

SCHEDULE

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

2021

Is just around the corner.  
Decide now what kind of year  
it will be—in faith!

THE CHRISTMAS PLEDGE

- 1. To remember those people who truly need my gifts.*
- 2. To express my love for family and friends in more direct ways and friends in more direct ways than presents.*
- 3. To rededicate myself to the spiritual growth of my family.*
- 4. To examine my holiday activities in light of the true meaning of Christmas.*
- 5. To initiate one act of peacemaking within my circle of family and friends.*

from Unplug the Christmas Machine | by Jo Robinson and Jean Coppic

HAPPY  
NEW YEAR 2021

THANK YOU  
*Thank You*

for your consistent and  
faithful giving that allows us  
to provide ministry at JCC!

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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!

# IT AIN'T OVER YET

- Jan 03 » Somebody here needs an answer  
 Jan 10 » Somebody here is desperate for freedom  
 Jan 17 » Somebody here needs to wait for an answer  
 Jan 24 » Somebody here is getting ready to quit  
 Jan 31 » Somebody here needs a miracle!

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### ► SALVATION

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

### ► HEALTH ISSUES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Suzie S. » Health Issues   | <input type="checkbox"/> Tommy P. » Anxiety          | <input type="checkbox"/> Robbie P. » Health Issues  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kenny D. » Nuerological    | <input type="checkbox"/> Noe F. » Health Issues      | <input type="checkbox"/> Randy F. » Immune disorder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shirley K. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Shirley P. » Restoration    | <input type="checkbox"/> Travis » Health Issues     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sam H. » Cardiac Issues    | of health  | <input type="checkbox"/> Bill W. » Heart aneurysm   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ruth H. » Health Issues    | <input type="checkbox"/> Addison G. » Fibrosis       | <input type="checkbox"/> Andis Family » COVID       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jean G. » Health Issues    | <input type="checkbox"/> Macario A. » Dialysis       | <input type="checkbox"/> Sidebottom Family » COVID  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Michael D. » MS            | <input type="checkbox"/> Herlinda R. » Health Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Laura K. » Auto Immune     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Craig B. » Leukemia        | <input type="checkbox"/> Juan A. » Health Issues     | <input type="checkbox"/> Grandmother » COVID        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art B. » Health Issues     | <input type="checkbox"/> Angela A. » Health Issues   | <input type="checkbox"/>                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don H. » Health Issues     | <input type="checkbox"/> Frank » Health Issues       |   |

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“God will not leave us in the dark, so He entered our world.”—*Max Lucado*

## METRICS THAT MATTER (12/20/20)

ATTENDANCE ► 9

GIVING ► \$460

GUESTS ► 0

VOLUNTEERS ► 9

DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ► 0

**MAIN SCRIPTURE REFERENCE:**

**MARK 4:35-41**

*Supporting scriptures:*  
Col. 3:16, Phil. 3:6,7, Isa. 26:3, I Cor. 14:33, Rom.14:17

- **Trouble is inevitable in life:** *It's certain to happen and unavoidable*
- **This storm that the disciples were facing at sea brought fear and it rattled their comfort.**

**THE SHOWDOWN BETWEEN INTERNAL PEACE VS EXTERNAL CHAOS**

- **Jesus personalizes the wind and the sea.**
  - He rebukes the wind and silences or muzzles the mouth of the sea.
  - It appears that maybe another entity was influencing the wind and sea.



- **The authority of peace within:** *Only person on the boat that had peace within was Jesus.*

- **The threat of a hostile environment:** *It caused the disciples to react in fear.*



- **Jesus was the only one capable of confronting the external chaos because he had peace within.**



WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN THE EXTERNAL CHAOS IS STREAMING AT YOUR INTERNAL BEING AND THERE IS NO PEACE?



•Jesus gives a peace that surpasses all our understanding. (*Phil. 3:6-7*) Prayer settles us in His peace.



•You can't confront what you haven't first conquered within.

•Eternal peace qualifies you to deal with external chaos. (*Isa. 26:3*)



•Peace within is a knowing that God is control and He's with you.

•Let God's peace rule in your heart: (*Col. 3:16*)

- Be the umpire of your heart or call the shots.

