



PRAYER GUIDE

PRAYER EVENT SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2025

OUR VISION

Jasper First Baptist stands facing an opportunity to meet needs and minister to others through improving our current facilities. The vision includes constructing a new sanctuary on the west side of the Ministry Center and making the east side entrance of the Ministry Center the main entrance to the church. The current Ministry Center would still be utilized as a gathering place for events as well as a welcoming center as you enter the building.

The vision also includes enhancing the current children's wing by creating an enclosed playground in the yard outside the wing, building an area for dropping off children, and updating the classrooms inside the wing. And we would tie the two wings together and create more usable space for students and adults. The current sanctuary would be converted to a community room for hosting events.

***"Lord, what are you
calling me to do?"***

SAVE THESE DATES

Sunday, April 6
Prayer Event Sunday

Sunday, April 20
The Word of God Sunday

Sunday, April 27
The Call of God Sunday

Sunday, May 4
The Awe of God Sunday
5:00 pm – SET THE TABLE
Worship/Dinner

Sunday, May 11
The Response of God's People
Sunday

Sunday, May 18
Celebration & First Fruits Sunday

OUR COST

The cost is estimated at approximately \$3.2 million. Final numbers will be available once architectural plans are created and finalized.

Trusting Jesus



SOMETHING NEW

Over the last several years our church has been in birth pangs. We have all watched together as our pews and classrooms exceeded capacity. We were all together when the decision was made to do two services on Sunday mornings. We have walked together through the unknown waters of church growth. We have, through the magnificent working of the Holy Spirit, witnessed countless salvations, baptisms, outreach and special events, and all the things that make our church such a great family.

Isaiah 43:19 says "Look, I am about to do something new; even now it is coming. Do you not see it? Indeed, I will make a way in the wilderness,

rivers in the desert." (CSB). God is working mightily in our midst and as we approach our three-year Capital Campaign. Will you continue to pray for God's will for our church as He, through His mighty power, works something new? Do you not see it? Indeed, God is making a way where there seems to be no way. Buckle Up Family! You won't believe where God is taking us.

—Jeremiah Hughes, Foundation Team Leader

THE FOUR CORE VALUES OF THE CAMPAIGN:

1. THE WORD OF GOD "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. All things were created through Him, and apart from Him not one thing was created" (John 1:1-3). "The Word became flesh and dwelt among us" (John 1:14). Since the Word is the center of all creation and lives in us, we must make the Word central to everything we do. We also must let the Word speak to us in the matter of stewardship.

2. THE CALL OF GOD When God called Abraham, Abraham took the opportunity to act in faith. If Abraham had said "No," he would have missed the people of Israel as his descendants. Worse yet, he would have missed the Savior of the world, Jesus Christ, coming through him. People who live in the Word of God hear the Call of God. What is the Word saying to you? What role does the Call of God have in this campaign? Position yourself to discover the call of God on your life, and to act upon what could be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity!

3. THE AWE OF GOD We are in awe of God when we are humbled by His love, mercy, grace, holiness, wisdom, creation, and all His attributes. Standing in awe of God will always lead us to take bold positions in our lives. The widow who gave everything she had must have experienced God, and she was in awe of Him. "Since you have tasted that the Lord is good" (1 Peter 2:3), let's continue to experience our awesome God!

4. THE RESPONSE OF GOD'S PEOPLE "Let it be with me as you said" (Luke 1:38) was Mary's response to the Call of God when the angel Gabriel told her she would conceive Jesus. "So Abram went, as the Lord had told him" (Gen 12:4). Abraham didn't even say "Yes"—he simply went. When God called His Own Son to die on the cross, His response was simply, "Not my will, but Yours be done." Do you see where God is at work in your life? Respond in great faith by saying, "Here am I, send me," and join Him in His work. Do not miss the opportunity!

PRAYER NEEDS

1. Continued focus on God's Kingdom growth.
2. Discovering God's call for your personal participation in the campaign.
3. That God will make clear the steps we are to take.
4. Open minds and hearts toward the changes that will be required to reach our vision.
5. Pastor Greg, our staff, our campaign team and our leadership
6. _____
7. _____