

Joshua Methodist Church



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114 Paula Drive, Joshua, Texas

Weekly Newsletter

Dec. 10, 2023

A CHRISTMAS STORY

Joseph

Scripture:
Matthew 1:18–25

Order of Worship

10:30 Service

Apostles Creed

Prelude

Wile By My Sheep

Opening Song

O Come All Ye Faithful (Red #174)
Yes and Amen
In Christ Alone (Red #106)

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory Song

What Child Is This (Red #179)

Doxology

Children's Time

Sermon

A Real Christmas Story: Joseph
Matthew 1:18-25

Closing Song

I Surrender All (Red #607)

Mission Statement / Benediction

We are committed Christian disciples,
loving God, growing in grace and serving others

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Today

Welcoming New Members to Joshua Methodist Church

We are thrilled to have you join our family and feel right at home. Every new member is a blessing from God and a source of inspiration as we work to grow His Kingdom.

Let's all come together to give a warm and heartfelt

"Welcome!" to

Kyle Garrison
Kelly Garrison
Abigail Garrison
Rebekah Garrison
Hannah Faith Garrison
Josiah Garrison
Noah Cade Garrison

Marcus Littles
Dana Cozby
Tina Bruner
Grace Bruner
Merle Breitenstein
April Breitenstein



JMM

Joshua Methodist Men

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meet Sunday following the church service in the gym
Lunch will be provided in the gym.

GriefShare

Grief Support Group

*Help and encouragement
after the death of a loved one*

At a GriefShare group, you'll find understanding, guidance, relief, and a safe place to navigate the challenges of grief. Come join us!

Sundays 4- 6 p.m.
September 10- December 10
Joshua Methodist Church
Presented by:
Cheryl Pritchett, Pat Bonds & Terri Curry

griefshare.org

Last one of the year

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This Week

Christmas Poinsettias



You can purchase a poinsettia in honor or memory of a someone special.

Let us know your name and to whom you wish to dedicate the poinsettia, and it will be printed in our next newsletters leading up to Christmas.

What a special way to honor those we love!

Small: \$6.50 or Large: \$18.50

We have 18 small ones to purchase or 2 large ones



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This Week

CHURCH COUNCIL



Tuesday, December 12th
at 6:30pm
in Chedester Hall



ROMEO meets Wednesdays at 7AM
at the Brunch House for
breakfast & fellowship.
Men & Women are welcome

Wednesday Bible Study

The Scarlet Thread

Pastor Payton's
Bible Study is on Wednesdays,
bright and early at **10:00 AM** or
in the evening at **6:00 PM**,

Hope you can join us.

Don't miss this amazing chance to grow
in faith with your community!



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TAMALES

Javier Noriega is selling tamales, chicken, pork or beef, to contribute to a fund to refinish the 2nd half of the gym. Please pre-order your tamales by calling the church office. If you would like to contribute to this fund, please mark your money accordingly. Thank you.

Chicken or Pork Tamales - \$20/dozen
Beef Tamales - \$25/dozen

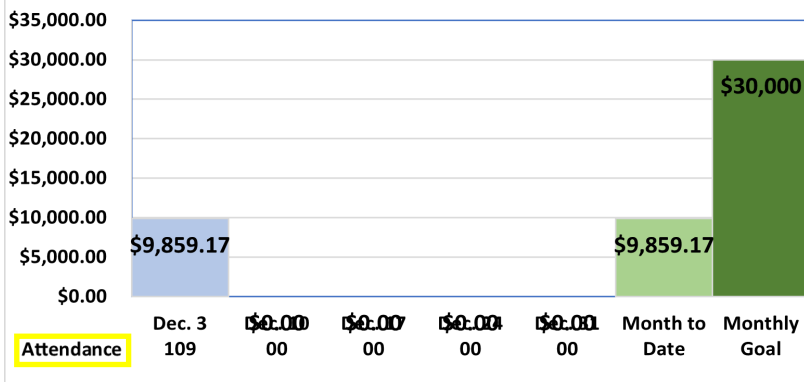
We have raised \$1553.00 for the Gym Refinish Fund

Health Tips in the Wesleyan Tradition

Want to put more Protein in your diet?



December Operating Funds



Week Schedule

Holiday
POTLUCK LUNCH

We will have a short meeting in the sanctuary after worship and then walk to the gym for our Potluck Lunch

Let's come together for a quick church meeting and then follow with a Potluck Lunch filled with delicious food and good company. It's time to share the joy of the holiday season

BRING A DISH TO SHARE!

SUNDAY 17 DEC AT 12-3 PM

Questions: Please see Angela Bradsher

WEEK SCHEDULE 12-10-2023

Sunday	
7:30am	Pre-service Prayer
9:00am	Sunday School
10:30am	Worship
12:00pm	JMM
4:00pm	GriefShare
Monday	
10:00am	Helping Hands Pantry (12:00pm)
2:00pm	Helping Hands Pantry (4:00pm)
Tuesday	
6:30pm	Church Council
Wednesday	
7:00am	ROMEO
10:00am	Wednesday Bible Study
6:00pm	Wednesday Bible Study
Thursday	
10:00am	Helping Hands Pantry (12:00pm)
2:00pm	Helping Hands Pantry (4:00pm)

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