The Messenger

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JIBC is collecting school supplies for Johns Island Elementary School! Drop off listed items on the sanctuary stage between now and August 3.

- ♦ Book bags
- ♦ Crayola crayons (24 pack)
- Crayola THICK washable markers
- Ticonderoga pencils
- Objective by Boxes of tissues
- ♦ Paper Towels
- ♦ Liquid hand soap

- Baby wipes
- ♦ Clorox antibacterial wipes
- ♦ Fiskar scissors (metal)
- Open Plastic pencil boxes
- Wide-ruled composition journals
- Plastic pocket folders (solid colors)

- Erasers (basic pink or pencil top)
- ♦ Elmer's Glue Sticks
- ♦ EXPO markers
- Sharpies (fine point)
- Straight jack headphones (no ear buds)

James Island Baptist Church Staff

Pastor: Tom Brown

Associate Pastor: Kyle Hooss Worship Pastor: David Martin Student Ministry Pastor: Logan Duvall

Ministry Assistant: Neale Young

Weekday Preschool Director: Laura Holmes



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Perspectives

Pastor Tom

Four International Touch Points

Do you believe God can touch the world through James Island Baptist? Yes, of course we believe. It is the Great Commission that calls us to go into all the world and make disciples.



So, off goes Mark L. to Slovakia working with resettled Ukrainians escaping the war; off goes Robin C. and Brook B. to Colombia South America; off goes Amanda and Lyla H. to Uganda; and there goes Cheryl and Anne to Romania. Remember these in your prayers as they take the love of God and the Good News of Jesus to the utter most part of the world!

But what about "Missions at home"? Let's talk about that. We host a new start Ukrainian Church who is trying to reach those in our community who were part of the former Soviet Union. Pastor Claudio and Claudia continue to lead Luz y Verdad to reach the Hispanic Church in the greater Charleston area. They are reaching about 100 each week and are constantly going to share the love of God to Migrants in Beaufort, Walterboro, etc.

Show some love locally? Of course! We are collecting school supplies for the underserved students at the new Johns Island Elementary School. We are trying to coordinate catering a meal for the teachers and distributing over 100 book bags filled with school supplies. Thank you all for being so generous .

Just around the corner is our mission partners, James Island Outreach. We are keeping them supplied with Jelly and syrup. It seems like they come by every two weeks to pick up all that you have donated. I love imaging some senior adult enjoying their biscuits or their PB&J with the jelly you donated!

Last of all I want to mention the "Spiritual Conversation" display. It is full to the brim indicating that our church family and friends have had almost 300 spiritual conversations in the last 6 weeks! We had to add two more containers to handle all the ping pong balls that represent spiritual conversations.

I love what our Father is doing. I love how you are following. See you soon, good Lord willing.

Pastor Tom



BEACH BAPTISM WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 6:30 PM FOLLY BEACH COUNTY PARK

Contact the church office at 843-762-0244 if you would like to be baptized that day

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JIBC 78TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

BIBLE STUDAY AT 10 AM

COMBINED WORSHIP AT 11AM

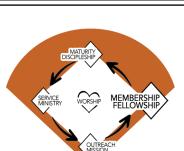
NO 9 AM WORSHIP...PLEASE JOIN US AT 11 AM

AWANA Wednesday Nights beginning September 3 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

AWANA is a fun and interactive children's program with a focus on learning God's word and missions. AWANA is for children, 3 years old to 5th grade. In AWANA your child will learn and memorize scripture, cooperate with other children through games and activities, participate in mission projects, and worship together during the opening session.

AWANA meets Wednesday nights, from September through May, 6:00 pm—7:30 pm.

Text AWANA to 843-762-0244 to register



CLASS 101: Discovering Membership at JIBC Sunday, August 31, 4—8 pm

Childcare and dinner provided with reservation To sign up:

Text CLASS101 to 843-762-0244 or call the church office at 843-762-0244

At this seminar we explain who the JIBC family is, what it means to be a member and how to become a member of the family.

Prayer Requests

Family and Friends

- Myrtle Maull
- Gene Schurlknight
- Willa Mae Mincey
- Larry Alexander
- Jada Benton
- David Hall
- Mel Bell
- Debbie McLawhorn
- Eric Heitman
- Frank O. Hunt
- Bill & Carollee Simmons
- Annette Petit
- Nancy Bryson Schwartz
- Jim Sherard

- Anna Gaskins
- James Parish
- Austyn, Caroline (Koch) Niccolls and Katie
- Barbara Smith
- Alston Pauls
- David MacDougall
- Frances Pooser
- Rie Reid
- Lisa Trainor
- April Moore
- Todd Holseberg
- Brenda Lewis
- Scott Ausborne

Mission/Ministry Prayer

- Romania Mission Trip: August 12-27, 2025
- Colombia Mission Trip: August 5-12, 2025
- 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)

Preschool & Children's

Worship

5:30p Celebrate Recovery

6:00p Youth Group

Monday—Friday (September—May)

9:00a - Riverland Terrace Day School 12:00p

Wednesday (September—May)

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



How to Give to JIBC

Give in person

Give online at jamesislandbaptist.com or Text the word GIVE to 843-762-0244

Mail your contribution to James Island Baptist Church

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A Look At The Numbers	
Projected budget through June 2025	\$502,104
Actual received through June 2025:	\$474,051
2025 weekly budget requirement:	\$19,312
This week's budget receipts: 7/20/25	\$15,589



WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS
WILL RETURN IN SEPTEMBER



James Island Outreach needs our help! Can you help us stock their shelves with jelly and pancake syrup? You can leave your donation in front of the church office.





Sundays at 5:30 pm

Dinner
Worship & Lesson
Small Groups

Childcare Available