Resounding JOH —CHURCH—

ResoundingJoy Church seeks to center on Jesus, live open to all people, and say yes to Jesus' call to serve.



November 2, 2025

Gathering Music

Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship Kimberly Cornett

One: God calls—sometimes in whispers, sometimes in blinding light.

All: We listen, though the call may come from unexpected places.

One: God calls us to meet those we fear, to walk toward the ones we would rather avoid,

and to trust that love can make a new beginning.

All: We come, trembling and open, ready to say yes.

One: Come, Spirit of the Living God, make us brave enough to follow your call.

All: Amen

Opening Prayer

Hymn* "Spirit Open My Heart" Hymn #692

Praying Together

One: When the path ahead feels dangerous —

All: God of Ananias, give us courage to say yes.

One: When your call leads us toward those we distrust — **All:** God of reconciliation, give us courage to say yes.

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One: When love asks more than we think we can give —

All: God of transformation, give us courage to say yes.

One: When your light blinds us and we cannot see the way —

All: Guide us, O Christ, until our fear becomes faith and our yes becomes your healing.

Assurance of God's Presence

Sharing of the Peace of Christ

Response of Gratitude*

"Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me" Hymn #582

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Acts 9:1-18



Message Church 101 - Remembering Rev. Dr. Edward Goode

Song "I Will Follow" Chris Tomlin

Greg Hudson, Lori McDonough

Offertory "Give Us the Wings of Faith to Rise" Howard Helvey

Chancel Choir

Offertory Response* "Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks" Hymn #240 (vs.4)

Prayer of Dedication

Time of Remembrance and Prayer

Hymn* "For All the Saints" Hymn #326

Time of Reflection/Postlude

Benediction

Benediction Response* "May the Peace of the Lord Christ Go With You"

OFFERINGS-

You can share your offerings by putting it in the plate during the service, or you can give online at this link: https://resoundingjoy.church/give or by scanning this QR code. Loose change will be donated to SON Ministries.



*All who are able may stand.

Boldface Print indicates sung or spoken participation by the congregation.

The leadership of the church advises that you may be a part of our online streaming service.

Please turn your cellphones to silent mode in order to not interrupt the service.

-CHURCH STAFF -

Rev. Dr. Edward Goode, Organizing Pastor

Tammy Manger, Church Administrator

Brad Caldwell, Music Director Michele Wright, Communications Director

Lori McDonough, Worship Leader Ryan Hamilton, Digital Coordinator

Announcements

Week at a Glance

Sunday, November 2

9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Worship

Monday, November 3

7:30 p.m. AA Meeting

Tuesday, November 4

6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

7:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, November 5

6:00 p.m. Ministry Night

Thursday, November 6

6:00 p.m. Rummage Sale

Friday, November 7

9:00 a.m. Rummage Sale

Saturday, November 8

8:00 a.m. Rummage Sale 11:00 a.m. AA Meeting

Forever Young

Members of all ages are invited go out to lunch once a month. We will be meeting on **Friday**, **November 14 at 12:00 p.m. at Olive Garden**, 3725 Stone Creek Blvd. If you plan on joining us, please contact Jill Pepple. Everyone is welcome!

The Adult Sunday School Class

Meets every Sunday at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is invited. Please join us!

Prepare Affair — Give Back Day

Saturday, Nov. 15, Colerain Community Center
Meet at the Colerain Community Center at 7:30 a.m.
We'll be serving at the People Working Cooperatively
annual Prepare Affair by raking leaves and doing
other outdoor chores for seniors and homeowners
living with disabilities in our community. You can
sign up either in the gathering area at RJC on
Sunday or by registering at PWC's website. Just
be sure to register as part of ResoundingJoy
Church's team. This is a great way for people to
learn more about RJC and make new connections.
Even if you are not able to physically participate,
invite others to participate to make a positive, lasting
impact on the lives of our neighbors in need

Hosting the Presbytery of Cincinnati!

Saturday, Nov. 15, 6-8 p.m. at 8:45 a.m.—Noon We're hosting the Presbytery for their November gathering. Let's show off some "WOW" hospitality! We will need people to be at the registration table, to bring pre-meeting snacks, and in the parking lot to direct traffic (as we have a lot happening that morning) as well as a few other areas. People will need to arrive around 8:45 a.m., and some will need to stay after the meeting, which ends around noon. A signup form is in the narthex and you can sign up online at https://bit.ly/rjc-presby

RJC Rummage Sale is Nearly Here!

Sale hours: Thurs. Nov. 6, 6-8 p.m.

Fri. Nov. 7, 9 a.m.—noon, Sat. Nov. 8, 8 a.m.—noon.

There is no cost for admission, so come and invite your friends to see what treasures you can find!

We welcome donations beginning the afternoon of Sat. Nov. 1 through the evening of Wed. Nov. 5.

There will be people here most of the week, but it's a good idea to call first.

Church office: 513-385-8973, Lori: 513-530-4464

Volunteer Schedule & Opportunities:

Sat. Nov. 1: 1:30 p.m. – set up tables
Sun. Nov. 2 following worship: Begin sorting donated items. (Even if you're unable to work, come by to look around. RJC members are welcome to "shop" any time, including while we're setting up!)
Mon. Nov. 3, Tues. Nov. 4, Wed. Nov. 5, and the morning of Thurs. Nov. 6: Sorting, organizing, and pricing donated items.

Thurs. Nov. 6: 6-8 p.m. — Sale opens! This is our busiest time.

Fri. Nov. 7: 9-noon — Sale is open

Sat. Nov. 8: 8-noon — Sale is open

Jobs during sale days: Monitoring doors, overseeing furniture room, manning the "lay away" area (these are sitting down jobs), help customers carry items to cars, working jewelry and special items area, mingling to answer questions, and keeping tables neat and organized.

Sat. Nov. 8: Noon until we're done — Clean up

Collection for SON Ministries

For November, please bring canned ravioli or fruit.