Emmanuel Baptist Church

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Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School, 9:30 AM Morning Worship, 10:45 AM Children's Church Thanksgiving Dinner, 5:30 PM

Tuesday

Primetime Choir 10:30 AM

Wednesday No Activities

THURSDAY

Office Closed
No Forerunner Printed
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

FRIDAY

Office Closed

Budget Statistical Report

Budget Receipts \$10,126.51 Needed Weekly \$11,754.85 Received to Date \$527,235.11 Needed to Date \$540,723.10 Lottie Moon \$605.00



Forerunner

November 18, 2021

"Pride goes before destruction and a haughty spirit before a fall."

Proverbs 16:18

The story is told of two ducks and a frog who lived together happily in a farm pond. The best of friends, they played together in the water all year long.

During the hot summer months, however, the pond would dry up. This was no big deal to the ducks, because they could fly off easily to a new pond, leaving the poor frog behind.

One summer, however, the frog came up with an excellent idea. He asked the ducks to hold a stick between their bills so that he could hang onto it with his mouth when they flew off to another pond.

His plan worked out well – so well, in fact, that as they were flying along a farmer looked up in admiration and said, "Well, isn't that a clever idea! I wonder who thought of it?"

The frog, being proud of his bright idea, couldn't resist the temptation. "I did" he said, and with those words he fell to the ground.

As we prepare our hearts for this Thanksgiving season, let us never forget to praise God for all His blessings. We were created for His glory, and we must never think that we can achieve or accomplish anything on our own.

To God be the glory,

Bro. Chad

THANKSGIVING
DINNER IS BACK
IN 2021, AND I'M
SO LOOKING
FORWARD TO
BEING TOGETHER
AGAIN!

MANY THANKS TO
THE "TRIPLE J"
LAWN SERVICE
FOR PROVIDING
THE TURKEY FOR
US AGAIN THIS
YEAR. THEY DO A
GREAT JOB OF
KEEPING UP WITH
OUR GROUNDS,
AND WE ARE
VERY THANKFUL
FOR THEIR
SERVICES.

BRING YOUR
FAMILY AND
FRIENDS AND A
COVERED DISH TO
SHARE. WE LOOK
FORWARD TO
SEEING YOU
THEN!

MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS

In Memory of William Wood

By George and Laverne Smith Fund: Sanctuary Choir

By Thomas and Betty Shaw Fund: Budget

In Memory of Clair Pittman

By DeWayne and Grace Kelly Fund: Mexico
By Thomas and Betty Shaw Fund: Budget

In Memory of Michelle Procell Minor

By Denise Palmer Fund: TWB
By Thomas and Betty Shaw Fund: Budget

In Memory of Robert and Rodney Hall and Cora Mae Gardner

By Rose Turner Fund: TWB

In Memory of Windom Wilson

By Billie Martin Fund: Youth Ministries

In Memory of Arthur and Robert Hall

By George & Laverne Smith Fund: Benevolence

In Memory of Their Mothers

By Jimmy and Leesa Sitter Fund: TWB

In Memory of Bill Magness

By Bo and Judy Worley Fund: Budget

SYMPATHY

Our church family extends our deepest sympathy to Robert and Laurie Morris in the passing of his mother, Cheri Gwyn Benson. May the Lord bring comfort to them throughout this holiday season.

APPRECIATION

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for all the prayers, cards, texts and love during this time. We are grateful for such a loving, caring and supportive church family. Thank you again.

Paul and Renee Pittman

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCHWIDE THANKSGIVING DINNER - Sunday,

November 21st, 5:30 PM, FLC.
Our church will provide the meat and our members are encouraged to bring covered dishes to share with one and all!



"But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." 1 Corinthians 15:57

PRIME TIME CHOIR MEMBERS – Don't forget rehearsal this Tuesday, November 23rd. This will be your last practice before we sing Sunday Night, December 5th.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be no Wednesday activities November 24th and the church office will be closed November 25th and 26th for Thanksgiving. There will also be no Forerunner published next week. We will resume all regular activities on Sunday, November 28th.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – Make a difference in the life of a child! Pick up a shoe box in the hallway across from the church library. There is also a brochure on how to pack a shoebox, or you can go to: samaritanspurse.org/occ Be sure to include a

\$9 donation inside your packed box to cover shipping, or you can make your \$9 donation at: follow your box. The deadline for our church collection is Sunday, November 21st. We will take them to our local collection center after that date.

BRANSON AT BETHANY – Tuesday, November 30, 2021. If you have signed up, please pick up your tickets and pay in the church office. If you still need tickets, you may call the NW Louisiana Baptist Associational Office for information (318-686-5736). We will need several to take their vehicles besides those needing to ride the church van. Make sure you have signed up to ride the van (leaves at 8:30AM) if you need to, so we will have an accurate count.





Sunday, December 5th 6:30pm presented by the Sanctuary and Prime Time Choirs of Emmanuel Baptist Church

THROUGH THE BIBLE IN A YEAR

Friday, November 19
Ezekiel 31-32, James 1
Saturday, November 13
Ezekiel 33-34, James 2
Sunday, November 14
Ezekiel 35-37, James 3
Monday, November 15
Ezekiel 38-39, James 4
Tuesday, November 16
Ezekiel 40-41, James 5
Wednesday, November 17
Ezekiel 42-43, 1 Peter 1
Thursday, November 18
Ezekiel 44-46, 1 Peter 2