

### We believe...

...that Jesus Christ is the one and only Son of God, who died for our sins and rose from the dead. 1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 3:16

...that the Bible is the inspired Word of God – a lamp unto our feet and light unto our path.
2 Timothy 3:16; Psalm 119:105

...that every person has worth in God's eyes, and that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. **Romans 3:23** 

...that forgiveness of sins and the promise of eternal life are available to those who trust in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. John 3:16

...that those accepting Christ should repent of sin, confess their faith, and be baptized by immersion into Him. **Romans 10:9; Acts 2:38** 

...that the church is the body of Christ on earth, empowered by the Holy Spirit to bring the lost to Christ and the saved into a nurturing relationship with Jesus. Ephesians 4:1-16

The Jennings Road Church of Christ exists to glorify God by turning unchurched people into fully devoted followers of Christ. Jennings Road Church of Christ 1124 Jennings Road, Van Wert, OH <u>www.jenningsroad.org</u> Pastor David Ray, Jr. Sunday School - 9:00 AM/Worship - 10:00 AM

## September, 2019

#### Me and G: Mighty...Warriors? (con't.) September 2019 Sermon Series

Gideon has come face to face with Jesus, and now has an important decision to make: what do you do when Jesus calls you to do something you don't feel qualified for?

Sept 1FavorJudges 6:17-18Gideon is both thrilled and scared that Jesus is pleased with him,<br/>calling it "favor". Ironically, Gideon does what many of us do<br/>when we want to make certain it's God calling us to do or be<br/>the impossible: we ask for a sign.

Sept 8FearJudges 6:19-24When Jesus gives Gideon the sign he desperately wanted, Mr.<br/>Favor freaks out. Who wouldn't? He just realized that he has<br/>come face to face with the Faceless God! Would you respond<br/>the same way if suddenly you realized you were talking to God<br/>Himself? Does God want us to be afraid of Him?

Sept 15FatherJudges 6:25-32The first challenge God has for his mighty warrior is to deal with<br/>his father's bull. (I'll wait for that to sink in.) Seriously! His dad<br/>has a bull in the front yard that was a statue to a false god.<br/>Many of us today have our own "daddy issues" that we need<br/>to deal with if we're going to see God clearly.

Sept 22FightJudges 7Finally, the big battle has come!What does God do when weface an impossible fight?That's right, surrender!(No, seriously.)Surrender to Him, that is.When God tells Gideon exactly howhe's going to provide victory, Gideon has to decide to follow hisfear or follow the God who promised victory.

Sept 295th Sunday Celebration!Yay!No Children's Church or Sunday School for this very specialoutdoor celebration!Bring some chairs and some food to share.

# Youth News

We have been talking about changes coming to the Youth Ministry, and that time has come! Starting this month, Josh will be taking over the Jr and Sr High Sunday School class, and stepping away from teaching Children's Church.

We want to thank him for his faithful service over the past 5 years!



We will have a very strong group of people taking over to teach Children's Church, and we are excited about all the new things to come! If anyone is intererested in teaching, please reach out to Dave or Josh, and ask how you can become a part of this awesome ministry! They will be happy to discuss what's going on! As always, we appreciate your prayers for our youth and those working with them!



The children will be starting a new lesson plan this month. Amazing and exciting things are coming and the kids are going to have so much fun!

As always, we encourage the adults to talk to the kids about what they are learning and how we can all become more Christ-like!

You can reach the youth group through their Facebook page jrccyouthgroup or email <u>JrccYouthGroup@outlook.com</u>



<u>Prayer Requests & Praises</u> Pastor Dave – health Rosie Miracle – health Jerry Miracle – health Kenisha Seibert – health Modesta Taran - health Donna Klinger - Lupus Carol Thomas – Parkinson's disease Julie Kuhlhorst – physical & emotional pain Wilma Peterson – Parkinson's disease Marie Ray – health Jennie Glaze – health Joseph Benavidez – hospitalized



## <u>Birthdays</u>

- 9/7Brenda Saylor9/9Naomi Ray9/11Joann Adams9/11JT Mills9/13Samantha Skeens9/15Nancy Ripley9/16Marie Ray9/16Tyler White9/20Doug Rosenbauer9/28Rachel Bledsoe9/30Ezekiel Kuhn
- 9/30 Betty Rhodes



2019 PLC Health Clinic Walk for Life September 15<sup>th</sup> at Franklin Park Registration begins at 1:30 / Walk begins at 2:00 See you there!

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Celebration! September 29, 2019 No Children's Church or Sunday School Carry-in/out outdoor lunch following Worship Bring a chair and food to share!



Kirsten Roberts – Marines Jayden Dickson – Air Force Josh Leiter – Marines Lee Clay – Marines Jeffrey Kinner – Navy Josh Ray – Marines Michael Kapangama – Air Force National Guard

Please remember all military men, women, Veterans and their families.

## September Serving Schedule

## **Communion Meditation**

Keith Langdon		
Matt Langdon		
Matt Mills		
Derrin Kuhn		
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday		

#### <u>Greeters</u>

#### 9/1 Ramon 9/8 Lisa & Rick 9/15 Lorraine & Brenda 9/22 Johnna 9/29 Josh & Sara

#### Servers:

Greg Ramon Candy lan

#### Prayer Room

9/1 Bernie 9/8 Deb 9/15 Celia 9/22 Earl 9/29 Drake

#### Cleaning

9/1	Earl & Deb
9/8	Earl & Deb
9/15	Dave & Deanna
9/22	Dave & Deanna
9/29	Fall Cleaning

### Communion Prep:

Lisa & Rick

## Jennings Road Church of Christ Leadership

Pastor:	David Ray, Jr.		
Elders:	Keith Langdon	Earl Bledsoe	Matt Langdon
<u>Ministry Leaders:</u>			
	Music/Worship:	Matt Langdon	
	Administrative:	Anita Searl	
	Maintenance/Servers:	Greg Roberts	
	Financials:	Johnna Roberts	
	Hospitality:	Jamie Ramos Deb Bledsoe	