

WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

We exist to glorify Jesus Christ and magnify His gospel in all of life until He comes.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023



We are so excited you are visiting with us today! Be sure to fill out a connect card in the pews or visit www.firstevan.org/connect.



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There is more to First Evan than Sunday morning. For a complete look at opportunities, browse: www.firstevan.org.

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THE GOD OF GIDEON

"And the angel of the LORD appeared to him and said to him, 'The LORD is with you, O mighty man of valor.'" Judges 6:12

Welcome Taylor Park, Executive Pastor

Call to Worship 1 Peter 1:2

Song of Worship Holy God, We Praise Your Name, *Hymn* #3

Responsive Reading Revelation 4:8–11

Song of Worship Behold Our God

Responsive Reading Revelation 5:8–14

God at Work Ted Minor, Gideons International

Elder Prayer John Touliatos

Song of Hope There is One Gospel

Dismissal of Children (Ages 3 through 2nd grade)

Sermon Jamie Trussell, Harvest Church

"Lessons from Gideon" Judges 6:28–32; 36–40

Song of Response

Benediction

Musicians: The Worship Choir, David Brumfield, Mary Brumfield, Jeremy Conner, Trent England, Dan Gilbert, Andy Holler, John Rawlinson, Kassie Sanborn, Jamie Scholik. Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.

"Lessons from Gideon"

Judges 6:28–32; 36–40 | Jamie Trussell, Harvest Church



"In the Know" Meeting, NEXT Sunday, January 22 9:30-10:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall

God has been at work in our midst and we want to celebrate what He has done. But there are some challenges before us, too, and we want you to know what lies ahead so you can sharpen your prayer life accordingly.



Downline Summit 2023, February 10–11, Harvest Church

You only have to turn on the television or look at social media to see the dissension. In a world that claims truth is subjective, how do we disciple others? Join Downline Ministries for a 2-day discipleship conference that will help you learn how to faithfully engage with the pressure points we are facing in our culture today. Register at www.downlineministries.com/summit.



Discover First Evan, Sunday, January 29, 4:00-6:00 p.m., Chapel

This class is offered to those interested in learning more about First Evan or desiring membership. Attending the class in no way obligates you to join, but it is the first step toward membership. Questions can be directed to Jacki Stieferman. Sign up by next Sunday, January 22 at www.firstevan.org/dfe.

For more announcements, visit www.firstevan.org/loop.

Midweek Fellowship Meal Menu, January 18, 5:00–6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Taco Salad with Ground Beef or Grilled Chicken, Black Beans, and Chips & Queso OR Taco Soup and Salad Bar. Dessert: Brownie with a Scoop of Ice Cream.

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Dawn, Middle East

Praise

- That my parents have both recovered and are now in an excellent assisted living home.
- For the use of a minivan the entire time of my stay so I could help move items out of their condo.
- For my sister and her loving and faithful service to our parents and family!

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- For a quick sale of my parents' condo.
- That I can make repairs to my flooded apartment and resume the work with the Woman's Wellness Program.
- For the arrival of the ship, Logos Hope from OM in my region, January 25-February 15.

MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Youth Striving for Excellence

Praise

- · For our FEC Family and the many prayers, support, and encouragement during the past months.
- · That our ministry is still running and our children are still attending ministry activities.
- That our children are doing well in school and beginning their second semester.

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- For good health and safety as the Flu and COVID-19 are still in season.
- For peace to those who have lost loved ones.
- For continued guidance, direction, and financial support for our programs as our ministry starts back up in 2023.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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FAMILY MATTERS

Hospital Gerald Jackson, Hattiesburg, MS

Hospice Mike Hughes

Deaths J.T. Nichols, January 11, 2023