January 2023

# Jennings Road Church of Christ

1124 Jennings Road, Van Wert, OH 45891



www.jenningsroad.org Pastor David Ray, Jr.

Worship Service ~ 10:30 AM

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.

### Adventure January 2023 Sermon Series

Has Jesus called you to go with him on an adventure? (The answer is yes, but you might not have heard Him ask.) He has, but...what does that mean for your life? For JRCC? For our community and the world?

Jan 1FishMatt 4:18-19Jesus begins his earthly ministry alone, but not for long. He goes<br/>fishing, but not for fish...for two brothers, Simon and Andrew. Then,<br/>Jesus gives them "An Opportunity of a Lifetime." Oh boy. The same offer<br/>he made to them for adventure, He makes to us. You in?

Jan 8 Family Matt 4:21-22 Not content with just one set of brothers, Jesus now calls James and John to the same adventure. The challenge? Well, for one thing, their nickname: The Sons of Thunder! The second? Jesus calling them means the family dynamic the boys are used to is about to fall apart. What do we do when our family isn't on board with us following Jesus?

Jan 15 Foundation Matt 4:23 Now armed with followers, Jesus begins his new year of ministry by actually living out what we would later call The Great Commission. What does it look like if we do the same?

Jan 22FutureMatt 4:24Can you imagine if Jesus healed you of, well, everything? No more<br/>pain, suffering, sickness? Not many can. And yet, that's precisely the<br/>first thing he does after getting followers. Jesus took the pain of the past<br/>and gave everyone a new future. But, you think, what about healing me,<br/>too? He has, but we need to think of the future.

Jan 29 Followers Matt 4:25 People from all over start following Jesus! Wait, people from different races, different backgrounds, different lifestyles? Yep. Now, that's an adventure!



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## Jennings Road Ministry Leaders

Pastor: David Ray, Jr.

Elders: Keith Langdon Matt Langdon

| Music/Worship:  | Matt Langdon   |
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| 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

Soldiers' Prayer Dear Lord, please bless our soldiers Protectors of our land. Servents called to battle When our country takes a stand.

Our country's prayers are with them No matter where they roam. Please listen when they are lonely And return them safely home.

### NEW YEAR PRAYER:

Thank You Lord for giving me The brand new year ahead. Help me live the way I should As each new day I tread. Give me gentle wisdom That I might help a friend, Give me strength and courage So a shoulder I might lend. The year ahead is empty, Help me fill it with good things Each new day filled with joy And happiness it brings. Amen.