

LifeJourney CHURCH

We'll pray for you... Deacons are available for individual prayer or blessing after the 11 am service at the front of the Sanctuary.

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Mother's Day Tea

Saturday, May 9 at 3:30 pm

This afternoon tea (with a modern twist) will honor all mothers in our church community. Open to mothers, including their children of all ages.

LAST CHANCE TO RSVP

HELLO... I AM

Are you new to LifeJourney within the past six months (or even today)? If so, you're invited to a casual reception in your honor (snacks included) **this Tuesday at 7:00 pm.**

We'll get acquainted and answer questions you may have, like, "Is this church the right place for me? How do I fit in and make friends? What resources are available?"

RSVP through the response form below. Questions may be directed to: Info@LifeJourneyChurch.cc or call the church office at (317)722-0000. See you there!

Adopt-A-Garden

Make your mark on our church campus.

Learn more by completing the response form.



Refrigerator Hauler... Do you have a truck, dolly, or can lend a helping hand to LJC? See form on the back page.

Garfield Park Oasis

This Thursday, the Garfield Park Oasis will gather, eat, and take part in *Dining Out for Life*. The group will pick a restaurant from the many participating establishments, order take out, and dine together. To be a part of this event that benefits the Damien Center, please RSVP through the form on the back page.



Dine Out, Fight AIDS

The WEST SIDE OASIS will feature a DVD-BOOKS SERIES from the acclaimed author ADAM HAMILTON beginning MAY 12.

FORGIVENESS

Finding Peace
Through Letting Go



Discover the importance of reconnecting broken places in our lives and learn how the process of forgiveness and grace helps us experience God in deeper, more complete ways.

Register to attend through the response form in today's bulletin.

SUNDAY

#FUNDAY

(of Games)

TODAY in the SOCIAL HALL at 1:00 PM.



Order of Service

Worship Theme: Living Like Jesus

Key Verse: “Christ Jesus emptied himself . . . , being born in human likeness . . . , and became obedient to the point of death – even death on a cross. Therefore, God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name.” *Philippians 2:7-9.*

Our Approach To God

Connection Moment

Song: *Blessed Be Your Name*

Song: *The Stand*

Song: *Philippians 2 Chant*

God’s Word To Us

Scripture: *Philippians 2:1-11*

Sermon: *Winning By Losing*
Rev. Jeff Miner

Special Music *Give Me Wings*
Ken Redmore

Offering our Gifts and Resources

Our Communion With God • 11:00 am service

Sending Song

Benediction

Postlude

Our Communion With God • 11:00 am service

Silent Confession

General Confession: God, I confess that I often find it scary to walk the path of Jesus. I tend to cling to what is—to seek safety in the status quo and social convention. Forgive me for being so cautious. Give me the courage to risk everything to follow boldly where You lead, confident that through the valley of sacrifice and loss, You will take me to an even better place. Amen.

Consecration of the Elements

Proclamation of our Faith: Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ is here now, and Christ will come again. Alleluia!

Distribution of the Elements

If this is your first time with us: You are welcome to receive Holy Communion. You’re also welcome to just observe, if you prefer. You can take Communion alone, or with friends or family.

Ushers will release rows and direct you to a server. The server will offer you the wafer dipped in juice with a prayer. After receiving the elements, return to your seat by the side aisle. If you would like to receive Communion but are unable to come forward, please notify an usher.

Notes

Decision Form:

If you feel moved to respond in a tangible way.

☐ I am making a decision to become a follower of Jesus, or I want to rededicate myself to that decision.

☐ I have questions about spiritual things and would like to talk to someone.

☐ Other: _____

One of our pastoral staff would be happy to make an appointment to talk with you about your spiritual life and what steps might come next – *but only if you wish.*

☐ I would like to schedule a time to talk.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Place this form in the basket at the info kiosk.

Webcast Reminder: The morning services are recorded for our webcast; crowd shots are included. To improve the quality of those shots, we’d like to fill the center section of seating. *If you prefer not to be on camera, just sit in the back half of the left section.*





About this Calendar

Online Calendar – LifeJourneyChurch.cc/Calendar

Events are open to all – rare exceptions will be noted.

Questions? Inquire at the info kiosk, see any staff member, or email Info@LifeJourneyChurch.cc.

Sunday, April 26

- 9:30 am **Early Worship Service.**
- 9:30 am **LJC Kids!** (Age 2-5th grade), Main St. Station (Rm 1-4).
- 11:00 am **Morning Worship Service.**
- 11:00 am **LJC Kids!** (Age 2-5th grade), Main St. Station (Rm 1-4).
- 11:00 am **The Bridge 2.0** (6-8 grade), Main St. Station (Rm 5).
- 11:00 am **Teen Life** (9-12 grade), The Loft (Rm 10).
Youth are released from the Sanctuary before the sermon.
- 1:00 pm **Sunday #Funday (of Games)**, Social Hall.

Monday, April 27

- 7:00 pm **Northeast Oasis** meets at the home of Burns Gutz-wiler & Nathan Tuttle, 207 W. Staat St., Fortville.
Info: Linda Bernabie at (419)297-7576 or lbernabie@hotmail.com
- 7:30 pm **AA Meeting**, Room 6.

Tuesday, April 28

- 7:00 pm **Newcomers Welcome**, Room 7.
- 7:00 pm **Southwest Oasis** meets at the Dong's China Buffet, 398 S Indiana St Mooresville.
Info: Randy King at reckking@aol.com
- 7:00 pm **Tuesday Evening Oasis**, Room 9.
Info: Jim Rednour at (765)388-0256 or jrednour@hotmail.com
- 7:00 pm **Westside Oasis** meets at the home of Jackie Harris, 4465 Cloverlake Dr., Indianapolis.
Info: Pastor David at PastorDavid@LifeJourneyChurch.cc
- 7:00 pm **Young Adult Oasis**, Room 6.
Info: Graham Melendez at grahammelendez06@gmail.com or Samantha Hasty-Zander at samjzander@gmail.com

Wednesday, April 29

- 6:30 pm **LJC Kids! Oasis**, Room 2.
Info: Melody Merida at (317)722-0000 x102 or PastorMelody@LifeJourneyChurch.cc
- 6:30 pm **Wednesday Night Oasis**, Room 6.
Info: Melody Merida at (317)722-0000 x102 or PastorMelody@LifeJourneyChurch.cc
- 6:30 pm **Praise Team Rehearsal**, Worship Arts Room.
- 7:00 pm **Eastside Oasis** meets at the home of Monica Law, 1440 N. Edmundson Ave., Indianapolis.
Info: Vivian Wyatt at (317)722-0000 x106 or PastorVivian@LifeJourneyChurch.cc
- 7:45 pm **Choir Rehearsal**, Sanctuary.

Thursday, April 30

- 7:00 pm **Discipleship 102 (Registration Required)**, Room 7.
- 7:00 pm **Garfield Park Oasis** meets at the home of Tex Green & Jerry Dowell, 615 E. Southern Ave., Indianapolis.
Info: Jared Hancock at hancockjsh@yahoo.com
- 7:00 pm **Instrumentalist Rehearsal**, Sanctuary.
- 7:00 pm **Northside Oasis** meets at the home of Jody Bracken, 11249 Woodcreek Drive, Carmel.
Info: Jeff Miner at (317)722-0000 x103 or PastorJeff@LifeJourneyChurch.cc
- 7:00 pm **Northwest Oasis** meets at the home of Robert Ferguson, 3637 Catalpa Ave, Indianapolis.
Info: Robert Ferguson at rob1ferg@yahoo.com or Genese Parker at gp4justice@gmail.com
- 7:00 pm **Thursday Evening Oasis**, Room 9.
Info: Larry Heavilon at larryheavilon@hotmail.com or (317)523-4543

Friday, May 1

- 6:30 pm **Women's AA Meeting**, Room 6.
- 7:00 pm **LJC Women's Softball Game**, Metro Sports Complex.

Saturday, May 2

- 8:00 am **Homeless Ministry** serves Dayspring Center.

Coming Soon...

- May 2 **Missions Ministry Pizza Making Day**
- May 9 **Mother's Day Tea**

Calendar Exceptions...

- Tues **Southwest Oasis** meets this week only at Dong's China Buffet, Mooresville.

Last Week's Numbers

9:30 am Service Attendance	136
11:00 am Service Attendance	223
Oasis Attendance	106
General Offering: Last Week	\$12,493
General Offering: Weekly Average (prior 3 mo.)	\$10,083
General Offering: Weekly Budgeted Goal	\$9,955



Memorial Arrangements

Memorial arrangements for Richard Morse have been announced. Please join in celebrating his life on Sunday, May 10 from 12:00-5:00 pm at the Montage at Allisonville Pointe, Indianapolis.

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Choose YOUR Perfect Oasis

Oasis is the best way to connect and make friends at church—small groups that meet regularly for friendship, support, study, and prayer.

Monday

Northeast Oasis

Tuesday

Southwest Oasis
Tuesday Evening Oasis
Young Adult Oasis
Westside Oasis

Wednesday

Eastside Oasis
Wednesday Evening Oasis
LJC Kids! Oasis

Thursday

Garfield Park Oasis
Northside Oasis
Northwest Oasis
Thursday Evening Oasis

Not Janitors, They're Temple Keepers

Imagine walking up to a glass door of fingerprints. What if you then walked into a church with debris littered on the floor. Now imagine using the restroom and sensing an unfresh environment. How would this make you feel about your church home; worse yet, what kind of impression would this be for a guest?

Temple Keepers play a vital role behind the scenes at LifeJourney Church, they're not simply janitors. If you like serving behind the scenes, then Temple Keepers may be the opportunity for you. To learn more about this ministry, please complete the form below.



Friday Night Lights!

Need some Friday night excitement? Cheer on the LifeJourney Church Women's Softball Team as they kick **CENSORED**

Games are held on Friday nights at the Metro Sports Complex, located at 2005 N. Sherman Dr, Indianapolis. Each game is one hour and played between 7:00-10:00 pm.

See the complete schedule by clicking Women's Softball on the LifeJourney Church web-calendar.

Yes! I'd like to respond to these articles:

Service Opportunities:

- ☐ Temple Keepers ☐ Fridge Haul
☐ Adopt-A-Garden

RSVP and/or More Info:

- ☐ Mother's Day Tea: #__ Children #__ Mothers
☐ Newcomers Welcome
☐ Garfield Park Oasis: Dine Out for Life
☐ West Side Oasis: Forgiveness Series

☐ Please pre-order me the book, *Forgiveness* for \$13.
(Also available for purchase on Amazon.)

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Return this form in the offering or in the basket at the info kiosk.

Celebrate Our WORLD MISSIONS!

Today we end our annual celebration of mission work in the Social Hall. The LifeJourney Missions Ministry supports child education in South Sudan and Guatemala and also the Navajo Nation through home building, supporting native elders and shoes for native children.

Today you can be a part of this cause... Experience a day-in-the-life as you walk through the Mission Village, continue supporting our Missions Ministry through your regular tithes and offerings, and order Missions Pizza and Cookies. Our missions are blessed by your ongoing generosity!

It's-ah Last-ah Day for da-Pizza Sale!

The annual Luigi's Mission Pizza fund raiser, along with your support, allows the LifeJourney Church Missions Ministry to help change the world one slice at a time...one cookie at a time!

Today is the LAST DAY to pre-order pizza and cookies! Did you know you may also purchase pizzas and have them donated to Dayspring Center and Indiana Youth Group.

Additionally, the Missions Ministry could use some extra help! If going on a missions trip is not quite your style, there are other ways you can assist the team. Review the ways you can participate on the form below.



I would like to help the Missions Ministry by:

- ☐ Selling pizza outside the church to friends, family, coworkers, etc.
☐ Loan a freezer and/or help transport freezers to the church.
☐ Setup to make pizzas: Friday, May 1 at 5 pm.
☐ Help make pizzas: Saturday, May 2 at 9 am.

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

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