

## WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 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.



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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## **ONE BODY**

"For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ." 1 Corinthians 12:12

Welcome Taylor Park, Executive Pastor

Call to Worship 1 Corinthians 15:14–15, 20

Song of Worship He Lives

Scripture Reading John 5:25, 21–24

Song of Praise Glorious Day

Elder Prayer Andy Pierce

Song of Worship And Can It Be

Dismissal of Children (Ages 3 through 2nd Grade)

Sermon, part 1 Taylor Park

One Body: The Shepherd

Prayer for Shepherds Jim Fleming, Interim Senior Pastor

Sermon, part 2 Taylor Park

One Body: The Flock

Membership Confession

Prayer for the Flock Kevin Weaver, Chairman of the Session

Introduction of New Members Taylor Park

Song of Response For The Cause

Sung Benediction 1 Peter 3:14, 4:14 NASB

Musicians: Carter Boer, David Brumfield, Mary Brumfield, Dan Gilbert, Evie Gray, Andy Holler, Ellen Love, John Rawlinson, McKayla Rawlinson, Jamie Scholik, the Worship Choir. Worship Leader: Austin Smith, Middle School Director.

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# "Of Shepherds and Flocks"

## Taylor Park, Executive Pastor

- 1. Introduction: We are One Body. Ephesians 4:15–16
- 2. Some Called to Shepherd
  - A. An Act of God Ephesians 4:11–12
  - B. Serious Business 1 Peter 5:1–3

- C. Nurturer Not Narcissist 1 Thessalonians 2:3–8
- 3. All Called to Faithfulness and Unity
  - A. All Have a Part Ephesians 4:15–16
  - B. Motivate the Motivators *Hebrews* 13:17
  - C. Stir, Spur, and Stimulate *Hebrews* 10:23–25



Thanksgiving Eve Soup Supper & Service Wednesday, November 23, 5:00 p.m. Supper followed by 6:00 p.m. Service, Fellowship Hall

Are you grateful for something God has done in your life? Why not praise the Lord in the assembly? Others will do so, too, and you will go home ready to celebrate Thanksgiving with a full heart.



Church Picture Directory Opportunities: Today, 12:00–12:15 p.m., Fellowship Hall OR next Sunday, November 20, 8:45–10:45 a.m. and 12:00–12:15 p.m., Lobby Near Elevator

Let's update our church member database! Having a photo entry in our directory will familiarize staff members, shepherds, and our congregation with our church family.



Women's Christmas Dinner, Thursday, December 8 6:00–8:00 p.m., Memphis Hilton | Cost: \$20/seat (\$200/table) Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to a night of Christmas celebration with Hannah Kerr. Ticket Sales begin today in the Fellowship Hall.

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

Midweek Fellowship Meal, Wednesday, November 16, 5:00–6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall MENU: Chicken Pot Pie, Fried Okra, Garden Salad, and Thrown Roll OR Garden Vegetable Soup and Salad Bar. Dessert: Chocolate Cake. www.firstevan.org/midweek

#### MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Jeff and Katie Saunders, MTW/RUF, Japan Praise

- That a girl who has never read the Bible came to our Bible Study and wants to attend church!
- That Jeff has been meeting with one student for the past year to study the Bible.
- That we now have a Japanese Christian that is helping out with the ministry!

#### Pray

- That the Holy Spirit would work in each student attending our weekly Bible study.
- For the ability to listen well and speak into issues when meeting with students one on one.
- That God would bring one to two part-time/fulltime Japanese staff to help with the ministry.

#### MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Arise2Read

#### **Praise**

- For God to provide funding for huge growth experienced this year.
- For two more staff members to support education & evangelism efforts.
- For a coordinator from First Evan for the Bible club at Balmoral, as well as more volunteers.

#### Pray

- For amazing continuing growth, including two private urban schools.
- For significant number of new volunteers.
- For First Evan's opportunity to hold a Bible club and provide reading tutors for Balmoral Ridgeway.

#### **WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING**

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#### **FAMILY MATTERS**

In Rehab Marcy Hackler, Signature Healthcare

Sally Peebles, Baptist Memphis

Hospice Mike Hughes

Deaths Darlene Marino, 11/7/2022

Chris Marino's mother