

EPHESUS BAPTIST CHURCH

FEBRUARY 22, 2026

PIANO PRELUDE

(Sue Patrick)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Dr. Craig Bowman)

VIDEO

**HYMN OF PRAISE #208: LOVE DIVINE,
ALL LOVES EXCELLING (V.1,2&4)**

SPECIAL MUSIC

SCRIPTURE READING: MATTHEW 5:1-8

MESSAGE: BLESSED ARE THE PURE IN HEART

(Dr. Craig Bowman)

**HYMN OF INVITATION #329: GRACE GREATER
THAN OUR SIN (V.1&3)**

CLOSING HYMN #386: THE FAMILY OF GOD

Welcome to Ephesus!

If you're here for the first time, please fill out a 'Let's Get Acquainted' card available in the foyer and drop in an offering box or hand it to Dr. Bowman as you leave. Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS AT EPHESUS

Praying with the Pastor: Join Dr. Bowman on TUESDAYS from 11 AM to 12 Noon. All are invited to meet in the Education Bldg. in room 302 for this time of sharing. Don't forget to bring your Bible!

MARCH Mission Night on Wednesday, March 4 at 5:00 pm as we share a time of fellowship with G2. We'll gather around a simple crockpot-style meal and enjoy community together.

If you're willing to help, we are looking for volunteers to bring a crockpot dish to share. There is no set cost for the meal. Donations will be accepted to help cover fixed meal expenses and support our kitchen fund. *Come share a meal, lend a hand if you're able, and be part of this meaningful night of connection.* Sign-up sheets are located in foyer (one to sign-up to bring a crockpot dish and another to RSVP).

We will be collecting a special offering for Heck-Jones during the month of February. Mark your check/envelope 'Heck-Jones' and place in offering box or mail to the church. You can also give online.

Prayer Guides and Offering Envelopes are available in the church foyer.

Mission Project Assistance: We appreciate donations of candy and individually wrapped cookies or cakes for the hospital snack baskets. Thanks WINGS WMU group!

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, March 1 at 12:00 pm Church Council Meeting

Contact us at...

Dr. Craig Bowman, Interim Pastor, (336) 416-4063
Kim Harris, Admin. Asst.: office@ebcraleigh.org, 919-851-1928
Available on Tuesdays from 8:00-5:00.



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Thank you for your faithful and generous giving!

Here are three convenient ways to give:

1. Place in the locked boxes at each entrance to the Sanctuary in the foyer.
2. Mail checks to Ephesus Baptist Church, 6767 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh, NC 27606.
3. Online www.ephesusbaptistchurch.org or use this QR code.