



## Easter Family Celebration, April 4

Church-Wide Breakfast will begin at 8:30. No Sunday School.

9:15 Easter Egg Hunt

10:00 Morning Worship

No Evening Activities

Invite someone to come to church with you Easter Sunday!



**Sunday, May 9th**

Baby Dedication participant forms are available at the nursery desk on Sunday mornings.

Completed participant forms, information and pictures need to be turned in by April 28th.

Please contact Shanasi Smith, Nursery Director, for more information. Email: [smith2641@att.net](mailto:smith2641@att.net)



## Nursery Needs for April

**Bed Babies**

April 4<sup>th</sup> Robert Autrey & **OPEN/VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**  
 April 11<sup>th</sup> Letitia Henson & **OPEN/VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**  
 April 18<sup>th</sup> Pam Ackerman & **OPEN/VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**  
 April 25<sup>th</sup> Ann McNeal & Andy Pond

## Livestream

Go to [cbcprattville.org](http://cbcprattville.org) & click on "Watch Live" or go to [youtube.com/camelliabaptistchurchprattville](https://www.youtube.com/camelliabaptistchurchprattville) to watch our Sunday Morning Worship Service and/or Wednesday Night Bible Study

## You Asked For It!

Join us on Wednesday nights at 6:30 for our series in which you get to pick the sermon topic!

You can submit questions at [www.cbcprattville.org/ask](http://www.cbcprattville.org/ask) or you can pick up a form on Wednesday nights and submit it to the office.



### Sunday Schedule

8:00am Praise Team  
 8:45am Sunday School  
 10:00am Morning Worship/Preschool & Children's Church, Nursery Provided  
 4:00pm Amazing Praises Children's Choir Practice  
 5:00-7:00pm AWANA  
 5:30pm Disciple Life—Meet in the Worship Center

### Wednesday Schedule

5:15pm Wednesday Fellowship Supper  
 6:30pm Bible Study/Prayer Meeting-CLC  
 RA's, GA's, CBSM  
 7:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

| Sun  | Mon                     | Tue | Wed   | Thu                     | Fri   | Sat  |
|--|-------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------|---|--|
| No evening activities on Easter Sunday   |                         |     |   | 1<br>6:00pm pickleball  | 2<br>Good Friday<br>WEM closed              | 3<br>5:00pm<br>CBCC meet at Mellow Mushroom  |
|  |                         |     | Spring Break-Autauga Co. Schools closed 3/31-4/2    |                         |   |  |
| 4 <b>Easter</b><br>8:30am Church-wide Breakfast<br>9:15 Easter Egg Hunt<br>10:00 Morning Worship | 5<br>6:00pm pickleball  | 6   | 7   | 8<br>6:00pm pickleball  | 9   | 10<br>2:00pm<br>Celebration of Life for Bob Bradley at Camellia, visitation in CLC following the service |
| 11<br>CBSM 2nd Quarter Lunch at Los Mayas Restaurant (next to Winn Dixie)                        | 12<br>6:00pm pickleball | 13  | 14  | 15<br>6:00pm pickleball | 16<br>6:30pm<br>Mingles SS Class Fellowship | 17   |
| 18<br>3:00pm-CLC VBS Leaders, Teachers, & Volunteers Mtg.  | 19<br>6:00pm pickleball | 20  | 21<br>6:30pm<br>Business Meeting                    | 22<br>6:00pm pickleball | 23  | 24   |
| 25<br>3:00-5:00pm VBS Preview<br>3:30pm Deacons Meeting  | 26<br>6:00pm pickleball | 27  | 28<br>11:30am<br>Brotherhood lunch at church – CSFH | 29<br>6:00pm pickleball | 30  | 1<br>  |



## SIGN UP NOW TO SERVE

during the month of May!

CONTACT HILARY TAYLOR (270) 213-0561

Camellia Baptist Church has the joy of serving our community by delivering Meals on Wheels in Prattville Monday through Friday (from 11:15am to approximately 12:30) during the month of May!

You may sign up for one day or multiple days. Instructions will be provided for volunteers!

### Prayer Room Ministry

If you would like to be a part of the Prayer Room Ministry, you may sign up on the sheet in the foyer of the church, or contact Robert 462-0546 or Chris 782-2206

***Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God. Philippians 4:6***



camellia baptist student ministry

### Camellia Baptist Student Ministry/College & Career studentpastor@cbcprattville.org

Student Small Groups on Sunday nights 6-7:00  
CBSM on Wednesday Nights at 6:30

**CBCB UPCOMING EVENTS**  
Saturday, April 3rd - CBCB Night Out  
Meet at Mellow Mushroom @5pm

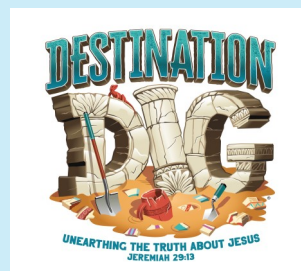
**CBSM UPCOMING EVENTS**  
Sunday, April 11th- 2nd Quarter Lunch at Los Mayas Restaurant (next to Winn Dixie)

Sunday, May 16th – 10:00am  
Senior Recognition Service

Call or text Blake for more information, 730-3968  
Blake Turner, Student Director  
College & Career Ministries Director

Camellia Kids

Janet Eikenberry  
jeikenberry@cbcprattville.org



**VBS Dates: June 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>**

**2021 Motto: Destination Dig!**

**Jeremiah 20:13 Seek Truth! Find Jesus!**  
**(Online Registration begins April 1st)**

**VBS Leaders, Teachers and Volunteers Meeting**  
**Sunday April 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm in CLC Rm#105**

**Teaching packets and leader guides are available.**  
**Great opportunity to review materials and training for all VBS workers!**

We have two months until VBS!

Please pray for VBS at Camellia as we prepare for this outreach opportunity to share the gospel of Jesus Christ in fun and exciting way. The VBS Signup sheet is at the CLC desk ...and yes, there is a place for you! Prayer Warriors, Snacks, Crafts, Decorations, Recreation, Registration, Music, Preparing and Serving Meals, Traffic Control, Greeters, Security and Volunteers in every area.

During the weeks prior to VBS, we will need "extra" hands on help with decorating, preparing craft materials and preparing snacks.

VBS supply list will be made available in the next few weeks. Please contact Mrs. Janet for more information: cell#462-8867.

**VBS Preview Night for**  
**Autauga Baptist Association & District Area**  
Alabama Disaster & Relief Center  
118 Jesse Samuel Hunt Blvd  
Prattville, AL 36066



**CentriKid Camp—June 28th-July 2nd**

**Camp Location:**

University of West Alabama - Livingston, AL

Cost \$360 per camper by May 15<sup>th</sup>

Your donations and contributions will help reach this goal!

Please pray for our 17 campers and 5 chaperones.

### **April 2021 AWANA Calendar**



**April 4th** No AWANA  
**April 11th** Birthday and AWANA Store Night  
**April 18th** Crazy Hair OR Crazy Hat Night  
(Extra Points for Both)  
**April 25th** Missions Night - Bring your Missions Offering!



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### Ministry Staff

#### **Pastor**

Rev. James Taylor 270-213-0536

#### **Interim Music Director**

Paul Eikenberry

#### **Director of Children's Ministry/**

#### **CLC Director**

Janet Eikenberry 365-0231

#### **Student Ministries Director**

Blake Turner 730-3968

#### **Director of W.E.M.**

Jessica Senn 365-5693

### Support Staff

#### **Church Secretary**

Charlotte McGuire

#### **Financial Secretary**

B. J. Lazenby

Address Label

### Memory Verse for April:

**For this is a gracious thing, when, mindful of God,  
one endures sorrows while suffering unjustly. 1 Peter 2:19**

## **A word from our Pastor**

Camellia Family,

On January 31st, we began an important season within the life of Camellia - CAMELLIA 2021: INVESTING IN A FRUITFUL FUTURE. On that day, I presented to you our plan to pay off our building debt by July so that we could then invest that money into the spread of the Gospel and the future of our church. On that day, our debt totaled \$189,645.93. As of March 30th, our debt now stands at \$31,633.64! We used \$100,000 from our savings, and you have given \$58,012.29 over these last two months! We are mere weeks away from being debt-free!

Throughout February, I continued to roll out the CAMELLIA 2021: INVESTING IN A FRUITFUL FUTURE plan. I challenged the church to be a part of the church, not just merely attending. We are a family, a building, a field, a body. We not only need to be present, but we need to be active and serving, being useful to the body so that the body can make itself grow so that we are building ourselves up in love. These sermons culminated on February 28th with the rollout of our "Every Member in Ministry" initiative. As of the deadline on March 28th, we have received forms from 74 members! While that is still not quite "every" member in ministry, I praise the Lord for your response, as that is quite a large percentage of our members in ministry! I trust that the Lord will be active in your life and the life of Camellia as together we serve one another and reach Prattville and the rest of the world with the Gospel!

If you have not yet turned in your form, even though the deadline has passed, we will still gladly receive your form! We have extras in our worship center and also online on our website.

Lastly, the next phase we are entering in the process is hiring a full-time Associate Pastor/Music. This person will have more responsibilities than music, though music will be his main focus. The hiring of this staff position is incredibly important. Please pray for our personnel committee and for the man that the Lord would have come and serve us in this capacity. We will be releasing more information in the coming weeks.

Throughout all of this, our goal is health. We can do all of these things that I have asked of you, but if we are not dependent on the Lord, then all of this will be for naught. May we ever pray, and may we continue to seek for the Holy Spirit to take the Holy Word and transform us daily into the likeness of Christ.

Camellia, thank you for giving. Thank you for serving. Thank you for praying. Thank you for your encouragement. Thank you for being faithful.

May God bless you! Bro. James