

get connected:

Questions about anything below? Stop by the Connect Center in the lobby!

Hospitality On Easter:

Would you consider serving with our First Impressions team this Easter as a greeter or usher? We have a few spots left to fill, and we'd love for you to help us create a warm, welcoming experience for everyone who walks through our doors! Text "serve" to 217.546.4818.

Mugs & Muffins:

Ladies - are you looking for a way to connect with other women in a less structured way? Join us at the Student Building on Saturday, April 11 (9:30-11:30am). Need childcare? Register your kid(s) by texting "mug" to 217.546.4818.

Kids Ministry Lego Creations - I Am's:

Our Elementary kids made Lego creations inspired by the "I Am" statements of Jesus. You are invited to see these in the hallway outside of room 203.

Being Baptized Today:

Join us in praying for: Willow Fretz, June Hanlon, Olivia Kennedy, Sofia Mendez, Gracy Nave, Amanda Power, Shane Power, Emma Rechner, TJ Ruegner, Leo Tuttle, and Valentina Vargas.

Essentials Class:

Essentials is our "start here" environment. It's a 7-week Sunday morning class beginning April 12 at 10:30am designed to help orient you to the basics of Christian practice and equip you to live a better story: God's story. Essentials will prepare you for a next step into baptism, membership, Institute, life groups, or whatever God is moving you toward. Sign up by scanning the qr code or text "essentials" to 217.546.4818.



March Offering - Send Kids To Camp:

During March, we are taking a special offering for our middle school and high school kids for FUGE Camp (June 8-13). You can give online (text "give" to 217.546.4818) or drop a check/cash in the offering basket or black boxes in the back of the worship center. *Please make sure it's marked "student camp" on your check or envelope.*

for more information on what's happening, please visit our website: www.cherryhillfamily.org

a word from: Brian

Today is Palm Sunday which marks the beginning of what is known as The Passion – the last week of Jesus' life. It is our tradition to recognize this special week in several ways. Below is a schedule to help you plan accordingly.

On **Good Friday, April 3**, we'll gather at 5 and 7pm in the Worship Center. This reflective Tenebrae service will help us fix our eyes on the cross as we approach Easter Sunday. The word Tenebrae simply means "shadows" or "darkness" in Latin. We will hear the passion story retold as we move from light to dark in the room. The service will end with communion at the foot of the cross. If you haven't ever attended this service – we highly recommend that you do!

Parents: Childcare is available for ages birth through Kindergarten for both services. Good Friday is one of three special services we look forward to every year where we gather as families, but we want to make you aware that the service will have a somber tone, the room will gradually get darker, and we will ask people to enter and exit in silence. *This can be a meaningful spiritual experience for families, but you might find it helpful to talk with and prepare your child for this unique service in advance.*

Then on **Easter Sunday morning, April 5**, join us at 8:00, 9:30 or 11:00 am—3 identical services (kids birth-5th grade are invited to celebrate Easter in the Children's Ministry area at all three services). If you consider Cherry Hills your home, YOU are part of our hospitality team! So, would you consider the following?

- **Will you invite someone?** Many people find that guests are even more receptive to an invitation at Easter. We have invite cards and yard signs available in the lobby.
- **Will you attend the 11:00am to make room for our guests?** The 8:00 and 9:30am services will be the most crowded.
- **Will you carpool & park further out to free the closer spots for our guests?**
- **Will you sit closer to the front and move to the middle of the row?** This will free up more seating near the aisles and the back where guests tend to be more comfortable.

We pray this information is helpful as you plan. And please join us as we pray for these special services.



prayer focus:

- week of March 29 -

Church To Pray For
Central Baptist

Mission Organization To Pray For:
Contact Ministries

ch kids

Infant - Preschool
Check-in @ Main Level
Education Center

K - 5th Grade
Check-in @ Lower Level

Today, kids in early childhood and elementary are learning about "True King; Last Supper"

Matt 21, 26; Mark 11:1-11, 14;
Luke 19:29-42, 22; John 12:12-14

ch students

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6th - 8th Grade
Wednesday evenings 6-8 pm
9th - 12th Grade
Sunday evenings 6-8 pm

ch life together

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