

# WELCOME

September 7, 2025

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## DRIVE-IN CHURCH 10 Years Of Ministry

219 University Pky Johnson City, TN

### This Week's Opportunities

<b>Monday:</b>	
Cardio Drumming	9:30 am
NEW START Program	11:00 am
Cardio Drumming	6:00 pm
<b>Tuesday:</b>	
Women's Bible Study	11 am - 1 pm
Lord, I Want to Be Whole	
Prayer Time In The Prayer Room	5:00 pm
<b>Wednesday:</b>	
Groups For All Ages	6:30 pm
<b>Thursday:</b>	
Food Packing Party	9:30 am
<b>Saturday:</b>	
Food Distribution	8:00 - 9:00 am

### Coming Soon

<b>Reg. Deadline for Women's Conf.</b>	9/14
Cardio Drumming AM & PM	9/15
NEW START Program	9/15
Women's Bible Study	9/16
Women's Book Club	9/18
<b>Women's One-Day Conference</b>	9/20
Cardio Drumming AM & PM	9/22
NEW START Program	9/22
Women's Bible Study	9/23
Family and Friends Day	9/24
Fall Into Family Fun	
Men's Prayer Breakfast	9/27
Youth Bonfire	9/27
Cardio Drumming AM & PM	9/29
NEW START Program	9/29
Women's Bible Study	9/30
Card Ministry	9/30

### Worship Participation August 31

Drive-in 9:30 AM	77
Inside Worship 10:30 AM	190
Drive-in 11:00 AM	47
Online	268
Total All Worship Services	582

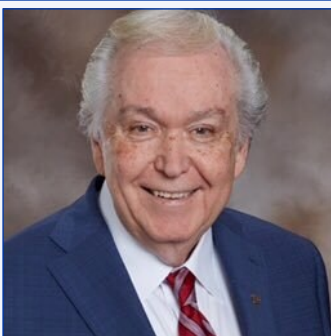
### Drive-Thru Food Distribution Second Saturday of Each Month!

University Parkway Church  
219 University Parkway  
Johnson City, Tennessee  
8:00 AM To 9:00 AM

University Parkway Church, Serving Jesus Christ By  
Loving And Helping Our Neighbors, One Box At A Time!

**TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR  
BILLY GRAHAM TELEVISION  
PHONE MINISTRY  
CALL BOB DAVIS AT 423-282-3402**

## Current Events



### Welcome, Dr. Harold F. Hunter

We are thrilled to give a warm University Parkway Church welcome to Dr. Harold F. Hunter—the visionary leader and evangelist. As co-founder of Trinity Crusades for Christ, Dr. Hunter courageously spoke to over a million teenagers in public schools, passionately addressing the vital topic of teen suicide prevention. In 2006, he stepped into the role of President of Trinity College of the Bible and Theological Seminary, building on his legacy and passing stewardship of the evangelism ministry to his son, Braxton Hunter—who continues that work to this day. [braxtonhunter.com](http://braxtonhunter.com) Dr. Hunter's leadership embodies the powerful combination of scholarship, compassion, and courage, marking him as a true trailblazer in Christian education and outreach. We are honored to stand with you and celebrate your ongoing impact on so many lives. Join us in welcoming Dr. Hunter.



**Food Packing Party: Thursday, September 11, 9:30 am**

**Food Distribution: Saturday, September 13, 8:00 - 9:00 am**

### UPDATE ON KENYA MONTEJANO-REYES



On Monday Kenya made the difficult decision to shave her head due to a lot of hair loss. Her uncle shaved his head too, in a beautiful act of support.

Kenya wrote, "Even in the pain and heartbreak, I believe in a God with an amazing plan, and He has a purpose for me in this. I don't know why this is happening, but I have no doubt in my heart that God can use me to help or inspire the people I love and people that I don't know. I am so grateful for all the love and support people back home have shown me. Thank you to everyone who's encouraged me through this process and I'm so thankful for all the precious gifts that have helped me have a smooth adjustment to the hospital. God is good and I believe in Him."

Please continue to pray for Kenya as she receives radiation 5 days a week for 6 weeks.

CaringBridge for updates:



GoFundMe for giving:



Kenya Montejano Reyes  
Room 6312  
Monroe Carell, Jr. Children's  
Hospital at Vanderbilt  
2200 Children's Way  
Nashville, TN 37232

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Thanks for giving!



## Welcome Friends!

September 7, 2025

We are so excited that you are here today. Thank you for worshiping with us. It is our sincere desire that you experience God's presence through the people you meet, the songs we sing, and the message that is shared. Please let us know how we might help you today. Fill out the tear-off and take it to the lobby for a free gift.

### Welcome

**"Trust In God"  
"Goodness Of God"  
"Doxology (God Be Praised)"**

### Family Prayer Time

Livewire Kidz dismissed to worship

### Message

**Evangelist, Dr. Harold Hunter**

### Giving Tithes and Offerings

### WEEKLY WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

#### SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

9:30 AM	DRIVE-IN Outdoor Worship Service Children, Youth, And Adult Small Group Bible Studies
10:30 AM	Live Inside Service Or Our Church Facebook & YouTube Channel LiveWire Children's Worship
11:00 AM	DRIVE-IN Outdoor Worship Service

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING GROUPS FOR ALL AGES

**Our Mission: Connecting People To God And Each Other  
Through Worship, Discipleship, Fellowship,  
Ministry, & Missions.**





# Becoming passionate followers of Christ together.

Connecting people to God and each other through worship, discipleship, fellowship, ministry and missions.



## Faith Community Nurse Corner

### NEW START Program

Week 7 of the New Start Program  
the R in Start stands for Rest



"The Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall on Adam, and he slept; and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh in its place. Then the rib which the Lord God had taken from man He made into a woman, and He brought her to the man" (Genesis 2:21, 22 NKJV).

We find that the first reference to sleep in the Bible is of a deep and creative sleep. When Adam awoke, he was refreshed, revived ... and married. A whole new life and, ultimately, the future of humanity can be traced back to that first nap. The reality was that even in a perfect world, God designed that a person would need to rest and that night was the optimum time to sleep. "He came to a certain place and stayed there all night, because the sun had set. ... And he lay down in that place to sleep" (Genesis 28:11 NKJV).

**Amazing Health Fact:** Did you know that just one hour of sleep deprivation increases the number of highway accidents by eight percent — but that an hour of extra sleep decreases them by eight percent? It's true! It happens every year when daylight saving time changes. This is because driving effectiveness after you've been awake for 18 hours is about the same as driving after you have had two alcoholic drinks. (One drink = 5 ounces of wine.) When you have been awake for 24 hours, your driving effectiveness is the equivalent of driving under the influence of four to six drinks! Optimum performance comes with eight hours of restful sleep.

N - Nutrition  
E - Exercise  
W - Water  
S - Sunlight  
T - Temperance  
A - Air  
R - Rest  
T - Trust

**Food for thought:** Could it be that we need to be reminded of the importance of restful sleep, especially in this imperfect, always-on-the-go world?

For more info go to <https://www.amazinghealthfacts.org/newstart/rest>



Join us Mondays at 11 am in Room 128

This study by Lysa TerKeurst will help us along the way.

Please contact Pam at 423-967-7469 to learn more.

As always, check with your physician to make sure this change is right for you!



**Women's  
One-Day Conference**

**The Courage  
to Rebuild**

**September 20, 9am - 2pm**

**Marci Seither**

Registration \$15 due September 14 (lunch included)  
Register at [www.upbaptist.org](http://www.upbaptist.org).  
Select Women's Ministry and indicate "conference" in the note; or call the church office at 423-926-5841.

University Parkway Baptist Church  
219 University Parkway  
Johnson City, TN 37604

We have received a note of appreciation from Mitch and Amy Ray. They thank all who have cared for Paul and Ann in any way.

Enclosed with the note was a gift in honor of several individuals in particular. Those people will be contacted to make them aware of this.

**Youth Bonfire**

**Saturday  
September 27  
6:30 - 8:30**

**At The Church**



Our Christian Flag Has Been Donated By Carol Kyker To Honor The Ministry Of Her Husband, **Kenneth W. Kyker**

Our National and State Flags Are Flying In Memory Of **Lynne Phillips** By Her Husband Kenneth And Their Grandchildren.



If You Would Like To Help Underwrite The Cost Of Our Flags, Contact Our Church Office At 926-5841.



## Women's Book Club

Below is a **tentative** list of the books the ladies plan to read and discuss through the rest of the year.

**September 18:**

**Dear Mr. Knightly**

Katherine Ray

**October 16:**

**Under the Tulip Tree**

Michelle Shocklee

**November 20:**

**Candle in the Darkness**

Lynn Austin

**December 18:**

**My Beloved**

Jan Karon

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## HOW I CAN JOIN PARKWAY?

At the conclusion of our Pastor's message each Sunday, we will always extend a gospel invitation. This is an invitation to receive Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord, to recommit your life to Christ, to express your desire to join our church, or to make any other spiritual decision. You may become a member of University Parkway Baptist Church in one of the following four ways:

1. By professing your faith in Jesus Christ and following Him in water baptism.
2. By transferring your letter of membership from another Baptist church.
3. By your statement that you have placed your faith in Christ and that you have experienced scriptural baptism after salvation. If your baptism was not by immersion, we will ask you to be baptized by immersion.
4. Watch Care for college students.

Your Attendance at **DISCOVERING PARKWAY** is also required for church membership for adults and students in Grades 6-12.

[www.upbaptist.org](http://www.upbaptist.org)  
**Wi-Fi Password christisrisen!**

Weekly messages are available to watch on the church's website: [upbaptist.org](http://upbaptist.org)

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Please complete your name and address on the other side.

- ☐ I am making a first-time commitment to Christ.
- ☐ I am renewing my commitment to Christ.
- ☐ I am interested in being baptized.
- ☐ I would like to become a member of this congregation
- ☐ I am interested in enrolling in a Small Group.

I would like information on:

- ☐ **How to become a Christian**
- ☐ How to become a member of this congregation
- ☐ Family Activities
- ☐ Adult Ministries
- ☐ Single Adult Ministries
- ☐ Youth Ministries
- ☐ Preschool/Children's Ministries
- ☐ Music Ministries

Please sign me up:

- ☐ **Discovering Parkway Class**
- ☐ **Parkway Prayer Force E-Mails**

Prayer Requests & needs:

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Please sign me up for the  
**NEW START Program.**

Beginning August 18 @ 11 am

Name

Phone

Scan Our Digital  
Connection Card



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Trust In God

Blessed assurance  
Jesus is mine  
He's been my fourth man in the fire  
Time after time  
Born of His Spirit  
Washed in His blood  
And what He did for me on Calvary  
Is more than enough  
  
I trust in God  
My Savior  
The One who will never fail  
He will never fail  
  
Perfect submission  
All is at rest  
I know the author of tomorrow  
Has ordered my steps  
So this is my story  
And this is my song  
I'm praising my risen King and Savior  
All the day long  
  
I sought the Lord and He heard and He answered  
I sought the Lord and He heard and He answered  
I sought the Lord and He heard and He answered  
That's why I trust Him  
That's why (I trust Him)

CCLI Song # 7206001

Goodness Of God

I love You Lord  
Oh Your mercy never fails me  
All my days  
I've been held in Your hands  
From the moment that I wake up  
Until I lay my head  
I will sing of the goodness of God  
  
All my life You have been faithful  
All my life You have been so so good  
With every breath that I am able  
I will sing of the goodness of God  
  
I love Your voice  
You have led me through the fire  
In darkest night  
You are close like no other  
I've known You as a father  
I've known You as a friend  
I have lived in the goodness of God  
  
Your goodness is running after  
It's running after me  
Your goodness is running after  
It's running after me  
With my life laid down  
I'm surrendered now  
I give You everything  
Your goodness is running after  
It's running after me

CCLI Song # 7117726

Doxology (God Be Praised)

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above ye Heavenly host  
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost  
  
Praise the Father  
Praise the Son  
Praise the Spirit now with us  
Every moment  
All our days  
God be praised  
Oh God be praised  
  
Praise God with morning's breaking light  
Praise Him through darkness of the night  
Praise Him with every breath of life  
Praise Him my soul with all your might  
  
Praise God when face to face we see  
The One Who died to set us free  
The One Who rose in victory  
Praise now forever Christ our King  
  
Praise You Father  
We praise You Son  
Praise You Spirit now with us  
Every moment  
All our days  
God be praised  
Oh God be praised  
  
God be praised  
Oh God be praised  
God be praised  
Our God be praised

CCLI Song # 7134391

