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Night to

ShineTM

TIM TEBOW FOUNDATION

NIGHT TO SHINE 2026! ✨

What an unforgettable evening at Night to Shine! Hosted here in partnership with the Tim Tebow Foundation, this worldwide prom experience celebrates individuals with disabilities, ages 14 and older, as Kings and Queens for the night.

This year, we had the honor of welcoming 460 guests, supported by 700 incredible volunteers who served with joy, energy, and love. In addition, 200 parents and caregivers were able to enjoy a special evening of rest, connection, and community while their loved ones celebrated downstairs.

The Butler County Board of Developmental Disabilities shared how proud their staff were to see so many individuals they serve dressed to impress, smiling big, and lighting up the dance floor. One staff member reflected that each year is about witnessing the joy of those they serve — seeing their personalities shine and experiencing the incredible love that fills the room.

Thank you to every volunteer, donor, and supporter who helped make this night so special. Also, we'd like to recognize Jill and Dave Buffenbarger for all the work they pour into this event and making it happen! We are already looking forward to next year!



BEARS MINISTRY: GROWING. BEYOND OUR WALLS

One of the sweetest things about ministry is watching it multiply.

A former participant in our Bears Ministry recently felt led to begin a new chapter of this ministry in Indiana after starting a full-time job that no longer allowed her to attend the regular gatherings. With encouragement and patterns provided by Roman Malloy, she stepped out in faith — even though she didn't know how to sew.

Their first meeting was held in May 2025, and that night they completed two bears. At their most recent gathering, they finished 32 bears in one evening — and they have completed 117 bears in total.

Each person plays a special role — from sewing and cutting patterns to stuffing and adding the finishing touches — and many generous supporters have donated fabric, stuffing, and financial gifts to help further the mission.

The bears created by this Indiana group will be donated to Rising Sun Methodist Church and Margaret Mary Health — extending comfort and care to those who need it most.

It is a joy to see how God continues to use something as simple as a handmade bear to share His love — not just here at Christ's Church, but beyond our community.

Please join us in praying for this growing ministry and the lives that will be touched through each bear given.



CCSTUDENTS: GALENTINES / NERF WAR NIGHT!

The 5th through 12th grade group packed the house for a Galentines and Nerf War event. An amazing 42 gals were in the basement and 40 pals upstairs engaging in a nerf war. Friends were invited, laughs were shared and bullets were launched, and memories were made as students connected, built friendships, and experienced community in a big way.



EASTER WEEK

As we approach Holy Week, we not only want to invite you to join us for Easter events, but also to prayerfully consider who your “One More” might be this season. Easter is one of the times we welcome the most visitors into our building, and you can help make a meaningful difference.

We would love your support at The Great Hunt on Saturday, April 4. You can serve as a friendly face to a new family or someone who may not yet know Jesus, help stuff eggs, assist with setup, or lend a hand with cleanup. This year we’ll be filling 15,000 eggs and are collecting small, individually wrapped candies that fit inside plastic eggs. Donations can be placed in the bin near the front desk beginning Monday, the 2nd.

Most of all, be intentional about inviting and praying for those who may feel lost or disconnected — those who may not even know what they’re searching for but are longing for the hope only Jesus can provide.

Click here if you’d like to serve at The Great Hunt, and click the image below for everything happening this Easter season.



FEBRUARY BAPTISMS

Congratulations to those who chose new life after saying “yes” to baptism. Please join us in praying for their journey ahead and that they would continue to grow in faith, walk closely with Jesus, and boldly live out the hope and purpose He has placed within them.

February 1: Whitney Richardson and Taylor McDaniel
February 8: David Yacono and Isabella Murai Higashi (10)



MARCH SERMON SERIES: AT THE TABLE

In March, we're beginning a new teaching series called At the Table as we move toward Easter.

This series focuses on the final night before the cross, when Jesus gathered with His disciples in the Upper Room. Around that table, He reshaped their understanding of leadership, love, connection, and mission. He washed feet. He spoke about staying connected to Him. He promised the Spirit. He prayed for unity. What He shared that night wasn't random. It was preparation.

Each week we'll walk through one of those core moments and look at what it means for us today. As we head into Easter, this is a chance for us to slow down, refocus, and allow Jesus to form us as a church, serving, loving, staying rooted, and living on mission together.

- March 1** – This is Greatness
- March 8** – Love Like This
- March 15** – This Is Covenant
- March 22** – Stay Connected
- March 29** – Power for What's Next

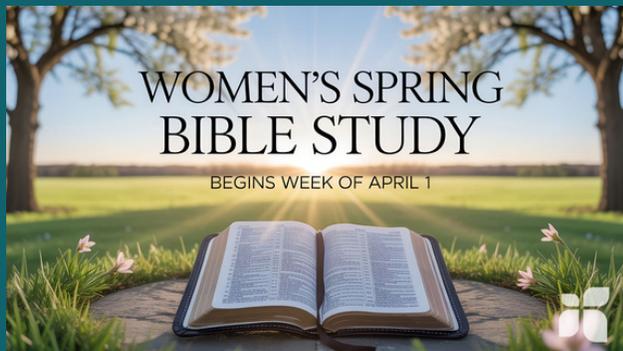


ATTENDANCE & GIVING

FEB 1	533	\$59,625
FEB 8	556	\$55,461
FEB 15	545	\$45,267
FEB 22	514	\$37,588

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