## GLOBAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE











# WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

"We exist to glorify Jesus Christ and magnify His gospel in all of life until He comes." SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2024



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



Can we help you find community here? There are many opportunities for equipping, service, and fellowship. Email connect@firstevan.org.



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

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Pictured: Week one of the Global Missions Conference with speaker Antonio Muñoz.

## LISTENING TO THE LORD

"Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation."

Mark 16:15

Welcome Taylor Park, Executive Pastor

Call to Worship Hebrews 2:9

Songs of Worship His Name is Jesus (All Hail the Power)

The Lord Almighty Reigns

God at Work: Romania Addie Scoggins

Song of Commitment The Cause of Christ

God at Work: Ukraine David & Katya Bute

Elder Prayer Chip Barger

Scripture Readings: Matthew 28:18–20; Gloria Little

Mark 16:15; Luke 24:46–48; John 20:21; Acts 1:8

Sermon Dr. George Murray, President Emeritus,
Columbia International University

"What Part of 'Go!' Don't You Understand?" (Part 1) Jonah 1–4

Song of Response So Send I You

Benediction

Musicians: Carter Boer, Olivia Grace Atkinson, Mary Brumfield, Dan Gilbert, Felicity Hall, Brandon Herrington, Tori Martin, John Rawlinson, Jamie Scholik, Phil Thompson. Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.

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## "What Part of 'Go!' Don't You Understand?" (Part 1)

Jonah 1–4 | Dr. George Murray, President Emeritus, Columbia International University



Global Missions Conference Project "Building on the Legacy Each year, the Iglesias Cristianas Tlapanecas (ICT) hosts an annual conference between Palm Sunday and Easter. This year (March 28–31), ICT is planning to have one of their largest gatherings ever with ~900 Christian brothers/sisters in attendance. The theme of their conference is "Let's Remain Steadfast in Healthy Doctrine." Our funds will be a major source of encouragement and blessing to the churches as they gather for worship, fellowship, Bible teaching, and discipleship. Our \$20,000 goal: www.firstevan.org/gmc-project.



Memphis Coalition for Life "40 Days for Life" Prayer Vigil Tuesdays Through March 19, 6:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Shifts Outside of Planned Parenthood (2430 Poplar Avenue) This is a sidewalk prayer vigil for the lives of the unborn led by MCFL. You will pray alongside a sidewalk advocate as he or she reaches out to people with hope and life-preserving options. First Evan covers all day every Tuesday. Sign up at www.firstevan.org/40daysforlife.



**World Prayer Focus,** Next Sunday, March 3, 6:00-7:00 p.m., Chapel Join us in intercessory prayer for our world, country, county, city, and church.

Midweek Fellowship Meal, Wednesday, February 28, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall Menu: Potato Bar (Roast Beef/BBQ Pork with all the toppings), Fried Okra, Collard Greens, & Roll OR Butternut Squash Soup & Salad Bar. Dessert: Brownies & Ice Cream.

### **GLOBAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE**

**Pray for Lasting Fruit** 

#### **Praise**

- That Pastor Antonio Muñoz's messages last weekend were encouraging.
- That Saturday's session has already resulted in several people volunteering to engage with refugees here in Memphis.
- That there is lasting fruit due to our 85-year legacy with the Tlapanecos in Mexico.

#### Pray

- That the messages from Dr. George Murray will be taken to heart as we "Listen to the Lord of the Harvest.'
- That First Evaners will consider how best to engage in taking the Gospel to the Nations.
- That our Missionaries and National Partners feel love and encouragement from us as they labor for the Lord.

### MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

**Binghampton Christian Academy** 

#### **Praise**

- For the Sojourners class for faithfully serving our Pre-Kindergarten (K4) class!
- That God has provided new opportunities for our students to participate in sports this year.
- For strong school leadership, including new board members!

## Pray

- For 5th-8th grade students who will be participating in the Living History Museum and Science Fair over the next two weeks.
- For our students to increase in their desire to know and serve the Lord.
- For staff to remain focused and not grow "weary in doing good" and may all our efforts be for the Glory of the Lord!

#### WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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**Ministry Fund Missions Fund** \$15,595 \$226,501 \$167.914 \$25,664 **FEB** FEB 1-18 FEB 1-18 Budget Giving Budget Giving

### **FAMILY MATTERS**

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Hospital Martha Reardon, St. Francis

(No Visitors Please) Mary Owen, Baptist Memphis

Matt Alford, Baptist Memphis

Rehab Terry Tippett, The Village of Germantown

Hospice Bates Brown, In-home Hospice

### **BAPTISM**

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Today is the sign-up deadline for the Sunday. March 17 scheduled baptism. Visit our website for all baptism details.