

## discoverEFBC Today!

Sunday, March 11 | 9:30 & 11:00 AM | Room 107

You are invited to a brunch today.

discoverEFBC is for everyone: member, new to EFBC, or wanting to know what EFBC is about. We meet during both Connection Group/Worship hours, in Room 107. Follow the signs or ask at an Information Center. Register online or call the Church Office. Walk-ins welcome.



FBCedmond.org/discoverEFBC

## EFBC On Mission

Monday, March 12 | 10:00 – 12:00 PM | Room 113

Men and women of all ages are invited to join us for *EFBC On Mission*. We will be filling goody bags for the Chicago Mission Trip over Spring Break and filling Easter eggs for the Baptist Mission Center. Bring a bag of small bite sized candy. For more details, contact Marilyn Jones, 405-641-3334.



## EFBC Missions Opportunities

- **Oak Ridge Spring Break:** Monday, March 19 through Thursday, March 22, from 9:30 AM – 1:00 PM, at Oak Ridge Estates Ministry House #257. We still need volunteers!
- **Baptist Mission Center Project:** Meet at the church on Wednesday, March 21, from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM, at the Baptist Mission Center in Oklahoma City.
- **Easter Egg Hunt Volunteers:** Saturday, March 31, at Mitch Park in Edmond.
- **EFBC On Mission Service Days:** Friday, May 4 through Saturday, May 5, for all ages in multiple locations and times. More details and online sign up will be available soon.
- **Vacation Bible School Volunteers:** Monday, June 4 through Friday, June 8, at EFBC. Sign up online and receive a free volunteer t-shirt!

Interested in getting involved in Missions at EFBC? Opportunities are available for Connection Groups and individuals. Follow the missions web page for information, FBCedmond.org/missions.

## Bible Drill (4th – 6th Grade)

Sunday, March 11 | 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM | Room 236-238

*Bible Drill* gets kids actively involved in learning the Word of God. They learn how to search for Bible verses, the books of the Bible, and memorize Scripture through fun games and activities. This allows them to compete in a God honoring way through a local Church, Associational, State, and even a National Drill. Join us today in the Hangar on the second floor of the Children's Wing as we prepare.



FBCedmond.org/BibleDrill



*We are a Family of Faith, Passionately Connecting to Christ, His Church, His Word, and His Mission, for His Glory.*

## SMITTEN BY A WORD

John 18:1-11

Dr. Blake Gideon, Senior Pastor

## Sermons Live on Sundays Plus Podcasting!

Livestreaming at 9:30 AM at [www.FBCedmond.org](http://www.FBCedmond.org) or “like” @EdmondsFirst on Facebook. Podcasting at [FBCedmond.org/podcast](http://FBCedmond.org/podcast) or iTunes at “FBCedmond”.

## Online Guest Registration

Please scan this code and complete the guest registration.



## Celebration Worship Service

March 11, 2018

## Good Friday Worship Service

Friday, March 30 | 7:00 - 8:00 PM | Worship Center

Join EFBC for a Good Friday Worship Service featuring the Lord's Supper Observance. This will be a family service where you will be worshipping together with the entire family. Childcare will not be provided so EFBC teachers may be a part of this family worship service. A family room will be available in the Choir Room if you need to step out briefly with your children.

## Easter Worship Services

Sunday, April 1 | 9:30 AM and 11:00 AM

Celebrate the Risen Savior on *Easter Sunday*. Connection Groups will meet as normal at 8:15 AM, 9:30 AM, and 11:00 AM. We expect to have a full-house, so the parking lot will be full. Please help us ease the congestion and provide convenient parking for guests by using one of the alternate parking locations.

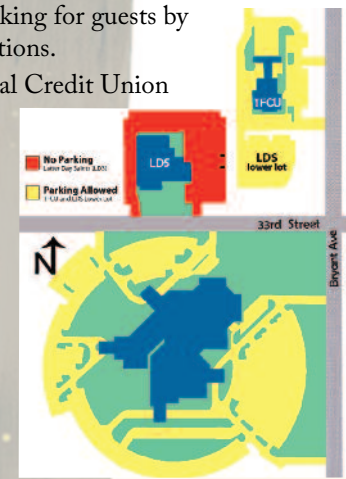
- **OPTION 1:** Park at Tinker Federal Credit Union

and walk across the street or ride the shuttles to and from EFBC.

*Please use caution when crossing 33rd Street.*

- **OPTION 2:** Park at Mardel, located at 33rd and Boulevard, and ride the shuttles to and from EFBC.

- **NOTE:** The shuttle service will run from 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM and 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM.



## Community Easter Egg Hunt Volunteers

Saturday, March 31 | Mitch Park

We need your help to make this year's event a success. You may volunteer for: setup, trash patrols, greeters, hunt site security, egg hidiers, face painters, and water boys/girls. Last year over 5,000 people attended this awesome event, requiring over 100 volunteers. If you or your Connection Group is willing to serve, sign up in your Connection Group today. For more information, contact Andrea Holland, 405-726-9759, [aholland@FBCedmond.org](mailto:aholland@FBCedmond.org).



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## Thank You Blood Drive Donors!

Thank you to the 17 donors who participated this week's Spring Blood Drive! This means we will touch over 48 patients in hospitals across our communities. Our next Blood Drive is scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 3.

## Adult Ministry Spring Fling

Friday, April 6 | 6:30 PM | Fellowship Hall

For the Adult Ministry (55-74), enjoy an Italian dinner with the big band sound of *Brian Gorrell & Jazz Company*. Formed in 1995, the group performs a wide variety of styles including traditional and mainstream jazz, and Latin styles. Tickets are \$12.00 and will be available in the Foyer TODAY.

[FBCedmond.org/SpringFling](http://FBCedmond.org/SpringFling)

## HappyTimer's Dinner and Entertainment

Thursday, March 29 | 6:30 – 8:00 PM | Fellowship Hall

For Senior Adults, meet in Fellowship Hall as our own Paige Perry shares a special music program. Bring your favorite vegetable, salad, or dessert and enjoy this wonderful time of fellowship and encouragement. For more information or questions, contact Jerry Miller, 405-473-6946.

## Pennies for a Purpose (1st – 12th Grade)

During the month of March, the Children, Pre-Teen, and Student Ministries are collecting pennies and coins for EFBC's Kids Kupboard. Collecting containers, which look like pigs, will be in the Student Life Center and the Kids' Church Room. "Feed the Pig, Feed a Family!"



## FATHERson Bowling (All Ages)

Monday, March 12 | 6:30 – 7:30 PM | AMF Boulevard Lanes

Join us for a casual evening of bowling and a devotional for boys. \$5.00 per family includes two games and shoe rental, including any friends you invite! Just show up and enjoy a guys' night!

[FBCedmond.org/FATHERson](http://FBCedmond.org/FATHERson)

## Pre-Teen Exile Night (5th – 6th Grade)

Friday, March 16, 6:00 PM – Saturday, March 17, 12:00 PM

An overnight event, online sign up and pay will be available through midnight, Thursday, March 15. Cost is \$27. At *Exile Night*, pre-teens will:

- walk in the shoes of Christian refugees.
- have teaching sessions where they will learn about the persecution that Middle Eastern Christians go through every day and ways we can pray for them.
- write letters of encouragement to the refugees.
- build shacks out of cardboard to sleep in.
- play Underground Church.



A Parent Meeting is scheduled TODAY, from 12:15-1:15 PM, meet on the second floor of the Children's Wing in Room 237-239.

[FBCedmond.org/exile](http://FBCedmond.org/exile)

## Student Ministry (7th – 12th Grade)

Chicago Mission Trip Parent Meeting:

TODAY from 12:15 - 1:00 PM. Final payment and forms are due at this meeting!



## Men's Ministry



# LIVE TRUTH

April 27-28 | Adults: \$70 Youth: \$50

**Men's Prayer Group:** Meet Tuesdays, 6:00 AM in Fellowship Hall with other men from EFBC. Guest speaker, *Jim Davidson*, will share a special message. Bring a friend and fellowship over coffee and donuts.

**Easter Shuttle Drivers:** We still need drivers for the *Easter Sunday* shuttles. Please pass this along to other men that may be able to help. We need 16 men (2 in each van for 2 shifts). We shuttle to and from Mardel and TFCU. So, please volunteer at a time that does not hinder your ability to serve as a teacher, director, greeter etc., unless you coordinate a replacement in advance.

[FBCedmond.org/men](http://FBCedmond.org/men)

## Women's Ministry

**"HOME" BGC0 Spring Retreat:** Gather your friends and join us on April 20-21! This is the perfect weekend to getaway and enjoy worshipping the Lord alongside 3,000 women at Falls Creek and a fantastic lineup of speakers, including Kay Arthur, Katharine Wolf, and Ruth Chou Simons! Adults: \$75 and girls: (13-18) \$50. Cost increases to \$85 on Saturday, March 24.



## New Bible Studies:

**God of Creation: A Study of Genesis 1-11:** Led by Sherry Liga, this study begins at 9:30 – 11:00 AM, in Room 115, on Tuesday, March 13. Book is \$15. Last date to join is March 20.

**Jesus: Understanding His Death and Resurrection:** Led by the efbCWOMEN's Ministry team, begins on at 6:00 – 7:00 PM, Wednesday, March 14, in Room 115, and this study focuses on Mark 14-16. Book is \$10. You may join this class at any time.

[FBCedmond.org/women](http://FBCedmond.org/women)

## EFBC Dinner Menu for MARCH 14

Enjoy food and fellowship each Wednesday evening at 4:45 PM in the Fellowship Hall for a catered meal. **Prices:** \$6 for adults, \$5 for children, with a \$25 max per family, and complimentary for first time guests. We accept cash or checks, no credit cards.

*Beef Lasagna, Italian Green Beans, Salad & Fruit Bar, Garlic Bread Sticks, Red Velvet Cupcakes with Cream Cheese Icing, Sweet Tea, Unsweet Tea, Lemonade, and Coffee.*

[FBCedmond.org/happenings](http://FBCedmond.org/happenings)

## SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 2018

8:15 AM **Connection Groups (Sunday School)**  
Orchestra Rehearsal

9:00 AM Prayer Time

9:30 AM **Connection Groups (Sunday School)**  
**Worship Service**  
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**Bridges:** Special Needs Connection Group  
WorshipCare (Birth - 3 Years)  
KIDS Church (PreK - Kindergarten)  
KIDS Church (1st - 4th Grade)

11:00 AM **Connection Groups (Sunday School)**  
**Worship Service**  
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12:15 PM Exile Night Parent Meeting  
Chicago Mission Trip Meeting

5:00 PM Bible Drill Practice

## MONDAY, MARCH 12, 2018

10:00 AM EFBC On Mission

6:30 PM FATHERson Bowling

## TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 2018

6:00 AM Men's Prayer Group  
Parents' Day Out  
Women's Bible Study: **God of Creation**

10:00 AM Women's Prayer Group

1:30 PM Moms in Prayer

4:15 PM Student Worship Arts

6:30 PM Women's Bible Study: **Redeemed**

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2018

4:45 PM EFBC Dinner

5:30 PM Students' Hang Out Time

6:00 PM TOPICS Bible Study Classes  
ENDURANCE (7th - 12th Grade)  
HYPE (5th - 6th Grade)  
KIDS G.L.O.W. (1st - 4th Grade)  
CLUB 252 (3 Years - Kindergarten)  
ChildCare (Birth - 2 Years)

7:00 PM Celebration Choir Rehearsal

## THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2018

9:30 AM Parents' Day Out  
Friendship International

10:00 AM Women's Bible Study: **31 Verses...**

12:00 PM Men in Prayer for Revival

1:30 PM Joy Singers

7:00 PM College Dinner

## FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 2018

6:00 PM Pre-Teen Exile Weekend

## SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 2018

**Church Wide**  
Worship Center  
Conference Room / 204

**Church Wide**  
**Worship Center**  
Room 107  
Children's Wing, 1st Floor, 118 & 133  
Children's Wing, 1st Floor  
Children's Wing, 1st Floor  
Children's Wing, 2nd Floor

**Church Wide**  
**Fellowship Hall / 106**  
Room 107  
Children's Wing / Room 237-239  
Student Life Center / Room 211  
Children's Wing / Room 236-238

Room 113  
AMF Boulevard Lanes

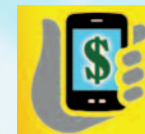
Fellowship Hall / 106C  
Children's Wing, 1st Floor  
Room 115  
Room 113  
Fellowship Hall / 106A  
Choir Room / 103  
Room 115

Fellowship Hall / 106  
Student Life Center / 211  
Church Wide  
Student Life Center / 211  
Children's Wing, 2nd Floor  
Children's Wing, 2nd Floor  
Children's Wing, 1st Floor  
Children's Wing, 1st Floor  
Choir Room / 103

Children's Wing, 1st Floor  
Henderson Hills Baptist Church  
Room 115  
Room 113  
Off-Site  
Off-Site

Children's Wing / Worship Center

opportunities of the week



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