



A PUBLICATION OF TAYLORS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

# *Easter Sunday*

April 17  
Identical Worship Services  
9:00 and 10:30 am

Life Groups at 9:00 and 10:30 am





# *Easter Sermon Series*

Uncover what it means to be made alive in Christ as Pastor Josh preaches from 1 Corinthians 15 in April.

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forever

## *There Was Jesus*

EASTER NIGHT OF WORSHIP  
April 10 at 6:00 pm

## *Good Friday Service*

LORD'S SUPPER  
April 15 at 12:00 pm

Childcare is available Night of Worship on April 10.



# Easter Flowering Cross

Join us in the tradition of adorning a cross with flowers on Easter Sunday.

Place flowers on the cross and take a photo of your family. A photographer will be available to assist in taking photos on your phone.



## KIDS' music

### SPRING MUSICAL

Sunday, May 15, 6:00 pm

"The Praise Team"

presented by the Preschool Choirs  
and

"Sermon on the Mound"

presented by the Children's Choirs

## SUNDAYS

[taylorsfbc.org/worship/services](http://taylorsfbc.org/worship/services)



### Traditional Worship:

9:00 am

### Taylor's Worship:

10:30 am



9:00 am

Nursery | Preschool | Elementary | Middle/High School  
College | Adult | Young Professionals

10:30 am

Nursery | Preschool | Adult

Kids Worship for Elementary (except 1st Sundays)

### Evenings

Regeneration Student Choir: 5:00 pm

College Bible Study: 5:30 pm

Remedy for High School: 6:15 pm

## WEDNESDAYS

[taylorsfbc.org/wednesdays](http://taylorsfbc.org/wednesdays)

### Family Dinner, 5:15 - 6:15 pm\*

April 6: Pork Loin or Chick-fil-A

April 13: Beef Tips or Chick-fil-A

April 20: Ham or Chick-fil-A

April 27: Lasagna or Chick-fil-A

### Taylor's Worship: Rehearsals

Worship Choir, 6:15 pm / Orchestra, 6:30 pm

Traditional Choir, 7:20 pm

### Parish Nurse Office Open

Health Counseling / Monitoring, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

### Pastor's Bible Study

6:30 - 7:30 pm | Fellowship Hall

### Taylor's Children: Nursery and Konnect

6:30 - 7:30 pm | Doors Open at 6:15 pm

### Taylor's Students: Rise and Remedy United

6:30 - 7:45 pm | Cafe Opens at 6:15 pm

### Taylor's College: The Gathering

7:30 - 9:00 pm

\* Reservations are required by the Tuesday prior and are non-refundable. Sign up in the Church Center App or at [taylorsfbc.org/events](http://taylorsfbc.org/events)



## E3 PRACTICUM

The E3 Practicum exists to equip existing and potential Life Group leaders to lead others in engaging the Word of God! The Practicum provides an environment to practice studying God's Word with the E3 process. Though officially a training, our goal is that this time together would be much more — a time of worship and transformation. God was faithful as we prayed and studied His Word together, to allow us to experience His transforming work! I am looking forward to the next E3 Practicum! If you are interested, email [bethc@taylorsfbc.org](mailto:bethc@taylorsfbc.org). — Jeremy Thompson, Equip Pastor



*Jeanie and I found this to be one of the best tools for us to study the Bible together. We are excited to share this method with our Engaged and Young Married class and pray that it brings them closer together as a couple but most importantly their relationship with our Lord. — Maxie Eskew, Life Group Leader*

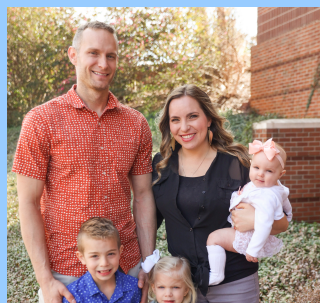
*The E3 inductive study method is a practical and rewarding way to dig deep into God's Word and clearly see the truths within the context and culture in which it was written. Even as our group was learning how to use and teach the E3 method, it was a worshipful time together as we were reminded of the truths within 1 Peter. I'm excited to watch the Lord use the E3 study method to continue to grow the people of Taylors FBC into people of the Word! — Caleb Mitchell, Life Group Leader*

*E3 is proving to be one of the best Bible study methods I have been a part of in my years of ministry – especially in a Life Group setting. In E3 anyone can participate, anyone can contribute. No one has to be a Bible scholar to add to the understanding of a passage. I highly recommend it, and I highly recommend Jeremy Thompson's E3 Practicum for veteran and potential teachers. — Jerry Long, Minister of Pastoral Care*



## PARENT/CHILD DEDICATION

Thirteen families were dedicated as part of our March Parent/Child Dedication. Parents understand that discipling their children is a command from God. In obedience to this command, they participate in Parent/Child Dedication to present their child to the Lord and publicly pledge themselves to obey the command that comes from Deuteronomy 6:6-7.







“When asked to go to spring retreat, I initially said no. With three kids it is hard to get away for a weekend, but I am so glad that I did. As soon as I walked into the worship room I knew that was exactly where God wanted me to be. He spoke to me throughout the weekend, but what was even more impactful was seeing God move through the lives of our students. I saw our students worship with their whole hearts and unite in such a special way. It was an exhausting, but fulfilling weekend that I will never forget.

— Jenny Pierce, 8th grade leader

This year we took D-Now on the Road for our first Spring Retreat! Our team truly believed that God does so much in the lives of our students when we are away from the familiarity of home. He showed us just how true that is while we were at Ridge Haven in March. The Ridge Haven staff was fun, engaging and truly created a space where our students could enjoy themselves without distraction, minus the flying grilled cheese during lunch time. Worship was high energy and engaging and we once again saw students and leaders unite at the throne of Christ together. Will Snipes has spoken at the past several D-Now's in town and his delivery this retreat was just as biblically sound. The way the Holy Spirit speaks through him captures the hearts and minds of our students and leaders in new ways. Saturday night we had the opportunity to have intentional prayer time with prompts that required our students to do a self-reflection that led to some big decisions in their walks with the Lord. Our tsm team is beyond thankful for your prayers, encouragement, and giving as we encountered the living God while we were away. To say that He is at work seems to be an understatement – He is doing things that only HE can do! To God be all the glory!

— tsm Team







“ This Spring Retreat was amazing and filled with fellowship! The theme was Enough which talked about how Jesus is enough for our lives. I got closer to all of the people there and made some new friendships. I’m so grateful for my church family and for Josh, Amanda, Cameron, and Will Snipes. I learned that if we have Jesus we have everything we need. We have enough power in our lives to share Jesus and have those Gospel conversations. God is so good to me and shows me that through the retreats! We also sang “I thank God” which is one of my favorite songs. This retreat was so powerful and the Lord spoke to me individually and to everyone around me!  
— Macy Powell, 8th grade



“ Spring Retreat was one of the best experiences I’ve had in a long time not only by being able to get closer to my friends but getting closer to God. Throughout Spring Retreat, me and some of my friends got the time to connect and talked about God deeply and had good conversations about what it means to be a follower of God. This whole trip had helped us grow stronger together in our walk with Christ and be engaged in the word of God. I feel like I’ve made a permanent change in my walk with God after this week and forever praise no other idols but worship him. People like Will Snipes and Josh Duncan helped us learn throughout this weekend. It really helped me get a new perspective of the wonderful Creator we were praising. I would highly recommend going to any of Taylors Students retreats as it is a great connection time with not only your friends but with the Lord. — Jay Caskey, 8th grade







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I thought that Spring Retreat was an astounding experience. Between the extremely talented band, who played some of my favorite songs to Will Snipes who delivered really theologically profound sermons, my friends and I all had an amazing time. I really enjoyed the location as well. There were so many activities that my friends and I couldn't even visit them all! I also thought it was helpful to be far away from our own church and homes so the only thing we had in the vicinity was God and each other.  
— Jackson Norman, 11th grade



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This Spring Retreat was such a great weekend to experience with my fellow students. I could feel the joy radiating from those around me as we worshipped, and it was clear to see God working in their lives. Even though it was bitterly cold, we weren't stopped from having fun with one another. Whether that was through playing games inside, jumping (or watching other people jump) into a freezing cold lake, or just chatting as we walked from place to place. I truly believe that God was working in people's relationships with Him and with others during this retreat. — Kiran Caskey, 10th grade





# OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Celebrate baptisms, new members, anniversaries and more.

## IN MEMORIAM

**JD Martin, Jr.**

November 9, 1943 - March 2, 2022

**Peg Moffett**

March 17, 1931 - March 11, 2022

**Billie McCarter**

October 2, 1936 - March 19, 2022

**Don Shetley**

June 28, 1940 - March 19, 2022

**Pepper Humphrey**

February 13, 1952 - March 28, 2022

**Larry Duncan**

September 8, 1944 - March 30, 2022

## BAPTISMS

We welcome to the Body of Christ, through believer's baptism: **Elijah Deighton**

## STAFF ANNIVERSARIES

APRIL

**Renee Morton** — 32 years of service

**Anita Tolliver** — 6 years of service

**Mason Freitas** — 4 years of service

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



**Noah Banks**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Andrew & Lindsey Black**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**DeWayne & Mary Brinkman  
Ansley, Grayson, & Levi**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
DeWayne/Mary by Statement  
Ansley/Grayson/Levi by Baptism



**Casey Campbell**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Watchcare



**Courtney Campbell**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Bob & Gigie Carter**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Sara Churchwell**

Joined March 6, 2022,  
by Letter



**Martin Countryman**

Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement





**Elijah Deighton**  
Joined March 6, 2022,  
by Baptism



**Harris Henderson**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Gayle & Michelle Kelly**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Letter



**Andrew Lee**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Baptism



**Larry & Bea Loftis**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Juliana Mendoza**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Watchcare



**Emily Miller**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



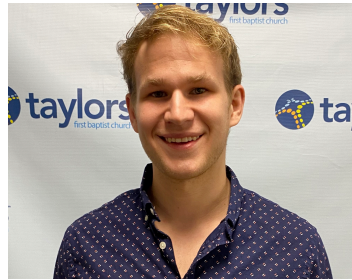
**Emma Riddle**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Nathaniel Smith**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement



**Trent & Paige Staton**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Letter



**Mark Washer**  
Joined February 27, 2022,  
by Statement

#### **Photos Not Available**

**Callie Gray**  
Joined March 20, 2022, by Watchcare

**Ben & Cindy Morris**  
**Austin, Megan, Kendyl, & Ryan Morris**  
**Chloe & Issac Allen**  
Joined March 20, 2022, by Letter

**Mario & Ibelize Saavedra**  
Joined February 27, 2022, by Statement

**Kristen Wilke**  
Joined March 20, 2022, by Watchcare



## SUNDAY STATISTICS

	3/6	3/13	3/20	3/27
Nursery .....	46.....	36.....	30.....	48
Preschool.....	60.....	48.....	47.....	59
Elementary .....	56.....	59.....	51.....	59
Students .....	117.....	124.....	77.....	75
College .....	32.....	26.....	6.....	0
Adults .....	608.....	521.....	553.....	586
Life Group Total.....	1,018.....	928.....	848.....	925
Morning Worship* ....	1,299.....	1,221.....	1,260.....	1,260

\*Includes online attendance

## STEWARDSHIP

### FEBRUARY

#### Month to Date

Budget Receipts: \$452,021

Actual Receipts: \$385,757

Actual Spent: \$411,758

#### Year to Date

Budget Receipts: \$904,041

Actual Receipts: \$732,317

Actual Spent: \$809,781

## SEMINARY SCHOLARSHIPS

Taylors Foundation is accepting applications for scholarships to Southern Baptist seminaries.

### Fall Semester Deadline is May 30

To learn more about Taylors Foundation and apply for a scholarship visit  
[taylorsfbc.org/taylors-foundation](http://taylorsfbc.org/taylors-foundation)

## WAYS TO GIVE

Give in the Church Center App or at [taylorsfbc.org/give](http://taylorsfbc.org/give).

During the week, bring or mail your tithe or offering to the Church Office.

On Sundays and Wednesdays, place your contribution in one of the Giving Boxes or in the basket as you exit the Worship Center on Sunday.



Fran Stoddard

## TEAM UPDATES

### Welcome Back Fran Stoddard

Fran has rejoined our team in the Reach Office. She will assist Jeremy Thompson with all Reach Logistics. We are thankful to have her, along with all of the knowledge and expertise she brings. Fran and her husband Barry are long time members of Taylors FBC.

### Farewell to Courtney Powell

Courtney has been an asset to Kathy Dority, the Connections ministry, and our team for the past three years. We wish her well as she turns her focus to growing her home-based business and spending more time with her family.



### Serving the Sent Volunteers

We have over 90 volunteers going with us to Serve the Sent. This is amazing! Thank for you so much for generously giving of your time, talents, and strength. If you are not able to join us on the ground but would like to be a part of this ministry, please join us in prayer. You can find prayer cards for Serving the Sent at the REACH desk. Thank you for serving the sent!



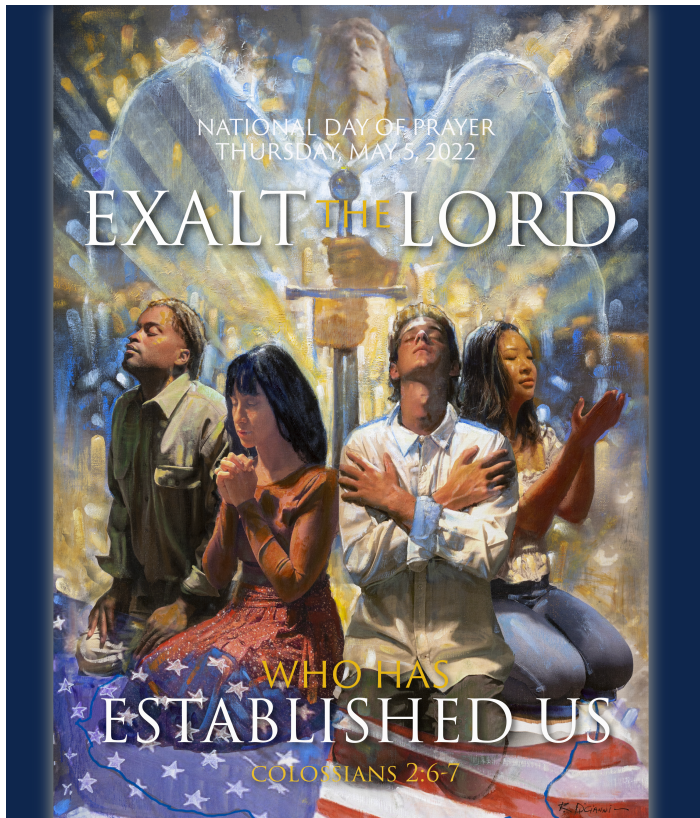
# EVENTS AT TAYLORS

Sign up at [taylorsfbc.org/events](https://taylorsfbc.org/events) or in the Church Center App.

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER



Thursday, May 5  
12:00 pm in the Chapel



## taylors singles

### Sunday Lunch

April 10 | 11:45 am | Fellowship Hall

Join other single adults for a delicious home-cooked meal and a time of Fellowship.

Signup Required!

## taylors seniors

### XYZ Fellowship

April 11 | 11:15 am

"Xtra Years of Zest" meets monthly for fellowship, entertainment and lunch.

The April meeting features Allison Powell, with chicken casserole for lunch.

Sign up by April 6!

## Spring Fling

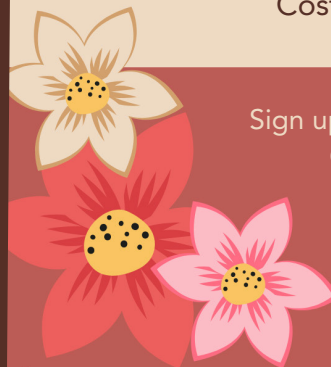


"Blessings of Spring"

Thursday, April 28 | 5:30 - 7:30 pm

Featuring dinner and The Regals Quartet

Cost: \$12



Sign up by April 24 in the Church Center App, online at [taylorsfbc.org/events](https://taylorsfbc.org/events), or stop by the Church Office.



## STAY CONNECTED

What's Happening at Taylors

### Subscribe to Taylors FBC Emails

Visit [taylorsfbc.org](http://taylorsfbc.org) and click "Subscribe" near the bottom of the homepage.

### Download the Church Center App

Google Play or The App Store

### Connect on Social Media

@taylorsfbc | @taylorsstudents  
@taylorsclg | @taylorsrec  
@taylorswomen | @taylorschildren



## Graduate Recognition

Sunday, May 22, 9:00 and 10:30 am

Parents and Graduates are also invited to a banquet on May 21 at 6:00 pm.

Sign up for the banquet on Saturday and let us know of your participation on Sunday in the Church Center app or at [taylorsfbc.org/events](http://taylorsfbc.org/events).



Sign up in the Church Center App or at [taylorsfbc.org/events](http://taylorsfbc.org/events). | All Camps \$25 per Participant

### Tumble Weekly Classes

Wednesdays, June 15 - 29

### Tumbling Camp

July 11, July 18, or July 25

### Dance Weekly Classes

Thursdays, June 9 - 23, or Thursdays, July 7 - 21

### Cheer Camp

July 13

### Dance Camps

June 10 or August 3

*Learn more about what Taylors Rec has to offer at [taylorsrec.com](http://taylorsrec.com)!*



## VERY BEST SUMMER (VBS)

June 6 - 9, 6:00 - 8:15 pm

for Children Age Three, by 9/1/21, through completed 5th Grade

It's going to be the Very Best Summer learning from the Book of Acts about how the church started and how to share Jesus with others. VBS will include a rotation of large group, Bible story, crafts, gym, and music. Each rotation will point children to what it looks like to live a life for Jesus.

**Volunteer!** One of our values at Taylors is "Everybody Serves." Everybody (those who have completed 6th grade through adults) is invited to serve at Very Best Summer!

Sign up in the Church Center App or at [taylorsfbc.org/events](http://taylorsfbc.org/events)