

# WELCOME TO EVANGEL CHURCH PCA

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## THE MORNING SERVICE OF WORSHIP

March 29, 2026 10:15 a.m. Worship

### \*Congregational Worship

### “Rejoice”

Rejoice in the Lord now and always; sing it again, we rejoice!  
Delight in the love He has shown us; gratefully lift up your voice.  
His gentleness among us will join our hearts with praise.

We gather in His goodness, a family of grace.

*With each breath He's given, praise the Lord! In these times we live in, we will praise the Lord!  
Through our every season, I am sure; we have every reason to praise the Lord!*

Rejoice and be anxious for nothing, praying for all that you need.  
Come with a heart of thanksgiving, lay your requests at His feet.

We fix our eyes upon Him and follow all our lives,

That peace may fall upon us, the perfect peace of Christ!

*With each breath He's given, praise the Lord! In these times we live in, we will praise the Lord!  
Through our every season, I am sure; we have every reason to praise the Lord!*

Rejoice in the Lord now and always; tell of the good He has done.

Worship the Lord to remember all of the joy yet to come.

The hope that burns within us the dark cannot destroy.

With praise that's never ending, we say again, “Rejoice!”

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Through our every season, I am sure; we have every reason to praise the Lord!  
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### >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 Peter 1:3-5

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to obtain an inheritance which is imperishable and undefiled and will not fade away, reserved in heaven for you, who are protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

### \*Congregational Worship

### “Living Hope”

How great the chasm that lay between us. How high the mountain I could not climb.  
In desperation, I turned to heaven and spoke Your Name into the night.  
Then through the darkness, Your lovingkindness saw through the shadows of my soul.  
The work is finished, the end is written; Jesus Christ, my Living Hope.

Who could imagine so great a mercy? What heart could fathom such boundless grace?  
The God of Ages stepped down from glory to wear my sin and bear my shame.  
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven. The King of kings calls me His own.  
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever; Jesus Christ, my Living Hope.

Hallelujah, praise the One Who set me free! Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!  
You have broken every chain; there's salvation in Your Name—  
Jesus Christ, my Living Hope.

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You have broken every chain; there's salvation in Your Name—  
Jesus Christ, my Living Hope.

Then came the morning that sealed the promise; Your buried body began to breathe.

Out of the silence, the roaring Lion declared, “The grave has no claim on Me.”

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Jesus, Yours is the victory!

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You have broken every chain; there's salvation in Your Name—

Jesus Christ, my Living Hope.

Hallelujah, praise the One Who set me free! Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!

You have broken every chain; there's salvation in Your Name—

Jesus Christ, my Living Hope. Jesus Christ, my Living Hope! God, You are my Living Hope!

### \*The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hades; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### “I Believe” *Evangel Choir*

I believe there is one salvation, one doorway that leads to life;  
one redemption, one confession, I believe in the name of Jesus Christ.

I believe in the crucifixion, by His blood I have been set free;

I believe in the resurrection. Hallelujah! His life is death's defeat.

All praise to God the Father, all praise to Christ the Son,  
all praise to the Holy Spirit, our God has overcome;  
the King who was and is and evermore shall be, in Jesus' mighty Name I believe.

I believe in the hope of heaven, He's preparing a place for me;  
far beyond what hearts imagine, ears have heard or eyes have seen.  
I believe that a day is coming, He's returning to claim His bride.  
Light the altar, keep it burning, see the Lamb who rose a roaring Lion.

All praise to God the Father, all praise to Christ the Son,  
all praise to the Holy Spirit, our God has overcome;  
the King who was and is and evermore shall be, in Jesus' mighty Name I believe.

No, I'll never be ashamed of the gospel of Jesus Christ;  
how could I ever walk away from the One who saved my life? *Repeat*

All praise to God the Father, all praise to Christ the Son,  
all praise to the Holy Spirit, our God has overcome;  
the King who was and is and evermore shall be, in Jesus' mighty Name I believe!  
In Jesus' mighty Name I believe! In Jesus' mighty Name I believe! I believe! I believe!

### Congregational and Offertory Prayer

### Rev. Alex Goodsell

### Receiving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

### “What a Beautiful Name”

You were the Word at the beginning, one with God, the Lord Most High.  
Your hidden glory in creation, now revealed in You our Christ.  
What a beautiful name it is, what a beautiful name it is, the name of Jesus Christ my King.  
What a beautiful name it is, nothing compares to this,  
what a beautiful name it is, the name of Jesus.

You didn't want heaven without us, so Jesus, You brought heaven down.  
My sin was great, Your love was greater. What could separate us now?  
What a wonderful Name it is, what a wonderful Name it is,  
the Name of Jesus Christ my King.

What a wonderful Name it is, nothing compares to this, what a wonderful Name it is  
the Name of Jesus, what a wonderful Name it is the Name of Jesus.

Death could not hold You, the veil tore before You,  
You silence the boast of sin and grave.

The heavens are roaring, the praise of Your glory, for You are raised to life again.  
You have no rival, You have no equal, now and forever God You reign.  
Yours is the kingdom, Yours is the glory, Yours is the Name above all names.

What a powerful Name it is, what a powerful Name it is, the Name of Jesus Christ,  
my King. What a powerful Name it is, nothing can stand against,  
what a powerful Name it is the Name of Jesus.

You have no rival, You have no equal, now and forever God You reign.  
Yours is the kingdom, Yours is the glory, Yours is the Name above all names.

Worthy is Your name, Jesus. You deserve the praise. Worthy is Your name.  
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Shout Jesus from the mountains, Jesus in the streets. Jesus in the darkness  
over every enemy. Jesus for my family. I speak the holy Name, Jesus.

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over every enemy. Jesus for my family. I speak the holy Name, Jesus.

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus over every heart and every mind  
'cause I know there is peace within His presence. I speak Jesus.

We just want to speak the Name of Jesus over every heart and every mind  
'cause We know there is peace within His presence. We speak Jesus.

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

### \*The Reading of God's Word

### Genesis 22:1-14

### The Exposition of God's Word

### Rev. David Maginnis

## “Where is the Lamb? The Question that Echoes to the Cross”

### \*Communion Hymn

### “Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn)”

Behold the Lamb Who bears our sins away, slain for us-and we remember  
the promise made that all who come in faith find forgiveness at the cross.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of peace around the table of the King.

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ, torn for you-eat and remember;  
the wounds that heal, the death that brings us life paid the price to make us one.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of love around the table of the King.

### The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

### \*Pastoral Benediction

### Rev. David Maginnis

### \*Congregational Response

### “Behold the Lamb (Communion Hymn)”

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin, shed for you-drink and remember;  
He drained death's cup that all may enter in to receive the life of God.  
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice  
as a sign of our bonds of grace around the table of the King.

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise to respond, and to remember  
our call to follow in the steps of Christ as His body here on earth.  
As we share in His suffering, we proclaim Christ will come again!  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven around the table of the King.

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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  
*Christian Education/Pastoral Care*  
Andy Ward, Young Adult Ministries Director  
Penny Lowden, Women's Ministry Director  
Ralph Nelson, Youth Ministry Director  
Liz Oldfield, Children's Director  
Grace Baas, Nursery Director  
Amy Windsor, Nursery Co-Director  
Pam Sapp, Accounting & Finance Manager  
Murray Sapp, Facilities Manager  
Connie Reynolds, Music Director  
Phillip Lichlyter, Worship Leader  
Jacob Martin, Worship Intern

### THE SESSION

Stephen Daniels '28  
Buster Ellis '28  
Don Hartley '29  
Doug Morgan '28  
Ralph Nelson '26  
Colby Reeves '29  
Danny Scott '29  
Dennis Stockman '27  
Carl Taube '29

### THE DIACONATE

Tommy Barberini '27  
Tim Goodroe '28  
Cam Lane '28  
Jason Parham '27  
Murray Sapp '28  
Jon Sund '26  
Doug Trull '28  
Brian Viles '28  
Matt Windsor '26

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MARCH 29, 2026

**Fifth Sunday Hymn Sing!** All Sunday School classes will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the sanctuary today for our 5th Sunday Hymn Sing!

### Easter Egg Hunt/Church Luncheon in the Gym

Egg hunt today!! Immediately after the service toddler-2nd grades will meet outside of the top playground. 3rd -6th grades will meet at the bottom playground. We will have 3 separate hunts that will take place in age order from youngest to oldest. Please wait until you are instructed to start. We don't want any of our friends to miss out! Don't worry if you didn't bring a basket, we have extras!

- Toddler-3 year olds will be on the very top playground *with a special area for the newest toddlers.*
- 4 years-2nd grade will be on the top playground.
- 3rd grade- 6th grade will be on the lower playground.

**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

### Wednesday Night Connection—April 1<sup>st</sup>

5:15 p.m. **Catered Dinner** in Atrium –Pizza Hut

*Meals are \$5; kids 12 and under eat free! (Please RSVP on the website asap)*

### 6:15 p.m.—Children's Easter Pageant

*Bring your favorite cookie & join us for a dessert fellowship in the atrium after the pageant.*

**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!*

**Evangel Men** Acts 2:42-45 encourages us to live our lives devoted to "doctrine, fellowship, the breaking of bread, and prayer." We have created a survey in order to find different ways to build brotherhood and live in fellowship based off of your interest. Please follow this QR Code and complete the survey!



**MomCo is for moms of preschoolers** to connect with each other during this exciting (and exhausting) season of life! Our next meeting is Monday, April 6, from 6:15-8:30 p.m. in the Quad 208. Come ask questions and get sage perspective from our lively Dad Panel made up of dads and a grandfather—who have raised a total of 13 kids between them! RSVP for dinner at (205) 729-3088, and we'll set you a place! If you need nursery, RSVP is required at (706) 718-0454.

**"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.

**GENERATE 2026** time is running out to register for this year's Generate summer camp at Ridgecrest North Carolina from June 1st through 5th. If you are planning to go, please 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 a car wash fundraiser scheduled for 4/25 to help offset the cost of attending.
- In addition to the fundraising, we also have scholarships available. Contact Mr. Ralph for further details.
- Need more info about Generate...scan the QR code.



**Sunday night girls and guys Bible studies** will begin a new study on April 12 called **"THE THREAD"**. Come join your friends as we learn how the gospel message is found throughout all scripture. These Bible studies are a great time to grow closer with your fellow youth and leaders in a small group setting. Studies meet most every Sunday evening from 6-7 p.m. at the gym.

Lastly, **YOUTH WORSHIP IS EACH WEDNESDAY NIGHT** from 6:15-8:15 p.m. at the gym. All youth from 7th through 12th grade are invited for worship, fellowship, games and snacks.

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

### SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2026

9:00 a.m. TODAY: All Sunday School Classes meet in the sanctuary for Hymn Sing  
10:15 a.m. Worship Service and LIVE Streaming  
11:45 a.m. Egg Hunt and Church Luncheon  
Children's Easter Pageant Rehearsal  
6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Studies (*Gym*)

### MONDAY, MARCH 30, 2026

6:45 a.m. Easter Week Mornings of Prayer, Songs, & Scripture Readings (*Sanctuary*)  
7:00 p.m. Trail Life (*contact Mitchell Jones at mjones@dosterconstruction.com*)

### TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2026

6:45 a.m. Easter Week Mornings of Prayer, Songs, & Scripture Readings (*Sanctuary*)  
1:00 p.m. Mahjong Class (*Room 203*)  
6:30 p.m. Bible Study Fellowship (*Contact Jeanette Thompson, 531-6073*)

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2026

6:45 a.m. Easter Week Mornings of Prayer, Songs, & Scripture Readings (*Sanctuary*)  
9:30 a.m. Revelation Women's Bible Study (*at the home of Debbie Elliott, 612-4073*)  
5:15 p.m. Catered Dinner (*Atrium*)  
6:15 p.m. Children's Easter Pageant  
7:15 p.m. Evangel Choir (*Sanctuary*)

### THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 2026

6:45 a.m. Easter Week Mornings of Prayer, Songs, & Scripture Readings (*Sanctuary*)  
9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study (*Contact Patti Keitcham, 305-9233*)

### FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2026

6:45 a.m. Easter Week Mornings of Prayer, Songs, & Scripture Readings (*Sanctuary*)

**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.

**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.

### Save the Dates!

**Soccer Camp—May 26-29!**

**Vacation Bible School-  
June 15-19!**



**Faith Promise: Give to World 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 24, we have received 44 commitments for a total of \$75,300!**

**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

