



**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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**Starts Tomorrow!**

We're about to experience G-Force! This exciting, week long Vacation Bible School begins tomorrow evening at 6:30 pm and is absolutely FREE for all children ages 3 to 12.

Registration is available in the Social Hall after service.

### Take a Trip to Navajo Nation

The Missions Service Team is looking for 2-6 more individuals to travel to Gallop, New Mexico from September 26 to October 3.

Connect, learn, grow, and serve with others from the church as they build and repair homes for those in need.

Take a spiritual journey... Say, YES! Complete the response form for more info or contact Angie Thurnall at [DisneyJunkie13@yahoo.com](mailto:DisneyJunkie13@yahoo.com).



## LifeJourney Family Night

Wednesday, July 29

\$14.30 (Section 7, Row 16+)

Purchase tickets at the InfoKiosk or email [DisneyJunkie13@yahoo.com](mailto:DisneyJunkie13@yahoo.com)

Help us meet the goal of selling 100 Fever tickets so LJC Kids! can participate in the starting line up! **Parents: register your child for a chance to participate in the starting line up contest.**



### Basketball?

A few of us from LJC play basketball every Wednesday night, 7:00–9:00 pm, with a great co-ed group that rents the Salvation Army Gym (Fountain Square). It's fun, not competition! Everyone chips in \$5 to cover rent. We want you! For more info, fill out the response form in today's bulletin.

### Animal Ministry: Administrator Needed

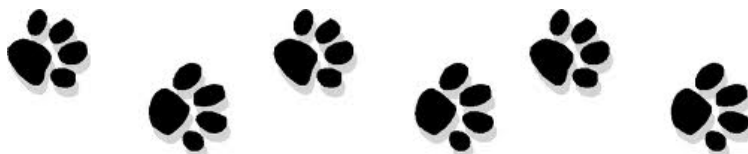


The Animal Ministry is in need of a new administrator, who will work closely with the leader. Kris Soper has been filling this role, but her schedule has become too busy to continue. Thanks Kris for your support! If you love animals and love working with people, this may be the role for you!

As Animal Ministry Administrator, you would:

- Manage communication with those expressing an interest in the ministry.
- Coordinate those interested in volunteering at Lucky Dog Rescue (meetings, training, and events).
- Communicate routinely to ensure volunteers are getting acclimated to the ministry.

If this sounds like something you'd enjoy, please complete the response form in today's bulletin.



### EARN EXTRA MONEY

#### Wednesday Night Childcare

The Wednesday Evening Oasis is looking for childcare providers, here at the church, Wednesdays from 6:15-8:15 pm.

Hourly Compensation • Age 15+ encouraged to apply. Experience with ages 6 months to 11 years is helpful.

**Use the response form for more info.**

## LASER TAG

### Young Adult Oasis

Tuesday, July 7 from 7:00–9:00 PM

\$14 includes two sessions at Laser Flash, Carmel.

Ages 18-35 join the fun! RSVP through the response form.

# Order of Service

**Worship Theme:** *Journeying with Jesus*

**Key Verse:** “Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you build the tombs of the prophets and decorate the graves of the righteous, and you say, ‘If we had lived in the days of our ancestors, we would not have taken part with them in shedding the blood of the prophets.’ [But when] I send you prophets, sages, and scribes, some . . . you will kill and crucify, and some you will flog.” *Matthew 23:29-30, 34.*

## Our Approach To God

- Connection Moment
- Congregational Songs
- Prayer
- Special Music

## God’s Word To Us

**Scripture:** *Matthew 23, selected verses*

**Sermon:** *Religion Gone Bad*  
Rev. Jeff Miner

Offering our Gifts and Resources

## Our Communion With God • 11:00 am service

- Sending Song
- Benediction
- Postlude

Notes

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**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.*



## Our Communion With God • 11:00 am service

### Silent Confession

**General Confession:** God, often I too have been a Pharisee. At times, I have been tempted to want recognition for my piety, or to ignore the dynamic voice of your Spirit in my life, or to focus on the minutiae of religion instead of what really matters – living in Your love. Forgive me. Make me more like Jesus and less like a Pharisee. 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.

### 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.*



## About this Calendar

Online Calendar – [LifeJourneyChurch.cc/Calendar](http://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](mailto:Info@LifeJourneyChurch.cc).

## Sunday, June 28

- 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.*
- 12:45 pm Usher Meeting, Sanctuary.
- 1:00 pm Discipleship 101/102, Room 7.

## Monday, June 29

- 6:30 pm G-Force Vacation Bible School
- 7:00 pm Northeast Oasis meets at the home of Burns Gutzwiler & Nathan Tuttle, 207 W. Staat St., Fortville.  
*Info: Linda Bernabie at (419)297-7576 or [lbernabie@hotmail.com](mailto:lbernabie@hotmail.com)*
- 7:30 pm AA Meeting, Room 7.

## Tuesday, June 30

- 6:30 pm G-Force Vacation Bible School
- 7:00 pm Southwest Oasis meets at the home of Kim Dixon & Kay Champion, 6561 E.Walton Dr. North, Camby.  
*Info: Randy King at [reckking@aol.com](mailto:reckking@aol.com)*
- 7:00 pm Westside Oasis meets at the home of Jackie Harris, 4465 Cloverlake Dr., Indianapolis.  
*Info: Pastor David at [PastorDavid@LifeJourneyChurch.cc](mailto:PastorDavid@LifeJourneyChurch.cc)*
- 7:00 pm Young Adult Oasis, Room 7.  
*Info: Graham Melendez at [grahammelendez06@gmail.com](mailto:grahammelendez06@gmail.com) or Samantha Hasty-Zander at [samjzander@gmail.com](mailto:samjzander@gmail.com)*

## Wednesday, July 1

- 6:30 pm G-Force Vacation Bible School
- 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](mailto:PastorVivian@LifeJourneyChurch.cc)*

## Thursday, July 2

- 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](mailto:hancockjsh@yahoo.com)*
- 6:15 pm Praise Band 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](mailto:PastorJeff@LifeJourneyChurch.cc)*

## Friday, July 3

- 6:30 pm Women's AA Meeting, Room 7.

## Saturday, July 4

- 8:00 am Homeless Ministry serves Dayspring Center.

## Coming Soon...

- July 19 Dayspring Can Drive Sunday

## Calendar Exceptions...

- Tuesday Evening Oasis does not meet this week.
- LJC Kids! Oasis does not meet this week.
- Wednesday Night Oasis does not meet this week.
- Thursday Evening Oasis does not meet this week.
- Various room assignment changes this week only.

## Last Week's Numbers

9:30 am Service Attendance	179
11:00 am Service Attendance	216
Oasis Attendance	99
General Offering: Last Week	\$11,760
General Offering: Weekly Average (prior 3 mo.)	\$9,614
General Offering: Weekly Budgeted Goal	\$9,955



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**Spencer James**, Director of  
 Communications & Technology

# 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  
Thursday Evening Oasis

## When You Visit LifeJourney Church...

Married, divorced, or single here,  
It's one family that mingles here.

Conservative or liberal here,  
We've all gotta give a little here.

Big or small here, there's room for us all here.

Doubt or believe here, we all can receive here.

Gay, trans, or straight here,  
there's no hate here.

Woman or man here, everyone can here.

Whatever your race here,  
For all of us, grace here.



**Oasis Location Map**

### Want to see a VIDEO of the sermon again?

- LifeJourneyChurch.cc/listen

### Take the AUDIO version with you!

- Order a Sermon CD at the bookstore or
- Search iTunes for "Sermons from LifeJourney Church"



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

### RSVP and/or More Info:

- LJC Kids! Fever Starting Lineup
- Basketball Wednesdays
- Young Adult Laser Tag
- Navajo Mission Trip
- Animal Ministry Administrator
- Wednesday Night Childcare
- Usher

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

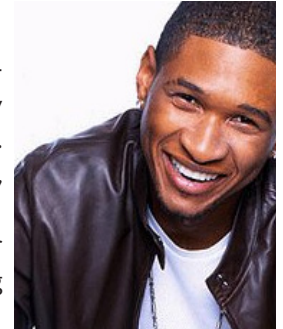
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*Return this form in the offering or in the basket at the info kiosk.*

## Want to be Usher?

Then maybe this is for you... Ushers greet and direct people as they enter—like concierges in a fine hotel. Ushers serve one Sunday a month, either at the 9:30 or 11:00 service.

Wanna be Usher? Bring your bright smile to the Ushers' meeting today at 12:45 in the Sanctuary.



**Current ushers be sure to also attend this meeting today.**

## New ".Church" Domain

Recently a new ".church" internet domain became available for the first time, and we acquired the right to www.LifeJourney.Church. That will enable us to shorten our email address and web address, while dropping the confusing ".cc" domain we currently use.

For now, there is NO CHANGE to our web address. It's still www.LifeJourneyChurch.cc.. But this week we'll begin changing our church email addresses. Don't worry, the old addresses will continue to work for a long transition period. We just wanted to give you a "heads up" when you see the new domain in our church emails.