

Welcome to our Worship Service  
Sunday, January 15, 2023

A silhouette of a person riding a horse, facing left, against a dramatic sunset sky with orange and blue clouds. The horse and rider are dark against the bright, colorful background.

Be **STRONG** and  
**COURAGEOUS**



Elizabeth  
Baptist Church

*A Celebration of Jesus Through Worship*  
*January 15, 2023*

Worship Countdown

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" #82

"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Video: Power of Prayer

Pastor's Prayer

"His Mercy Is More"

"There Is One Gospel"

Sermon **"Caleb's Courageous Faith"**

Joshua 14:6-15

Derek Kiser

"Have Faith in God" #508

Announcements & Dismissal

**Elizabeth Baptist Church Staff**

Rit Varriale

Tim Smith

Eddie Clay

Jim Brackett

Derek Kiser

Lori Hastings & Crystal Bryson

Senior Pastor

Worship Pastor

Discipleship Pastor

Senior Adult Pastor

Student Pastor

Co-Children's Ministers

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# **SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP SCHEDULE BEGINNING JANUARY 8**

**5:00pm - 5:25pm - Worship**

(All ages meet in the CLC. No childcare until 5:30pm)

**5:25pm - Dismiss to age group classes (Preschool- Adults)**

**5:30pm - 6:30pm - Discipleship classes for all ages**

- Pastor Rit leads T3 Study in CLC
- Other adult leaders lead a TBA study in rooms TBD
- Derek leads Student studies in student area
- Crystal and Lori lead "Bible Drills and Thrills" discipleship in the children's building

## **Men's Bible Study**

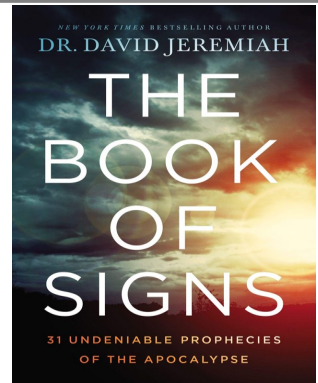
**Sunday's at  
4:45pm**

Room 202

Join Robert Lamphier & Allen Langley, facilitators.

**"The Book of Signs:**

**31 Undeniable Prophecies  
of the Apocalypse"**



**Chrismon Workshop  
Saturday, January 21**

**9 am – Noon**

**Hearthside Dining Room**

***Sword of the Spirit***

**Cost is \$10.00**

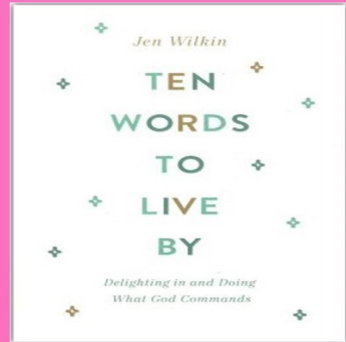
**Please sign up on the bulletin board near  
the Prayer Room or call/text  
Beth Beam 704-860-4704.**

# Women's Ministry

## Bible Study

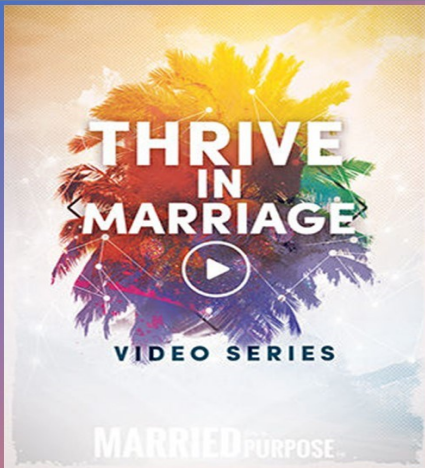
**Sunday Nights**  
**January 22 – March 26**  
**5:30 – 6:30pm**  
**Room 118**

**Sign up to participate**  
**Books are \$5**



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**January 22 – March 26**  
**5:30 – 6:30pm**  
**10 sessions ... one per week**

**Lead by Eddie Clay**  
**Room 214**



## Men's Ministry Outing

**January 29, 2023 - 4:00pm**

**EBC Fire Pit**

**Contact the church office for more information.**



Men's Ministry

# MEN'S MINISTRY

## Senior Valentine Breakfast

Saturday February 4, 2023

Serving 9:15-10:00

Fellowship before and after meal

Christian Life Center (CLC)

**No cost to seniors.**

Sign up in Sunday School Life Group classes  
or on senior bulletin board.

**Deadline: Sunday, January 29, 2023**



## WOMEN'S SELF DEFENSE TRAINING

Friday, February 10, 2023

6:00pm – 8:30pm

Box sub meal provided

Sign up on the EBC App  
or through the office  
Cost \$10

January 8 – March 5, 2023

## Parenting Class

lead by Mark & Neal Binion

Sunday Mornings

9:30am

In the Hearthside Dining Room



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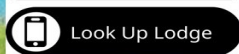
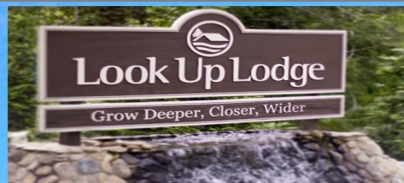
1st - 6th Graders  
are invited to  
*Bible Skills, Drills, & Thrills*

Sunday Evenings

5:30 - 6:30

Worship Time: 5:00pm  
(Family Worship Together)

Preschool / Childcare  
begins at 5:30pm



Summer Camp  
Rising 3<sup>rd</sup> Graders - 6<sup>th</sup> Graders  
July 23-July 26

Registration begins January 15  
\$50.00 Deposit due by February 5



Trekkers and Pathfinders Race Night

Wednesday, February 15 at 6:30pm in the CLC.

The Pathfinders and Trekkers will use this fun night as a way of giving to missions. What a wonderful opportunity for our children to participate and give to The NC Baptist Children's Home and The Ride to Clyde.

Look forward to seeing you at Race Night.

# Baby Dedication

"...that I may walk before God  
in the light of life."

Ps. 56:13



## Baby-Child Brunch/Dedication Sunday, March 12

Please contact Lori or Crystal by January 29 if you are interested in participating in the Baby Dedication Service on March 12.



**You Are Invited  
to EBC's Church-Wide  
Baby Shower**  
for Kayleigh Buffalo  
a Pregnancy Resource  
Center (PRC) client

**February 5, 2023  
2:00pm-4:00pm  
in the Hearthside**

Free printable invitation - baskinbear.com

This is a ministry request of PRC for local churches to extend tangible support for a future mom who **CHOSE LIFE** for her baby.

More information including *Gift Registry at Walmart and Amazon* to be given to Life Group Classes.

See Patti Alexander (704-472-0369) or Vickie Borders (704-692-8871) for more information.



## FORT CASWELL

**June 12-17, 2023.**

Cost for the trip is \$280.

For all students completed 5th through 12th graders as of May 2023.

A deposit of \$50 needs to be paid by February 5, 2023, to reserve your spot.

If you have any questions, contact Derek Kiser  
**[derek@elizabethchurch.org](mailto:derek@elizabethchurch.org)** or call the church office.





***Come dine and fellowship with your EBC family. Then stay for Going Deeper in the Word with Pastor Rit at 6:30pm.***

- ♦ Call the church office each week by Monday 12:00pm to make your reservation, click on the QR Code to register online for the month, or fill out the Wednesday Meal Order Form.
- ♦ Cost: \$7.00 / Adults  
\$3.00 / Child (10-under)  
\$21.00 (maximum) / Immediate Household Family
- ♦ **Reservations are required!!**  
There are no standing reservations.

### **January 18**

Meal: Chicken Pie, Rice,  
Green Beans, Glazed Carrots,  
Asian Cabbage Salad

Dessert: Lemon Meringue Pie,  
Chocolate Chestnut Pie,  
Coconut Cake

### **January 25**

Meal: Baked Potato Bar,  
Tossed Salad, Cheese Toast

Dessert: Assorted Cheesecakes &  
Assorted Brownies