

WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

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

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2022



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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UNSEARCHABLE GREATNESS

"Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and His greatness is unsearchable." *Psalm* 145:3

Welcome Taylor Park, Executive Pastor

God at Work: ARISE2Read Steven Yeo, Interim Director of Outreach

and Memphis Ministries

Responsive Call to Worship Psalm 95:1-7

Songs of Praise Ancient Gates
This is Amazing Grace

Responsive Reading Psalm 145:1-3, 8-9

Choral Praise God Almighty Is

Song of Worship I Will Glory in My Redeemer

Elder Prayer Mark Gosney

Dismissal of Children (Ages 3 through 2nd Grade)

Scripture Reading Kary Meadows

Sermon Dr. John Main, First Evan member

"Habakkuk and the Days of our Lives" Habakkuk 1–3

Song of Response

Sung Benediction 1 Peter 3:14, 4:14

Musicians: The Worship Choir, Jeremy Conner, Trent England, Brandon Herrington, John Rawlinson, Kassie Sanborn, Jamie Scholik, Mae Sistrunk, Mark Stelling.
Olivia Grace Sistrunk, Choir Director. Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.

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"Habakkuk and the Days of our Lives"

Habakkuk 1–3 | Dr. John Main, First Evan member

A. Sighing	
B. Sitting	
C. Singing	
Lasting Lessons from Habakkuk	
#1. God can handle all of our	but He will answer only a
#2. God's are greater th	an our
#3. Waiting strengthens our	and deepens our
#4. The bottom line of faith is not to silence all of our doubts, but to make us in the certainty of God.	
	in the midst of an unstable world.
It is how we live right when everythi	ng is wrong.



A Celebration of Grace, NEXT Sunday, October 23 9:30–10:30 a.m., Sanctuary

We will recall moments when we have used words of grace. It will be a time to say "Amen" and "praise God" as the Israelites did when they experienced restored relationships.



Candy Drive for Fall Fun Fest Trunk or Treat, October 2–29

Help us prepare for one of our largest outreach events on October 29 from 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. Drop off candy bags in the bins in the Fellowship Hall or FEC Kids Welcome Desk! Sign up to be an event greeter or decorate your car for the Trunk or Treat and pass out candy. We still need 18 vehicles.



Fall Fun Fest, Saturday, October 29, 11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., East Lawn Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to a day of fall fun and fellowship. This FREE event will have a photo booth, inflatables for all ages, yard games, board games, a petting zoo, trunk or treat, prize drawings, a dunk tank, pulled pork nachos, hot dogs, corn on the cob, candy, costumes, and a Moon Pie eating contest! All are

welcome! Pre-register for drawings: www.firstevan.org/fallfunfest.

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

Midweek Fellowship Meal, Wednesday, October 19, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall
MENU: Chicken and Rice Casserole, Glazed Carrots, Garden Salad, and Thrown Roll OR
Broccoli & Cheddar Soup and Salad Bar. Dessert: Lemon Icebox Pie. www.firstevan.org/midweek

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

The Robbins, Cru/FamilyLife, Florida

Praise

- For a fruitful first ever Congreso FamilyLife Latin America conference.
- For the 843 people this year so far, who have made a first-time profession of faith in Christ through FamilyLife ministry in the U.S.
- For no significant damage during our family's first hurricane.

Pray

- For the growing network of families committed to discipling other families.
- For several speaking opportunities Meg and David have in the next two months, that God would draw families into deeper intimacy with Himself.
- For us as we begin the college application and selection process for our oldest kid.

MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

For the Kingdom Camp

Praise

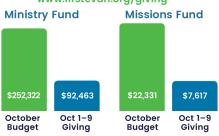
- That we have successfully merged with Memphis Tilth and are now on to the next phase of supplying healthy nutrient dense food to our community.
- That we were able to supply over 3000 meals to families in need last month.
- That we have begun talks of partnership with Memphis Grizzlies youth mentoring initiative.

Pray

- That our Exodus marketplace passes the plumbing inspection.
- For the partnership with Keystone Elementary.
- For the next phase of Feed the Block which is centered around healthy meals.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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FAMILY MATTERS

Hospital Jim Fleming, Baptist Memphis, no visitors

Rehab Marcy Hackler, Memphis Jewish Home

Hospice Mike Hughes

Deaths Dottie Barry, 10/8/2022