

**GREETERS FOR NEXT WEEK:**

March 16<sup>th</sup> Jim & Pat Blair

**ACOLYTE FOR NEXT WEEK:**

March 16<sup>th</sup> Sidney Blair

**NURSERY FOR NEXT WEEK:**

March 16<sup>th</sup> Kent & Kate Carson

**JUNIOR CHURCH FOR NEXT WEEK:**

March 16<sup>th</sup>

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE FOR NEXT WEEK:**

March 16<sup>th</sup> Karen Mansell

**WORSHIP LEADER FOR NEXT WEEK:**

March 16<sup>th</sup> Bob Pardee

**FLOWERS**

Today's beautiful flowers were given by the Miller Family in honor of Peyton's birthday.

**BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY WISHES**

A special and heartfelt congratulations goes out to all those with Birthdays and Anniversaries this week.

March

10<sup>th</sup> Alyssa Childers

11<sup>th</sup> Olivia Wittmer

14<sup>th</sup> Jeff Childers

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

March 9<sup>th</sup> 2014

**HAPPENINGS THIS COMING WEEK**

Sunday, March 9 <sup>th</sup>	8:30am Sounds of Celebration 10:30am Worship Service/Scout Sunday 5:30pm Middle School Youth Group 6:30pm Lenten Service
Monday, March 10 <sup>th</sup>	4pm Prayer Walk, Bike Path *weather permitting
Tuesday, March 11 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am Bible Study 5:30pm TOPS
Wednesday, March 12 <sup>th</sup>	5:15pm Joy Ringers/Jr. Choir 7:30pm Adult Choir
Sunday, March 16 <sup>th</sup>	9:15 Sunday School 10:30am Worship Service 6:30pm Lenten Service

**Office hours & Contacts**

Pastor Kevin's hours are Monday - Thursday 9am to 5pm.

Pastor Kevin's e-mail address is pastorkevin@thejpc.org

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**Marie will be out of the office from  
Tuesday, March 11<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>.  
Pastor Kevin will hold regular hours Monday through Thursday.**

### Sunday Evening Lenten Services



The season of Lent is a time for reflection. With that thought in mind, we are offering Sunday evening Lenten services. Beginning March 9, and continuing through Palm Sunday, we will have services presented by people from our congregation. The topics vary and are determined by the presenter. These services are intended to be brief, beginning with a musical prelude at 6:30pm, followed by the service at 7:00pm. The hope is that this meaningful time together will help us prepare our hearts for Easter.

The schedule is not yet finalized, so if you have something you'd like to share, please contact Melanie Main at [mmmain@hotmail.com](mailto:mmmain@hotmail.com) or 614-395-8059.

### Scout Sunday

Today we are celebrating Scout Sunday.  
We are proud of our scouts who attend the JPC!!!

Phoebe Richards	Girl Scout Junior
Annika Pardee	Girl Scout Junior
Charlie Richards	Boy Scout Wolf
Megan Miller	Girl Scout Brownie
Alexis Diehl	Girl Scout Daisy



### Elizabeth Circle

Please join us for our Bible study and fellowship. We meet at the Hot Spot Coffee House Wednesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. We look forward to seeing you!



### Calling all Bell Choir Alums!



We are rededicating the bells and our new cases during the worship service on April 6. Our hope is to have a day of bell ringing featuring 4 different choirs: the current cast of Joy Ringers and Sounds of Celebration, an Adult Choir, and a choir composed entirely of former bell ringers. If you played in either bell choir during your school years, please join us for one more song! We would love to show the congregation the history of the bells in our church. Please let either Jane Muller or Melanie Main know by March 9 if you are interested. Practices will be scheduled for the last week of March.

### Multi-Committee Meeting

All of our church committees will be meeting on Tuesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm here at the church.

### Correspondences

To our Church Family,

There are no words to describe our gratitude and love for each and every one of you who have held us up in prayer, and thoughts, and caring during the last several months.



We are reminded of God's love and grace for us as we travel the road he has set for us, by allowing us to be a part of such a wonderful church and the people and children in it.

Our strength comes from a loving God, who sent his own son to die for our sins.

We love each of you and will always hold you close to our hearts.

Bob and Micki

Hazel and Joe have sent us a postcard. Please stop by the bulletin board near the pre-school office to see it. She sends great postcards!

**SERMON NOTES** – Luke 16:19-31 (NIV)

“Questions: Is God an angry judge sending people to hell?”

A correct view of hell helps us...

1. *Understand Our Own Hearts*
2. *Live at Peace in the World*
3. *Know the Love and Grace of God*

## Prayer Concerns

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### Continued Prayers

- Our governmental leaders
- The situation in Ukraine/Russia
- David Lee, friend of Paxine Pardee, has asked for prayers for his congregation. Dave ministers to the Presbyterian Church in Nitro, WV. They continue to deal with the results of the chemical leak that has been in the news lately.

### Healing

- Melody Frazier Dickens was in a car accident and was seriously injured. She is receiving vision therapy and has had surgeries to remove a metal plate in her skull, remove a filter that removes blood clots.
- Maxine Pardee myasthenia gravis and extreme pain. Awaiting results of latest neurological tests.
- Ron Goodman, Jane Muller's brother-in-law, latter stages of Parkinson's disease
- Rev. Edward Carlson, Maxine Pardee's son-in-law, now has a heart monitor. He has other serious medical issues.
- Norma Duncan needs continued prayer. Her conditions have been causing additional trouble.
- Robert Alexander, firefighter friend of David Blair, is now out of the hospital and recuperating at home. There is no adequate diagnosis for the low oxygen levels.
- Brionna, a six-year old who is critically ill at Children's Hospital.
- Margie Wheaten is in a rehab facility because of her Parkinson's.
- Carrie Wheaten has returned home after being hospitalized after having a stroke.
- Charlie Hayes, friend of Kaye Cook, had a stroke. He is now home.

### Cancer

- David Irwin's cancer is decreasing. He continues to work from home. He having extreme sensitivity to cold.
- Bob Maibach is under Hospice care and resting comfortably at home.
- Colton Zigo, Northridge graduate. Because he was injured in an auto accident his planned stem cell transplant was cancelled. Cancer has progressed.
- Laura and Bruce Wright's daughter Tina breast cancer and Lupus.
- Diane Crooks and Nancy Wiseman, friends of Suzy Sayer, have been diagnosed with ovarian cancer.
- Brian Fisher, friend of the Miller's and the Frazier's, has finished his colon cancer treatments.
- Paul Kiser former Johnstown High School teacher has been battling cancer for 7 years. Treatments are no longer affective.
- Victoria, New Albany high school student, has an inoperable brain tumor
- Megan Johnson Cervi, daughter of Bill Johnson, is having treatment for two areas of melanoma cancer.
- Milt Jordan, cancer has returned.
- Wilma Hendren, friend of Kaye Cook.
- Bob Evans, friend of the Almendingers, has cancer and is undergoing experimental treatment just approved by the FDA.
- Jean Neff, former member, has liver and pancreatic cancer. Now in Hospice care.

### Those Shut in or Confined to their Homes

- Roy H. Sarbaugh (Carol Hoff's father)
- Alice Neibarger
- Betty Ford is having more issues with her health.
- Lawrence Bishop at Sharonbrooke Sr. Living Center, Newark
- Cecil and Maryann Grimes, brother and sister-in-law to Maxine Pardee: Cecil has worsening Alzheimer's and Maryann has a lung condition. They are elderly and day-to-day activities are getting harder.

### Deaths

- Ruth Krumm, Funeral Mass will have been held on Friday, March 7 at the Church of the Ascension Catholic Church at 10.00 AM.