

#LOVEGODSERVE2023



Several individuals and groups engaged in the *Love God. Serve* mission initiative this past month through various projects and ministries around our community. Thank you for using your gifts, talents, and abilities for the Lord.



The Mike Morrison LifeGroup delivered goodie bags to Brookdale Senior Living residents.



The Shirleys and Coopers over- saw our students on a litter pick-up crew in West Ashley.



Middle School students visited Brookdale and played Bingo with residents.



The College group, under the leadership of Rocky & Michelle Beaver, volunteered at Fields 2 Families.



Some members of the Ecuador Mission Team volunteered at the Hollywood Food Bank distribution.



The Davis-Yackey LifeGroup collected gift cards for and wrote notes to some families who are caring for homebound loved ones.

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Sympathy

to Bobby & Mary Mayes in the sudden passing of their daughter, Tracey, 53, April 15th.

Congrats

to Todd & Savannah Lowen in the birth of their son, Grant Thomas Leigh, April 4th.
to Dallas & Melissa West in the birth of their son, Jase, April 28th.

Welcome



Jane Shipe
joined
April 4th



Isabella
Estrella
joined
April 7th

Baptism



Lauren Miller
April 23rd

PASTORS PERSPECTIVE: LEE CHINNIS



What can be said about truth vs. lies? Read Genesis 2:4-3:24.

Since the beginning of time, we humans have dealt with the questions: What is true? What is a lie? There are different ways to determine truth vs. lies. Let's look at Adam and Eve, as an example. God's command to them was not to eat of the fruit from the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil. Adam and Eve had a choice: to obey God or to fall into the enemy's trap of lies. Do you think Adam and Eve fell into Satan's trap because the lie sounded so good that it had to be true? What exactly were they looking for? They were

seeking wisdom, but Satan deceived them by having them doubt what was true. They should have sought God for truth instead of falling into the trap of what seemed to be true. When we aren't looking to God or aren't grounded in God's truth, then we can easily be fooled by Satan and his lies. Let us continually guard our hearts and minds and seek the truth that comes from God's Word. Let us pray for protection from the traps of the enemy. John 8:31-32 says, "...Jesus said, 'If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.'"

MOTHER'S DAY



Don't forget, Mother's Day is Sunday, May 14th. Whether you are a new mom, seasoned mom, or mentor - we will have a special gift for you on that day. Happy Mother's Day, from CBC.

FOREVER YOUNG



Ms. Mayna Cosby read her newest children's book, *Princess Blossom and the Miracle Cape*, to the group at the Forever Young Luncheon this past month.

UPCOMING



May is mental health month.



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MISSION TEAM UPDATE

ON SALE NOW

ECUADOR MISSION TRIP Shirt Fundraiser

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[HTTPS://CHARLESTONBAPTIST.ORG/NEXT-STEPS](https://charlestonbaptist.org/next-steps)



The Ecuador Mission Team is selling t-shirts to help fund their trip. The shirt sale will be open through the entire month of May. Deadline to order: May 31st. All proceeds will defray trip costs and ministry needs. You can order your shirt online here:

<https://charlestonbaptist.org/next-steps>

CONGRATULATIONS — on your graduation —

Grad

Recognition Sunday

May 21st @ 9:15 am & 11 am

Church-wide
Grad Party

May 24th @ 6:15 pm



CBC CELEBRATES 39TH ANNIVERSARY

Charleston Baptist Church celebrated its 39th anniversary in ministry on Sunday, April 30th, by having one service for the entire church followed by a picnic style luncheon in the gym. "We will remember the works of your hands. And we will stop and give you praise. For great is your faithfulness."

UPCOMING

MAY

02	CORE Pickle Ball May 02 @ 6 pm
	Two are Better mental health support group May 02 @ 6:30 pm
03	Forever Young luncheon May 03 @ 11 am
	Wednesday evening activities May 03 @ 6:15 pm
04	National Day of Prayer May 04
05	Assisted Living ministry May 05 @ 3 pm
	Parents Night Out May 05 @ 6 pm
07	Sunday Morning Worship Family Dedication May 07 @ 9:15 am & 11 am
09	CORE Sports Pickle Ball May 09 @ 6 pm
10	Wednesday evening activities May 10 @ 6:15 pm
13	Seasons Ladies Ministry Brunch May 13 @ 10 am
14	Sunday Morning Worship Mothers Day May 14 @ 9:15 am & 11 am

16	CORE Sports Pickle Ball May 16 @ 6 pm
17	Wednesday evening activities May 17 @ 6:15 pm
20	Men's Breakfast May 20 @ 7 am
21	Sunday Morning Worship Grad Recognition May 21 @ 9:15 am & 11 am
23	KCA infant-k5 End of Year Program May 23 @ 11:30 am
	CORE Sports Pickle Ball May 23 @ 6 pm
24	Graduation Celebration May 24 @ 6:15 am
26	CORE Projects May 26 @ 11 am
28	Sunday Morning Worship May 28 @ 9:15 am & 11 am
29	Memorial Day Holiday May 29 Church office closed
30	CORE Sports Pickle Ball May 30 @ 6 pm
31	Wednesday evening activities May 31 @ 6:15 pm

FACTS & FIGURES



Attendance

April Average Online Worship Views: 92

On-campus Worship Attendance: 417



Giving

Weekly Budget Goal\$24,477.26

Weekly Budget Receipts:

April 02.....\$19,905.60

April 09.....\$29,068.83

April 16.....\$40,364.03

April 23.....\$26,012.22

April 30.....\$19,912.70

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

Challenge to Grow Weekly Budget Receipts:

April 02.....\$ 500.00

April 09.....\$ 1,283.00

April 16.....\$ 450.00

April 23.....\$ 385.00

April 30.....\$ 410.00