Welcome! We hope you find this newsletter informative & encouraging. If you have any needs that we can help you with, please reach out to us! We hope to see you at CCBC, in person, very soon!

### A Letter From The Pastor BY PASTOR ANDY MOORE

Hello Cedar Creek Family! As we enter into the month of April, our hearts are drawn towards the events of Holy Week that led to the greatest act of love the world has ever known. The Easter Season is meant to remind us of God's glory in the cross and of God's power in the Gospel. No other event in human history has offered more hope, more love, more grace, and more glory than what happened on Golgotha's hill and Jerusalem's tomb 2,000 years ago. I am so glad to know that Jesus is alive! And to not only know the fact of His resurrection, but to also experience the power of His resurrection. This is true for every single person who has been born again by grace through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

I pray that each of you are living in the all-sufficient power of God's grace towards you in Christ Jesus. This was the prayer of the Apostle Paul in Philippians 3:8,10: – "I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord... that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and may share His sufferings, becoming like Him in His death...". That is the inexpressible hope found in the inexhaustible power of the Gospel!

As we celebrate the Easter Season this year, I hope you will join me in inviting others to come and worship with us each week at Cedar Creek. It's been rightly said that the number one reason most people do not come to church is because they are not invited. It is clear from the Scriptures that God's people are to join together to worship, love, serve, give, pray, and to go live as lights in a dark world. As we do that, let's not forget to extend a simple invitation to our family, friends, co-workers, and neighbors to be our guest. God is always at work around us. Let's not get so caught up in the busyness of life that we forget to invite others into a personal relationship with God through His Son, Jesus Christ. That is what life is all about! I love each of you dearly and I thank you for ALL you are doing for the advancement of God's Kingdom here at Cedar Creek. To God be the glory!

Pastor Andy

#### DEACON SCHEDULE

6th: Keith Marion 13th: Evans Duren 20th: David Marion 27th: Eric Locklear

#### **NURSERY SCHEDULE**

6th: Will and Loraine Hobgood 13th: Josh and Patti Fabel

20th: Judy Fabel & Jean Abrahamsen 27th: Gina Lee & Kathy Brownlee



Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 12th from 11 am to 2 pm! Join us for this FREE event! There will be food, games, fun and more!



8:00 AM - Sunrise Service
Parking Lot in front of Sanctuary

8:30 AM - Potluck Breakfast Fellowship Hall (Bring a dish to share)

9:15 AM - Sunday School

10:30 AM - Easter Worship



Save the date! You will not want to miss this years fun!

June 23rd - June 29th

Reach out to Dianne Clay for more information!

## CCBC APRIL 2025 NEWS: THE BRANCHES

"I am the vine, you are the branches; he who abides in Me and I in him, he bears much fruit, for apart from Me you can do nothing." JOHN 15:5

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 10 - 11:30 AM "He Speaks To Me" Women's Morning Bible Study  6 - 7:30 PM "He Speaks To Me" Women's Evening Bible Study	6 PM Bible Study / Youth 6:45 PM Adult Choir	3 <b>6 PM</b> Grief Share	4	5  9 am to 1 pm Keep The Midlands Beautiful "Spotless Saturday" at CCBC
6 9:00 AM Coffee & Fellowship 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Morning Worship & Lord's Supper	7 <b>6 PM</b> AMC Meeting <b>7 PM</b> Deacons Meeting	8 10 - 11:30 AM "He Speaks To Me" Women's Morning Bible Study 6 - 7:30 PM "He Speaks To Me" Women's Evening Bible Study	6 PM Bible Study Mission Friends Children In Action Youth 6:45 PM Adult Choir	10 <b>6 PM</b> Grief Share	11	at the Creek 11 AM TO 2 PM Spring at the Creek
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8 AM Surrise Service 8:30 AM Potluck Breakfast 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Easter Worship	21  6-8 PM Farm to Table at Fabel Farms	22 10 - 11:30 AM "He Speaks To Me" Women's Morning Bible Study 6 - 7:30 PM "He Speaks To Me" Women's Evening Bible Study	6 PM Bible Study Mission Friends Children In Action Youth 6:45 PM Adult Choir	24	6 PM to 8 PM Connect Women's Gathering	26  4 PM Faith & Family Event at the Fireflies Game
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If you are interested in serving at CCBC, please reach out to us by sending an email to **ccbcworship1@gmail.com** 

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The Branches Newsletter is published on the 20th of each month. If you have something you'd like included in next month's newsletter, please have the information to Anna Stalnaker by the 10th of the month.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION/ UPCOMING EVENTS



KoriEl is excited to welcome our guest speaker for our April Gathering, Maria Owens. Please join us on April 25th from 6-8 PM to hear Maria's testimony, and to enjoy dinner and fellowship. There is no cost for this event, but please register using the form on the church's LinkTree!

# o Table

Attention, men! Our next Farm to Table will be Monday, April 21st from 6-8 pm at Fabel Farms. Please visit ccbcworship.org for more information.

## Firether Came

Join us for Faith and Family Night at the ballpark!

Saturday, April 26th
4 PM: Gates open
4:30 - 5:30 PM: Travis Greene Concert
6 PM: Game Time (followed by fireworks)
We have 30 tickets reserved for CCBC.
All children 2+ will need a ticket, and
everyone gets a FREE hat!
Please connect with Patti Fabel
(803-608-5421 or pattifabel@gmail.com)
for ordering information.

Tickets need to be ordered/paid for by Sunday, April 13th.

#### APRIL BIRTHDAYS

1st: Gerry Rubink
2nd: Kathy Henderson
2nd: Todd Rabon
3rd: Alex Hobgood
5th: Hildie Boggs
5th: Robert Clark
5th: Rachel Grant
6th: Robert Grant
7th: Jamye Duren
7th: Brian Goings
9th: Doug Pender
10th: Laura Greene

10th: Stephanie McEntire

12th: Sandy Jackson 13th: Cecil Moseley 17th: Karleigh Hixon 24th: Keppley Mulligan

25th: Amy Marion 30th: Gene Harris

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