

Joshua Journal

May 17, 2026



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Order of Worship

Welcome

Apostles Creed

Children's Time

Worship Songs

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon

Clarity:

Romans 6:1-14

Payton Carter

Offertory

Doxology

Worship Songs

Mission Statement / Benediction

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



Ministry News



Methodist Men are meeting today, **May 17th**
after church, with the Joshua Methodist Women
Lunch will be provided.

Dinner Church will pause for the summer season,
with our last gathering on May 20th.

Don't miss the chance to join us before the break—and
we look forward to welcoming you back for our fall reboot!

Joshua Methodist Church

You're



Invited

everyone is welcome to the table
FOOD. FELLOWSHIP. SCRIPTURE

Message Board



GALATIANS Ladies' Bible Conference

Join us for a verse-by-verse study of Galatians. Taught by 3D Training Center's own students and servers, we will look in-depth on the topics of Paul's letter to the Galatian church, including a deep-dive into the doctrine of sanctification.

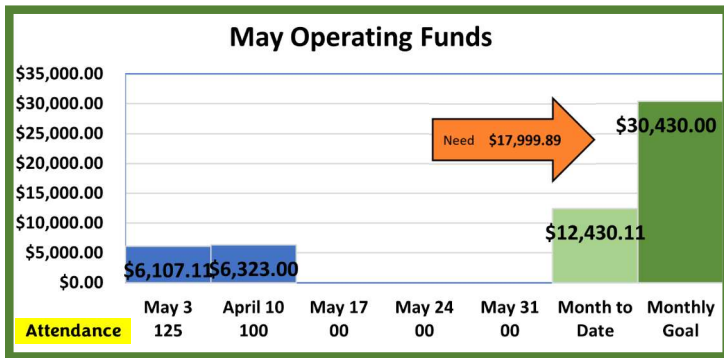
For more information on the conference or our school, visit 3dtc.org or scan the QR Code.

WHEN:
June 8th-12th
Monday - Friday
9am - 5pm

WHERE:
Joshua Methodist Church
114 Paula St.
Joshua, TX
Lunch will be provided.










Note the new day and time

Communication Request Form - Required for All Announcements

To help us keep church communications organized and accurate, **all requests** (Announcements, News, Website, Journal, or Email updates) must include a completed Communication Request Form.

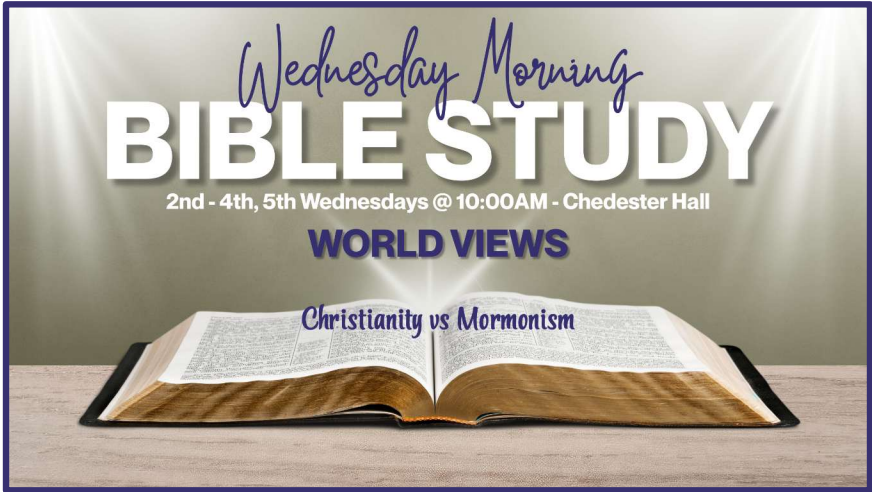
- Verbal or email-only requests will not be accepted.
- Requests without a form will not be processed.



1. Download the PDF form from the Media page >Resource Downloads.
2. Fill it out, save it to your computer, and email it to lynn@joshuamethodist.church.
3. Physical forms are available outside the Church Office.
4. Fill it out, turn it in, if I'm not available, place it in the basket outside the office door.
5. **Deadline: Tuesdays at 2:00 PM.**

Thank you for helping us keep everything running smoothly and on schedule!

Ministry Opportunities



Reach Joshua - How It Works

Every interaction matters - and every interaction needs to be recorded

When you experience a Reach Joshua moment:

#REACHJOSHUA

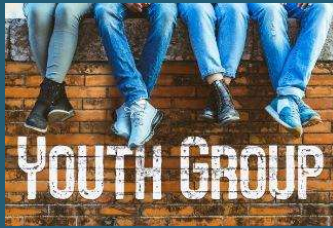
- **White** - Had a spiritual conversation
- **Green** - Invited someone to church
- **Yellow** - Performed an act of love
- **Blue** - Shared the Gospel

Go to reachjoshua.com and log your interaction. This ensures we can track, celebrate and see how God is moving through our church.

Our team will then place the matching colored ping pong ball in the jar on your behalf.

Each week, those balls will be poured into the larger jar on the altar - representing the full impact of our church in the community.

Message Board



Youth

Spring Dinner Schedule

The link to sign up is on Facebook and the JMC Online Edition weekly email.

YOUTH SUNDAY DINNERS — SPRING SIGN-UP

Each Sunday evening our youth gather for games, dinner, and worship together. We are building our Spring Dinner Schedule (March–May) and would love for families, small groups,

or individuals to sign up for a date. Meals typically serve approximately 15 students and leaders.

You may:

- Provide the full meal
- Partner with others
- Sponsor a pizza night
- Provide a main dish, side, or dessert

Thank you for investing in the next generation.
Your support makes a real difference.

Bible Reading Plan

May

Last month, we slowed down and took a deeper look at a single chapter. This month, we'll continue that approach - focusing on key passages that lead us to Pentecost and help us understand how the Holy Spirit works in our lives today.

Week 1 - The Promise of the Spirit

Day 1 John 14:15–17

Day 2 John 14:25–27

Day 3 John 14:15–27 (review)

Day 4 John 15:26–27

Day 5 John 16:5–15

Day 6 John 14–16 full

Day 7 Reflection

Week 2 - Waiting & Readiness

Day 8 Luke 24:36–49

Day 9 Acts 1:1–5

Day 10 Acts 1:1–11 (review)

Day 11 Acts 1:12–14

Day 12 Acts 1:15–26

Day 13 Luke 24 + Acts

Day 14 Reflection

Week 3 - The Arrival of the Spirit

Day 15 Acts 2:1–13

Day 16 Acts 2:14–21

Day 17 Acts 2:1–21 (review)

Day 18 Acts 2:22–36

Day 19 Acts 2:37–41

Day 20 Acts 2:1–41 full

Day 21 Reflection

Week 4 - The Church Empowered

Day 22 Acts 2:42–47

Day 23 Acts 3:1–10

Day 24 Acts 3:1–26

Day 25 Acts 4:23–31

Day 26 Acts 2–4 full

Day 27 Reflection

Day 28 Reflection

Week 5 - Living by the Spirit

Day 29 Galatians 5:16–26

Day 30 30 Romans 8:9–17

Day 31 31 Galatians 5:16–26 (review)

2 Romans 6:1-14 - Word Search



BAPTISM

CHRIST

CRUCIFIED

DEAD

ETERNAL

FAITH

FATHER

FREE

GLORY

GOD'S LOVE

GRACE

HIM

INCREASE

INSTRUMENT

JESUS

KNOW

LIFE

LIVE

LORD

MASTERY

OBEDIENCE

RAISED

REIGN

RESURRECTION

RIGHTEOUSNESS

RULED

SERVE

SIN

UNITED

May 2026

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

26	27	28	29	30	01	02
03 4-6pm GriefShare 4:12 Youth	04 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	05	06 NO Bible Study 11:30 LAB 6:30 Dinner Church	07 10-12 & 2-4 Helping H. Pantry National Day of Prayer @ 7PM True Life Church	08 6:30 JUMPS Graduation 	09
10 Mother's Day 4-6pm GriefShare 4:12 Youth	11 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	12 6:30 Church Council Meeting	13 10:00 Bible Study 6:30 Dinner Church	14 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry Rummage Sale Hours	15 TBD	16 Game Night 5-7PM TBD
17 After Service: JMW & JMM 4:12 Youth	18 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	19	20 10:00 Bible Study 11:30 LAB 6:30 Dinner Church	21 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	22	23
24 4:12 Youth	25 Memorial Day Office & HH Pantry CLOSED	26	27 10:00 Bible Study 6:30 Dinner Church	28 10-12 & 2-4 Helping Hands Pantry	29	30
31 4:12 Youth	01	02	03	04	05	06

Notes :

Sunday Morning Activities:

7:30 am Morning Prayer
9:00 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service
4:12 Youth

Rummage Sale
May 14, 15, 16 (Thurs - Sat)

4 WAYS TO GIVE



TXT
Text "JMC" to
817-790-9008



IN PERSON
Place your gift in
the offering plate.



MAIL

Joshua Methodist Church
P.O. Box 376
Joshua, TX 76058



ONLINE
Scan the QR code
to be directed to
Amplify formerly
Mogive

The FLAP

Please fill out the other side of the “FLAP” then fold and tear on the perforated line and drop in the offering plate.



Joshua Methodist Church



love



grow



serve

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



The FLAP

5/17/2026

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 - (if changed)

Email - (if changed)

Address - (if changed)

Please select one

- Partner
- First-time Visitor
- Second-time Visitor
- Regular Attender

I would like to learn about (Check all that apply)

- Becoming a Partner
- Baptism
- Small Groups
- Serving Opportunities
- Joshua Methodist Ministries

I am in need of Prayer

Please fill out the “FLAP” then fold and tear on the perforated line and drop in the offering plate.



Or you can scan this QR code and fill out the form online.

