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### MINISTRY IN 2023

Throughout the years Enterprise Baptist Church has ministered to our local community and abroad in a variety of ways. There are no shortage of ministry opportunities in our world today, but we are aware that we do not have the means to help with every need. We have however, found several ministry opportunities over the years that God has blessed us to be able to help with. One of the greatest ministries we are involved in is preparing shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Another is collecting sleeping bags to be handed out to the homeless in New Orleans. We also desire to minister to our local community with our apartment ministry through which we hold weekly services at a local apartment complex and through our benevolence team. You may not know it, but the benevolence team is often made aware of needs in our community: clothing, food, medications, and a variety of other needs. As a church we are often able to help meet those needs. May we pray that God will continue to help us in these areas and put other ministry opportunities in our path if that is His will.

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# ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH

## NEWSLETTER

January 2023

### BIBLE STUDY

Sundays @ 9:45 a.m.

#### Class A

THE GOSPEL OF JOHN 1-11

#### Class B

GENESIS

### WORSHIP

Sundays @ 11:00 a.m.

### SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER

Wednesdays @ 6:00 p.m.

Psalms

#### WE ARE LOCATED @

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#### FIND US ONLINE @

[www.enterprisebaptist.church](http://www.enterprisebaptist.church)

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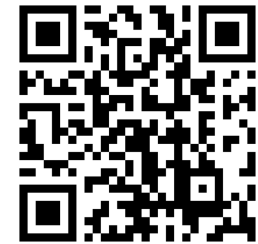
### SINGSPIRATION

January 29 @ 5pm

Our first Singspiration of the new year will take place on January 29. We will eat at 5pm and sing at 6pm.

### CHECK US OUT ONLINE

For more info about our active ministries, access to past sermons, recipes, and other resources check out [www.enterprisebaptist.church](http://www.enterprisebaptist.church). Or scan the QR below with the camera on your smartphone or tablet.





# The Chefs Corner

By: Michelle Van Norman

## Hershey's "Perfectly Chocolate" Chocolate Cake

Prep: 25 min. Difficulty: Easy  
Cook: 30-35 min. Serves: 12 people

### Ingredients

- 2 Cups of Sugar
- 1 ¼ Cups of All Purpose Flour
- ¼ Cup of HERSHEY'S Cocoa
- 1 ½ tsp of Baking Powder
- 1 ½ tsp of Baking Soda
- 1 tsp of Salt
- 2 Eggs
- 1 Cup of Milk
- ½ Cup of Vegetable Oil
- 2 tsp Vanilla Extract
- 1 Cup of Boiling Water

### Preparation

1. Heat oven to 350°F. Grease and flour two 9-inch round baking pans.
2. Stir together sugar, flour, cocoa, baking powder, baking soda and salt in large bowl. Add eggs, milk, oil and vanilla; beat with mixer on medium speed for 2 minutes. Stir in boiling water (batter will be thin). Pour batter into prepared pans.
3. Bake 30 to 35 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool 10 minutes; remove from pans to wire racks. Cool completely. Frost with "PERFECTLY CHOCOLATE" CHOCOLATE FROSTING.

### "PERFECTLY CHOCOLATE" FROSTING:

- ½ Cup (1 stick) Butter or Margarine
- ⅔ Cup HERSHEY'S Cocoa
- 3 Cups Powdered Sugar
- ⅓ Cup Milk
- 1 tsp Vanilla Extract

1. Melt butter. Stir in cocoa. Alternately add powdered sugar and milk, beating to spreading consistency.
2. Add small amount additional milk, if needed. Stir in vanilla. Makes about 2 cups frosting.

(Recipe created by Hershey's, perfected by chef Michelle)

# WORD

**"Come, let us discuss this," says the Lord.**

**"Though your sins are like scarlet, they will be as white as snow; though they are as red as crimson, they will be like wool."**

**Isaiah 1:18 HCSB**

My wife recently moved her business into an old house in our town. The house was built in the 1930's and is in good condition. There is a small sunroom on one side of the house and behind that sunroom is an old wooden deck. While the house is in good shape, the deck has seen better days. The wood had darkened over time and the build up of dirt and grime had left the surface of the wood slick, especially after a rain. I had considered tearing the whole thing down because as the scripture says, "there is a time to tear down and a time to build" (Ecclesiastes 3:3). After consideration however, I decided to attempt to salvage it. I wheeled the old pressure washer up to the steps, pulled the cord, and off to work I went. As the high pressure water began to hit the wood it was as if the wood was being renewed before my very eyes. About an hour my work was done! By the next day the wood had dried and as I approached the house I could see the seemingly new deck shining in the sun. Even though that deck had been there for many years, you would be hard pressed to tell that I hadn't constructed it the day before if you didn't know any better. Perhaps this is a good illustration for our relationship with God. Our sin may appear to make us filthy and deserving of destruction, but God doesn't want to destroy us, He wants to renew us by washing us as white as snow. Maybe the dirt and grime of sin in your life has left you in a slippery and unsafe condition. If so I have good news for you! By the grace of God, He can wash you and make you a new creation. God however, does not use a pressure washer, but instead uses the precious blood of Jesus to wash us. I hope you have been washed in that blood today.

Want to learn about about Jesus?  
Read **2 Corinthians 5:16-21**

## MOST RECENT Prayer & Request

Tim Jackson	Lane Toler
Ernest Whittington	Carl Dixon
Kathy Freeman	Charles Dixon
Children at St. Jude	Daryl Bacon
Free Burma Rangers	Kam'ryn Campbell
Jim Campbell	Tina Harris Family
Roderick Roberts	John Van Norman
Gail Smith	Shannon Jones



## Birthdays and Anniversaries

Peggy Toler	1/1
Jerry Wroten	1/2
Jan Toler	1/5
James and Alyson Toler	1/10
Sandara Ravencraft	1/15
Aaron "Bull" Toler	1/30



## BIBLE WORD SEARCH

**12 books of the Bible are hidden in the paragraph below. See if you can find them all!**

This word search will not be easy, but it may be educational because I have tried to include interesting facts. For example, how many words end with the letters ez? There aren't many, but Fez ranks the highest, it is a city in North Central Morocco by the way. Something else you may not know is that people who prefer pristine audio quality are called audiophiles. If they were to start an audio club, Mondays would be the best day to meet. They could simply call it audiophile Mondays and if any of them had good singing voices they could form a band to record an album (which would sound amazing no doubt). If they sang gospel music they could call themselves the "Halleluja Messengers". Or if they decided sing older songs they could call themselves the "Retro Mans Chorus" instead. Let me quickly educate you further before your mind starts to go numb. Erstwhile means in the past. It is a weird word I know, but look it up, it's real and if I could change the past I would invest in chia pets. Whoever decided to make an animal a chia pet was a genius. Another interesting thing I once saw were trucks with tires over 12 ft tall! Tires that tall would be able to make a rut high enough you couldn't see out of it. Probably the craziest thing I will teach you today is that Diphosgene is a chemical compound with the formula ClCO2CCI3, and if there was a group of women studying such a compound we could call them the Diphosgene sisters. Thats enough odd info for one day though. Let me close with these words of advice. Get a flu shot because getting the flu keeps you from feeling good and lastly eat a banana, humble yourself, double check your banjo elevation, and look both ways before crossing the road.