deliverances, and defeating death at the cross.

He tells us that this power was promised to the disciples. **Jesus final words to his followers:** **Luke 24:49** “I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.”

But you will receive power on you; and you will be my

**These words are then repeated: Acts 1:4-9** *“On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: “Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.” Then they gathered around him and asked him, “Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?” He said to them: “It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight.”*

## We see this in their ministry and spreading of the gospel.

He tells us that this promise is for us also.

**Acts 2:38b-39** *“And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call.”*

**Ephesians 1:19-20** *“I pray that you will know how great His power is for those who have put their trust in Him. It is the same power that raised Christ from the dead.”*

**2 Timothy 1:7** *“For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline.”*

# DO WE SEE IT TODAY?

# IN OUR OWN LIVES?

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.



JCC Ladies

# Women's Bible Study Journaling the Word



## It's fun – It's Bible Study!

You are invited to a once-a-month Bible Journal Class at my house on the **THIRD THURSDAY** each month, February-May. Each session would consist of a study topic, discussion, prayer, and time for creative journaling... ultimately you choose your journal as you please—then continue to add to your journal through the week. (*Sharing what you have done is optional.*)

### Session

*Prayer & Sharing 10 minutes*

*Topical study 10-15 minutes*

*Discussion 5-10 minutes*

*Journal work 25-30 minutes*



If interested, please sign up on the clipboard in the vestibule and indicate whether evening or daytime would work best for you: **Thursday 10:00 a.m. or 6:30 p.m.**

Blessings,

*Pastor Phylis*



**MARCH FOR JESUS**

**2024 THEME:**

**THANK YOU JESUS**

**MAY 18, 2024 @ 10 AM**

**Power Verse: 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18**

**"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."**

**Celebrate the Lordship of Jesus Christ with a procession of praise through the streets of our city as we join together with like-minded believers.**

**\*Shuttle bus available for those who cannot walk**

**\*Promotional merchandise available**

**\*Time of fellowship, evangelism, and prayer after the march**



**For information, visit [www.elginareamarchforjesus.com](http://www.elginareamarchforjesus.com)**



**The music playlist can be found at: <https://open.spotify.com/playlist/OP3JkENLmBdugJChPR6zYJ?si=84c4fe7d6ba4871>**

**Please sign up with Deborah Perez by May 8 th**

# DO THE *Next Thing*

From an old English parsonage down by the sea  
There came in the twilight a message to me; Its  
quaint Saxon legend, deeply engraven, Hath, it  
seems to me, teaching from Heaven. And on  
through the doors the quiet words ring Like a low  
inspiration:

## DO THE *Next Thing*

Many a questioning, many a fear, Many a doubt,  
hath its quieting here. Moment by moment, let  
down from Heaven, Time, opportunity, and  
guidance are given. Fear not tomorrows, child of  
the King, Trust them with Jesus, do the next thing

*Do it immediately, do it with prayer;*

*Do it reliantly, casting all care;*

*Do it with reverence, tracing His hand Who placed it  
before thee with earnest command. Stayed on*

*Omnipotence, safe 'neath His wing, Leave all results,  
do the next thing*

Looking for Jesus, ever serener, Working or  
suffering, be thy demeanor; In His dear  
presence, the rest of His calm, The light of  
His countenance be thy psalm, Strong in His  
faithfulness, praise and sing.

# STAR FORCE • ACADEMY •

**A Five-Week VBS Session**

**JUNE 27 — AUGUST 2**

**Every Thursday from  
10:00-2:00**

(there won't be class on July 4)

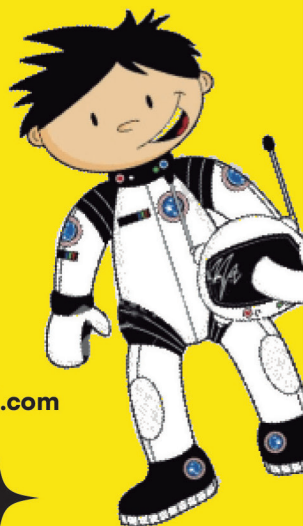
**For Pre-school through  
6th grade**

**Kid's experience & live out  
God's word. Amazing  
resources & endless flexibility.**

**Rocking music!**

**MOST IMPORTANTLY: JESUS**

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# CELEBRATE RECOVERY



Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-centered ministry for everyone! At any given time in life, we may struggle with a hurt, a habit, or some type of a hang-up. The majority of attendees struggle with life's issues which may include but are not limited to, anger, loneliness, broken relationships, a general sense that something is wrong, divorce, loss of loved one, loss of a job, issues that are symptoms of being an adult child.

In addition, obsessive thoughts and compulsive behaviors, alcohol, drug, and sex addiction, love and relationship issues as well as codependency may be addressed and effectively dealt with in an environment of love, acceptance, and total anonymity. The kingdom of God requires us to come together to work through our issues so that we may become full of Christ's love and live in freedom from these binding issues.

**Celebrate Recovery** is based on the beatitudes and twelve steps. It consists of a small group gathering. Participants will receive a booklet for the studies.

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