

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 20, 2025 10:15 a.m. Worship

*Congregational Praise

“Great Are You, Lord”

You give life; You are love; You bring light to the darkness. You give hope;
You restore every heart that is broken, and great are You, Lord.
*It's Your breath in our lungs, so we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise;
it's Your breath in our lungs, so we pour out our praise to You only.*

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All the earth will shout Your praise. Our hearts will cry,
these bones will sing, “Great are You, Lord!”
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Great are You, Lord. Great are You, Lord. Great are You, Lord. Great are You, Lord.

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

Elder Ralph Nelson Philippians 2:5-11

Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but He emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men. Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee will bow...and every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord...

*Congregational Worship

“O Praise the Name”

I cast my mind to Calvary, where Jesus bled and died for me.
I see His wounds-His hands, His feet, my Savior on that cursed tree.
His body bound and drenched in tears, they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb;
the entrance sealed by heavy stone, Messiah still and all alone.

O praise the Name of the Lord, our God. O praise His Name forevermore,
for endless days we will sing Your praise, O Lord, O Lord, our God.

Then on the third, at break of dawn, the Son of Heaven rose again. O trampled death,
where is your sting? The angels roar for Christ, the King!

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He shall return in robes of white; the blazing sun shall pierce the night.
And I will rise among the saints, my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face.

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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, this is my song.
I'm praising my risen King and Savior all the day long.

I trust in God, my Savior, the One Who will never fail. He will never fail.
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I sought the Lord and He heard and He answered.
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He will never fail. I trust in God.

Evangel Youth Generate Camp Testimonies and Video Chase Battle & Libby Windsor, Evangel Youth Leadership Team

Congregational and Offertory Prayer

Elder Ralph Nelson

Receiving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

“Names”

You are the medicine, the only cure for everything I feel within,
redeeming what was lost and all that could have been.
Oh, this is a healing kind of love.
You are the Truest Friend, staying through the night when I was at my end,
comforting my heart till it was light again. Oh, this is a faithful kind of love.

Everlasting Father, Prince of peace, Immanuel, God with us, You're here with me.
Wonderful, Counselor, the government is resting on Your shoulders.

You are the Final Word. You alone decide when every page will turn.
So, I will trust Your timing, I will rest secure. Oh, this is a steady kind of love.

Everlasting Father, Prince of peace, Immanuel, God with us, You're here with me.
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Your Names say it all, they say it all, I stand in awe of You.
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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

Luke 15: 8-10

The Exposition of God's Word

Rev. David Maginnis

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE “Lost and Found” Part II

*Pastoral Benediction

Rev. David Maginnis

*Congregational Response

“Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)”

All these pieces, broken and scattered in mercy gathered, mended and whole.
Empty handed, but not forsaken, I've been set free. I've been set free.

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me.
Oh, I once was lost, but now I am found, was blind but now I see.
Oh, I can see You now. Oh, I can see the love in Your eyes.
Laying Yourself down, raising up the broken to life.

You take our failure. You take our weakness. You set Your treasure in jars of clay.
So take this heart, Lord, I'll be Your vessel, the world to see Your life in me.

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me.
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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.

EVANGEL CHURCH PCA

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THE STAFF

Rev. David Maginnis, Pastor
Rev. Alex Goodsell, Associate Pastor
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Andy Ward, Young Adult Ministries Director
Cindy Nelson, Women's Ministry Coordinator
Ralph Nelson, Interim Youth Ministry Director
Liz Oldfield, Children's Director
Grace Baas, Nursery Director
Pam Sapp, Accounting & Finance Manager
Joshua Williams, Facility Team
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Phillip Lichlyter, Worship Leader
Jacob Martin, Worship Intern

THE SESSION

Stephen Daniels '28
Buster Ellis '28
Byron Ketcham '25
Doug Morgan '28
Ralph Nelson '26
Kyle Rakestraw '25
Lee Russell '25
Steve Sanders '25
Dennis Stockman '27

THE DIACONATE

Wesley Allen '25
Tommy Barberini '27
Penn Bullock '25
Tim Goodroe '27
Chuck Herndon '25
Jason Parham '27
Danny Scott '25
Jon Sund '26
Matt Windsor '26

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 20, 2025

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! See the insert in the bulletin for more details. Please RSVP on the church website.

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.

Ladies! Join us this Tuesday, July 22, for Week 3 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

WEEK 3 - Mindset of Patience
Cultivating Connection
through Hospitality
Penny Lowden
July 22nd

Children's Ministry Volunteer Training
Friday, August 8th, from 5:30 p.m.–7:30 p.m. and Saturday, August 9th, from 8:45 a.m.–10:45a.m. Please make plans to join us as we attend a live stream of the Grow Virtual Conference which is put on by the PCA each year. This year's theme is **Spiritual Formation: Forming and Shaping Children by What We Teach**. This training is for anyone who volunteers with children at Evangel (E Kids, Children's Church, VBS, Nursery, special events, etc.) or is interested in volunteering with them in the future. It is not mandatory, but is encouraged. We will meet in room 203 at Evangel and eat together as we watch the live stream. Dinner will be provided on Friday night and breakfast will be provided on Saturday morning. Please RSVP to Liz Oldfield childrensdirector@evangelchurchpca.org if you plan to attend so we can prepare enough food for everyone.

Upcoming Events!

- **Back to School Fiesta!** Wednesday, August 13th, 5:30 p.m.
- **A Night of Praise & Prayer!** Wednesday, August 20th, 6:00 p.m.
- **Service Project for My Sister’s Place** My Sister’s Place is a residential life-recovery program in Calera for women that provides guidance and love through a structured healing process. Over the next month, we will be collecting items for care packages for each of the residents. We will gather as a church family on Wednesday, August 27th, at 6:00 p.m. to assemble the care packages. Check the bulletin next Sunday for an insert with a list of items we will be collecting.



- **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 23rd** at 6:00 p.m. at Veterans Park for Evangel Family Night! We will have great food and fellowship and World Series Wiffle Ball!
- Join us **Saturday, July 26th** for a day at the lake. This is open to all rising 7th graders through recently graduated high schoolers. We will meet in the Evangel upper parking lot at 8:00 a.m. The only money needed is for dinner on the way home; we will stop at Chick-fil-a. Lunch, snacks, and drinks while at the lake are provided. Bring plenty of sunscreen, bathing suit (one piece, tankini, or longer dark t-shirt over two piece for girls), towel, and change of clothes. Scan the QR code to sign up!



OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JULY 20, 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 21, 2025
7:00 p.m. Trail Life (*contact Mitchell Jones at mjones@dosterconstruction.com*)

TUESDAY, JULY 22, 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 23, 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*)
6:00 p.m. Evangel Family Night at Veterans Park (*Pavilion 7*)

FRIDAY, JULY 25, 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 26, 2025
8:00 a.m. Evangel Youth Fun in the Sun at Lake Martin (*meet in upper parking lot*)

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.

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.

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

	June	Year to Date
Budgeted Income	\$105,971	\$634,747
Total Income	\$99,893	\$556,547
Total Expenses	\$88,824	\$578,991
Net	\$11,069	\$(22,444)

FAITH PROMISE: GIVING TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF MISSIONS
June Receipts: \$8,464