

WELCOME TO EVANGEL CHURCH PCA

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THE MORNING SERVICE OF WORSHIP

March 22, 2026 10:15 a.m. Worship

*Congregational Worship

“God So Loved”

Come all you weary, come all you thirsty, come to the well that never runs dry;
drink of the water, come and thirst no more.

Come all you sinners, come find His mercy, come to the table He will satisfy;
taste of His goodness, find what you're looking for.

For God so loved the world that He gave us His one and only Son to save us.
Whoever believes in Him will live forever.

Bring all your failures, bring your addictions, come lay them down
at the foot of the cross. Jesus is waiting there with open arms.

For God so loved the world that He gave us His one and only Son to save us.
Whoever believes in Him will live forever.
The power of hell forever defeated now it is well I'm walking in freedom,
for God so loved, God so loved the world.

Praise God, praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, praise Him for the wonders of His love.
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at the foot of the cross. Jesus is waiting. God so loved the world.

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

Ephesians 2:4-9

Minister: But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in our transgressions,

People: made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved),

Minister: and raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus,

People: so that in the ages to come He might show the surpassing riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.

Minister: For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves,

All: it is the gift of God; not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.

*Congregational Worship

“Glorious Day”

I was buried beneath my shame. Who could carry that kind of weight?
It was my tomb 'til I met You. I was breathing but not alive.
All my failures I tried to hide. It was my tomb 'til I met You.

You called my name and I ran out of that grave, out of the darkness
into Your glorious day. You called my name and I ran out of that grave,
out of the darkness into Your glorious day.

Now Your mercy has saved my soul. Now Your freedom is all that I know.
The old made new Jesus when I met You.

You called my name and I ran out of that grave, out of the darkness
into Your glorious day. You called my name and I ran out of that grave,
out of the darkness into Your glorious day.

I needed rescue; my sin was heavy but chains break at the weight of Your glory.
I needed shelter; I was an orphan, now You call me a citizen of Heaven.
When I was broken You were my healing; now Your love is the air that I'm breathing.
I have a future my eyes are open...Cause when you called my name...
I ran out of that grave out of the darkness into Your glorious day.
You called my name and I ran out of that grave
out of the darkness into Your glorious day.

“I Thank God”

Wandering into the night wanting a place to hide, this weary soul, this bag of bones;
I try with all of my might, but I just can't win the fight. I'm slowly drifting, a vagabond.
And just when I ran out of the road, I met a man I didn't know
and He told me that I was not alone.

You picked me up. You turned me around and placed my feet on solid ground.
I thank the Master. I thank the Savior because You healed my heart,
You changed my name, forever free, I'm not the same.
I thank the Master. I thank the Savior. I thank God.

I cannot deny what I've seen. Got no choice but to believe.
My doubts are burnin' like ashes in the wind.
So, so long to my old friends, burden and bitterness.
You can just keep them moving; nah, you ain't welcome here.

From now till I walk streets of gold, I'll sing of how You saved my soul.
This wayward son has found his way back home.

You picked me up. You turned me around and placed my feet on solid ground.
I thank the Master. I thank the Savior because You healed my heart,
You changed my name, forever free, I'm not the same.
I thank the Master. I thank the Savior. I thank God.

Hell lost another one I am free, I am free, I am free. *Repeat*

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Congregational and Offertory Prayer Receiving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Rev. Alex Goodsell “Same God”

I'm calling on the God of Jacob, Whose love endures through generations.
I know that You will keep Your covenant. I'm calling on the God of Moses,
the One who opened up the ocean. I need You now to do the same thing for me.

Oh, God, my God, I need You. Oh, God, my God, I need You now.
How I need You now. Oh, Rock, oh, Rock of ages,
I'm standing on Your faithfulness, on your faithfulness.

I'm calling on the God of Mary, Whose favor rests upon the lowly.
I know with You all things are possible. I'm calling on the God of David,
Who made a shepherd boy courageous. I may not face Goliath but I've got my own giants.

Oh, God, my God, I need You. Oh, God, my God, I need You now.
How I need You now. Oh, Rock, oh, Rock of ages,
I'm standing on Your faithfulness, on your faithfulness.

You heard Your children then. You hear Your children now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.
You answered prayers back then and You will answer now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.
You were providing then, You are providing now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.

You moved in power then. God move in power now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.
You were a healer then. You are a healer now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.
You were a Savior then. You are a Savior now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.

Oh, God, my God, I need You. Oh, God, my God, I need You now.
How I need You now. Oh, Rock, oh, Rock of ages,
I'm standing on Your faithfulness, on your faithfulness.

You freed the captives then. You're freeing hearts right now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.
You touched the lepers then. I feel Your touch right now.
You are the same God. You are the same God.

I'm calling on the Holy Spirit. Almighty river come and fill me again.
Come and fill me again. Come and fill me again.

>**Children ages 4, 5, and 6** are invited to *Children's Church in Room 212.*

*The Reading of God's Word

Luke 21:1-4

The Exposition of God's Word

Rev. David Maginnis

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE

“The Widow's Mites: Giving that Glorifies God”

*Pastoral Benediction

Rev. David Maginnis

*Congregational Response

“Our God Saves”

In the name of the Father, in the name of the Son, in the name of the Spirit,
Lord, we come. We're gathered together to lift up Your name,
to call on our Savior, to fall on Your grace.

Hear the joyful sound of our offering as Your saints bow down
as Your people sing, we will rise with You lifted on Your wings
and the world will see that
Our God saves! Our God saves! There is hope in Your name!

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Hear the joyful sound of our offering as Your saints bow down
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and the world will see that
Our God saves! Our God saves! There is hope in Your name!
Mourning turns to songs of praise. Our God saves! Our God saves!

Hear the joyful sound of our offering as Your saints bow down
as Your people sing, we will rise with You lifted on Your wings
and the world will see that...Yes, the world will see that
Our God saves! Our God saves! There is hope in Your name!
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Our God saves! Our God saves! Our God saves! Our God saves!

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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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Danny Scott '29
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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MARCH 22, 2026

Faith Promise Sunday: Why give to World Missions? When we invest in spreading God's Word we invest in the souls of men, women, and children who will come to Christ and be used of God to glorify His great name. Faith Promise is an agreement between you and God. It is a promise to God that as He enables, you will give the amount you have pledged to Missions. Please prayerfully consider your Faith Promise and turn in your pledge card by March 31. Faith Promise can be given on-line at our church website. **As of March 9, we have received 44 commitments for a total of \$75,300!**

Wednesday Night Connection—March 25th

5:15 p.m. **Catered Dinner** in Atrium –Birds & Burgers
Little Caesars Pizza available for children; Meals are \$5; kids 12 and under eat free!
 (Please RSVP on the website asap)

6:00 p.m.—Connect.Serve Easter Outreach

Join us as we assemble and pass out Evangel Easter Week invitation at our local parks.

Next Sunday, March 29th

Communion Service, Easter Egg Hunt/Church Luncheon in the Gym

Children's Easter Pageant—Wednesday, April 1st, at 6:15 p.m.

Easter Week Mornings of Prayer, Songs & Scripture Reading

Monday—Friday, March 30—April 3,
 6:45 a.m.—7:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary

April 5th—Easter Sunday Worship at 10:15 a.m.—Invite a friend!

Don't miss our third annual beautiful floral backdrop in the atrium for Easter photos!

Women's Retreat Ladies, be sure to join us for our Women's Retreat, April 24-25th at the Alabama 4-H Center in Columbiana. It's going to be a memorable weekend of laughter, friendship, and spiritual renewal. Take time to step away, rest, and be encouraged as we grow together in our faith. You can find all the details on our church website or our Facebook page. Register by March 22nd. Payments due by April 1st.

"Discover Evangel" class! If you would like to join Evangel or just learn more about our church, we will be holding a Discover Evangel class on Sundays, April 12 & 19, during the 9:00 a.m. Sunday School hour in Quad 210. We will have an additional session on Saturday, April 18, from 8:30—11:30 a.m. We will talk about our church's mission, our history and denomination, church government, basic doctrinal beliefs, our ministries, and what it means to become a member. If you would like to attend, please contact Connie Reynolds in the church office.

The Teach & Talk Sunday School Class will begin a new study on the Gospel of John on Sunday, April 5. Join us each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. in Quad 208.

The Evangel Library is being scaled down; any members or visitors are welcome to have any books they would like. Stop by and take a look!



GENERATE 2026 - there is still time to register for this year's Generate summer camp at Ridgecrest North Carolina from June 1st through 5th. To register contact Mr. Ralph at 205.903.5855 or youth@evangelchurchpca.org. Total cost for camp is \$500.00 - deposit of \$150.00 is currently due when registering.



- We have one fundraiser left to help offset the cost. Our goal is raise enough funds to reduce cost by half. In addition to fundraising we also have scholarships available. Contact Mr. Ralph for further details.
- **April 25th** - we will spend the day washing vehicles in the upper parking lot of the church. This is our final Generate fundraiser. Time to be determined.



Save the Dates!
Soccer Camp—May 26-29!
Vacation Bible School—
June 15-19!



OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026

9:00 a.m. Sunday School Classes for Children:
 3, 4 & 5 year olds Room 104C taught by Lisa & Phillip Lichlyter: *Jesus is God's Son*
 1st, 2nd & 3rd Grade Quad 212 taught by Stacey Parham: *Loving Jesus*
 4th, 5th & 6th Grade Room 217 taught by Linda Stockman & Sheri Williams: *Acts to Romans*
 Jr. & Sr. High Girls Room 222 taught by Jennifer Carr & Randee Sims *Romans*
 Jr. & Sr. High Boys Room 224 taught by Tommy Barberini & Rob Wood *Apologetics*
 Growing In Grace in the Choir Suite studying *On Christ and What It Means to be Human*
 taught by Dr. Jay Haley *Young Couples* meeting in Room 203 with the Wards *Marriage & Family*
Refuge meeting in Area 235 studying *Hebrews* with the Hightowers, Hoyles, & Windsors
Teach & Talk Class meets in Quad 208 and is studying *Colossians: Be Complete become the whole*
person God intends you to be with the Ketchams, Morgans, & Russells
Ladies' Class Deep Changes—When the Gospel Transforms WHAT the Heart Desires,
 based on the book by N. Tranchini; led by Kitsy Sullivan.
 10:15 a.m. Worship Service and LIVE Streaming
 2:30 p.m. Russell Wedding Shower (*Library*)
 6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Studies (*Gym*)

MONDAY, MARCH 23, 2026

7:00 p.m. Trail Life (*contact Mitchell Jones at mjones@dosterconstruction.com*)

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2026

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)
 1:00 p.m. Mahjong Class (*Room 203*)
 6:30 p.m. Bible Study Fellowship (*Contact Jeanette Thompson, 531-6073*)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 2026

6:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study (*Studying Finding Jesus in the Old Testament*)
(meeting at Chick-fil-a in Calera; contact Alex Goodsell, 837-3376)
 9:30 a.m. Revelation Women's Bible Study (*at the home of Debbie Elliott, 612-4073*)
 5:15 p.m. Catered Dinner (*Atrium*)
 6:00 p.m. Connect.Serve Easter Outreach
 6:15 p.m. Evangel Choir (*Sanctuary*)

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2026

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study (*Contact Patti Ketcham, 305-9233*)

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2026

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study (*Studying Saved from What? by R.C. Sproul*)
(meeting at Panera Bread in Alabaster; contact Dennis Stockman, 451-2739)

Oak Mountain Ministries Urgent Needs this month are toothbrushes, toothpaste, lotion, and toilet paper. Please bring any items you would like to donate and place 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
<https://www.evangelchurchpca.org/giving>

2026 FINANCIAL UPDATE

	February	Year to Date
Budgeted Income	\$109,774	\$219,547
Total Income	\$95,167	\$170,431
Total Expenses	\$94,894	\$203,897
Net	\$274	\$(33,467)

FAITH PROMISE: GIVING TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF MISSIONS
 February Receipts: \$10,485

