

# EPHESUS BAPTIST CHURCH

## JULY 26, 2026

**PIANO PRELUDE**  
(Judy Smith)

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**VIDEO**

**HYMN OF PRAISE #3: WORTHY OF WORSHIP**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

**RECOGNITION OF GRADUATE: BRENNA CORREGAN**

**SCRIPTURE READING: JOSHUA 1:1-9**

**MESSAGE: TRANSITION OF LEADERSHIP**  
(Pastor Craig Bowman)

**LORD'S SUPPER**

**HYMN OF INVITATION #291: BENEATH THE CROSS  
OF JESUS (V.1&3)**

**CLOSING HYMN #178: HE IS LORD  
(CHORUS ONLY)**

## Welcome to Ephesus!

If you're here for the first time, please fill out a 'Let's Get Acquainted' card available in the foyer and drop in an offering box or hand it to Pastor Craig as you leave. Thank you!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### GRADUATE RECOGNITION

**Brenna Riann Corregan**, daughter of Bruce & Martha Corregan, granddaughter of Derward & Myrtas Baker  
Graduated from East Carolina University with a Bachelor of Science in Public Health  
Plans to pursue a Doctor of Pharmacy degree at Campbell University beginning in August

### A Heartfelt Thank You

As we prepare to welcome the pastor God has called to serve Ephesus, we also pause to express our heartfelt appreciation to Pastor Craig for his faithful ministry during this season of transition.

Over the past several months, he has faithfully proclaimed God's Word, cared for our church family, and provided wise, steady leadership. Through his servant's heart and genuine love for our congregation, God has used him to prepare our hearts for this exciting new chapter in the life of our church.

We are grateful for his willingness to answer God's call to serve EBC during this important season. Please join us in thanking him for his faithful service and praying for God's continued guidance and abundant blessings on him and Terri as they continue to follow wherever the Lord leads.

***Pastor Joseph Thigpen's first day will be NEXT Sunday, August 2.***

**Contact us at...**

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