



WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

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

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2023



We are so excited you are visiting with us today!
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**ALL THE NATIONS SHALL
GLORIFY YOUR NAME**

*"All the nations You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord,
and shall glorify Your name." Psalm 86:9*

Welcome	Taylor Park, <i>Executive Pastor</i>
Call to Worship	Revelation 5:9-12
Songs of Worship	All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name Let the Peoples Praise You (Psalm 67)
National Partners	Moses & Sushma Parmar, <i>Lucknow, India</i> Jim Pendleton, <i>Director Global Missions</i>
Choral Praise	All the Nations
National Partners	Danny & Katka Pavlinak, <i>In-Life, Czech Republic</i>
Elder Prayer	Buddy Jones
Dismissal of Children (Ages 3 through 2nd grade)	
Sermon	Roger Lowther, <i>Mission to the World, Japan</i> "The Nations Shall Worship" Psalm 86:8-10
Conference Project	Community Arts Tokyo
Song of Worship	Is He Worthy
Benediction	

*Musicians: The Worship Choir, Amelia Boer, Mary Brunfield, Jeremy Conner,
Trent England, Brandon Herrington, Jamie Scholik, Phil Thompson. Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.*

“The Nations Shall Worship”

Psalm 86:8–10 | Roger Lowther, Mission to the World, Japan



Global Missions Conference, TODAY–Sunday, February 26
Speakers: Roger Lowther (MTW, Japan) & Frank Fortunato (OM, USA)
 Tonight, from 6:00–7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary, Roger Lowther will briefly take us through a biblical basis for the arts in worship and show the gospel in musical examples. Nursery is available for ages three and under. View the week's Missions Conference and Kids' Missions Conference schedules here: www.firstevan.org/gmc.



"Sowing a Seed" 40-day Audio Devotional, February 22–April 6
 Join us for a 40-day audio devotional series to encourage you to intentionally, faithfully, and biblically prepare for Resurrection Sunday. Visit www.firstevan.org/sowingaseed to have the devotionals emailed to you or follow along at soundcloud.com/firstevan.



Memphis Coalition for Life "40 Days for Life" Spring Campaign Tuesdays, February 28–March 28, 6:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.
 First Evan will again cover EVERY Tuesday at CHOICES Center for Reproductive Health. Please join us in prayer on the sidewalk. Sign up at www.firstevan.org/40daysforlife or contact Cindy Granger at cgranger06@hotmail.com.

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

Midweek Fellowship Meal Menu, February 22, 5:00–6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall
 Taco Salad with Ground Beef/Grilled Chicken, Black Beans, and Chips and Queso
 OR Taco Soup and Salad Bar. Dessert: Brownie with a Scoop of Ice Cream.

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Roger and Abi Lowther, MTW, Japan

Praise

- For the full re-start before Christmas after various COVID measures and breaks.
- For the church's ability to gather in a large hall again since December without restrictions on numbers.
- For wonderful family time over winter break with Aidan visiting from the US.

Pray

- For the Spirit's presence, unity, and leading as the church searches for a new pastor.
- For a Bible study Abi is doing with two women, both new believers, one of whom has not yet told her husband she is a baptized Christian.
- For Roger as he prioritizes and manages publishing Japanese Christian books and musical resources.

MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Eikon Ministries

Praise

- That families are receiving produce and meats twice a week from our partnership with food department stores.
- That the kids are being consistent in weekly Bible club.
- That our boys' basketball team finished the season 8-0!

Pray

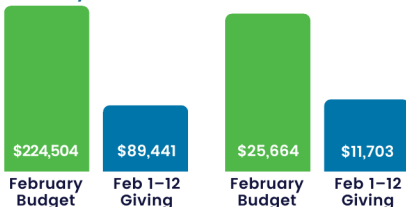
- For our transportation needs: We are in need of bus transportation to help pick up kids for Tuesday night Bible club and more.
- For our Friday night club that we are kicking off this week.
- For our city/neighborhood as crime is on the rise. Pray for our police department and that more officers will join us to better our city.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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Ministry Fund

Missions Fund



FAMILY MATTERS

Hospital

Gerald Jackson, Hattiesburg, MS
Robbie Armstrong, Baptist Memphis

Birth

Charles (Charlie) Bennett Sanborn, 2/13/23
 Parents: Kassie and Caleb Sanborn
 Grandparents: Cathy and Grady Sanborn
Hudson Moran Bennett, 2/15/2023
 Parents: Carlie and Austin Bennett
 Grandparents: Kelley and Russ Clack

Global Missions Conference Project: Creative Arts Tokyo seeks to find ways to contextually present the Gospel and reach the Japanese people in creative ways. Please help us reach our goal of \$20,000! Designate your check "Global Missions Conference Project" or scan:

