



### Tech Class Schedule:

April 7th and 14th

**Venue:** Fellowship Hall  
**Time:** 12:30 PM—1:30 PM



Snacks will be provided by the Honduras Team to go along with the coffee in the Foyer on the following Sunday mornings:

**April 7 and April 14.**

Please consider making a donation to the Mission Projects to be done in Honduras, as you enjoy the coffee and snacks.

**Sale Date: Saturday April 27, 2024**  
**Time: 8 AM—1 PM (Rain or Shine)**

**Selling Hotdogs & Washing Cars**  
Bring donated items to the building from April 21st - 26th.

Please contact: **The McGees, Greg Grooms or Fred Gore** with questions.



### "The Case for Faith from Science"



Are we here by Blind Chance or Intelligent Design?



**Sunday Class 9:30 AM**  
**April 14, 21, 28 & May 5**

**April 12th, Friday 6:00 PM Fellowship Hall**



Please bring your favorite game and drink OR dessert/snack to share. Pizza are provided.

Sign-up in the foyer. Let **Rhea or Monty** know if you have any questions.

**Honduras Mission Team**

COLLECTING IBUPROFEN, Motrin or Advil FOR HONDURAS MISSION. This can be for adults or children, but pills are preferred due to weight. The date should be past 9/24. Please place them in the Blue Container in the foyer.



- **Floyd Grindstaff** will be having a new peacemaker wire to put in on **April 29th**. Please pray for him and Jeanie as he will be under anesthesia.
- **A Co-worker of Glenn Elliot** is asking a prayer for a friend of his, **Anthony Justice** who had a motorcycle accident last Friday. They had to have part of his skull removed the bike laid down with him. He is currently in Mission Hospital. Please pray for **Anthony**.
- Sunshine shares that Howard's recent labs and energy is showing in a low level. Please pray that his labs may improved and energy level to increase. Howard and Sunshine both need our continued prayers of support and encouragement during this lengthy healing process. Please note Howard's new mailing address below:

**Hospitality House of Charlotte**  
**ATTN: Howard Babbitt**  
**1400 Scott Ave.**  
**Charlotte, NC 28203**

Please send updates to [prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com](mailto:prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com) or fill out a form on [HvlCoC Connect](http://HvlCoC Connect) (link & QR code inside).

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

**April 7, 2024**

NO MATTER WHO YOU ARE  
WHERE YOU HAVE BEEN  
OR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE  
WELCOME TO TODAY'S  
**PRAISE & WORSHIP**  
A S S E M B L Y

### Welcome to our time of worship!

*Attended Nursery for ages 0-3years available down the hallway.*

*Attendants: Ashley Brown & Chari Price*

### Order of Service

**Song Leader ▪ Matt Carpenter**

*Blessed Assurance - 480*

### Welcome

*The Great Physician - 291*

*Listen to Our Hearts - 810*

**Opening Prayer ▪ Jim Scott Sr.**

*How Deep the Father's Love*

*Peace, Perfect Peace - 479*

**Lord's Supper ▪ Morgan Chapman**

**Lord's Supper Attendants:**

**Logan Grooms**

**Bob Huff**

**Mark Audia**

**Mark Leatherwood**

*It Is Well with My Soul - 490*

**Sermon ▪ Ethan Brown**

*In Need*

**Closing Prayer/Announcement ▪**

**Bill McKelvey**

*Thank you for throwing away trash in cans in the lobby and recycling papers in table basket.*

**Weekly Bible Classes**  
**In-Person for All Ages**

**9:30 AM Sundays**  
**6:30 PM Wednesdays**

**Today**

**April 7, 2024**  
**Tech Class**  
**12:30 PM**  
**Fellowship Hall**

**Tomorrow**

**Forward for Freedom**  
**Monday**  
**6:00 PM - 8:30 PM**  
**Fellowship Hall**

**This Week**

**April 12, 2024 - Friday**  
**Youth & Family Game Night**  
**6:00 PM**  
**Fellowship Hall**

**Mark Your Calendar**

**April 14, 2024 - Sunday**  
**The Case for Faith from Science**  
**9:30 AM**  
**Auditorium**

**April 21, 2024 - Sunday**  
**Graduation Fellowship**  
**Potluck Celebration**  
**After Sunday Worship**  
**Fellowship Hall**

**April 22, 2024 - Monday**  
**Prayer Ministry Team Meeting**  
**1:00 PM—3:00 PM**  
**Conference Room**

**Join HvlCoC Connect!**

coenc.churchtrac.com or  
use the QR code for full  
calendar & more!



**Science and Faith in Today's Culture**

As a culture, we have moved from the time that faith in God, and God's moral laws were pretty much accepted (even by those who did not go to church), to the time nowadays where the idea of God is questioned by many, and the moral values taught in the Bible are considered old-fashioned and out of date.

Those older among us may not be personally affected by this change, but many aged 40 years and under have been greatly affected. Since the 1960s our culture has been flooded with a steady diet of humanism, materialism and skepticism in the media, TV, magazines, and many of our schools. Make no mistake, it has had an impact. Much of the negative influence has been pushed from science. The Time Magazine cover on April 8, 1966, posed "Is God Dead?" and secularism began a steady rise in America.

A common position of the scientific community over the last 50 years has been, since we cannot measure, weigh, or physically describe God, that concept does not belong in a study of science. Therefore, considering "God" as an explanation for our existence would be "unscientific". The idea of God should be relegated to the disciplines of philosophy and religion but excluded from science. The result has been the narrative that life came by chance, and as Darwin proposed in 1859, all lifeforms subsequently evolved from simple microscopic organisms.

The fallout from this worldview has been devastating. If life is by pure 'chance', and we all evolved from amoeba or some similar protozoan, then we are all "off the hook" morally speaking. One is free to do what he or she wants. If there is no God to hold us accountable, there is no guilt. That worldview may seem initially liberating to many. However, as millions have learned, and are currently learning, this approach to life brings damage, scarring, physical and mental illness, unhappiness, broken families and broken lives as the result of the "self-first" lifestyle. The truth is, we were not made to pursue self and pleasure as our purpose. The truth is, God is real, and His way for living is by far the best for us, but our nation is losing sight of that truth.

Many have been led to believe science has eliminated the need for God, science has answered all the big questions about our origins, and the Bible is outdated. That idea is a lie. Beginning next week, April 14, we plan to have a 4-week study of science and faith. We will affirm that belief in a Designer Creator is logical, and consistent with science. The evidence for Intelligent Design (Rom 1:18-20) is overwhelming. Join us at 9:30 to look at the topics of "The Origin of Matter", "Design in the Earth", "Evolution--Fact and Fiction", and "Apes, Cavemen, & Us". Bring a friend.

*Gary Stephenson*



**Pray and Care for Our Shut-Ins:**

Linda Dill                      Pete Hunter  
Reba Haynes                  Pat Jarvis  
Carolyn Holland              Eva Watkins  
Sam Ruth

Prayer Updates are listed on the back. Long-term prayer lists are on the Prayer Board in the lobby.

**How to send prayer requests and praise reports**

- ◆ Use the "Prayer Request" and "Praise Report" forms on HvlCoC Connect at hvlcocnc.churchtrac.com.
- ◆ Fill out a paper card and put on the board, give to an elder, or give to a member of the Prayer Ministry Team.
- ◆ Email the Prayer Ministry Team at prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com.

**Coupons for Troops** sends product coupons to military families. Please put coupons in the box in the lobby or give to the Farleys'.

**Domestic**

Palmetto Bible Camp (SC)  
Southeastern Children's Home (SC)



**Foreign**

Eastern European Missions—EEM  
Nekemte (Ethiopia)  
Samrit Kammanee (Thailand)  
Steve & Dianna Teel (Baxter Institute, Honduras)

**Recent Sunday Attendance**

Date	9:30AM Bible Class	10:30AM Service
03/31	—	135
03/24	59	100

**Contribution Numbers**

Mar Contribution	\$ 25,994	Place contributions in the basket, mail to the church office, or give online through HvlCoC Connect.
Mar Budget	\$ 32,149	
Contribution YTD	\$ 64,517	
Budget YTD	\$ 83,587	

**CHURCH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR**

Vith Gass  
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**Our Mission Statement**

*As forgiven people who have been rescued by Jesus Christ, our calling is to:*

- \* *Proclaim the good news of the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus*
- \* *Praise and honor our Father by seeking to live as Jesus did and taught*
- \* *Teach and equip one another for works of loving service*
- \* *Reach out and share the love and saving grace of Jesus with all people*

**ELDERS**

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Evan McGee: 336-260-5216  
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**MINISTER**

Dr. Ethan Brown: 806-789-3606

**DEACONS**

Blain Bice: *Communication and Technology*  
Jeremy Cochran: *Education*  
Josh Propst: *Missions*  
Jim Scott & Rod Price: *Facilities, Bus, and Trailer*

**MINISTRY LEADERS**

Bill Fitzpatrick: *Benevolence & Fellowship Supplies Ministry*  
Karen Fitzpatrick: *Stephen & Care Ministry*  
Jackie Gass: *Forward for Freedom Ministry*  
Evan & Karen McGee: *Prayer Ministry*  
Nancy McKelvey: *Children's Worship & Ladies Ministry*  
Gary Stephenson: *Hospitality Ministry*  
David Yelton: *Disaster Relief Ministry*