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

SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2023



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# SEEING HIS GLORY

*"Father, I desire that they . . . may be with me where I am, to see My glory."*

*John 17:24*

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Welcome Taylor Park, *Executive Pastor*

Responsive Call to Worship Psalm 98

Song of Praise All Creatures of Our God and King (Hymn #356)

Elder Prayer JP Hickey

God at Work: Lyn McWhorter

Songs of Commitment Be Thou My Vision  
All I Have is Christ

Choral Praise No More Night

Dismissal of Children (Ages 3 through 2nd grade)

Scripture Reading: Daniel 11:36–45 Daisy Holler

Sermon Rev. Jim Fleming, *Interim Senior Pastor*  
"Spot the Difference"  
Daniel 11:36–45

Song of Response The Jesus Way

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

*"But even if you should suffer for the sake of righteousness, you are blessed. And do not fear their intimidation, and do not be troubled. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests on you."*

*Musicians: The Worship Choir, Olivia Grace Atkinson, Amelia Boer, Jeremy Conner,  
Andy Holler, Jamie Scholik, Mae Sistrunk, Phil Thompson, Ryan Wiley.  
Ken Boer, Pastor of Worship.*

# **“Spot the Difference” *Stay the Course***

Daniel 11:36–45 | Rev. Jim Fleming, Interim Senior Pastor

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1. Spot the Difference—there are several clear signals in Daniel 11:36–12:1 that we are not looking at the same person as the despicable one in Daniel 11:21–35.  
This guy is much worse!

2. His *Modus Operandi*  
Daniel 11:36–39

3. His Activity and Campaigns  
Daniel 11:40–45

Revelation 13:3–9

4. How to Get Ready  
1 Thessalonians 4:13–18

- A. Be  
Acts 20:26–27

- B. Celebrate  
Acts 5:40–41

- C. See  
Revelation 1:7

## MISSIONS LUNCH



### Missions Lunch TODAY, June 25, 12:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Join us as we share a meal and hear from "D and J", who are serving in a closed country in the Middle East. They will update us on their ministry, upcoming events and goals, and prayer needs.



### Contenders: Making the Case for Life, Wednesday, July 12, 6:00–9:00 p.m., Central Church, 2005 E. Winchester Blvd., Collierville, TN 38017.

Join Dr. Marc Newman for an evening of pro-life apologetics. You will learn to make the scientific, moral, and biblical case for life, and how to overcome key objections to the pro-life position. Sponsored by Life Choices. Sign up at [speakerforlife.com/events](http://speakerforlife.com/events).



### Miss Impact, Friday, July 21, 7:00 p.m.–Saturday, July 22, 6:30 a.m., Meet in the Gym

Middle School girls—get ready for a fun-filled night of a pageant, movies, tacos, and other fun things to keep us up all night! This year's theme is '70s Disco, so wear your best Disco fit! Register at [www.firstevan.org/students](http://www.firstevan.org/students).

## WEEKLY SUMMER SCHEDULE

- **Men's Ministry:** Men's Prayer Breakfast (Jun 26)
- **Women's Ministry:** Healthy Boundaries Throughout Seasons of Life (Jun 26); Prayer Time (Jun 27); Morning Brew Crew (Jun 27)
- **FEC Kids:** Terrific Tuesday: Blueberry Picking at Nesbit Farms (Jun 27)
- **Break Young Adults:** Pool Party (TODAY at 3:00 p.m.)

## GLOBAL PARTNERS OF THE WEEK

David and Jessica, Middle East

### Praise

- That we have enjoyed a number of relational opportunities, post-covid, both in our neighborhood and with new friends.
- That David's job benefits were restored this year and things at work seem to be normalizing, post-covid.
- That we have been refreshed through service opportunities in the local body this year.

### Pray

- For wisdom and boldness in sharing truth and loving those God puts in our path.
- For growth in the grace and knowledge of Christ for us and our discipleship relationships.
- For grace to parent our children well and bring them up in the knowledge of God.

## MEMPHIS PARTNER OF THE WEEK

Binghampton Christian Academy

### Praise

- For God blessing us with an amazing 2022–23 school year!
- For wonderful friendships made with First Evaners. Thank you to all the volunteers to served and prayed for BCA!
- For new partnerships with groups like Arise2Read, DeltaARTS, and spring interns from CBU!

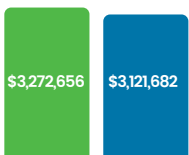
### Pray

- For BCA students and staff's health, refreshment, and safety over summer break.
- For BCA's leadership as we make plans for the upcoming school year.
- For BCA students to continue to grow academically, especially in reading and math, and for students to grow spiritually.

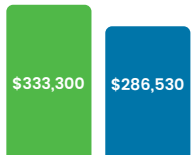
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### Ministry Fund



### Missions Fund



## FAMILY MATTERS

- Hospital** Jim Henry, Methodist Germantown  
Rocky Graves, Baptist Memphis
- Rehab** Sally Peebles, Memphis Jewish Home