

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



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:

Hello Cedar Creek! As I write this today, there is ONE thing on my mind: the day we will soon celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and Savior! I hope you are already planning to join us for all the activities going on Easter Sunday. Invite your friends and neighbors to join us on this special day. I'm excited to preach a short series called **"RISEN: Experiencing the Power of Christ's Resurrection in Your Life"**. Our lost world needs to know that the truth of the resurrection is something they can know and experience on a daily basis. I hope you'll join us.

I would like to ask one favor from you: please take the time to read and familiarize yourself with all our different ministry activities. We have so much going on that ministers to every person of every age, and we want you to be a part of it. We've recently opened up our Welcome Desk in our Lobby where you will find someone to help you get more information, sign up for events, or answer any questions you may have about our church and ministry programs.

As always, thank you so much for your prayer, support, generosity, and service to the Lord and His church. You each bring such joy to my heart! I love you all dearly.

Pastor Andy

DEACON SCHEDULE

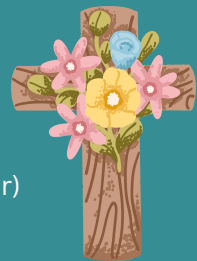
5 th	Steve Rabon
12 th	Randy Bolton
19 th	Joe Clay
26 th	Eric Locklear

YOUTH SUMMER Camp

Attention, parents! We have an exciting youth summer camp planned **June 8th through June 12th** at Erskine College!

Send an email to us at ccbcworship1@gmail.com for more info!

Join us on Easter Sunday, April 5th, as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!



8:00 AM – Sunrise Service in the front parking lot (bring flowers for the cross and dress for the weather)

8:30 AM – Brunch Potluck in the Fellowship Hall

9:15 AM – Life Groups

10:30 AM – Worship Service in the Sanctuary
To sign up for the breakfast potluck, stop by the Welcome Center on Sunday morning. Bring your family and friends and celebrate the joy of Easter with us—He is risen!

Women's CONNECT GROUPS

Attention, ladies! Our next CONNECT Groups will be meeting in April! We invite women of every age to join a small group for meaningful fellowship, real connection, and time in God's Word.

Reach out to Jamye Duren by email at jcduren@gmail.com or visit the Welcome Desk on Sunday morning to get plugged into a group today!



Children's Ministry Renovation Campaign: At Cedar Creek Baptist Church, we believe the next generation matters—*right now*. That's why we're taking a bold step forward to create a safer, more welcoming, and more effective space for our children and students to grow in their faith.

A Bold Step Into an Exciting Future for Our Families: Our Children's Ministry Advancement Team (CMAT) is leading a renovation of our Administration Building to better serve our kids, families, and volunteers. This isn't just an upgrade—it's an investment in lives.

Why This Matters:

1. Safety & Security

Creating a secure environment where parents can feel confident and kids can thrive.

2. Necessary Building Improvements

Addressing long-overdue maintenance issues to ensure our facilities are safe and reliable.

3. Enhanced Learning Spaces

Designing modern, engaging environments that help children better learn and experience God's Word.

How You Can Help:

This is where *you* come in. We're inviting our church family to prayerfully consider giving toward this project. Every gift—big or small—moves us closer to creating a space where children can safely learn about Jesus and build a foundation that lasts a lifetime.

Let's make it happen—together.

- Give today.
- Pray with us.
- Be part of what God is building.




Let's Build Together! Imagine children laughing, learning, and growing in a space designed just for them. Imagine families feeling confident and welcomed. Imagine the impact for years to come.



Want more information? Visit ccbcworship.org/childrens-renovations or scan the QR code

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>March 28th: Spring at the Creek March 29th: Pizza and Praise</p>			1	2	3 <i>Good Friday</i>	4 <i>Mission</i>
5  8:00 AM Sunrise & Breakfast 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Morning Worship	6 10:00 AM Prayer Mondays 6 PM AMC Meeting 7 PM Deacons Meeting	7	8 10:00 AM Connect Groups 6 PM Bible Study Mission Friends Children In Action Youth 6:45 PM Adult Choir	9	10	11 8:30 AM Women On Mission Meeting
12 9:00 AM Coffee & Fellowship 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Morning Worship <i>Lord's Supper</i> 4:00 PM Isaac Moore & Elizabeth Cox Bridal Shower	13 10:00 AM Prayer Mondays 7:00 PM Women's Connect Groups	14 10:00 AM "Luke in the Land" Bible Study 6:30 PM "Luke in the Land" Bible Study	15 10:00 AM Women's Connect Groups 6 PM Bible Study & Youth 6:45 PM Adult Choir	16	17	18
19 9:00 AM Coffee & Fellowship 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Morning Worship	20 10:00 AM Prayer Mondays  6-8 PM Farm to Table at Fabel Farms	21 10:00 AM "Luke in the Land" Bible Study  12 PM Young at Heart 6:30 PM "Luke in the Land" Bible Study	22 6 PM <i>Business Meeting</i> Bible Study Mission Friends Children In Action Youth 6:45 PM Adult Choir	23	24	25
26 9:00 AM Coffee & Fellowship 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Morning Worship	27 10:00 AM Prayer Mondays	28 10:00 AM "Luke in the Land" Bible Study 6:30 PM "Luke in the Land" Bible Study	29	30	<p>For more info and to RSVP to any of our events, please visit ccbcworship.org or speak to someone at our Welcome Center desk in the lobby on Sunday morning.</p>	

RECURRING MONTHLY EVENTS

Ladies - Women on Mission: 1st Saturday of the month at 8:30 am

Men and Teens - Men's Farm to Table: 3rd Monday of the month at 6 pm at Fabel Farms

Senior Adults - Young at Heart Luncheon 3rd Tuesday of the month at 12 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Need to speak to a CCBC staff member? Our church office hours at **Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 am to 1 pm**. You can call us at (803) 754-6230

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 Jamye Duren by the 10th of the month.**

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION/
UPCOMING EVENTS**

QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING Our next quarterly business meeting of the year on **Wednesday, April 22nd at 6:00 pm**. If you are a church member, we would love for you to join us!

**BILLY GRAHAM LIBRARY
Day-trip**

Join us for a fun day trip on Friday, May 8, 2026! We will leave at 9:30 AM and return 4:30 PM. Cost: \$15 per person (covers van rental & fuel; lunch on your own. Library admission is free.) **RSVP & Payment Deadline: April 10th** Sign up at <https://linktr.ee/ccbcworship> or at the Welcome Center on Sunday. Questions? Contact Dusty Wilson or call the church office at (803) 754-6230. We hope you'll join us for a wonderful day of fellowship!

Bridal shower

Join us as we celebrate the marriage of Elizabeth Cox and Isaac Moore with a bridal shower on **Sunday, April 12th at 4:00 PM!** The registry is listed at <https://linktr.ee/ccbcworship>. Please bring non-perishable food items as a special gift to stock their pantry. Want to share a little love from your kitchen? Fill out a recipe card (available in the lobby at the Welcome Desk) with your favorite recipe to bless the happy couple! We can't wait to celebrate together!

VBS June 1st - 5th

Time: 5:45-8:30 PM
(Dinner provided each evening)
Kickoff Event: May 30, 11:00 AM-2:00 PM
Ages: 4K through completed 6th grade

Register today by visiting our website or speaking with someone in our Welcome Center. Interested in volunteering? We would love to have you join us!

April BIRTHDAYS

- 1st Gerry Rubink
- 2nd Kathy Henderson
- 2nd Todd Rabon
- 3rd Alex Hobgood
- 4th Khloe Simpson
- 5th Hildie Boggs
- 5th Robert Clark
- 5th Rachel Grant
- 6th Robert Grant
- 7th Jamye Duren
- 7th Brian Goings
- 8th Craig Attaway
- 9th Doug Pender
- 10th Laura Greene
- 10th Stephanie McEntire
- 12th Sandy Jackson
- 13th Cecil Moseley
- 17th Karleigh Hixon
- 24th Kepply Mulligan
- 25th Amy Marion
- 28th Chris Chapman
- 30th Gene Harris

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