

BEHOLD THE KING

HIS TRIUMPHAL ENTRY



March 9,
2025



We're so glad you've joined us today!



Learn more about the opportunities below:

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We're Hiring! Have you ever thought about using your gifts and skills to further the Kingdom of God? Do you have a passion for discipling others through the context of the local church? We'd love to talk with you. Open positions include Nursery Director, Pastoral Counseling Associate, Director of Young Women's Ministry, and more! Visit our website to learn more and apply.

Interested in learning more about how to read your Bible, understanding what it says, why it's important, and what to do with it? Essentials is an interactive elective class for all ages about the "One Story" of the Bible that will give you tools for a lifetime of *pursuing life in Christ*. Units III and IV begin next Sunday, March 16, at 9:30 or 11:00am. Sign up online.

Ladies! Join us for GATHER! This annual women's event will take place on Saturday, March 22, from 10:00am-2:00pm. Through fellowship, worship, and teaching from Liz Rodriguez and Erika Eckert, we'll dig deep into what it means to remember God by tracing His faithfulness through Scripture and our lives. We hope you'll invite your friends and join us for a day of encouragement through community. Register online.

Secret Church is an annual event hosted by Radical. Join us on April 12 for this six-hour simulcast experience that includes intensive study of God's Word and passionate prayer for the persecuted church. This year, we will walk step-by-step through the Gospel of Matthew and discover how we can make our lives count for Jesus. The event will begin at 1:00pm, and registration includes a study guide, dinner, and snacks. Register online by April 8.

Sound of Hope Movie: On Sunday, March 30, the Adoption and Foster Ministry will be hosting a free viewing of *The Sound of Hope: The Story of Possum Trot*, at 3:00pm in the Lower Auditorium. This film is an inspiring true story about a church in Texas that ignited a movement to transform their community. Join us to learn more about the needs of vulnerable children and how the church can come together to help meet their needs. Popcorn will be provided. Find out more and sign up online.

As we begin sending our 2025 short-term ministry teams, be sure to pick up a postcard in the lobby as a reminder to pray for these teams, their participants, and those to whom they'll be serving.

Reminders

Global & Family Prayer: Wednesday, 6:30pm, Room 317. Come hear from the first North Carolina Hurricane Relief Team.

Celebrate new life in Christ! When we put our faith and trust in Jesus Christ as the only means of salvation, we are made new! Baptism is an opportunity to publicly share with your loved ones and our church body about the new life you've found in Christ. Want to take the next step of baptism? We have a place for you at our next baptism class today at 11:00am in the lobby conference room. Walk-ins are welcome.

Discover Calvary: For those exploring Calvary Church, or taking a first step in membership, join us next Sunday, March 16, at 9:30am in the East Room. Our staff will provide insight into who we are, where we're going, and how we all fit together. Sign up online.

Women Praying for the World: Join us Thursday, March 20, at 9:30am in Room 317 as we hear from Tabitha Nguyen and take time to pray over our Global Partners.

Scan the QR code to view our church calendar and find out what's happening this week.

Praying For One Another

LGH: Joanne Ferguson, Denise Miller, Kathryn Myer

Kathryn Wolgemuth went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, February 25. Please pray for her family during this time.





Financial Information

Week 35, March 2

	General	Global	Building	Combined
Weekly Budget	134,027	51,142	9,615	194,784
Received	332,215	96,666	8,215	431,589
Received YTD	5,652,516	1,367,755	236,374	7,251,138
Budget YTD	4,690,945	1,789,970	336,525	6,817,440

Financial summaries through February 28 are available at the Connection Centers.

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Behold the King: His Triumphal Entry

John 12:12-19 – (page 899)

Today, we continue in our new sermon series, Behold the King, walking through the most pivotal week of Jesus' life—from His triumphal entry to His death and resurrection. As Jesus entered Jerusalem, He publicly declared Himself as the true King—but not the kind of king people expected. The crowds praised Him, the religious leaders opposed Him, and the disciples struggled to understand but still followed. How will we choose to respond?

The Setting

March 29, AD 33

Jerusalem

His Kingship Declared (John 12:12-15)

Palm Branches and Hosanna! (Psalm 118)

Riding on a donkey (Zechariah 9)

His Kingship Demands a Response (John 12:16-19)

The crowds praise Him

The religious leaders oppose Him (Luke 19:39-40)

The disciples misunderstand Him but still follow

Reflection and Action: How are you responding today to King Jesus?