

### Pastor's Corner – "Jesus is Alive!"

"And if Christ is not risen, then our preaching is empty and your faith is also empty." 1 Corinthians 15:14 (NKJV)

According to the Bible's teaching on salvation, humanity is divided into two groups: those who believe in Jesus' resurrection and those who do not. Why is Jesus being crucified, resurrected, and ascended to heaven the central point of our salvation?

The statement, "Jesus is Alive," upon which Christians base their creed of salvation, is more than a statement of a historical fact that happened 2,000 years ago. The resurrection of Jesus is a testament to the power of resurrection, hope, and divine love.

"Jesus is Alive" demonstrates divine power over death, evil, and the forces of darkness. It has inspired Christians in the first centuries and throughout history who have suffered persecution while they remained faithful to God. The resurrection of Jesus will continue to be the power that keeps believers steadfast in their faith in Jesus the Savior.

"Jesus is Alive" is not just the promise on which Christians of the past based their hopes, or those of the future will link their hopes. Today, we need daily awareness of the undeniable truth of "One Living Savior" who brings us peace, joy, hope, and salvation through His presence.

"Jesus is Alive" is more than a theological truth. It is a living promise of hope, transformation, and the continuous presence of God's love.

~Pastor Mihail Baciu

### Teacher's Corner

**BEING A CHRISTIAN DOESN'T  
CHANGE WHAT YOU DEAL  
WITH. IT CHANGES HOW  
YOU DEAL WITH IT.**

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*We welcome all of our visitors today. We are a Christian community that would love to have you join our family. Please join us for Bible study, worship and prayer.*

# Sabbath Worship

April 19 2025

9:30 - 10:30

Sabbath School

Rollin Hixson

10:45

Welcome & Announcements

Jeffrey Skaggs

Song Service

Gina Teague

Call to Worship

Acts 1:8

J.C. Fisher

Hymn of Praise

O, for that Flame of  
Living Fire

264

Offering Call

Church Budget

Larry Sharp

Children's Offering

Supporting His School

Boys & Girls

Children's Story

Rollin Hixson

Morning Prayer

Jeffrey Skaggs

Scripture

Philippians 2:2-5

Marty Blair

Message

Ebrace God's Power

J.C. Fisher

Closing Hymn

Hover O'er Me Holy Spirit

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Benediction

J.C. Fisher

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Assisted listening devices are available outside the sound room.

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| Budget For a April | \$7,000 |
| Received for April | \$1,153 |

Online giving available: [www.ellijaysdachurch.org](http://www.ellijaysdachurch.org)

## Calendar

21-Apr 5:30 PM Pathfinder Meeting

22-Apr 3:30 PM Bible Study at Ben Holt's

23-Apr 6:00 PM Prayer Meeting

Live stream from our website, YouTube or Zoom (ID 950 7892 5271, Passcode 069095)

### Birthdays

4/27 Brooke Padgett

5/2 Charlie Bentjen

5/3 Don Schneider

5/4 Deborah Skaggs

5/7 Kynlie Smith

### Prayer Request

**Current Requests:** Roger Bradley, Judy Hicks, Vacation Bible School, Kerri Bentjen, Pentecost 2025

**Continue to Pray for:** Mark Williford, Mary Smith, daughter of Deborah Skaggs, Daniel Rice, Vanessa Easley Cass, Caleb Padgett, Sharon Lombardo, Pastor and Viorica Baci, our parents, children, grandchildren, church, school, & teachers. For prayer requests call 706 -635-4479.

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Presiding Elder

Jeffrey Skaggs

Elder in Charge Next Sabbath

Justin Tobias Jr.

Charge Deacon

Gerry Anderson

Deacon in Charge Next Sabbath

Chris Hanson

PA

Rodney & Celia Ramey

Greeter

Betty Thompson

Prayer Meeting Host

Justin Tobias

Deaconess for April

Celia Ramey

Sunset this Friday 8:12

Sunset next Friday 8:18