

JAMES ISLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

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Palm Sunday
March 29th
9AM & 11AM

Good Friday
April 3rd
7PM

Easter Celebration
April 5th
9AM & 11AM

EASTER

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The Church at Riverland Terrace
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Perspectives

Pastor Tom

THE LAST SEVEN DAYS

Not all weeks are created equal. We had a seven-day run that was quite challenging. Three funerals, one wedding and welcoming four new members...all in seven days! As a church family we said "good-bye for now" to three of our beloved friends and members. We said "Congratulations" to a beautiful couple who tied the knot with a spectacularly beautiful wedding. We said "Welcome to the family" to four gifts from God who felt led to join the JIBC family. (I think a few more will be coming in the weeks ahead.) It is what our Disney friends would call the "Circle of Life." We consider it an honor to stand with these at such a time in their lives. The Good Lord gives and the Good Lord takes away, blessed be His name. All of these mentioned about would so love your prayers and blessings.

A HOUSE OF PRAYER

Of all the things JIBC is known for, I would like to think that prayer is near the top of the list. You all did such a wonderful job is the 2025 Pray Charleston mission. We joined around 60 churches from different denominations to attempt having someone praying for Charleston every minute of every hour of every day for the entire year. JIBC met the challenge. We chose to cover the 10th day of every month. We had 168 people involved and had every minute of the 10th day of each month completely covered. Well done.

Pray Charleston 2026 is similar but not the same. We will be rolling out materials that will help our church family take Pray Charleston 2026 to a higher level. We are asking all our church members and friends to join us in praying regularly, if not daily, for our beloved Charleston. We will give you information to help you know who and what to pray for each day you decide to pray. We have written the material so everyone, children, youth and adults could pray for Charleston. Of course, you can add to or take away from the material to make it better suit you. Or, you will have no problem just following the daily prayer prompts. There is a book on prayer that has a great name: "Too Busy Not To Pray". Amen, I think we all could agree on that.

JUST AROUND THE CORNER

We are only a few weeks away from the beginning of the JIBC Kitchen Renovation. That will cause a few wrinkles in our programming but only for a short time. Starting April 6 through May 13 there will be no access to the Kitchen...none. No ice machine, no sinks, no nuthin'. We will have quick and easy meals for Wednesday nights and Celebrate Recovery. More on that to come! See you Sunday, good Lord willing!

Pastor Tom



Welcome New Members
Having Completed
Class 101: Discovering Membership at JIBC

Todd Hulseberg
 Julia McCarthy
 Wilson & Alyssa Walpole



A central graphic with a green background and a checkered border. At the top, there are images of hamburgers and hotdogs. Below them, the text reads: **KITCHEN RENOVATION** and **APRIL 6 - MAY 15**. In the center, it says: **WE WILL STILL SERVE WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER: HAMBURGERS, HOTDOGS, PIZZA**. At the bottom, there is an image of pizzas. Curved arrows point from the food images towards the central text.

Parent Child Dedication
 April 19
 11 am Worship Service



If your family would like to participate, please contact the church office
 (843-762-0244 or email neale@jamesislandbaptist.com)

Prayer Requests

Family and Friends

- Myrtle Maull
- Jada Benton
- David Hall
- Mel Bell
- Debbie McLawhorn
- Eric Heitman
- Carollee Simmons
- Nancy Bryson Schwartz
- Anna Gaskins
- Austyn, Caroline (Koch) Niccolls and Katie
- Alston Pauls

- Liz Burrell
- Bubba & Stella Burnham
- Rett & Linda Iler
- Louise Frye
- Caroline Mixon Littlefield and Annie Lynn
- Carolyn Benton
- Jim Sherard
- Broden Heckendorn
- Ashley Kimball
- April Moore
- Candice Fripp
- Patrick Linder

Mission/Ministry Prayer

- Zion Church
- Ukraine
- Weekday Preschool
- Recovery Ministry
- James Island Outreach
- Opportunity House
- Luz Y Verdad
- Charles and Judy Dillon: Carpenter's House Global
- John and Yi Ling Pittman: Asia
- Pastor Marius & Cristina Moisin: Romania





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Ongoing Events

Sundays

- 9:00a Worship Service
- 10:00a Sunday Connection Groups for all ages
- 11:00a Worship Service Luz Y Verdad (Hispanic Church)
Zion Church (Slavic Church)
Preschool & Children's Worship
- 5:30p Celebrate Recovery
- 6:00p Youth Group

Monday—Friday (September—May)

- 9:00a - JIBC Day School
- 12:00p

Wednesday (September—May)

- 5:00p Family Fellowship Dinner
- 6:00p AWANA (3k—5th grade)



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Give in person

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Text the word GIVE to
843-762-0244

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A Look At The Numbers...

Projected budget through February 2026:	\$156,882
Actual received through February 2026:	\$155,361
2026 weekly budget requirement:	\$19,610
This week's budget receipts: 3/15/26	\$13,318

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER



What's on the Menu?

Wednesday, April 1, 2026

Beef tips, twice baked potatoes, green beans, salad and dessert

\$5 adult, \$3 per child

There are so many great things happening at JIBC and we don't want you to miss out! You can stay connected several ways:



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