

JAMES ISLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

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Spiritual Disciplines

The Habits Every Believer Needs To Grow

Current Sermon Series

If you miss a week, you can watch previous services on the website, church app or YouTube.

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

Perspectives

Pastor Tom

“Rejoice in the Lord always and again I say rejoice!”

Our thanks to the Holy Spirit and the Apostle Paul for such a heartfelt reminder to rejoice in our precious Lord. And in case we missed it, he says it again...”again I say rejoice”. I know you join me in rejoicing in the blessings of God upon our JIBC family. As we like to say, God is good all the time and all the time God is good.

I want to invite you to and encourage you to attend, our upcoming Ministry Management Team/Quarterly Ministry Conference. It will be held on Wednesday, February 25 at 6:30 in the Fellowship Hall. The meal is on us, so come on a little early if you can and enjoy the meal.

We have several mission and ministry items on our agenda. They will include, but not be limited to: the financial statement (spoiler alert, 2025 was the best year ever!); a construction plan update on the awnings, the bathrooms and the kitchen; and an update on the Associate Pastor position. The primary Mission/Ministry is to present the “Pray Charleston 2026” plan. We had a successful Pray Charleston 24/7 where JIBC and friends joined together to pray on the 10th of every month. That ended on December 10, 2025. Our prayers for Charleston have not ended. It is my desire to lead our church family and friends to pray on a regular basis for our beloved city. To that end, we will be providing our church family with the needed tools to become intercessors on behalf of the greater Charleston area. As a Shepherd/Pastor, I am pretty excited about this.

For those who cannot attend, we will try to have an on-line video that will bring you up to speed. Believe it or not, the launch date I have chosen is Easter Sunday! Why not present this when we have the most people present?

Let's do it again: “Rejoice in the Lord always and again I say rejoice!”

Love you all,

Pastor Tom

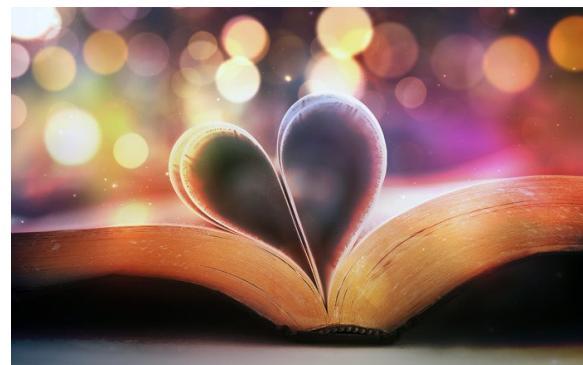
All couples and singles are invited to join our Mens and Moms groups for a combined Marriage Series beginning February 15.

We will plan to meet at 10AM in room E-210.

This is a great opportunity for new members seeking a

Sunday small group to jump in.

We hope you can join us!



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.





Viking River Cruise April 9–16, 2027

This amazing trip begins in Amsterdam and ends in Basel, Switzerland. We will sail down the Rhine and visit towns in Germany and France on our journey, passing many castles. Cost includes accommodations, food & beverage, and a free excursion in every port. For more information, contact Cheryl Parish at cparish@aol.com or 843-270-1453.

JOY CLUB Bibles and Brushes Art Event Wednesday, February 25, 10 am



This is one of our favorite events! Kat Cumberledge will once again lead us in a time of devotion while guiding us to create individual paintings. All necessary supplies will be furnished, but please bring \$10 to help cover expenses. Sign up on the bulletin board or contact Cheryl Parish at 843-270-1453 or cparish@aol.com by Wednesday, February 18 so that we will be adequately prepared. Come ready to have a relaxing time painting while enjoying fellowship with friends!



Ministry Management Team / Quarterly Ministry Conference

Wednesday, February 25, 6:30 PM

Room F102 (right off the Fellowship Hall)

Team leaders are asked to be present and anyone is welcome to join us!

Prayer Requests

Family and Friends

- Myrtle Maull
- Gene Schurlknight
- Willa Mae Mincey
- Larry Alexander
- Jada Benton
- David Hall
- Mel Bell
- Debbie McLawhorn
- Eric Heitman
- Bill & Carollee Simmons
- Nancy Bryson Schwartz
- Jim Sherard
- Anna Gaskins

- Austyn, Caroline (Koch)
- Nicolls and Katie
- Alston Pauls
- Liz Burrell
- Bubba & Stella Burnham
- Carolyn Benton
- Sneed Family
- Rett & Linda Iler
- Louise Frye
- Caroline Mixon Littlefield and Annie Lynn
- Terry Wanko
- Kate King
- April Moore

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



The Church at Riverland Terrace

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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 - JIBC 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 December 2025:	\$1,004,208
Actual received through December 2025:	\$1,111,993
2026 weekly budget requirement:	\$19,610
This week's budget receipts: 2/1/26 (no onsite service due to weather)	\$3,844



Wednesday, February 18, 2026

Fried or baked chicken,
macaroni & cheese, green beans,
salad & 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:



The Church Website: www.JamesIslandBaptist.com

The Church App: Download the church app from your app store. Search "James Island Baptist SC".

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