



2024 Winter Gathering & Ordination Ceremony

Friday, January 26

Grace Community Church

16165 W. Mountain View Blvd.

Surprise, AZ 85374

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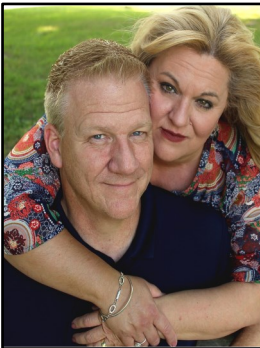
Ministry

Mark 6:31

Speaker & Worship Leaders



Chaplain (Maj) Nathan Tarr has been married to Devon for 22 years and together they enjoy raising five children. The Tarrs moved to Phoenix, Arizona, in the summer of 2022, where Nathan enjoys serving three complementary ministry callings. With a Ph.D. in Biblical Spirituality from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Dr. Tarr serves as Professor of Pastoral Theology and Director of the Doctor of Ministry Program at Phoenix Seminary. He also serves as Pastor of Spiritual Formation at Christ Church Gilbert. In addition, Chaplain Tarr serves as the Acting Wing Chaplain at the 161st Air Refueling Wing, located at Barry Goldwater Air National Guard Base. Before moving to Phoenix, Nathan planted and pastored Christ Church Knoxville in Knoxville, Tennessee, for thirteen years and served as pastor of Discipleship and Missions at a Baptist church in Raleigh, North Carolina, for four years. In 2017 Chaplain Tarr was ordained by the ECA and commissioned into the Air National Guard.



Revs. Randy and Marli Brown have been married for 35 years and served in music ministry for just as long. They graduated from William Tyndale College and are both ordained with the Evangelical Church Alliance. Randy and Marli Ministries, their love-offering based concert and speaking ministry, takes them all over the nation ministering to churches in all evangelical denominations. Randy, an accomplished pianist and songwriter, grew up in Cleveland, Ohio, and holds a BA in Piano Performance and Music Composition. He also serves on the ECA Board of Directors. Marli grew up in Brighton, Michigan, and has a BA in Psychology. She is the author of "Ridin' Shotgun" which recounts their family's journey of living on the road in an RV for eight years. Marli is also a sought after women's speaker. Randy and Marli have recorded 15 CD's, including worship choruses, hymn arrangements, and original songs. They make their home in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Their mission is to see the lost saved and the saved made stronger. For more information, visit their website at www.randyandmarli.com.

Order of Service

Welcome

Dr. Robert Turrill

ECA President & CEO

Worship

Revs. Randy & Marli Brown

Ordination Message

Chaplain Nathan Tarr

Ordination Ceremony

Benediction



The Evangelical Church Alliance wishes to thank Grace Community Church and Pastor Cliff Mansley for graciously hosting this blessed occasion.

2024 ECA International Conference



Greenville Marriott

**Liberty Bridge at Falls
Park on the Reedy River
in Downtown Greenville**



ECA's 2024 International Conference will be held July 16-18 at the Greenville Marriott, Greenville, South Carolina. Nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, Greenville offers visitors a unique blend of traditional Southern charm and contemporary cool you won't find anywhere else. Its award-winning, walkable downtown is packed with cultural and culinary attractions. The nationally recognized, tree-lined Main Street buzzes with people, locally owned boutiques, and 200+ inventive restaurants. The bustling art scene is alive through theater productions, street musicians, galleries, and public art displays. Additionally, there is a picturesque 32-acre park situated in the heart of downtown, complete with a 40-foot waterfall and a one-of-a-kind floating pedestrian bridge. Bike or hike in the nearby mountains or through one of three state parks. For more information [VisitGreenville.com](https://www.visitgreenville.com). Mark your calendars now and join fellow ECA members for a rich time of spiritual nourishment and fellowship. Feel free to invite friends, church members and associates. All are welcome. Upcoming details will be available on the events page of our website.



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