

Meet Our Pulpit Suppliers



We're continuing our piece each month on one of our CBA Pulpit Suppliers so you can get to know them better. This month we're focusing on Charles "Chuck" Courtnay.

Brother Chuck Courtnay, a recent transplant to Decatur, is originally from Michigan, but has lived the previous 40 years in South Carolina. He and his wife Jane moved to South Carolina so he could attend Columbia Bible College (now Columbia International University). He stayed one and a half years before their first child was born and never quite got back to Bible college—although he had already done 2 years at Grand Rapids School of Bible and Music (Michigan) and one year at Glen Cove Bible College (Maine).

Professionally, Chuck worked retail for nearly 20 years, selling everything from cameras to cars. Later he became a phlebotomist for ten years working in two hospitals. He medically retired in 2003. Chuck and Jane have four children and one grandchild.

They enjoy taking road trips and since their kids live in four different states, there are lots of excuses for travel. Chuck also likes, music, photography, reading, John Wayne movies, and sports—especially the University of Michigan.

Chuck is a deacon and Sunday School teacher at Emmanuel. Previously he had been a choir director, VBS director, and youth leader. He has occasionally filled the pulpit and is licensed to preach. He usually does Bible Study or exegetical style preaching.

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