

Prayer?

Please list your prayer requests with detailed information of people in need. Thank you!

Name

Confidential for Pastors only



Rose Anderson
Women



Van Barnhill
High School



Danny Beech
Equipping



Leland Brown
Young Adults



Dave Bruner
Global Impact



Mike Doll
Orchestra



Craig Harris
Shepherding



Dean Henderson
Worship



Will Kramer
Middle School



Dustin Raley
Worship



Matt Reagan
Campus Outreach



Carl Schooling
Pastoral Care



Steve Tuck
Children & Family



JD Zubia
PCA Headmaster

Proposed Student Life Center

What will ECBC Members be voting on next Sunday, August 19?

ECBC members will vote on this proposed project via bulletin tear-off next Sunday. Here is a sample of the ballot initiatives:

- Approval to add to physical footprint of the campus
- Proceed with project with \$4mm cash and \$4mm in pledges
- Up to \$1mm in long term debt (PCA to cover debt)
- Short Term Financing of the pledges during the construction phase



Proposed Project:

Over the past couple of years, leadership has assessed the needs of our student ministries, especially the growth of Palmetto Christian Academy. They have determined the need to expand the church's campus to include a Student Life Center. The proposed building is essentially a large rectangle built using engineered pre-fab sections. The total cost of the project is **\$8 million** which includes a contingency to prevent budget overages.

Proposed Funding:

PCA has raised a total of **\$3.2 million in cash and pledges** with \$1.6 million cash onhand and \$1.6 million in pledges. The proposal for funding and to begin the project is to secure a total of \$4 million in cash and \$4 million in pledges.

Proposed timeline for construction from start to finish once project begins is 9-12 months.

For more info please attend one of our Q&A Sessions offered today at 10:15a and 12:15p in the church office main conference room or at 6:30p on August 15 in the Welcome Center.

eastcooperbaptist.com/giving/student-life-center

Sermon.

Speaker: Pastor Buster Brown

Today's Message: Grace Filled Speech (Salty Language)

Today's Text: Colossians 4:5-6

"Walk in wisdom toward outsiders, making the best use of the time. Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer each person." Colossians 4:5-6

"If with heart and soul you're doing good, do you think you can be stopped? Even if you suffer for it, you're still better off. Don't give the opposition a second thought. Through thick and thin, keep your hearts at attention, in adoration before Christ, your Master. Be ready to speak up and tell anyone who asks why you're living the way you are, and always with the utmost courtesy. Keep a clear conscience before God so that when people throw mud at you, none of it will stick. They'll end up realizing that they're the ones who need a bath. It's better to suffer for doing good, if that's what God wants, than to be punished for doing bad." 1 Peter 3:13-17 (The Message)

"The mouth of the righteous is a fountain of life." Proverbs 10:11a

"From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers, these things ought not to be so. Does a spring pour forth from the same opening both fresh and salt water? Can a fig tree, my brothers, bear olives, or a grapevine produce figs? Neither can a salt pond yield fresh water."

James 3:10-12

"A gentle tongue is a tree of life, but perverseness in it breaks the spirit." Proverbs 15:4

"Either make the tree good and its fruit good, or make the tree bad and its fruit bad, for the tree is known by its fruit. You brood of vipers! How can you speak good, when you are evil? For out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks." Matthew 12:33-34

1. The grace filled life flows from an ongoing _____ of the _____ and _____ found in Christ.

2. We speak from the _____ of our heart affections.

3. To "answer" well we must: (1) embrace biblically saturated, informed thinking, (2) listen to understand, (3) befriend, and (4) continuously pray.

"Gracious words are like a honeycomb, sweetness to the soul and health to the body." Proverbs 16:2

**all verses are ESV translation unless otherwise noted.*

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Welcome.

We're glad you are here to worship with us. If you are new to East Cooper Baptist, we would love to meet you. Please stop by the Welcome Center following the worship services to say hello and let us answer any questions you may have. Thanks for being our guest.

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Traditional Worship / Sunday Bible Classes
Sanctuary 9:00a & 10:45a

Contemporary Worship / Sunday Bible Classes
Worship Center 9:00a & 10:45a



Next Steps.

1. Attend a Guest Luncheon

Get to know us better at our next Guest Luncheon and see what God has in store for you. You'll meet our pastor and some of our staff and enjoy fellowship with a great meal. Our next free luncheon is **October 7 at 12:15p** in the Gym. For more information, please contact Carol at carolw@eastcooperbaptist.com.

2. Find an equip•u Class

Our equip•u classes are groups that meet before or after the worship services to study the Bible in depth. Visit the Welcome Center to pick up an equip•u guide or go online to choose from a variety of classes. Register for track classes at eastcooperbaptist.com/classes.

3. Join a Community Group

An authentic biblical community provides a place where we can grow, learn, and serve as we seek to know Jesus. We have a variety of over 30 open groups from students to adults. Please go online today to locate a group near you. eastcooperbaptist.com/groups

4. Become a Member

Register online for our upcoming New Members Class on Saturday, **August 18th**. This class is a basic introduction to our church family and is a requirement for joining the church. We designed this class to clearly explain what we believe at East Cooper Baptist.

5. Serve in equip•them

Equip•them is the serving arm for Sunday morning ministries. We have nearly 600 opportunities to serve. Some needs require 15 minutes before the service, others may require the whole equipping hour. eastcooperbaptist.com/serve

Childcare.



We have a safe and loving environment for your children where they can learn about God. Please take advantage of our nursery for children up to age three during the worship services. Our ushers are ready to assist you.



This Week.

For detailed information please go online.

SUN

AUG 12

Equip•u Classes
9:00a & 10:45a
Student Life Center Q&A
10:15a & 12:15p Main Conf. Rm.
College Community Group
6:00p Off Campus

MON

AUG 13

Reengage Marriage Program
6:30-8:30p D-Wing Choir Room

TUE

AUG 14

Women's Summer Bible Study
9:30-11:30a Worship Center
Worship Band Rehearsal
6:00p Worship Center

WED

AUG 15

Student Life Center Q&A
6:30p Welcome Center
Women's Ministry Book Club
6:30-8:30p Off-Campus

SAT

AUG 18

New Members Class
8:00a-1:00p D-Wing Choir Room

FEATURED MINISTRIES

THIS MONTH: GLOBAL IMPACT

Throughout the month of August we are featuring our Global Impact Ministry. Stop by the kiosk in the Welcome Center to get information about mission trips and to see how you can be involved with our global partners working around the world.

GLOBAL IMPACT

YOUR COFFEE DONATIONS HELP TO SUPPORT THESE MINISTRIES.



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Upcoming.

For detailed event information please go online.

TODAY You are invited to attend Q&A Sessions at 10:15a or 12:15p in the Main Conference Room to ask questions regarding the newly proposed Student Life Center project. There will also be an evening Q&A Session offered on August 15.



TODAY GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Contact Carl Schooling at carls@eastcooperbaptist.com for more information or go online.



TODAY We invite you to visit the all-new PCA website. This new website has so many features and will greatly benefit parents, students and faculty. Check it out today at: palmettochristianacademy.org.



TODAY Equip•them is the serving arm for Sunday morning ministries. We have nearly 600 opportunities to serve. Some needs require 15 minutes before the service, others may require the whole equipping hour. **REGISTER TODAY**



AUG 18 In this class you will learn more about what we believe as a church and how you can become a member of ECBC. Childcare is available so please register by August 17. Breakfast and lunch is provided. **REGISTER ONLINE**



AUG 19 ECBC Members will be voting on the proposed Student Life Center. This new facility will help our growing PCA and also greatly benefit all our student ministries. Please plan to attend and cast your vote via the bulletin tear-off.



AUG 26 If you are interested in being baptized, please register for an upcoming date. An ECBC pastor will then contact you to schedule an interview prior to your baptism date. **REGISTER TODAY**



AUG 26 We are excited to celebrate 30 years of ministry with Dean this year. Join us on August 26 at 6pm in our Sanctuary as we celebrate with Dean and Charla! Afterwards we will have a reception in the Welcome Center. **PLAN TO ATTEND**



NEW TO ECBC?

After the service, stop by the Welcome Center

Please complete the perforated section and place in the offering plate or bring by the Welcome Center.

08.12.18

Hello.

If you're here for the first time, please come by our Welcome Center and say hello. We'd love to answer any questions and say thanks for being our special guest today.

I/We attended worship at:

9:00am 10:45am

I am a first time guest

Name

Spouse

Birthdate

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Address

City

State

Zip

Mobile

Spouse Mobile

Email

Spouse Email

Preferred method of contact:

Call Text Email

Interested in the following:

- Become a Christian
- Join the Church
- Request a personal visit
- Subscribe to newsletter
- Join a Community Group
- Other