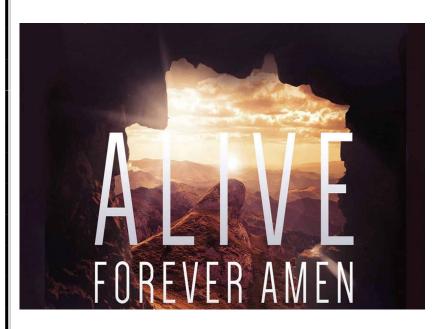


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ADULT CHOIR AND
PRAISE BAND
EASTER MUSICAL
APRIL 13, 2025
@ 6:00 PM
(No Deeper Groups or Children's Choirs)

EASTER SUNDAY SCHEDULE SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 2025

7:00 AM Sunrise Service at Calvary Baptist Church,
Pastor Robin will be preaching
(There will be no breakfast served)

9:15 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Morning Worship

(No Deeper Groups or Children's Choirs)

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

Sunday School - 9:15 Worship - 10:30



The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering March 23-April 27 Goal: \$40,000.00 Challenge Goal: \$45,000.00

Amount Given as of 3/23: \$20,170.00



We will be observing The Lord's Supper Sunday, April 13

The Pastor's Pen...

As Easter approaches this year on April 20, let's keep in mind a couple of special opportunities we'll have in this holy season to make much of the risen Christ in our worship and witness.

First, we'll observe our annual Easter Sunrise Service on Easter Sunday morning at 7:00 AM. Our brothers and sisters at Calvary Baptist will host this year. How blessed we are to join with our sister congregation in lifting up the resurrected Jesus through song and through the preached word. Come and join us for this meaningful time of worship.

Second, our regularly scheduled Easter service here at SABC at 10:30 will provide us a wonderful opportunity to reach out to our friends, neighbors, coworkers, family members and others who need Christ. As we did last year, we will hand out a special invitation card to all our SABC people a couple of weeks before Easter. My job and your job will be to personally deliver that invitation to someone. If someone decides to accept your invitation to them to join us for Easter, consider meeting them in the parking lot and then taking them out to lunch after the service. Our theme for that special service will be, "Easter Brings Hope." Start praying about who you will invite to join us on Easter Sunday. We did this last year and the house was filled with those coming to worship the risen Christ. We pray that will happen again. As you pray, please don't focus on those you know who regularly attend another Bible-believing, gospel preaching church. Instead, focus on those who don't have a regular church home or a regular opportunity to hear the gospel. Those are the ones we want to focus on as we extend these special invitations. On this high, holy day of Easter, what an opportunity for us to invite others so they might hopefully meet the risen Christ that day! So again, please be in prayer about who you will invite as we focus on the hope of Easter on April 20. I'm excited about celebrating Easter this year with my church family and many others.

I'm so thankful to be pastor to such a wonderful church family. I love you all.

Pastor Robin



Quarterly Conference
Wednesday, April 16 @ 6:30
We will consider a motion by the
Properties Committee to renovate the
Old Fellowship Hall. There will be no
service or activities.

GA-WMU Silent Cake Auction
Wednesday, April 23, 2025
During the dinner hour, 5:20-6:20. Bids
will be closed at 6:20 and top bidders
may make their donations and pick up
their cakes! All proceeds will go to the
Annie Armstrong Easter offering to
support North American missionaries.





To have a church family that loves you, prays for you & supports you is a true blessing. Thank you all for praying for Mr. Murray & us. Also, thank you for the cards, food & visits. We love you all! ~Charles, Kim & Donna

Dear SABC Church Family, I have enjoyed being with you for 68 years but I guess it's the Lord's will that I am no longer able to. Thank you for the cards, food and visits for my 96th birthday. I miss you all and I love you.

~Anise Rose

Prayer Concerns

Ed & Edith Baker ~ Carol Boone ~ David Blackmon ~ Pam Davis ~ Darryl Gschwind ~ Bury & Cathy Hendricks ~ Heath Henry ~ Nona Jones ~ Jimmy Lawson ~ Bill & Judy McDaniel ~ Johnson Moore ~ Rod Ramsey ~ Anise Rose ~ Carolyn Shearin ~ Joyce Valentine ~ Gerald Wells ~ Janet Wells ~ Taylor & Emily Whitley & baby girl Erin ~ Bennett & Ashley Williford & baby boy Finnley ~ Family of Ellen Bass ~ His Mansion Ministry ~ King's Way Ministry ~ Stone Gate Ministry ~ Boston Partnership ~ A Place of Grace Ministry ~ Hispanic Church

In order to keep our prayer list current, names will remain on the list for four weeks (unless otherwise requested).

MAY NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Any information that you wish to have published in the May newsletter should be emailed to lwebb@sabaptist.org by noon on Friday, April 18.

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

is available on the church website: sabaptist.org

February 23, 2025 – March 23, 2025

Attendance Totals

	Sunday School	<u>Worship</u>
23	214	251
2	220	235
9	185	233
16	204	219
23	209	258

Membership Additions in 2025

By Baptism	0
By Transfer or Statement of Faith	2

Weekly Budget Need for 2025: \$ 25,948.63

February 23, 2025 - March 23, 2025 Giving Totals

Offering Received			Designated		Tot	Total Received	
23	\$	28,234.10	\$	380.00	\$	28,614.10	
3	\$	27,531.00	\$	5,542.00	\$	33,073.00	
9	\$	18,555.04	\$	4,212.30	\$	22,767.34	
16	\$	13,867.15	\$	15,028.47	\$	28,895.62	
23	\$	32,448.50	\$	7,654.00	\$	40,102.50	

Year to Date Budget January 1, 2025 - March 23, 2025

Required	Received	Difference
\$ 311,383.56	\$ 254,896.58	\$ 56,486.98



SAVE THE DATE!
Vacation Bible School
June 8—June 12
5:30-8:00
4 years old-12th grade
Register online at sabaptist.org/vbs25