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

**SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2022**



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# BELOVED CHILDREN

*"On You I was cast from my birth, and from my mother's womb You have been my God." Psalm 22:10*

Welcome Andrew Beach, *Pastor of Memphis Ministries*

Call to Worship Psalm 56:13

Songs of Worship Immortal, Invisible  
Whom Shall I Fear (God of Angel Armies)

Child Dedications Taylor Park, *Executive Pastor*

Alistair Branam, Oliver Love, Caroline McCann,  
Katherine McCann, Margaret Park, Allie Turpen

Choral Meditation Anthems of Love

Elder Prayer Bryan Miller

Song of Worship Hymn of Heaven

Sermon Taylor Park

"Influencers: Not Just for Instagram"

2 Timothy 1:3–7; 3:14–15

Song of Response The Blessing

Benediction

*Musicians: The Worship Choir, John Bennett, Levi Bennett, Jesse Cisneros,  
Jeremy Conner, Trent England, Felicity Hall, Jamie Scholik, Olivia Grace Sistrunk,  
Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship*

# **"Influencers: Not Just for Instagram"**

*2 Timothy 1:3–7; 3:14–15 | Taylor Park, Executive Pastor*



**Men's Fish Fry, Tuesday, May 24, 6:00–8:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall**  
**Speaker: Dr. Andy Pierce | Cost: \$7/person or \$50/table**

Join us for an evening of fish, food, and fellowship with guest speaker Dr. Andy Pierce. He is a Doctor of Internal Medicine with Methodist Hospitals of Memphis, Memphis Veterans Affairs Medical Center, and Regional Medical Center. Tickets are on sale in the Fellowship Hall. Questions: Contact John Dawson, 682-8452, Jack Pepper, 833-0721, or email [men@firstevan.org](mailto:men@firstevan.org).

**VBS "Monumental – Celebrating God's Greatness"**  
**Monday–Friday, June 6–10, 9:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.**  
**(Rising Kindergarten–5th grade)**

Go off-road for a Monumental adventure through the colorful canyons and sunbaked trails of the southwest. By exploring God's greatness, kids will form a rock-solid faith for the road ahead. Invite your friends and neighbors to join in the fun! Register or volunteer today at [www.firstevan.org/vbs](http://www.firstevan.org/vbs).



**Congregational Meeting, Sunday, May 22, 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary**  
**Childcare available for nursery–5th grade.** On the agenda will be the annual election of Elders, Deacons, and Global Missions Team members, voting on the 2022–23 church ministry & missions budgets, and selecting a Chair and Vice-Chair of the Congregation. The Pastoral Search Committee and Transition Committee will both be sharing reports as well. Reports are available at all entrances to the Sanctuary and at [www.firstevan.org/congregational-meeting](http://www.firstevan.org/congregational-meeting).

For more announcements, visit [www.firstevan.org/loop](http://www.firstevan.org/loop).

### GLOBAL PARTNERS OF THE WEEK

J and S, UK

#### Praise

- For His care in this season, as we've been transitioning to life in the UK from the Middle East.
- That we've been able to plug into a new church plant here.
- For all that we have been learning in this season at Bible College for future ministry.

#### Pray

- For the safe arrival of our baby mid-May and for us as we all adjust to being a family of four.
- For us as we seek to serve the Lord in the church plant and also in the Bible College.
- For clarity and wisdom for the next steps to Asia.

### MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Christ Community Health Services

#### Praise

- That God is raising up great, missional healthcare providers to join our ministry.
- That God has raised up a new Spiritual Health Advisor to serve as a missionary in our clinics.
- That God is lifting the pandemic and has sustained many of our frontline workers.

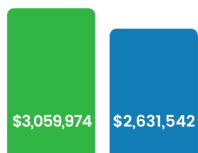
#### Pray

- That God would continue to raise up co-laborers who love Jesus and are excellent at healthcare.
- That God would raise up at least 2 more Spiritual Health Advisors to join our team (one of whom is bi-lingual in English/Spanish).
- That God would raise up partners and funders to help us to renovate our Third Street location to be a special harbor of care for that part of our city.

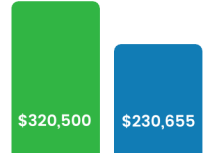
### WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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#### Ministry Fund



#### Missions Fund



### FAMILY MATTERS

#### Hospital

Charles Coleman, Baptist Memphis  
Betty Perkins, Methodist Germantown

#### Death

June Graves, 4/25/2022  
Rocky Graves' mother

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