

Emmanuel Baptist Church

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Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School, 9:30 AM
Morning Worship, 10:45 AM
Children's Church

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM
Adult Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 PM

**No Forerunner
will be published
next week.**

*Harold Ashcraft
Music Minister*

*Denise Griffin
Children/Youth Director*

*Claire Pennington
Church Administrator*

*"The nearness of
God is my good."
Psalm 73:28*

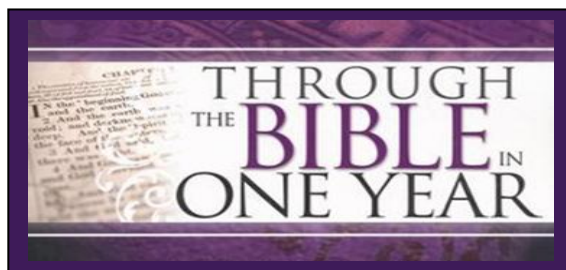


May 21, 2026

FORERUNNER

Reading the Bible Through

May 21 – 1 Kings 22; Luke 22:1-23
May 22 – 2 Kings 1-3; Luke 22:24-53
May 23 – 2 Kings 4-5; Luke 22:54-71
May 24 – 2 Kings 6-7; Luke 23:1-12
May 25 – 2 Kings 8-9; Luke 23:13-32
May 26 – 2 Kings 10-11; Luke 23:33-56
May 27 – 2 Kings 12-13; Luke 24:1-12
May 28 – 2 Kings 14-15; Luke 24:13-53
May 29 – 2 Kings 16-17; John 1:1-18
May 30 – 2 Kings 18-20; John 1:19-51
May 31 – 2 Kings 21-23; John 2
June 1 – 2 Kings 24-25; John 3:1-21
June 2 – 1 Chronicles 1-2; John 3:22-36
June 3 – 1 Chronicles 3-4; John 4:1-42
June 4 – 1 Chronicles 5-6; John 4:43-54





You Can Pray!

Prayer is the cornerstone of any ministry, especially one focused on shaping the spiritual lives of children. Before VBS even begins, our prayers create a spiritual foundation that supports every interaction. We are not merely organizing a program; we must humble ourselves to lean entirely on His power, not our own capabilities.

"Father, we thank You for the dedicated volunteers who are giving their time and

talents to VBS. Bless them abundantly, Lord. Fill them with Your Spirit, strengthen their resolve, and protect them from weariness. Grant them patience, joy, and a deep sense of purpose as they serve. May their lives be a testament to Your love and grace, inspiring the children who attend.

Lord, we lift up the precious children who will attend our VBS. Open their hearts and minds to receive Your Word with eagerness and joy. Soften any hardened ground, remove any obstacles, and plant seeds of faith, hope, and love deep within their spirits. May they feel Your unconditional love, and leave with a renewed sense of purpose and belonging in Your kingdom." Amen

Upcoming Events!

Sunday, May 24 – Memorial Day Observance in Morning Worship Service. No evening service.

Monday, May 25 – Church Office Closed

Tuesday, May 26 – Grief Share, 6pm, FLC

Tuesday, May 26 – Men's Bible Study, 6pm, FH

Sunday, May 31 – VBS begins at 6:00pm. No evening service.

Tuesday, June 2 – Luncheon, Noon

No Wednesday Night Activities

Friday, June 5 – Grief Share Dinner, 6:00PM