

SUNDAY 11/22/20

677 Luda Street, Elgin | www.jccelgin.org

SCHEDULE

Live-streaming Sun. 10:00 am Prayer Event Wed. 6:30 pm

PRAY FOR OUR NATION

God can heal our land and do more than we ever imagined!

RETURNING TO Livestreaming

The high infection rates have resulted in a change in regulations: gatherings must not exceed ten people. Our Sunday Service will once again be livestreamed on JCC Facebook.

Sunday Livestream 10:00 AM

We apologize for the inconvenience, but we need to be flexible during this season. Thanks for your understanding.





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Continue to pray the weekly prayer for the healing of our lands and for a spiritual awakening among the nations. There is power in unified prayer!

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Nov 01 » For Manifold Mercies Nov 08 » For Bountiful Blessings Nov 15 » For Unflagging Faithfulness

Nov 22 » For Glorious Goodness



PRAYER REQUESTS

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Benjamin G. Che	H. Gearen Fan en W. Rick L. eyenne W. Mike F. er M. Tom M.	nily Stein Family Kirk Aricioglu Dave S. Bato R.
HEALTH ISSUES		
Suzie S. » Health Issues Kenny D. » Nuerological Shirley K. » Health Issues Sam H. » Cardiac Issues Ruth H. » Health Issues Phyllis L. » Health Issues Jean G. » Health Issues Michael D. » MS Craig B. » Leukemia Art B. » Health Issues	Don H. » Health Issues Tommy P. » Anxiety Noe F. » Health Issues Shirley P. » Restoration of health Becky J. » Cancer Addison G. » Fibrosis Macario A. » Dialysis John V. » Health Issues Herlinda R. » Health Issues	Maya » Health Issues Juan A. » Health Issues Angela A. » Health Issues Baby Adrian » Feeding tube Michael » MS Hector A. » COVID James W. » COVID Maureen R. » Mother passed

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Ministry is not about where you are or where you go, it is about where He is." —*Heidi Baker*

METRICS THAT MATTER (11/15/20)

ATTENDANCE ► PRAISE TEAM GIVING ► \$1,070 GUESTS ► 0

VOLUNTEERS ► 9 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ► 0



For Gracious Goodness

The Bible describes God's goodness in two ways:



- **1** One has to do with his character.
- 2) The other has to do with his actions.



You are good and do good; teach me your statutes.

God is good—all the time

The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, "The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, **Exodus 34:6**

Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of your goodness, O Lord! Psalm 25:7

Praise the Lord! Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! Psalm 106:1

and it was the duty of the trumpeters and singers to make themselves heard in unison in praise and thanksgiving to the Lord), and when the song was raised, with trumpets and cymbals and other musical instruments, in praise to the Lord, "For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever," the house, the house of the Lord, was filled with a cloud, 2 Chronicles 5:13

God is good—no matter what

I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world. John 16:33

Yes, God can prevent and alleviate all suffering, but He doesn't. Neither does He play favorites. The rich, the poor, the old, the young, the strong, the weak, the Caucasians, the Blacks, the Indians, the Asians, the Hispanics, the Italians, the Greeks, the Russians, the Catholics, the Orthodox, the Protestants, the Jews, the Muslims, the Atheists, and every variety thereof have been subjected to suffering. No one has been exempted; no one will ever be.

One thing is clear: God is present in our trouble!

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling. Psalm 46:3

God is good—here's the proof

- Through natural blessings
 Psalm 145:7-9 / Psalm 145:16-17

- 2) Through specific deliverances Psalm 107
 - Rescues us from our enemies v. 2
 - Rescues us when we are adrift v. 4
 - Rescues us from the shadow of death v. 10
- Heals our diseases v. 20
- Saves us in life's storms v. 29



- Through His redemptive acts
 - Jesus is the Lamb of God Romans 5:8
 - Jesus is the better way Hebrews 8:6



