



## Churchwide Updates: Welcome, Wendy, to our Ministerial Staff!

Pastor's Blog | Dr. Wayne Splawn | May 28, 2026

We have experienced growth in our Children's Ministry in recent years. You've no doubt witnessed this growth in the large groups of children who make their way to the front of the Sanctuary for children's sermons, the bustling activity in the halls during Wednesday night activities, and the many parent and child dedications we have had in recent months. This participation is one indication of the health of our church.

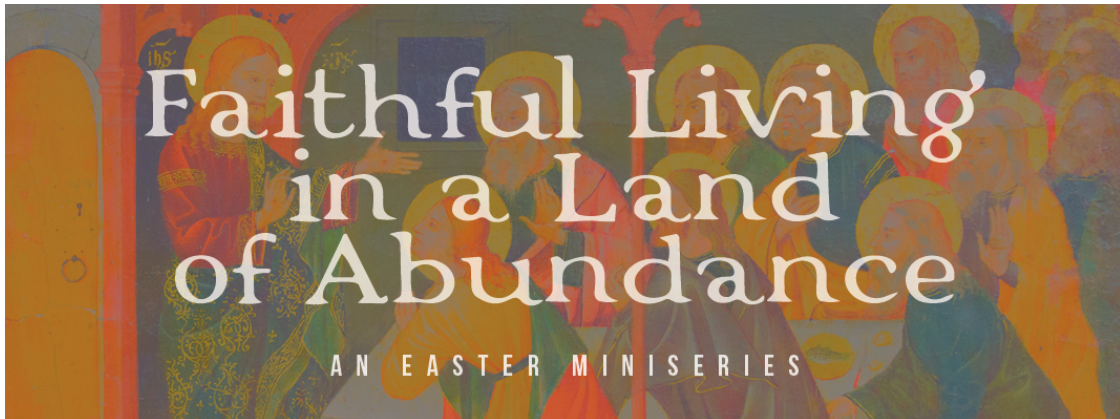
I want to ensure we have adequate ministerial staff support to offer our children and families excellent ministry programming during this pivotal season of life. That is why I am excited to announce that Wendy Calvert is joining our staff as our new Associate Children's Minister.

[Read the Blog](#)

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# THIS SUNDAY

June 7, 2026



**Traditional Worship - 9 a.m.**  
**Sunday School - 10 a.m.**  
**Contemporary Worship - 11 a.m.**

Dr. Wayne Splawn | "The Greatest Commandment" | Deuteronomy 6:1-9

*Theme:* The commandment to love God with all our heart, soul, and might is the greatest commandment in the law.

*We will have a dedication in the 9 a.m. service, and a baptism and dedication in the 11 a.m. service.*

*9 a.m. | Mark Thomas Davis II Dedication*

*11 a.m. | Isaac James Newell Baptism*

*11 a.m. | Matthew Ames Green Dedication*

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## Watch Worship Livestreams

[Website](#) | [Facebook Live](#) | [YouTube](#)

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## Listen Ahead for Contemporary Worship

Each week, our Contemporary Worship team shares a playlist with the songs we'll be singing on Sunday. Listen during the week and come ready to worship!

[Spotify](#) | [YouTube](#)

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# NEWS & EVENTS



**Wednesday night dinner, missions and music for kids, and growth groups for adults will resume on September 2, 2026.**

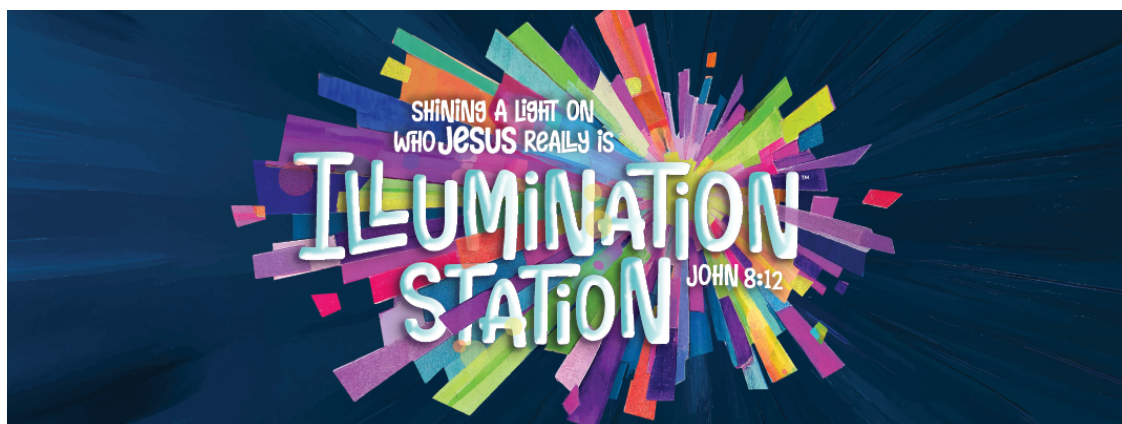
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**College/Yo-Pros Class**  
**Sundays | 10 a.m. | CLC/Gym Lobby**

College students, if you're home this summer, we'd love to have you join us for Sunday School! We meet in the CLC/Gym Lobby area at 10 a.m. each Sunday to spend time in fellowship, Bible study, and prayer. For more information, contact [Mark Rector](#).

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**MBBC's VBS 2026**

# June 8-12, 2026 | 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Join us for *Illumination Station VBS 2026*—June 8–12, the brightest week of the summer! Kids will discover how light shines, reflects, and reveals as they learn that Jesus is the light who brings hope to a dark world. Open to children who have completed 3K (age 4 by 9/1/26) through completed 5th grade—register below!

[Register for VBS 2026](#)

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## Calling All Writers – 2026 Advent Devotional Guide Respond by Monday, June 15

Even though it's June, we're already thinking about this year's Advent guide! If you're interested in participating by writing a devotion, reach out to [Amy Hirsch](#) by Monday, June 15. Passages will be assigned by the end of June and will be due back by August 10.

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## Minister On Call

June 5-7

Mark Rector - (205) 568-2743

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## Project 119 Bible Reading Plan

This summer, we'll be walking through selections from Genesis and Exodus and selections from the Psalms and Proverbs. On Sundays, we will take a break to read and reflect on Sunday's sermon text.

**Listen to the daily podcast:**

[Project 119 Website](#) | [Apple Podcasts](#) | [Spotify](#)

[Download the Project 119 Reading Plan](#)

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## Generosity Scorecard

6/2/26

2026 Ministries Budget: \$4,096,274

Weekly Receipts

\$54,185

Average Weekly Budget

\$78,775

Weekly Net

-\$24,590

YTD Receipts, includes prepaids

\$1,865,452

YTD Budget

\$1,733,039

YTD Net

\$132,413

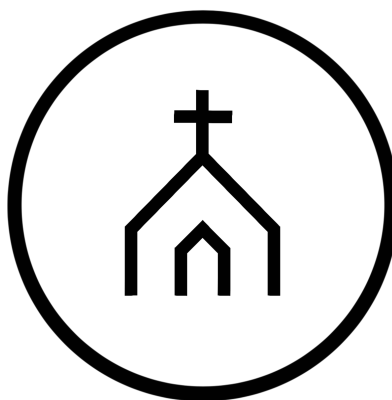
Remaining receipts required to achieve annual budget: \$2,230,822

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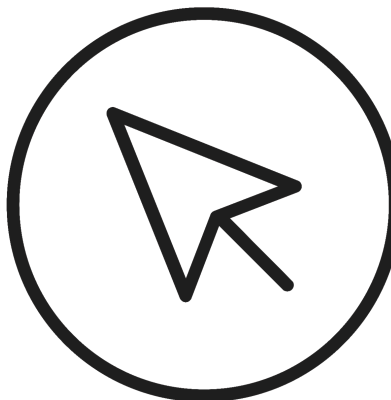
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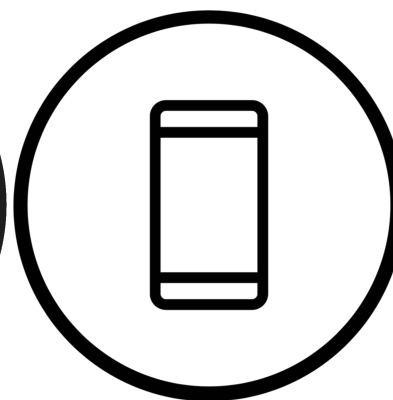
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