

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER - CROSS CHURCH OF NORMAN

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SPRING BRINGS NEW LIFE

As the days grow longer and the flowers begin to bloom, spring reminds us of something so special: new life! Everywhere we look, we see signs of fresh beginnings. Trees are budding, the grass is turning green, gardens are growing, new baby cows are entering this big new world on my farm, and the world feels alive again.

Isn't it amazing that this is exactly what Jesus does for us?

In John 10:10, Jesus says, "I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full." Just like spring brings new life to the earth, Jesus brings new life to our hearts.

This season is also a wonderful time to reflect on Easter, when we celebrate the greatest gift of all. Through Jesus' love, sacrifice, and resurrection, we are given a fresh start. No matter our past, He makes all things new.

As we teach our children this month, we're focusing on helping them understand that:

- Jesus loves them deeply
- He gives them new life
- They can grow in Him every day

Just like a tiny seed grows into something beautiful, our faith grows when we spend time with Jesus through prayer, reading the Bible, and loving others.

Take a moment this week to step outside with your child. Look for signs of new life: flowers, leaves, a tiny sprout, or even a new baby calf. Use it as a reminder that Jesus is growing something new in us, too.

Thank you for allowing me to help plant seeds of faith in your children. What a blessing it is to watch them grow!

With love,

Andrea Chastain

Associate Children's Minister

LAST WEEK @ CROSS CHURCH:

WEEKLY NEEDS: \$9,986.55

OFFERING: \$6,643.70

DIFFERENCE: -\$3,342.85

BUILDING FUND: \$268,645.20

ATTENDANCE:

SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH
266

TUESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP
55

YOUTH NIGHT
30

COMING UP:

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

APRIL 3RD, 6:30-7:45 PM

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 5TH @ 7:30, 9:15, AND 11:00 AM

WOMEN'S RETREAT

APRIL 18TH, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

MARRIAGE RETREAT

MAY 15TH & 16TH

