

WELCOME TO EVANGEL CHURCH PCA

If you are worshipping today as a visitor to Evangel, we welcome you in the name of Christ! You can learn more about Evangel from literature available on the table in the main church atrium, by going to our web site at www.evangelchurchpca.org, or by giving us your contact information on a card you will find in the pew rack and putting it in the offering plate today. Note that audio enhancement units are available; please ask a deacon or sound technician for assistance. We do have a Mother's Room available just off of the sanctuary where you are able to hear the service if your baby is not quite ready for the nursery. We pray you are blessed as you worship with us today!



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THE MORNING SERVICE OF WORSHIP July 13, 2025 10:15 a.m. Worship

Gathering Song “Come, Christians Join to Sing”

Come, Christians, join to sing Alleluia, amen! Loud praise to Christ, our King.
Alleluia, amen! Let all with heart and voice before His throne rejoice;
praise is His gracious choice, Alleluia, amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia, amen! Let praises fill the sky, Alleluia, amen!
He Who made all things well formed us His praise to tell;
hear now the anthem swell, Alleluia, amen!

Oh, sing this salvation song. Alleluia, amen! Christ on the cross has won, Alleluia, amen!
Praise we the risen Lord; come, run through mercy's door;
Loved, rescued, and restored, Alleluia, amen!

Lift high the Savior's name, Alleluia, amen! Til all the earth proclaims, Alleluia, amen!
Let now the gospel ring, Christ for the world we sing;
the world to Christ we bring, Alleluia, amen! Alleluia, amen! Alleluia, a-men!

Welcome and Announcements **Rev. Alex Goodsell**
Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer *Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen. Matthew 6:9-14*

*Scriptural Call to Worship I Corinthians 15:3-4; 1:18

Minister: For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received,
that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,
People: and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures...
Minister: For the word of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing,
All: but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

*Congregational Worship “Christ Our Hope in Life and Death”

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone.
What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong.
Who holds our days within His hand? What comes apart from His command?
And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ in which we stand.
O sing, hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal; O sing, hallelujah!
Now and ever we confess Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good.
Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood.
Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh unto the shore the rock of Christ?
O sing, hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal; O sing, hallelujah!
Now and ever we confess Christ our hope in life and death.

Unto the grave, what will we sing? “Christ, He lives; Christ He lives!”
And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him.
There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed.
And we will feast in endless joy when Christ is ours forevermore.

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Congregational and Pastoral Prayer **Rev. Alex Goodsell**

*Congregational Worship “The Lord is My Salvation”

The grace of God has reached for me, and pulled me from a raging sea,
and I am safe on this solid ground--the Lord is my salvation.
I will not fear when darkness falls, His strength will help me scale these walls.
I'll see the dawn of the rising sun-the Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love.
My debt is paid and the victory won-the Lord is my salvation.

My hope is hidden in the Lord, He flow'rs each promise of His Word.
When winter fades, I know spring will come-the Lord is my salvation.
In times of waiting, times of need, when I know loss, when I am weak,
I know His grace will renew these days--the Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love.
My debt is paid and the victory won-the Lord is my salvation.

And when I reach my final day, He will not leave me in the grave,
but I will rise, He will call me home-the Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faithful in love.
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Glory be to God, the Father. Glory be to God, the Son. Glory be to God, the Spirit.
The Lord is our salvation. Glory be to God, the Father. Glory be to God, the Son.
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“His Glory and My Good”

I have seen my Father's glory revealed in Jesus Christ,
and the more that I behold Him the more He satisfies.
When I gaze upon His beauty, when I see Him as I should,
then my eyes are lifted upward for His glory and my good.

There is hope in every trial, for I can trust the Lord.
He will turn my heart towards Him, and help me bear the thorn.
So, in faith I follow Jesus on the road not understood,
for I know that He is working for His glory and my good.

To our God be the glory. To our God be praise. He alone, the name above all names.
I will boast ever only in the Lord, my God, for I know His glory is my good.

See the open arms of Jesus upon the cross that day.
What they understood as weakness deserves my every praise.
For the change that was against me, it was nailed into the wood.
Yes, I know that He has saved me for His glory and my good.

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I will boast ever only in the Lord, my God, for I know His glory is my good.

Would I gladly be made nothing that Christ would be made more?
Would I seek the only kingdom that far outweighs them all?
I will stand before my Father where the faithful saints have stood,
and with joy my heart shall praise Him for His glory and my good.
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I will boast ever only in the Lord, my God, for I know His glory is my good.
Yes, I know His glory is my good.

Receiving of His Tithes and Our Offerings “He Will Be”

God is faithful to His Word, even when there seems no way.
Though time may pass, His memory will not fade.
His promises will never fail.

Faithful He has been. Faithful He will be. Time and time again,
His Word returns complete. To His truth I cling when the night is deep.
Faithful He has been, faithful He will be.

God is gracious when I doubt. He draws near though I retreat.
Though I may wander through the wilderness, He goes with me and gives me peace.
Gracious He has been. Gracious He will be.
What I don't deserve the Father gives to me.
Where He leads my feet, I shall not want or need.
Gracious He has been. Gracious He will be.

God is worthy of my song, countless are His awesome deeds.
His mighty hand has parted raging seas for those He loves, He has redeemed.
Worthy He has been. Worthy He will be,
crowned in endless praise all earth and heaven sing.
Holy is the Lord Who reigns in majesty. Worthy He has been., worthy He will be.

He is my provider, covenant protector; all my hope is in the Lord my God.
He is my sustainer, merciful Redeemer; all my hope is in the Lord my God.
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>Children in K4, K5 and 1st Grade are invited to Children's Church in Room 212.
***The Reading of God's Word John 11:20-26; 32-44**

The Exposition of God's Word **Dr. Jeph Guinan**

“Jesus Weeps and Raises”

*Pastoral Benediction **Dr. Jeph Guinan** *Congregational Response “O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus”

O the deep, deep love of Jesus-spread His praise from shore to shore!
How He loveth, ever loveth, changeth never, nevermore;
how He watchees o'er His loved ones, died to call them all His own;
how for them He intercedeth, watcheth o'er them from the throne.

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The Prayer Team will be available in the front of the sanctuary near the stage
each Sunday immediately following the closing song. Any who desire prayer
or to talk about spiritual matters are encouraged to meet with a member of our team.

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Stephen Daniels '28
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Ralph Nelson '26
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Lee Russell '25
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Tim Goodroe '27
Chuck Herndon '25
Jason Parham '27
Danny Scott '25
Jon Sund '26
Matt Windsor '26

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 13, 2025

We Welcome Jeph Guinan! After graduating from Birmingham Theological Seminary (2012), the Lord called Jeph as a bivocational church planter to start a church in Calera, AL, where he planted and pastored until being called as the director of the Alabama Church Planting Network in late 2018. Jeph recently completed his Doctorate of Ministry in Church Vitality from Birmingham Theological Seminary. Jeph Guinan is married to Heidi and they have five children.

Community Serve Day! Mark your calendars for **Saturday, July 19th!** Come be the hands and feet of Jesus! We could use everyone’s help to make this event successful. We will have several different opportunities for you to use your gifts to serve the community and our church family. A sign-up genius is available on our website. Depending on the project, times begin at either 7:30 a.m. or 8:00 a.m. Lunch for all volunteers will be available at 12 noon in the gym.

Family Night at Veterans Park! Don’t miss our second family night of the summer at Veterans Park! Make plans to join us on **Wednesday, July 23,** at 6:00 p.m. for great food, fellowship, and fun! It will be hard to top the adults vs. youth kickball game we had this month, but we are working on something that should be just as fun!

Officer Nominations Please see the insert for information regarding the nomination of new church officers. We will be electing 4 elders and 4 deacons for the beginning of the year 2026. Please prayerfully read the insert and consider your nominations; we will receive them through the offering plate or drop by the church office through July 31st.

Audio/Media Volunteers Needed The worship ministry is in search of volunteers who would be willing to be trained to help with operating the **Video Equipment** for our worship services and the **PowerPoint** lyric slides. Musical and previous technical training is a plus, but not required. We can train you! This would be on a rotation and volunteer basis. Contact Connie Reynolds by email at reynolds1213@aol.com) if you are interested in serving the Lord and our church this way.

Back to School Fiesta! Mark your calendars for Wednesday, August 13th!!



Finding Common Ground in Conversations

As we enter difficult conversations and disagreements, are we prepared?

WEEK 2 - Heart of Love
Compassion and Kindness

Loving our Neighbors

Amy Goodsell

July 15th

Ladies! Join us this Tuesday, July 15, for Week 2 of our Summer Drop-In Bible Study.

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. –Bible Study and Terrific Tuesday Kids & Nursery

6:00 p.m.–7:30 p.m. Bible Study only



- **Our Evangel Youth Group is looking for all rising 7th graders.** To begin receiving text updates about all the exciting events/meetings in youth please text EVANGELYOUTH to 205.286.3282.
- **Burly Man and Girl's Bible** studies meet tonight from 6:00 p.m. -7:00 p.m. at the gym.
- Join us **Wednesday, July 16th** from 5:30-8:00 pm for open gym night and water battles.
- Join us **Saturday, July 26th** for a day at the lake. Bewatching for more details and sign up this week.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025

9:00 a.m. Sunday School Classes for Children:
3, 4 & 5 year olds Room 104C taught by Lisa & Phillip Lichlyter: *Serving the Savior*
1st & 2nd Grade Room 212 taught by Stacey Parham: *Pleasing God*
3rd & 4th Grade Room 229 taught by Sheri Williams *God’s Servants*
5th & 6th Grade Room 217 taught by Linda Stockman: *Job-Malachi*
Jr. & Sr. High Girls Room 222 taught by Jennifer Carr & Penny Lowden *1, 2, 3 John*
Jr. & Sr. High Boys Room 224 taught by Tommy Barberini & Rob Wood
Growing In Grace in the Choir Suite studying *Missions* taught by Michael Tubbs
Young Couples meeting in Room 203 with the Wards
Refuge meeting in Area 235 studying *Hebrews*
Teach &Talk Class (studying *Be Alert: Beware of the Religious Imposters; a Study of II Peter*)
meeting in Quad 208 with the Ketchams, Rakestraws, & Russells
Ladies’ Class led by Kitsy Sullivan (Library) studying *Wisdom*
Inquirer’s Class led by Alex Goodsell (*Quad 210*)
10:15 a.m. Worship Service and LIVE Streaming
6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Studies (*Gym*)

MONDAY, JULY 14, 2025

7:00 p.m. Trail Life (*contact Britton Eveland, b.eveland@tomjames.com*)

TUESDAY, JULY 15, 2025

6:15 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (Studying *The Book of Romans*)
(*meeting at Chick-fil-a in Alabaster; contact David Maginnis, 835-0890*)
10:00 a.m. Women’s Summer Drop-In Bible Study/Terrific Tuesday Kids & Nursery
6:00 p.m. Women’s Summer Drop In Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16, 2025

6:45 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (Studying *The Book of I Corinthians*)
(*meeting at Chick-fil-a in Calera; contact Alex Goodsell, 837-3376*)
5:30 p.m. Evangel Youth Open Gym & Water Battles (*Gym*)
6:00 p.m. Spanish Class for Beginners (*Choir Suite*)

THURSDAY, JULY 17, 2025

FRIDAY, JULY 18, 2025

6:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (Studying *The Seven Sayings of the Savior on the Cross*)
(*meeting at Jack’s-in Calera; contact Dennis Stockman, 451-2739*)

SATURDAY, JULY 19, 2025

Evangel Community Serve Day

Oak Mountain Ministries Urgent Needs this month are jelly, condiments, hearty soups, baking items (flour & sugar); toilet paper, deorderant, shampoo, soap, toothpaste, diapers (size 3 & up), wipes, adult Depends. Please bring any items you would like to donate in the basket near the church office.

We thank God for your continued faithfulness in giving to the Lord’s work! Ways you can give:

Mail your check to Evangel Church
423 Thompson Road Alabaster, AL 35007

Drop off at the Church
Hand deliver Monday–Thursday
9:00 am–3:00 pm

QR Code/ Online Giving
www.evangelchurchpca.org/evangelonlinegiving

2025 FINANCIAL UPDATE

	May	Year to Date
Budgeted Income	\$105,791	\$528,955
Total Income	\$73,644	\$456,654
Total Expenses	\$98,578	\$490,167
Net	\$(24,934)	\$(33,513)

FAITH PROMISE: GIVING TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF MISSIONS
May Receipts: \$7,066

