

Joshua Methodist Church



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Weekly Newsletter

Dec. 8, 2024



Joy To The World

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The Gift That Keeps On Giving



Advent

Philippians 1:6

Pastor Payton Carter

Order of Worship

10:30 Service

Call to Worship

Apostles Creed

Opening Songs

Worship in Song

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Offertory Song

Worship in Song

Doxology

Children's Time

Sermon

Joy To The World:
The Gift That Keeps On Giving
Philippians 1:6

Closing Song

Worship in Song

Mission Statement / Benediction

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



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Today



Methodist Men are meeting Sunday
after church in the gym.
Lunch is provided.

GriefShare

Grief Support Group

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

Join our 13 week grief recovery program to find hope and
healing after the death of a loved one.

Register online at griefshare.org

Please order a workbook (\$20), no other costs.

This program will enable you to hear insight from grief recovery experts,
receive comfort and support and learn practical tips
for the journey of grief.

**Sundays 4:00-6:00pm,
September 15 - December 15**

*Questions? please contact
Cheryl Pritchett 817-919-4191*

griefshare.org

Wednesday Night Live

This season bring joy and happiness to all

DECEMBER

11

6:00-8:00PM

Christmas
Dinner

114 Paula Drive, Joshua, TX 76058



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This Week



Helping Hands Food Pantry

Fighting Hunger Together

Donation Requests



Cereal & Jelly

you can notate on
your donation
"Helping Hands"



FOOD DRIVE with Brookshires Spirit of Christmas

Annual Food Drive - give to Brookshires during this time.
Gift cards of \$5 or more to support our Food Pantry



Going on now until December 17,
to participate, visit Joshua Brookshires!

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Next Week



YOU ARE INVITED TO A

Christmas Tea Party



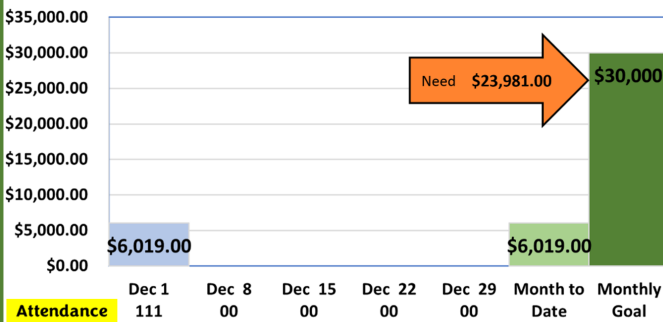
December 15, 2024
2:00PM - 4:00PM

Joshua Methodist Church
Chedester Hall
114 Paula Drive, Joshua, TX



Hosted By:
Joshua Methodist Women

December Operating Funds



Would you like to join the Choir?



Contact: George Jenista
navy7700@gmail.com or
text 'CHOIR' to (682) 230-0583

Coming Soon

PASTOR PAYTON & LYNDSEI'S TWINS
BABY SHOWER



LYDIA

12.28.2024
2-4 PM



SAMUEL

Joshua Methodist Church
Gym (building in the back)
114 Paula Drive
Joshua, TX 76058

*It's time to come up with a
fresh name for the newsletter.*

NEWSLETTER ?

**Newsletter, Bulletin—what should we really call it?
As we welcome the new year, it's time for a fresh name.
If you have any suggestions, feel free to send them to
lynn@joshuamethodist.church.**



Communication Requests

Email, Newsletter, Website

**Don't miss out!
Submit all communications by
12pm Wednesdays.**

If I'm not in my office, kindly place it in the
basket located on the wall right
outside my office door.

or email: lynn@joshuamethodist.church

Get it in before the deadline!

Philippians - Word Search

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Daily Bible Reading Plan

December

First Sunday of Advent

- 1 Psalm 30
- 2 Luke 21:5-24
- 3 Luke 21:25-38
- 4 Daniel 10:1-11:2a
- 5 Malachi 1:1-14
- 6 Malachi 2:1-17
- 7 Malachi 3:1-18

Second Sunday of Advent

- 8 Malachi 4:1-6
- 9 Revelation 1:1-20
- 10 Revelation 2:1-29
- 11 Revelation 3:1-22
- 12 Revelation 4:1-11
- 13 Revelation 5:1-14
- 14 Revelation 6:1-17

Third Sunday of Advent

- 15 Revelation 7:1-17
- 16 Revelation 19:1-21
- 17 Isaiah 60:1-22
- 18 Isaiah 7:1-25
- 19 Isaiah 8:1-15
- 20 Isaiah 8:16-9:7
- 21 Luke 1:1-25

Fourth Sunday of Advent

- 22 Luke 1:26-56
- 23 Luke 1:57-80
- 24 Luke 2:1-21

Christmas Day

- 25 John 1:1-18
- 26 John 1:19-34
- 27 John 1:35-51
- 28 Luke 2:22-52
- 29 Revelation 21:1-27
- 30 Revelation 22:1-21
- 31 Isaiah 65:17-25

4 WAYS TO GIVE



TXT

Text "JMC" to
817-790-9008



IN PERSON

Place your gift in
the offering plate.



MAIL

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ONLINE

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Calendar

December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
01	02 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	03	04 11:30 LAB 5:00 Prayer 6:00 WNL	05 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry 6:00 LAB	06	07 8am Church Workday
08 After Service: JMM 4:00 GriefShare	09 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	10	11 10:00 Bible Study 5:00 Prayer 6:00 WNL	12 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	13 6:00 Singles	14
15 2:00 JMW Christmas Tea 4:00 GriefShare	16 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	17	18 10:00 Bible Study	19 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	20	21
22	23 Helping Hands is closed	24 7pm Christmas Eve Service Office Closed	25 Christmas Day Office Closed	26 Helping Hands is closed	27	28 2-4pm Baby Shower for Lyndsi in the Gym
29	30 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	31 Office Closed	01 Office Closed	02	03	04

Notes :

Sunday Morning Activities:

7:30 am Morning Prayer

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Pre-Service Prayer

10:30 am Worship Service

Notes

Church Council:

Interim Admin Chair - Jerome O'Loughlin

Admin Council Secretary - Pat Browder

At Large - Jerome O'Loughlin, Palmer Byerley

Chair - Congregational Care Ministry - Pat Bonds

Chair - Finance - Lucy Dowings

Chair - Staff Parish Relations - Tom Grabeal

Chair - Radical Hospitality - Marsha Tucker

Chair - Risk Taking Missions & Service - Melia Mehlhorn

Chair - Trustees - Roy McKenzie

Lay Leader - Barbara Crew

JMM - Don Collins

JMW - Lucy Dowings



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Senior Pastor
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“FLAP” then
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plate.



The FLAP

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As committed Christian Disciples,
we **love** God
grow in Grace
and **serve** others



12/8/2024

The FLAP

We're so glad that you are here!
Please take a few minutes to fill out
this card and put in the offering plate.

NAME

PHONE

EMAIL

ADDRESS

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

- Member
- First-time Visitor
- Returning Visitor
- Interested in Membership
- Interested in Baptism
- Needing Prayer

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