

# 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.



Scan to Give

### 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](http://www.ephesusbaptistchurch.org) or use this QR code.



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