



EMMANUEL LIFE



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EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, LA A PLACE TO BE, A PLACE TO BECOME

Week of January 9 - 15

Wednesday, January 9

- 5:00 Supper - 5:00 - 5:45; Weems Hall
- 5:15 Nursery (ages Birth - 2 years) -
- 5:30 Early Room (3 years - K) - Preschool Wing; parents must escort child
- 5:30 Early Room (Grades 1 - 6) - FLC; FLC worker escorts children
- 5:45 Prayer Meeting - Weems Hall
- 5:45 Mission Friends and Preschool Choir - Preschool Wing
- 5:45 Music Makers & Young Musicians
- 5:45 Youth Recreation - FLC
- 6:30 **Deacon Nominating Committee Meeting** - Parlor
- 6:30 Mission Friends escorted to FLC by nursery workers
- 6:30 GAs & RAs - 2nd Floor
- 6:30 Youth Element - 3rd Floor
- 7:00 Sanctuary Choir
- 7:30 FLC Closed (except to children whose parents are in choir rehearsal or meetings)

Friday, January 11

- 9:30 **Main Street Mission** - 9:30 - Noon; 312 Main St., Pineville

Sunday, January 13

- 9:00 Breakfast - Weems Hall
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:50 Worship
- Noon Youth Committee Meeting Weems Hall; Lunch will be available for \$5 per person.
- 4:30 Youth Choir - 3rd Floor
- 5:15 Youth Life & Snack Supper 3rd Floor



Gather at EBC
Friday, Jan. 18 @ 5:15



Concerns and Celebrations

HealthSouth: Murel Trimble
Cabrini: Ruth O'Quinn (No visitors)

Pray for:
 Max Campbell
 Donna Howell
 Sylvia Neely
 Chuck Tosten
 Rhoda Barbee
 Martha Catha
 Bob Howell
 Stella Couvillon
 Janet St. Romain
 Al Wilson
 Jim Heath
 Mike Murphy
 Beth Slawson
 Charles Clover
 Randy Knoll
 Frank Chandler, Jr.
 Vade Gordon
 Clarence Golemon
 Paquita Miller
 Patty Crout
 Brandon Howell (Brenda and Bob Howell's son)
 Darlene Tubbs (Brandon Tubbs' mother)
 Andrea Beazley-Macejak (Gail Smith's niece)
 Ray Mazie (Charleen Courtney's brother-in-law)
 Brenda Bolen Johnson (Jay Bolen's sister)

Robert Luneau (Mary Manziano's cousin)
 Rosalee Ewing (Stan Lott's sister)
 Gwenda Hickman (Jimmy Hickman's mother)
 Tebow Wells (Shirley Wells' son)
 Ty Girlinghouse (James Girlinghouse's brother)
 Donna Grider (Emily Grider's daughter-in-law)
 Wayne Moorehead (Stu Riggard's friend)
 Cathi White (Lucy Azlin's sister)
 Anna McKee (Howard McKee's mother)
 Cynthia Sanders (friend of Dick & Pat Sandlin)
 Remy Williamson (Pat Hoyt's grandson)
 Donald Welch (Bryan Phillips' brother-in-law)
 Jennifer Whittington (Sandy Whittington's daughter-in-law)
 Cass Bordelon (Patsy Byles' brother)
 Dottie Roach (Brenda Howell's mother)
 Ginny Bethard
Missions:
 Marc Boswell & Lake Providence CBF Missions
 James & Helen Davis (Korea)
 Emmanuel Gospel Choir, Rueil-Malmaison (France)

MISSIONS

H2O Homeless Outreach

Fourth Thursday of each month
Next H2O: January 24
9:00 - 11:00
EBC Parking Lot

H2O Needs: Peanut Butter

(Jars between 16 oz. to 28 oz. are best)



Drop Off
Weems Hall and Sanctuary
Mission Baskets

Main Street Mission

Second and Fourth Fridays of each month
January 11 and 25
9:30 - Noon
312 Main St., Pineville

Emmanuel has two teams of volunteers who assist at Main Street Mission. Contact Brandon Tubbs or the church office (442-7773) if you'd like to volunteer on one of our Main Street teams.

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ALL CHURCH



Ride the Float: Children Grades 1-6 can ride the Emmanuel Mardi Gras bus. Children who participate in Wednesday/Sunday activities will have first priority.

Watch the Parade: Everyone is invited to join the Parade Watching Party on Jackson Street in front of the Sanctuary.

Fellowship: Eat pizza and king cake at the party after the parade.

Offering Envelopes

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Packets with either 12 monthly envelopes or 52 weekly envelopes are available in the church office and at the front and piano entrances of the Sanctuary.

YOUTH



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Thank you to everyone who helped provide Christmas to two Alexandria families in 2018. The families greatly needed the items given and thoroughly appreciated the gifts. Your generosity demonstrated Jesus' love and God's grace in the celebratory season of Christ's birth. We



anticipate that other needs will arise for these families in the coming year. We ask that you continue your prayers for them and Emmanuel as we strive to be salt and light in our community and beyond.

Our Adult 5 Sunday school met the needs of one family. They purchased and gave the family blankets, pillows, sheets and a blow-up mattress. They also gave a toaster oven as no stove is available in their rental home. The family also has very little furniture. Several gift cards to purchase groceries and other needed items also were given. The children and family also received a number of other gifts. The family was so grateful for everything they received and thrilled that they would be able to give Christmas gifts to their sons.

Along with support from the general congregation, the Faith Friends, Adult 4, Sunday school class provided Christmas to another family. Each of the five children received two school uniforms, underwear, a zippered sweatshirt for cool days, a warm coat for cold weather, tennis shoes, an electronic tablet, and a bicycle. The youngest girl also received a baby doll. The whole family received groceries for Christmas dinner and beyond. First Christian Church, which is pastored by former Emmanuel member David Britt, provided a set of bunk beds. Howard McKee modified the bed set to fit the mattresses that you also helped purchase. Bedding was provided for both beds. The children now have sleeping accommodations.

Again, please pray that we can minister to these families in the New Year. Thank You, God, for all who generously gave!