

CBnews

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LOVE GOD. SERVE & EGG HUNT OUTREACH

"The month of April is designated as *Love God. Serve* month. LifeGroups and individuals were encouraged to serve the community outside the church walls. More projects are underway, but we have updates from a couple of Lifegroups.

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The Assisted Living ministry at Brookdale is an ongoing ministry comprised of congregants and members of the CB Worship team. The Davis-Yackey Lifegroup engaged in service by preparing eggs for the Egg Hunt, as did the Forever Young group and CORE projects volunteers. There were approx. 250 participants & volunteers at the Egg Hunt. Volunteers shared the Resurrection account with participants before the hunt and lunch was served afterward. The goal of the Egg Hunt was to connect with one another and our community while sharing the love of Jesus.



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Welcome



Ron & Joylyn Peek
joined March 23.

Baptism



Robby Pettit
baptized April 10.

Sympathy

To Nat & Erin Hopper in the homegoing of his mother, Shirley, April 07.

To Billy & Sue Sloane in the passing of his brother, David, in Knoxville, TN, April 12.

To family of Gail Cannon who passed away in Augusta, GA, April 15.

To the Ethredge family in the homegoing of Doris Ethredge, April 26.



Whether you are a mom, foster mom, guardian, spiritual mom, or mentor, CBC wishes you a very **Happy Mother's Day**. You are a blessing to us, and our lives would not be the same without you. Don't forget to pick up your gift in one of the lobbies around campus on May 8th.

38 YEARS OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS



April marked the 38th anniversary of Charleston Baptist Church. The occasion was celebrated by congregants in one worship service at 10 am on April 24th. A church-wide picnic meal was held in the gym

following the service. The CB Worship team led the congregation in praise to the Lord, a celebration video was shown, and Pastor Kevin brought a powerful message from God's Word. What a blessing it is to come together and praise God for 38 years of God's faithfulness and to serve the community around us. We pray that God will continue to work through our ministry as we seek to worship, grow, connect, and serve.



SEASONS LADIES MINISTRY LUNCHEON



Seasons Ladies ministry is a ministry to all ladies in all seasons of life. Ladies of all ages are invited to come to a luncheon on Saturday, May 14th at 11 am. Online registration and payment is required. Please visit: <https://charlestonbaptist.org/next-steps> for more information and the registration link. This year's theme is: *Every Bitter Thing Made Sweet* and our guest speaker is Mrs. Ellen Moore.

FAMILY DEDICATION



What is Family Dedication? Family dedication is the public declaration of parents to raise their child to know, to trust, and to cultivate a growing relationship in Jesus Christ. Any families with kids or students who have not yet been dedicated to the Lord are welcome to participate. The next Family Dedication service will be held Sunday, May 15th. If you are interested, please email Pastor Jason (jason@charlestonbaptist.org), and a registration link will be sent to you.

PASTORS PERSPECTIVE



Unity

Brothers and sisters, who do you unite with, and why do you find unity with that group? Many times, we will have unity with people for superficial reasons like skin color, sports, job, life style, culture, political party and many other reasons. Who are we to have the greatest bonds of unity with? God tells us through His word in Galatians 3:26-28,

"For in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus." (ESV)

Those that are in Christ are bonded through him. Christ has broken down the superficial barriers that divide us from one another. The unity that is found in Christ is deep and eternal. Jesus says in John 17:20-21, *"I do not ask for these only, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me."*(ESV) Our unity as brothers and sisters in Christ makes an impact on the world around us.

-Jason Davis, Discipleship Pastor

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

May is mental health awareness month.



Together, we can realize our shared vision of a nation where anyone affected by mental illness can get the appropriate support and quality of care to live healthy, fulfilling lives. Rightnow Media recently added many helpful videos and discipleship studies focused on anxiety, depression, and mental health. CBC offers many resources that can help in your journey to better mental health including our Two are Better mental health support group, the Lowcountry Biblical Counseling Center, and NAMI faith-based resources. Contact the church office or email info@charlestonbaptist.org. We care.

2022 GRADUATE RECOGNITION

Do you have a 2022 high school or college graduate in your family? Please notify the CB student ministry (marvin@charlestonbaptist.org) so that we can recognize your student on **Sunday, May 22nd**. Everyone is also invited to a church-wide meal honoring our graduates on **Wednesday evening, May 25th** at 6:15 pm in the Gym. We hope you make plans to attend so that we show our graduates how much we appreciate them.

Congratulations

CLASS OF 2022 GRADUATES

GRAD RECOGNITION SUNDAY
MAY 22ND @ 9:15 AM & 11 AM

CHURCH-WIDE GRAD PARTY
MAY 25TH @ 6:15 PM

UPCOMING

MAY

01	Sunday Morning Worship May 01 @ 9:15 am & 11 am	15	Sunday Morning Worship Family Dedication May 15 @ 9:15 & 11 am
03	Two are Better mental health support group May 03 @ 6:30 pm	18	Wednesday evening activities May 18 @ 6:15 pm
04	Forever Young luncheon May 04 @ 11 am	21	Men's Breakfast May 21 @ 7 am
	Wednesday evening activities May 04 @ 6:15 pm		Two are Better chronic pain support group May 21 @ 10 am
06	Assisted Living Ministry - Brookdale May 06 @ 3 pm	22	Sunday Morning Worship Graduate Recognition May 22 @ 9:15 am & 11 am
	Parents Night Out CB kids ministry May 06 @ 6 pm	25	Graduate Recognition Dinner May 25 @ 6:15 pm no regular activities
07	Two are Better chronic pain support group May 07 @ 10 am	27	Play 'N Stay May 27 @ 9:30 am
08	Sunday Morning Worship Mother's Day May 08 @ 9:15 & 11 am		CORE Projects May 27 @ 11 am
11	Wednesday evening activities May 11 @ 6:15 pm	29	Sunday Morning Worship May 29 @ 9:15 am & 11 am
13	Play 'N Stay May 13 @ 9:30 am	30	Memorial Day Holiday May 30 office closed
14	Seasons Ladies Ministry Luncheon May 14 @ 11 am		

FACTS & FIGURES



Attendance

April Average Online Worship Views: 61

April Average On-campus Worship Attendance: 369



Giving

Weekly Budget Goal\$24,477.26

Weekly Budget Receipts:

Apr. 03.....\$20,376.00

Apr. 10.....\$23,170.94

Apr. 17.....\$19,448.64

Apr. 24.....\$39,085.72

Challenge to Grow Weekly Goal.....\$ 3,500.00

Challenge to Grow Weekly Budget Receipts:

Apr. 03.....\$ 620.00

Apr. 10.....\$ 185.00

Apr. 17.....\$ 215.00

Apr. 24.....\$ 1,455.00