## **WELCOME TO COATS BAPTIST**

We are a gospel-centered community serving together on mission to make disciples of all nations.

APRIL 14, 2024

#### If you're a guest today, we'd love to connect with you!

Complete a connection card in the seat back in front of you or scan the QR code below to complete a digital connection card.

#### **SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

Worship Service at 9am + 6pm

Sunday School Groups at 10:30am

Get connected! Visit coatsbaptist.com/groups.

#### MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE



Simon the Magician: False Conversion

Acts 8:9-25

From the series, The Book of Acts



Awesome Is The Lord Most High, I Speak Jesus, Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus, O Come To The Altar



If you'd like to pray or receive counsel following the service, we invite you to meet with a pastor in front of the cross.

#### **EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE**



What Do You Want Me To Do For You?

Luke 18:41

From the series, Potential: 5 Striking Questions from Jesus Testimony: Haley King



Rock Of Ages, My Heart Is Filled, Do It Again







# **ANNIE ARMSTRONG**EASTER OFFERING 2024

#### What is the AAEO?

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering (AAEO) is the primary way Southern Baptists fund missions in North America. One hundred percent of gifts given to AAEO go to the field to support more than 2,400 missionary families serving across the United States and Canada.

Gifts to the AAEO are used to train and resource missionaries in church planting and compassion ministries. Gifts are also used to create evangelism resources. New churches are being planted, hurts are being healed and lives are being transformed by the gospel because you give.

### Our church goal is \$25,000.

**Current Receipts: \$2,975.00** 

#### How do I give?

Give on or before April 28. You can give in person or online at coatsbaptist.com/give.

## church life

#### NC Baptist Consultation Report INFO COMING SOON

Deacon leadership plans to disclose report to congregation in the coming weeks.

Stay tuned for details.

# **Sunday Evening Series TONIGHT AT 6PM**

Jesus is asking the questions. Our answer makes all the difference.

Join us tonight at 6:00pm as we begin a new five week series — "Potential: Five Striking Questions From Jesus."

#### **Tonights Question**

"What Do You Want Me To Do For You?" (Luke 18:41)

# **Members' Meeting APRIL 28**

Mark your calendars for a members' meeting Sunday, April 28 following the evening service.

#### A Day at the Pond

**MAY 11 AT 8AM** 

Join us for a time of fellowship, youth mentoring, and enjoying God's creation. Meet at the church for a brief time of fellowship and a devotional period. Starts at 8AM and goes until you are tired of fishing!

Contact Bradley Cole (910-818-2036) with interest, questions, or willingness to allow a couple of families to fish your pond.

Register you group online at coatsbaptist.com/events/fish.

### upcoming special services + events

SUNDAY, MAY 12 (9am)	Mother's Day Outdoor Worship Service Childcare will be provided through age four.
SUNDAY, MAY 19 (9am)	Parent-Child Dedication Our children will also lead worship!
SUNDAY, MAY 19 (6pm)	Let Praises Ring! Night of Worship Led by the Joyful Ringers
SUNDAY, JUNE 9 (9am)	Graduate Commissioning Register at coatsbaptist.com/graduation.
MON - SAT, JULY 22-27	Youth Week at Fort Caswell Contact Pastor Jimmy for more information.



## fellowship dinner

### **Wednesday Evenings at CBC**

Weekly dinners are provided at \$8/meal in the fellowship hall beginning at 5:30pm. Please register by Tuesday at 10am at coatsbaptist.com/dinner or contact the church office.

This week's meal: Chicken Alfredo, Salad, & Dessert

groups

There are groups <u>for all ages</u> meeting from 6:30-7:30pm. Find all available groups at coatsbaptist.com/groups.

NEW

6 Week Study - Continues this week at 6:30pm Maranatha: Study of Events Around the Return of Jesus Christ. Week 2: Caught Up In the Clouds: What About the Rapture?

worship choir

Join the worship choir! Rehearsal has been moved to <u>Tuesday evening from 7:30-8:30pm.</u>

**Deacons Serving You This Week: Danny Stevens & Randy Pope** The complete list of deacons is available on the prayer lists (on the resource wall).

The Book of Acts

#### SIMON THE MAGICIAN: **FALSE CONVERSION**

Acts 8:9-25

- The passage introducing Simon the magician begins with the word "but"—what contrast or complication is being set up with the previous passage?
- The word "amazed" (Gk. existēmi) is used multiple times in this passage (v. 9, 11, 13). What does it mean in each of these contexts? Who is amazed and by what?
- What is the evidence that Simon's was not a true conversion? What did he believe about the Holy Spirit?

For the full discussion guide, visit coatsbaptist.com/groups.