



WELCOME TO FIRST EVAN

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

SUNDAY, APRIL 3, 2022



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visiting with us today!
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GOD SAVES

*"Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is He who comes
in the name of the Lord!" Matthew 21:9*

Welcome Taylor Park, *Executive Pastor*

God at Work: Retirement Home Ministry Larry Fitzgerald, *Elder*
Jim Henry, *Staff Elder for Care Ministries*

Responsive Reading Psalm 24:7–10

Song of Praise Hosanna (Praise is Rising)

Scripture Reading Matthew 21:1–11

Children's Choir Hosanna

Song of Worship All Glory, Laud and Honor

Elder Prayer John Reid Curlin

Communion Taylor Park

Choral Praise How Can I Keep From Singing

Songs of Praise His Mercy is More
Jesus Messiah

Scripture Reading: Matthew 28:16–20 Jonathan Riggs

Sermon Rev. Jim Fleming, *Interim Senior Pastor*

"The Mission, Part 4"

Matthew 28:18–20

Song of Response

Benediction

*Musicians: The Worship Choir, John Bennett, Levi Bennett, Ezra Bennett,
Jeremy Conner, Jamie Scholik, Trent England, Daniel Gilbert, Amelia Boer.
Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship*

The Mission, Part 4

Matthew 28:18–20 | Rev. Jim Fleming, Interim Senior Pastor

“All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Therefore go make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and behold, I am with you always, even to the end of the age” (Matthew 28:18–20).

When Jesus takes a village.

Disciple-making begins by (1) making intentional contact with lost people in order to tell them about Jesus. (2) Then we help them to publicly identify with Jesus as Lord and Savior through baptism. (3) Then we help them live the kind of life Jesus prescribes for His followers.

We can learn from Jesus’ example. Here are seven principles Jesus used to begin something amazing in a place called Sychar.

John 4:1–42

1. Vss. 1–6

Principle: Don’t let “tired” make you

2. Vss. 7–9

Principle: You may have to start a conversation with

3. Vss. 10–14

John 7:38–39

Principle: Share the gospel by making

4. Vss. 15–18

Principle: Identify the connection between

5. Vss. 19–26

Principle: Express

6. Vss. 27–38

Principle: People are not the problem.

7. Vss. 39–42

Principle: Find ways to go deep with



Doxology Concert Tonight! 5:00 p.m. Soup Supper (Chicken Vegetable Soup & Cornbread Muffins), Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. Concert, Sanctuary – This 16-voice vocal ensemble performs in a variety of styles including vocal jazz, gospel, modern, traditional, and contemporary, and is comprised of students from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY. This is an opportunity to fellowship with fellow church members and enjoy an evening of music. Listen to arrangements of songs and hymns at www.firstevan.org/doxology.

Palm Sunday "The Lord's Prayer"

Next Sunday, April 10, 9:00 and 10:45 a.m. Services, Sanctuary

A special service focused on the Lord's Prayer, with soloists, choir, and members of the Memphis Symphony Orchestra. Invite friends, family, and neighbors. *Reminder: No Sunday School.*
Nursery: 3 years old and under.



Good Friday, April 15, 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

We'll remember Jesus' sacrifice for our sins with meditations on the seven last words He spoke from the cross, communion, and special music. Nursery: 3 years old and under.

Resurrection Sunday, April 17, 10:45 a.m., Sanctuary

Join us for a joyful celebration of Jesus's resurrection with a special message from Pastor Jim Fleming.
Children's Church for nursery-3rd grade.

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

GLOBAL PARTNERS OF THE WEEK

Gideon & Sharmila Peter, Ashakiran, Asia

Praise

- That 125 people were given treatment and basic medicine at our Medical camp.
- That we rented a house where we hope to run a training center for workers.
- That we have raised some sponsorship for pastors, children, and widows.

Pray

- For Kalidas Vasava's widow as we look forward to helping her on a regular basis.
- That God will help us provide all the needs of the people in 15 houses that were burned in one village.
- That God will send people who will stay among these unreached groups.

MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Youth Striving for Excellence

Praise

- That we are finally settled into our new location and we are so happy to be meeting again.
- That all our youth have made their adjustments to attending in-person classes.
- For our FEC Church Family for the support and many prayers during COVID-19.

Pray

- That God continues to give us guidance in getting all our programs back up and running.
- That God helps us to minister to our youth that are still adjusting from the pandemic.
- For our finances for Summer Ministry Programs. We will be attending KAA Camp 2022 this year.

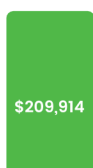
SPRING MIDWEEK FELLOWSHIP, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6

Meal, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall: Beef Stroganoff, Vegetable Blend, Garden Salad, and Thrown Roll OR French Onion Soup and Salad Bar. Dessert: Apple Crisp with Ice Cream.
Family Fun, 6:00-8:00 p.m., Playground/East Lawn: Paint Night – Make an Easter door hanger.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

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Ministry Fund

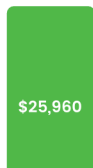


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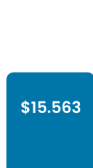
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FAMILY MATTERS

Births

James Scot Hall, 3/24/2022
Parents: Sara Beth & Michael Hall
Grandparents: Stacey & David Pritchard and Kelly & Dan Hall
Great Grandparents: Carol & Jim Newman

Elinor Margaret A., 3/25/2022
Parents: Ashley and Chris A.

Deaths

Mary Ann Frazier, 3/25/2022
John Walt, 3/27/2022

Hospital

Dewey Hemphill, Methodist Germantown
Charles Coleman, Baptist Memphis
Linda Ingram, Saint Francis