

A/V Equipment

Thank you for your generosity in helping fund this exciting A/V project. Thank you for giving as God has called you to!

Total received toward this project: \$16,000.



Prayer Ministry

Many of you may know Teresa, a new member and a prayer warrior for our church. Teresa has felt the Lord's calling to offer in-home prayer for any church member desiring prayer. If interested, please contact the Church Office or Teresa directly.



Youth Event: Mark Your Calendars

Grind Week

August 18-20 6-9 PM

Euto Baptist Church in Marshville, NC

Grind Week is a 3 night conference with the purpose of starting the academic grind on the right foot. A meal, large group games, worship and gospel preaching make up the evening and ensure this is the right way to start the Fall semester.

This years theme is
JESUS over EVERYTHING.

**GRINDWEEK 2024: AUGUST 18-20
6PM-9PM**

JESUS

OVER

EVERYTHING



SHANNON POWELL
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MATT JOHNSON
FAMILY PASTOR - EUTO BAPTIST



June 9, 2024

*I give them eternal
life, and they will never
perish, and no one
will snatch them
out of my hand.*

John 10:28-29

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Sunday, June 9 2024

God's Promise of Preservation

Genesis 9:1-13

The Point: God promised to preserve His creation.

The Bible Meets Life: Can you name a "new beginning" in your life—a time when you started over in some way?

Sometimes new beginnings come when we move to a new place. Others experience a new beginning after graduation from college, when they marry, or take a new job. These new beginnings often bring excitement and anticipation.

Other new beginnings don't bring joy. The death of a family member, a failed marriage, an unexpected medical diagnosis, or even a natural disaster can leave us sad or bewildered. In such situations, God will give us the grace to move forward, even if we don't understand our circumstances.

I had a pastor who often said he wanted our church to be a place of new beginnings. He wanted folks who had struggled along the way, experienced heartache or disappointment, or received God's forgiveness from a difficult past, to find a loving congregation that would welcome them and encourage them on their new journey.

The book of Genesis records how God judged the world through a great flood, but through Noah and his extended family, God preserved His creation and began anew. God's instruction to Noah reinforces for us God's continued care for His covenant with humanity, affirmed the value of human life, and promised to preserve His creation.

Live It Out: Consider your responsibility to God's creation. God has promised to preserve His creation. Make a list of specific actions you can take to demonstrate your responsibility as a steward of His creation.

Participate in ministries of compassion. God promised never to destroy the world by a flood again, but natural disasters such as hurricanes, earthquakes, droughts, and more still occur. Consider how God might use you and others in your church as messengers of kindness and comfort to those in need.

Upcoming Sunday Sermon Series

Promises We Can Count On

Sunday, June 16 God's Promise of Blessing
(Genesis 12:1-3; 15:5-7; 17:7-11)

Sunday, June 23 God's Promise to Make a Holy Nation
(Exodus 19:1-8)

BIBLE
STUDIES
FOR LIFE

Opportunities for Ministry & Service

Sunday

9:00 AM Sunday School

10:00 AM Indoor Worship

10:00 AM Online Worship

Wednesday

6:30 PM Online Worship

6:30 PM Youth

7:45 PM Choir Rehearsal 6/26

Thursday

Jail Ministry

Prayer Requests

Candy Anderson

Gary Clontz

Marlene Crider

Peggy Dean

Sam & Wanda Goodwin

Bob Hale (Shelia Horne's Dad)

Christine Hinson

Rodney Johnson

(Renee Helms' Son)



Service Attendance

Sunday, June 2

Indoor: 48

Online: 305



Wednesday, June 5

Online: N/A

Youth: 13

Shoes for Pastor Abhishek

Our mission partners in Southern India are collecting funds to purchase shoes to distribute as part of their ministry. Details about this fundraising project coming soon!



Monthly Budget & Offerings

Budget Needs:

\$17,623.26

June Offering

To Date:

\$2,350.00



YWAM

A YWAM group will reside on OBC's campus toward the end of June!



House of Pearls

Volunteer Opportunity

Are you familiar with Facebook Marketplace? House of Pearls is looking for a volunteer who would come to the store, take pictures of bigger ticket items and post them on Facebook Marketplace for sale. If this sounds like something you could do, give them a call at Pearls Monroe 704-218-2168 and let them know you would like to be their Marketplace representative!

