



Neal Thornton

CORAM DEO BAPTIST CHURCH

About the Family

Ashley and I first met at the University of Tennessee. After I spent time in the Marine Corps, we married in 2007. With a short stop in Kentucky, we've gladly called North Carolina home since 2017.

For most of our marriage I have served as a lead pastor, and Ashley as a housewife and homeschool teacher. We love to travel, spend time at the beach, play golf and pull for our Tennessee Vols. We have three children: Emma (14), Matthew (12) and John (9), and a golden retriever named Beau.

About My Church Plant

Located just south of Raleigh, N.C., the town of Angier is one of the fastest-growing small towns in the state. New neighborhoods, parks and commercial properties populate the landscape. With fast access to the nationally recognized Research Triangle Park (RTP), Angier is attractive to both young professionals and settling families.

Over the past few years, the Lord began to stir our hearts for the increasing lostness in our fast growing community. People are coming to us from every corner of the country. Many of them are looking for a fresh start, a moral compass, or simply personal advancement. Every new house is a new gospel opportunity. We seek then to plant a healthy church among this fast-growing population that will be a hub for missional engagement, both near and far.

Find out how you can
Pray.
Participate.
Provide.

PRAY.

Pray for spiritual leaders to be raised up among our young church.
Pray for families to flourish as they do life together in gospel community.
Pray for favor with local business owners and school administrators.
Pray for boldness to share the gospel with new people in our area.
Pray for stamina and longevity for ministry amidst attacks from the enemy.

PARTICIPATE

Give us opportunities to encourage your church in the work of church planting.
Contact us with the work the Lord is doing in your area and through your ministry.
Visit us to learn more about our context and how you can serve alongside us.
Send us interns and ministry workers that we can train and send out.

PROVIDE

Learn the ministry strategy and context, so you can provide relevant resources.
Support a missionary financially.