

## Praises & Prayer Requests:

Please keep my request confidential.

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## SOME THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT BECOMING A CHRISTIAN:

**God desires a relationship, not a religion:** *Now this is eternal life: that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. (John 17:3)*

**That relationship is broken by a heart made rebellious by sin:** *For all have sinned; all fall short of God's glorious standard. (Romans 3:23)*

**God has bridged the sin-gap through the life, death, and resurrection of his Son Jesus Christ.** *But God showed his great love for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners. (Romans 5:8)*

**We enter this relationship, cross the bridge, by faith.** *For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by confessing with your mouth that you are saved. (Romans 10:10)*

**If you're ready to become a Christian,** mark "I want to become a Christian" on the other side, include your name & contact info, leave it in your seat or place in the offering plate. Or, you may come to the front during the last song to speak with the pastor.

## HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF EPHEBUS:

**Attend Class 101: Discovering Church Membership.** NEXT SESSION—Saturday, September 14th from 9:00 am—Noon. Mark "Sign me up for Class 101" on the other side and include your contact information. Our Administrative Assistant will contact you to get you registered.

## This Week at a Glance

### Sunday, August 4

9:15 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship Service  
1:30 pm CLMC Service  
5:45 pm A.G.E. (Youth)  
No PM Services/Activities

### Wednesday, August 7

10:00 am Library Open  
6:30 pm Prayer Meeting  
6:45 pm Praise Team Rehearsal  
7:30 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

### Friday, August 9

7:00 am—8:00 am Men of Prayer (Welcome Room)



## Welcome Ministers

**Hostess Committee:** Eloise Clark, Jennifer Harrod

**Ushers:** Steve Edwards, James Copp, Tom Guy, Fred Williams, Leslie Jordan, Catherine Medina

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# Ephesus Baptist Church

August 4, 2019



## VISION STATEMENT

*We, the fellowship of Ephesus Baptist Church, as followers of our Lord Jesus Christ, will reach people with His love, encourage them to grow, and equip them to serve, as we seek to be obedient servants of God.*

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## WORSHIP SERVICE

<b>Prelude</b>		Jody Branch
<b>Hymn 161</b>	<i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i>	
<b>Welcome</b>		Pastor Greg
<b>Children's Moment</b>		
<b>Song</b>	<i>As the Deer</i>	
<b>Worship through Giving</b>		
<b>Prayer for Offering</b>		
<b>Song</b>		
<b>God's Word</b>	John 4:4-15	Tom Guy
<b>Message</b>	<i>Jesus the Evangelist (Part 2)</i> John 4:1-26	
<b>Hymn</b>	<i>Fill My Cup, Lord</i>	
<b>Rise Against Hunger Moment</b>		Paul Dismuke
<b>Sending Prayer</b>		Tom Guy
<b>Postlude</b>		Jody Branch

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### BAPTISTS ON MISSION REGION 4 MISSIONS RALLY

**Tuesday, August 13, 2019, Bethlehem Baptist Church, Knightdale**

An evening of mission inspiration celebrating what God is doing through NC Baptists around the world.

Experience worship, testimonies, videos, and information on mission opportunities.

Supper – 5:50 | Program – 6:50 to 8:30. Men, Women, & Youth Invited!

NO CHARGE FOR THE MEAL, but reservations must be made no later than August 6.

To register, call 1.800.395.5102 x 5596 or register online at [baptistsonmission.org](http://baptistsonmission.org).

Contact Bill King if interested in going with a group from the church: 919-358-5211, or [109biking@gmail.com](mailto:109biking@gmail.com).

The bus will leave our campus at 4:00 p.m.

### RBA TRAINING EXTRAVAGANZA

**Saturday, August 17, 8:30 a.m. to Noon at Forest Hills Baptist Church**

Essential insights and information for every area of ministry!

Encouraging connections with members from other churches!

See insert in this bulletin for more information.

**The bus will leave our campus at 8:00 a.m.**

**Rise Against Hunger:** We are raising money to pack meals to be distributed through Rise Against Hunger. Our tentative date to pack these meals is Sunday, Sept. 29, 2019 at 12:30 p.m. We need about 50 people to participate. All ages are invited to get involved. More information will be coming in the coming weeks. It will take \$3500 to prepare these meals. We currently have \$655. See Paul Dismuke for more details.

**Wednesday Night Is Back!** After a summer break, Prayer Meeting, Praise Team rehearsal, and Choir rehearsal will resume this week. The schedule is noted on the back under The Week at a Glance.

## Welcome to Ephesus!

August 4, 2019

We're glad that you've chosen to worship with us. If you are a guest, we welcome you and would appreciate a record of your visit. Please complete this form, detach it and place it in the offering plate. Also, our pastor would welcome the opportunity to meet you personally after the service.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Time Guest  Regular Attendee  Member

Single  Student  Married

<18 yrs  19-29 yrs  30-39 yrs

40-49 yrs  50-59 yrs  60+ yrs

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of others in my home:

_____	Spouse	Child
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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### I would like more information about:

I want to become a Christian

I'm renewing my commitment to Christ.

I want to become a member of Ephesus

Sign me up for Class 101, 201, 301, or 401

I'd like for the pastor or staff to contact me.

That person is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither—whatever they do prospers. ... I am poured out like water, and all my bones are out of joint. My heart has turned to wax; it has melted within me. ...

He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, ... As the deer pants for streams of water, so my soul pants for you, my God. (Psalm 1:3; 22:14; 23:2; 42:1, NIV)