

CCBC News: The Branches



March 2024

Welcome! We hope you find this newsletter informative and 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!

Deacon of the Week:

- 3rd: Gary Wells
- 10th: Evans Duren
- 17th: Steve Abrahamsen
- 24th: Joe Clay
- 31st: Josh Fabel

Easter is a very special time for us as believers in our Lord Jesus Christ. We do things at Easter that we do no other time of the year, and we think about things in a way that we do at no other time of the year. A family was watching the Easter story on television. Although the entire family had seen the movie before, their little girl was particularly moved by the movie. As Jesus was tortured and crucified, tears came streaming down her cheeks. She remained completely silent, with the exception of a few occasional sobs, until they put Jesus' body into the tomb. At that point she suddenly looked around and smiled and then she shouted, "Now comes the good part!"

"Now comes the good part!" The Lenten preparation, the Choir Cantata, Palm Sunday, Easter, the Spring Fling. Let's share the great news that Jesus is Alive and Well.

Pastor Jerry



Invite your friends, family, and neighbors, and join us for the fun, FREE event!

Bounce Houses - Games
Cake Walks - Music
Food - and More!

Saturday, March 23rd
4-6 PM
CCBC Patio/Outdoor Area

If you are interested in helping with this event, please reach out to Kimberly Grieg, Dianne Clay, Rene Clark or Jamye Duren!

Sunday Night Forum

Please join us for our March Forum to hear from Lee Meyers, former Music Minister and friend of CCBC. Lee has 20 years of experience in music ministry, and has been consulting churches for the past 10 years. He will speak on the topic of multi-generational worship within the church.

This forum will be held Sunday, March 10th at 5 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up in the foyer to bring a pot of soup and join us for another informative session!

If you have any questions, please contact Evans Duren!

Youth Events

March 9th: Service Project
March 13th: Frankies Fun Park
March 28th: Youth Dinner

Join Cory and the Youth on Wednesdays from 6-7:30 PM and Sundays from 9:15 – 10:15 AM!



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Sunday, March 3rd

9:00 AM - Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM - Sunday School
10:30 AM – Morning Worship

Wednesday, March 6th

6:00 PM – Deacons Meeting / Youth
6:45 PM – Choir Practice

Thursday, March 7th

6:00 PM – Grief Share Meeting

Sunday, March 10th

9:00 AM – Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM – Sunday School
10:30 AM – Morning Worship
5:00 PM – Churchwide Forum

Wednesday, March 13th

6:00 PM – AMC Meeting
Youth at Frankies
6:45 PM – Choir Practice

Thursday, March 14th

6:00 PM – Grief Share Meeting

Sunday, March 17th

9:00 AM – Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM – Sunday School
10:30 AM – Morning Worship

Tuesday, March 19th

12:00 PM – Young at Heart Luncheon

Wednesday, March 20th

6:00 PM – Prayer Meeting / Youth
6:45 PM – Choir

Thursday, March 21st

6:00 PM – Grief Share Meeting

Saturday, March 23rd

9:30 AM – Choir Practice
4:00 PM – Spring at The Creek Event

Sunday, March 24th:

9:00 AM – Coffee & Fellowship Time
9:15 AM – Sunday School
10:30 AM – Morning Worship
Easter Cantata

Wednesday, March 27th

6:00 PM – Prayer Meeting / Youth
6:45 PM – Choir Practice

Thursday, March 28th

6:00 PM – Grief Share Meeting
Youth Dinner

Sunday, March 31st

8:30 AM – Potluck Breakfast
9:15 AM – Sunday School
10:30 AM – Morning Worship

Important Information / Upcoming Events:

The Branches Newsletter is published on the 20th of each month. If you have something you'd like included in the next month's newsletter, please have the information to Jamye Duren by the 15th.

Young at Heart will meet for a covered dish lunch on March 19th in the Fellowship Hall.

Because He Lives, an Easter Cantata presented by the Adult Choir, will be held during morning worship on March 24th. Choir members will have final rehearsal March 23rd from 9:30 – 11:00 AM

Join us Easter morning for a **Potluck Breakfast**. We'll meet at 8:30 AM and enjoy time together before Sunday school.

Heartsound Quarter will be performing on Sunday morning, May 19th during morning worship.

March

Birthdays:

2nd: Andy Lamm
2nd: Heather Meetze
3rd: Andrew Alexson
6th: Tammy Clark
9th: Matthew Henderson
11th: Teresa Hipp
11th: Lib Tuten
11th: Melissa Walker
12th: Richard Long
12th: Suzy Turbyfill
16th: Randy Bolton
16th: Pat LeBon
17th: Anthony Allen
18th: Tripp Koon
18th: Kandi Mulligan
18th: Kayla Varney
19th: Elizabeth Clark
19th: Kelly Holmes
21st: Jessica McEntire
22nd: Thurman Rodgers
23rd: Jamie Starnes
23rd: Sherri Stoudemire
24th: Pete Rauch
27th: Cody Clark
27th: Jeaneen Lamm
28th: Christen Hobgood



Are you grieving a loss? Find hope and healing at our Grief Share group.

Grief Share is the #1 grief recovery program in the world where you will find a safe, comforting place to talk with others about your grief. Each of the 13 sessions will include a video seminar and group discussion. Every participant will also receive a personal workbook.

Sessions are held on Thursday evenings at CCBC from 6 – 8 PM from until April 18th. Register now at www.griefshare.org.

Reach out to Heather Winkleman or Rene Clark with questions.

Our church newsletter is available via electronic copy, on our website, or for pickup in our church lobby. If you'd like to receive an electronic copy, please email jcduren@gmail.com
If you need to receive a hard copy, please reach out to your Deacon!