

WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

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

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 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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Pictures of worship service, April 28, 2024.

RECIPIENTS OF MERCY

“Once you were not a people, but now you are God’s people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.” 1 Peter 2:10

Welcome	Jake Ferwerda, <i>Pastor of Student Ministries</i>
Call to Worship	Psalm 104:1–2
Song of Worship	Immortal, Invisible (Hymn #62)
Responsive Reading	Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 60–61
Songs of Praise	Bring Praises Goodness of God
Scripture Reading	1 Peter 2:21–25
Choral Meditation	Christ Has Saved Us, Christ Alone
Elder Prayer	Buddy Jones
Sermon	Dr. Phil Newton, <i>The Pillar Network</i>
	<i>“Who is the Church?”</i> 1 Peter 2:9–10
The Lord’s Supper	
Song of Praise	All I Have is Christ
Benediction	

*Musicians: The Worship Choir, Drew Coffey, Trent England, Felicity Hall, Andy Holler, Lori Ingram, Kathryn LaVire, Jamie Scholik, Mark Stelling, Ryan Wiley.
Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.*

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“Who is the Church?”

1 Peter 2:9–10 | Dr. Phil Newton, Pillar Network



VBS Work Night

Thursday, May 9, 6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

VBS is an important outreach and evangelism tool for our children and their friends. We need your hands to help work on props, decor, and other tasks. All ages and abilities are welcome to attend this church-wide night of community fun and preparation.



Everyday CoJourney: Step 4

Saturday, May 18, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

In the final step of this series, Gabor and Edina Gresz will be here to teach us on how to keep evangelism and discipleship simple, relational, and intentional. Topics include: keeping in step with the Holy Spirit, building bridges, and the art of neighbor. Register at www.firstevan.org/ec4. Register for childcare by May 12 at www.firstevan.org/ecchildcare.

Summer CIRCLES

WOMEN

Women's Summer Circles

Various days and times

Summer Circles are casual gatherings for women to learn, fellowship, and expand friendships over the Summer. Explore the opportunities and register at firstevan.org/women.

Annual Congregational Meeting and Dessert Fellowship | Sunday, May 19, 6:00 p.m.

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Jeri & Gloria Little, Novo, Global

Praise

- That Jeri has seven potential doctors who have expressed a keen interest in taking part in two Medical Mission trips Jeri is to lead in Kurdistan and Lebanon.
- For the positive response to raise the funds necessary (\$50,000 est.) for these two medical mission trips.

Pray

- For continued provision and grace from the Lord where we are scheduled to serve, given global events.
- For our five grandchildren and that our faith, Our Lord and Savior, will become their faith, their Lord and their Savior.

MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

RedZone Ministries

Praise

- For the valuable and healthy relationships we enjoy in Orange Mound.
- For the new facility that we now enjoy and that is a huge resource and gift to the community.

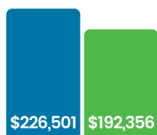
Pray

- For healing and divine intervention in the lives of young people who do life in OM.
- For highly motivated, high functioning, high capacity leaders, passionate about the Lord and about sharing the whole gospel with children, families, and the OM community.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

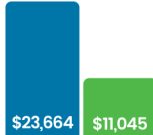
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Ministry Fund



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Missions Fund



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FAMILY MATTERS

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Rehab

Mary Owen, The Village of Germantown Rehab, Room #1115, Call before visiting.

Hospital

Jeff Storck, Baptist Collierville
Jim Henry, Methodist Germantown, Room #311W. Short visits are welcome.
Mike Owen, Methodist Germantown