

# CONNECT

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## Week at a Glance

### **Sunday**

9:15 AM Bible Fellowship Classes  
10:30 AM Worship Service

### **Tuesday**

10:00 AM Women's Bible Study

### **Wednesday**

9:30 AM Moms in Prayer  
12:00 PM AA  
6:00 PM Midweek Service/Teen Study

### **Friday**

6:30 AM Men's Coffee  
9:30 AM BSF  
10:00 AM AA

April 26, 2026

# Welcome

## On the Heart of your Pastor:

I pray God used the message this past Sunday to speak to you and give a deeper understanding of what it means to Exalt / Worship our Creator, and Heavenly Father. Since reading this statement, I have not been able to get it out of my head. I am sharing it with you that it might spur us on to greater things in our efforts to fulfill God's call on our lives and the church to exalt Him above all things. "Worship is the adoring response of the creature to the infinite majesty of God. While it presupposes submission to Him, to worship, in the highest sense, is not supplication for needs, or even thanksgiving for blessings, but the occupation of the soul with God Himself....The end of it all is the pure joy of magnifying the One who alone is worthy."

Robert E. Coleman  
God bless,  
Pastor Barry

VISITOR  
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# MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

E<sup>4</sup> Men - Join us each Friday at 6:30 AM! We'll enjoy coffee, a devotional, and prayer together, followed by an opportunity to help with a few simple projects around the church. Come for fellowship, stay as you're able, and be a part of serving together.

Ministry Meeting - Join us for our next meeting on April 29th at 6 PM! If you'd like to bring something, please bring a dessert to share.

E<sup>4</sup> Women - Join us on May 8th at 6 PM for Pizza and Paint with a Purpose Night! Enjoy a delicious meal followed by a fun, creative time of painting together.

Council Meeting - Our next council meeting will be May 13 at 4:30 PM.

AHG/TL Court of Honor - Please join us on May 14th at 6:15 PM as we come together to celebrate and honor the accomplishments of our youth. We would love for you to be a part of this special evening!

## **Bible Fellowship Classes**

**9:15 AM - 10:15 AM**

K-5<sup>th</sup> grade - Jonda Fields

Union with Christ - Sean & Dawn Murphy

The Encouragers - Ron Long

Bible Diggers - Cheryl Lamb

# APRIL 26, 2026

**Welcome/Prayer**  
Bill Duganne

**Worship in Song**  
#350 - The Church's One Foundation

**Prayer/Offering**

**Worship in Song**  
# 406 - The Solid Rock

**Worship in Song**  
All Hail King Jesus

**Worship in Song**  
#29 - How Majestic is Your Name

**Worship in Word**  
Pastor Barry

**Commitment**  
#182 - What A Friend We Have In Jesus

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Financial Snapshot

Week of April 19<sup>th</sup> giving: \$3843.80