## **Bella Vista Community Church**

## Community Profile

Bella Vista is a city in Benton County, Arkansas. First established in 1917 as a summer resort destination, Bella Vista has evolved and redesigned itself over the succeeding years. Bella Vista became a retirement community in 1965 and became an incorporated city in 2007. After incorporation, the city government took over the police department, fire department, streets, trash removal and other city functions, while the Property Owners Association (<a href="https://bellavistapoa.com">https://bellavistapoa.com</a>) continues to control the many amenities available to homeowners and their guests. Amenities include numerous parks, clubhouses with workout areas, swimming pools, five 18-hole golf courses, two nine-hole golf courses, seven lakes with fishing and boat docks (three ski lakes), a marina, swimming beach, putt putt golf course, tennis and pickleball courts, dog park, softball field, and extensive hiking and biking trails.

The city of Bella Vista is in the scenic foothills of the Ozark Mountains, with forests, valleys, creeks and steep rises characterizing the city's topography. The city has been experiencing a population and building boom in recent years. While maintaining a small town feeling of community, and rural setting, Bella Vista has world class medical facilities, dining, shopping, sports and entertainment within an easy drive to next door Bentonville and Rogers.