

# DECEMBER | EVENT SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS AM	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8:30, 9:45, &amp; 11:00AM Bible Fellowship</li> <li>9:45AM New Member Class</li> <li>10:45AM Husbands Praying for their Wives</li> <li>11:00AM New Member Class</li> </ul>	<p>29</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5:00PM Kidz Choir</li> <li>5:15PM Crown Financial Study</li> <li>6:00PM New Member Class</li> <li>6:00PM MasterLife 1 Class</li> <li>12:00PM Orchestra Christmas Bonus Rehearsal</li> <li>12:00PM Synaxis Christmas Eve Practice</li> <li>4:30PM Adult T.E.A.M. Meeting</li> <li>5:30PM Kidz Choir</li> <li>6:00PM MasterLife 1 Class</li> <li>6:00PM New Member Class</li> </ul>	<p>30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>8:30PM Volleyball</li> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>6:00PM Prayer Meeting</li> <li>8:30PM Volleyball</li> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>8:30PM Volleyball</li> <li>7:00PM Volleyball</li> </ul>	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>6:30PM Adult T.E.A.M. Meeting</li> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> </ul>	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>5:00PM Primetime's trip to Plain City</li> <li>10:30AM Primetime's Monthly Bible Study &amp; Luncheon</li> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> <li>4:30PM Upward Basketball and Cheer Practice</li> </ul>	<p>4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CrossTown Kids</li> <li>7:00PM First Friday/Single Adults 30+</li> <li>CrossTown Kids</li> <li>7:00PM T&amp;T 5th &amp; 6th Grade Girls Party</li> </ul>	<p>5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9:00AM Bonus Choir Christmas Rehearsal</li> <li>10:30AM New Member Class 11th Session</li> <li>11:00AM Women's Ministries Christmas Tea</li> <li>9:00AM Kidz Choir Rehearsal</li> <li>7:00PM Christmas Presentation</li> </ul>
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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, December 5 -  
Women's Ministry  
Christmas Tea

Sunday, December 13 -  
Kidz Choir Christmas  
Presentation

Saturday and Sunday,  
December 19 and 20 -  
Jersey Christmas  
Presentation

Thursday, December 24 -  
Christmas Eve Services

See additional details on  
these events inside.



## Pastor John on Community Groups

This past summer while out of town I had an accident jogging; of all things I was run over by a bicycle! I had a nasty laceration on my chest and a cracked rib. It was not easy to find an urgent care center near the site of the accident. With the help of a hotel receptionist I was given directions on where to get help for that "run over feeling". Thank God I was able to get to a hospital and get patched together to run and ride another day.

There are people in your neighborhood whose lives are broken spiritually and emotionally and are in need of urgent care. Is there somewhere for them to turn; to connect them with the great physician? In an attempt to move more of our congregation out of the central hospital (the church) and into the community where we can share the healing power found in Jesus, we are launching Community Groups in February 2010. Simply put these urgent care centers are where a small number of believers assemble in homes to grow in faith, serve the community, deepen relationships, and reach out to a hurting neighborhood.

The Community Groups are not replacing Bible Fellowship which has in many ways the same mission, but instead provide our congregation

with another option for small group.

Giving people choices is not a new approach to ministry at Jersey. A number of years ago, out of a desire to provide options for worship, we launched multiple venues. That decision has proven highly effective and we decided to do the same for small group Bible studies.

During the late summer I had the pleasure of being a part of a pilot Community Group; the experience exceeded expectations and allowed me to develop more personal relationships with a small group of people I would never gotten to know, at that level, apart from our weekly gathering.

A tremendous amount of work has been going on for a long time to help fulfill the vision I shared with you a couple years ago, "Bible study... anytime, anywhere." It is exciting to see how God is bringing the dream into reality and you can be apart one of the most exciting new ministry to be launched in our church history. Over the next few months you will hear more about Community Groups and my passion to move more of the church out into the hurting communities we serve by creating "urgent care centers" in our homes.

## MONTHLY MANNA

*Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David, in order to register along with Mary, who was engaged to him, and was with child. While they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her firstborn son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.*

— Luke 2:4-7 (NAS)

## CONTACT

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Hours: Monday – Friday  
9:00AM – 4:30PM

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A local Ohio Urgent Care organization uses the following advertisement to promote its network of Urgent Care centers.

“Our neighbors are important to us. Because of the number of facilities within the OhioHealth Network family, chances are that you are a neighbor of ours – and you may not even know it. We’d like you to know we are here and we are committed to providing you the absolute best healthcare, right in your own neighborhood. We don’t want you to have to travel far for high-quality healthcare. Our caring and compassionate associates and physicians are here for you. OhioHealth Network Neighborhood Care provides the quality care you and your family deserve, close to where you live and work.”

Think for a moment about a similar strategy as it applies to the church being in the community. Jersey members are scattered throughout a twenty five mile radius. Within that radius are many neighborhoods with our members having the ability to provide a high level of quality, “spiritual healthcare.” The variety of services offered begins with the gospel, caring, meeting needs, true Christian community, service and much, much more.

Think about being a part of a “network” of Jersey Baptist Community Groups that serve as Urgent Care Centers living in surrounding communities doing the following.

- On Mission. Values and cares for its community.
- Evangelism. Provides a light of hope to a community that does not know Jesus Christ by engaging pre-Christians in life changing Bible studies.
- Service. Serves that community by helping to meet needs.
- Community. Experiences life together in ongoing authentic, Christian community.
- Discipleship. Studies God’s Word and applies it within the context of community.
- Connection. Serves as a first touch point that refers pre-Christians to the greater body of Jersey.

We ask you to prayerfully consider partnering with Jersey in establishing Community Groups in your area. We are looking for leaders and interested participants.

# JERSEY COMMUNIT

## Urgent Care Centers



# we are where you live

## what are community groups?

Community Groups?: “Community Groups are 8-12 people doing Christian life together, really.” We believe sustained life change happens best in Community Groups. A group is made up of 8–12 individuals that meet together throughout the week in homes in our community. The goal is to live authentic Christian community. What happens is that each week groups share life together through Bible study discussions at a minimum of two times a month, and socials once a month. They share in a family atmosphere and service both on campus during worship services and in their community as a group.

# infopoint

your reference guide for Jersey life

COMMON  
GROUNDS  
CAFÉ



A full meal, including dessert and drink, for \$4.25 each Wednesday beginning at 6:00PM.

### Upward Saturdays Cafe Help Needed

anytime between 7:00AM - 4:00PM Saturday. Please contact Kim at [kconrad@jerseychurch.org](mailto:kconrad@jerseychurch.org) if you are willing to help out in the cafe during Upward this season!

### NEW HOURS

- **SUNDAYS** 8:00AM – 12:15PM (Closed Sunday evenings.)
- **WEDNESDAYS** 6:00PM – 8:15PM
- **ADDITIONAL OPENINGS**

December 13 for the kids choir program: 5:00 - 6:00PM only

December 19 for Adult choir program 6:00 - 7:00PM only

December 20 Adult Choir program 5:00 - 6:00PM only

## FAMILY LIFE

### SYMPATHY

- To Dr. Dan Stambaugh on the loss of his mother.
- To Farrell Frye on the loss of his father.
- To Angel Vaughan on the loss of her brother
- To Joanne VanGundy on the loss of her husband, Don

### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Jersey Baptist has a New Member Class which is 11 weeks long and is required for church membership. It is offered approximately eight times per year. The final class session will be for those desiring church membership. The senior pastor will conduct this class to discuss expectations of members, share Jersey values/purposes, and cast vision. New classes will begin January 10, 2010 at 9:45AM in Room 4118. You may pre-register by calling Nancy in the church office at 740.927.1859 or email [nmorbitzer@jerseychurch.org](mailto:nmorbitzer@jerseychurch.org).

### NEW MEMBERS RECEIVED IN OCTOBER

Jennifer Blake, Ashlee Carroll, John Dandria, Sarah Duncan, Sarah Harvey, Dylan McClish, Tyler McConahay, Aaron & Sarah O'Rourke, Paul Popovski, Brandon Stith, Steve Sawyer, Lane Sidner, Lukas Sidner, Mitch & Mary Swick, Tyler Swick, Mark & Holly VanHoose, Aaron VanHoose, Sharlee VanHoose, Kelly Wood

### OCTOBER BAPTISMS

Danielle Cook, Aimee Copley, Holly Enderle, Katie Enderle, Jim Enderle, Cynthia Grether, Leslie Hamelin, Sarah Harvey, Dylan McClish, Bernice Searls, Lane Sidner, Lukas Sidner, Buddy Wingate, Brittany Wise, Debbie Wise, Nick Wise, Nickolas Wise, Madison Wilson

### DECEMBER MENU

#### DECEMBER 2

chicken and cheese enchilada, spanish rice, refried beans, brownie

#### DECEMBER 9

parmesan-crusted chicken, macaroni and cheese, green beans, lemon cake

#### DECEMBER 16

3-cheese tortellini w/ marinara, fresh garden salad, rolls, yellow cake w/ chocolate frosting

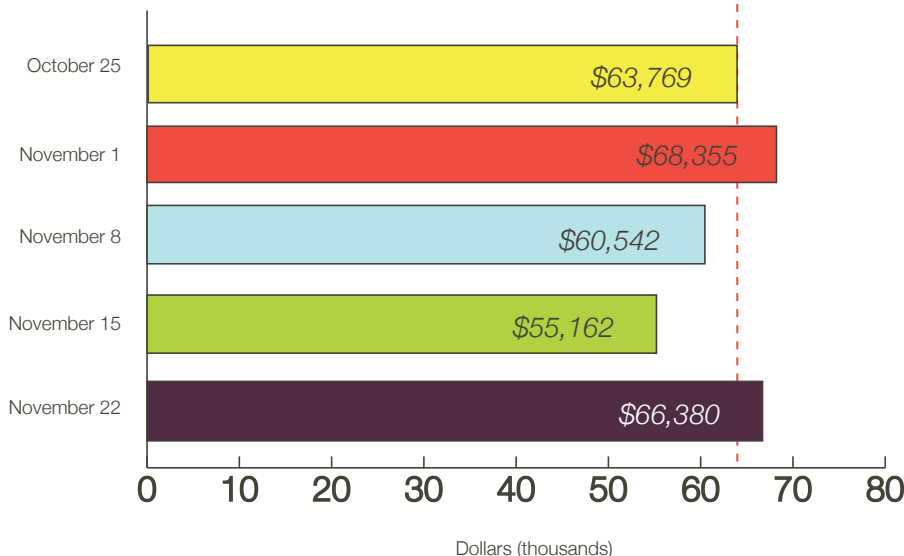
#### DECEMBER 23

CAFE CLOSED - NO MEAL DEAL MERRY CHRISTMAS!

#### DECEMBER 30

chicken cordon-bleu, saffron rice, roasted seasoned vegetable blend, peanut-butter sheet cake

## Jersey Monthly Giving | Weekly Budget Needed – \$63,462



### MONTHLY ATTENDANCE

<b>October 25</b>	1,759
<b>November 1</b>	1,911
<b>November 8</b>	1,765
<b>November 15</b>	1,885
<b>November 22</b>	1,864

## CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS

As a missional church, we are excited to once again give to those in need during the Christmas season. Food bags to fill are available at the InfoPoint with an attached list of suggested non-perishable items to include. Please return your food bag by December 20. There are envelopes available if you would like to donate money for perishable food items. If you would like to donate a turkey or have questions, please contact Walt Bartlett 740.964.6091 or Gary Hutchinson 740.927.4741.



'Tis the season...Christmas is a wonderful time of year! During the Nativity season, there is anticipation in the air for all that is good. The world around us is aglow and our hearts are warm with feelings of family, love, and peace on earth. Sometimes we wish every day was Christmas, but then all that is so special about it would cease to be so special.

This year we will be presenting a Jersey Christmas Program "Once Upon A Holy Night" on December 19 and 20, as well as our Kid's Christmas Program on December 13. We are extremely excited about putting this on!

"Once Upon A Holy Night" is a simple reflection on this special and joyous time of year. It is the Christmas Story told from the perspective of Biblical characters who watched the story of the birth of their Messiah unfold right before their eyes. Elizabeth – the cousin of Mary and

the mother of John the Baptist. Isaiah – the one who foretold of the coming Messiah. Joseph – the man God called to be the earthly father of Jesus. A Shepherd – a simple man whose life was changed in an instant on that holy night. A Doubter – after looking in all the wrong places asks Jesus into her broken heart and life.

"For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given. Oh, what love we have been shown; this gift of love was sent from heaven." May the story of God's promise to man bring a new sense of awe, wonder, anticipation and excitement to your heart and soul as it did "Once Upon A Holy Night".

Please make plans to attend and invite love ones to these joyous events. The holidays are fast approaching, and we definitely don't want to forget the true meaning of Christmas and the Christmas truths that have given so much meaning to our lives.

We have a whole season of fun events this Christmas. Make sure to mark your calendars and make arrangements to be there!

- Dec 13 - Kid's Christmas Program - 6:00PM
- Dec 19 - Once Upon a Holy Night - 7:00PM
- Dec 20 - Once Upon a Holy Night - 6:00PM
- Dec 24 - Christmas Eve Services at Jersey:
  - o 4:00PM Emerge hosts "EVE" at the New Albany Performing Arts Center
  - o 5:30PM Gospel Celebration Christmas in the Chapel
  - o 5:30PM Jersey Live Christmas in the WAC
  - o 11:00PM Synaxis Christmas in the Chapel



The staff at Jersey want to wish you and your family a wonderful Christmas and blessed New Year. May the Lord bless you richly this season with all His riches and glory.

# Y GROUPS

## Community Groups: Key Questions.

- **When do they happen?** Weekly. Any day of the week.
- **What do they do?** During a four week month a group holds two Bible studies, meet one time to simply have fun together, and one time to serve outward to the immediate community or beyond.
- **Will Community Groups do away with Bible Fellowship?** No! Jersey is still committed to maintaining a strong Bible Fellowship. Consider this as another venue for Bible study, just like the four worship venues that are presently offered.
- **Do I have to be an “expert teacher?”** No. Don’t allow inexperience to hinder you. Material is developed so that lessons and Bible passages are facilitated in a manner that is discussion driven through thought provoking questions in which the group is comfortable to share their insights, questions, and life stories of victories, struggles, challenges, etc. as it relates to that passage. The lesson is “taught” through conversational methods. You will receive training and a personal coach will be made available.
- **How long are the meetings?** 90 minutes. This equates to 30 minutes of snacks and casual time and 60 minutes for the lesson.
- **What about childcare?** Groups will be responsible for their own childcare. Study material is available for the sitter to teach a lesson during parent study time. The following options can be considered:
  - o Provide a sitter. Pay sitter and group “chips” in for the one hour



of time watching children. Coordinate recruiting one of Jersey’s responsible high school students.

- o A parent rotates during group study time.
- o Parents take advantage of JBC programming (AWANA, Kids Choir), drop the children off and meet. The North House is an optional meeting place.
- **How are groups formed?** Anyway you want. Remember that 80% of people who will attend your group will do so as the result of an existing relationships or personal invitation. The following are examples of types of groups:
  - o Participants from your neighborhood.
  - o Friends from work.
  - o Affinity groups: motorcycle, bicycling, running, scrap—booking, golfing, etc.
  - o Random groups: participants are assigned randomly.
- **Do meetings always have to be in my home?** Groups can meet anywhere. Ideally, groups are encouraged to rotate to different homes (but not required).
- **What do the service projects consist of?** Providing a meal to a neighbor, yard work, performing minor repairs on a home, planting flowers at schools, shoveling driveways, serving food at a homeless shelter, working at a crisis pregnancy center, and much, much more. Opportunities are unlimited and based on the creativity of the group driven by the Holy Spirit.

COMMUNITY GROUPS ARE FORMING!

LOOKING FOR LEADERS!

SIGN UP TODAY!

GOT QUESTIONS? STOP BY ONE OF OUR  
COMMUNITY BOOTHS!

## THIS COMMUNITY NEEDS YOU!



# How to Become a Christian

If you are not a Christian, have never surrendered your will to the Lord Jesus, let me share briefly how you can make this life changing decision. GOD WANTS YOU SAVED.

First, you must believe that God loves you and wants you to have peace in your heart and an everlasting life (John 3:16).

Second, you must recognize that you are a sinner, that you have done things which have displeased God and that you have separated yourself from Him (Romans 3:23; 6:23).

Third, you must believe that Jesus came to this earth, was actually God in the flesh, lived a perfect life, and yet went to a cruel cross, dying for your sins, paying once and for all the penalty of sin (1 Peter 2:24). However, it's not enough just to know these three things. Many of us knew them for years before we ever gave Jesus our lives.

Fourth, you must personally ask Jesus to come into your life and forgive you of your sins (Revelation 3:20).

You can pray this prayer now and if you mean it with all of your heart, Jesus will come in just like He said. He cannot lie:

Dear Lord Jesus, I know that I am a sinner. I'm really sorry for my sins, Lord. I ask you now, Lord Jesus, to come into my heart, forgive me of my sins, take control of my life, and make me the kind of person You want me to be. I now receive You into my heart. Thank You for coming in. I will follow You all the days of my life. In Your name I pray, Amen.

If you prayed this prayer for the first time, we would like to send you some material which will help you to grow as a Christian. Please contact one of our pastors at 740.927.1859 or email [pduncan@jerseychurch.org](mailto:pduncan@jerseychurch.org).

## GROUND ZERO -

Complacency. What happens when we whine and God wants community focused on Him? We will look at the book of Habakkuk to discover that truth at Ground Zero in December.



## WORLD CHANGERS 2010 -

July 4-10 we will Eat. Sleep. Serve. In Charleston, West Virginia. Full details will roll out in December and \$150 non-refundable deposit will be due on January 30.

**NO CHURCH -** Ground Zero will be cancelled December 23 and 30. Sunday nights will be cancelled December 20 and 27.

In December, we will be raising funds for International Missions. Our goal is \$1,000.00 for 2009.

# LMC International Missions

December is the month Jersey devotes to emphasize the Lottie Moon Christmas International Missions support. This offering is vital to our workers on the field. Our church goal is sacrificial giving to International Missions.

We invite you to join us as we focus on our theme of Who's Missing? Whose Mission? More than just a Gospel. They are living in pockets of lostness, hidden behind cultural, physical, political and language barriers. We believe to be on mission with Him to break down the barriers. But could it be that one of the barriers is you? Thank you for your part in giving sacrificially to this year's LMC International Missions Offering service.

### Did You Know? It costs the following

- ✳ \$40,931.64 a year
- ✳ \$3,410.93 a month
- ✳ \$112.14 a day
- ✳ \$4.67 an hour

You can help support missions around the world this month.

Other ways to help...  
Lottie Moon Post Office (November 29 - December 1)  
Purchase of a Lottie Moon Christmas ornament

pray. give.



# Jersey kidz



- Upward Games start Jan. 9
- Picture Day for Upward is Jan 16
- Awana calendar for Jan (found on web site)
- Parent Month in Jericho Junction: Parents are invited to join their child in Jericho Junction to see what goes on each Sunday during this special time of worship for children.

- Jan 3 - Kindergarten parents
- Jan 10 - 1st grade parents
- Jan 17 - 2nd grade parents
- Jan 24 - 3rd grade parents



## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES



### CHRISTMAS TEA "GO TELL"!

Saturday, December 5 from 11:00AM - 1:00PM in the Emerge Building

Cost: \$10/person or \$70 for a table of 8/hostess is free. What a great way to get the Christmas season started! We are looking for table hostesses. As a hostess you will set and decorate a table for eight people. Show off your Christmas place settings, fine china or your every day dishes. You will also need to invite 7 of your friends, family and neighbors to fill the table. Tables will be judged and prizes will be awarded! Our focus will be on missions this year.

We will have speakers from both home and international missionary workers in the field. Penny Zuber will be speaking on what Jersey is doing on the mission field and how we can be involved. Consider this event your mission field. If you would like to host a table please contact Sherry Blissenbach at [sblissenbach@hotmail.com](mailto:sblissenbach@hotmail.com). Also, registration envelopes will be available on the InfoBoard in the Main Lobby. Payment due at registration by Sunday November 29.

## Missions Offering

Missions Offering. One hundred percent of this offering is used for missions. The goal for 2009 is \$100,000. Please pray for God's direction regarding your offering.

Over 1.5 billion people are missing out on the opportunity to hear the Gospel because of language barriers to a Gospel witness. God calls every church and every person to reach these pockets. A lack of financial resources is a barrier to reaching these pockets. So those called to invest their lives sharing the Gospel can go.

### How to support a missionary...

- \$97 a month
- \$787.15 a week
- \$31.08 an hour
- \$.08 a minute

Share the world through your gift offering.

December 27) and through the offering.

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WHO'S MISSING?  
WHOSE MISSION?

**primetimers**  
Senior Adult Ministries

### MONTHLY BIBLE STUDY AND LUNCHEON

Thursday, December 10 at 10:30AM in Room 5018/19 the PrimeTimers will celebrate the Christmas Season with Mark Hutsko and the PrimeTime Singers with carols and a wrap up of the study of Dr. Jeremiah's book "What In The World Is Going On". Bring a covered dish and join in a time of fellowship and food after the Bible Study.

To learn more about the Jersey PrimeTimers visit our page at [jerseychurch.org](http://jerseychurch.org) or contact Alvina Long at the church 740.927.1859 X202.