

# Jennings Road Church of Christ

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Pastor David Ray, Jr.

Worship Service ~ 10:30 AM

Love God



Love Others

## *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.**

## **Dead Man Walking**

### **April 2023 Sermon Series**

As Easter is near, our adventure with Jesus turns for the worst. (Well, it always seems that way, doesn't it?) Jesus goes from healing the dead to being dead. What do we do when it seems like God is dead?

Simple: keep walking.

**April 2**

**"Forward"**

**Matt 26:31-35**

Judas is betraying Jesus, but the disciples have no clue. Then, during supper, Jesus announces that one of the 12 will betray him. His closest followers are stunned and wonder who it could be! Who would dare betray the Lord? Jesus says, actually, everybody. (Wait, even me???) But very quietly, amid all the emotions, he slips in a simple statement of his plans that should bring us comfort in chaos.

**April 9**

**"Fantastic!"**

**John 20:11-18**

Ever heard the phrase, "God is the God of Surprises"? Fun to say, but a roller coaster of emotions can go along with finding that what you thought would happen doesn't.

**April 16**

**"Fear"**

**John 20:19-20**

Jesus is back! Kinda. Peter and John ran and saw the tomb empty, at least. So what do they do with that knowledge? Hide in fear. What causes followers of Jesus to cower instead of thrive? It all comes down to knowing Jesus is alive versus proof that he is. Know the feeling?

**April 23**

**"Forgiving Father"**

**John 20:21-22**

What do we do when we are afraid and God tells us to move anyway? It all comes down to one thing: forgiveness.

**April 30**

**"Faith"**

**John 20:24-29**

On this unique Church At Home Sunday, we will gather in small groups in homes to discuss poor "Doubting" Thomas. (He so does NOT deserve that nickname.) Is it a lack of faith when you demand to see Jesus as others have?

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## Jennings Road Ministry Leaders

**Pastor:** David Ray, Jr.

**Elders:** Keith Langdon  
Matt Langdon

**Music/Worship:** Matt Langdon

**Administrative:** Anita Searl

**Financials:** Johnna Roberts

**Maintenance:** Greg Roberts



### Prayer Requests & Praises

*Pastor Dave – health*  
*Rosie Miracle – health*  
*Jerry Miracle – health*  
*Marie Ray – health*  
*Brenda Hesseling - health*  
*Amanda - health*

### Pray for our Military & families

*Kirsten Roberts – Marines*  
*Jayden Dickson – Air Force*  
*Jeffrey Kinner – Navy*  
*Josh Ray – Marines*



## *Easter Sunday*



*Sunday, April 9th*