



# EMMANUEL LIFE



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

## Week of July 26 - August 2

### Wednesday, July 26

**RSVP due for Preschool Summer Splash (July 29)**

- 4:30 Family Life Center Opens
- 5:15 Nursery (ages Birth - 4 years) - FLC Kiddie Corral
- 5:45 Children's Activity (K - 6th Grade completed) - gather in FLC Game Room
- 5:45 Youth Recreation - FLC Gym
- 5:45 Prayer Meeting - Sanctuary
- 6:30 Children's Recreation (K - 6th Grade completed) - gather in FLC Game Room
- 6:30 Youth Element - FLC Large Gallery
- 7:30 FLC Closed (except to children whose parents are in committee meetings)

### Thursday, July 27

10:00 **H2O Homeless Outreach** EBC Parking Lot

### Friday, July 28

**Children and Parents depart for PassportKids Camp in Texas**

5:30 **Parents' Night Out** - 5:30 - 9:30; Family Life Center

### Saturday, July 29

10:00 **Preschool Summer Splash** 10:00 - Noon  
at home of **Donna & Scottie Brooks**, 719 Lakeshore Dr., Pineville

### Sunday, July 30

- 9:00 Coffee and Fellowship in FLC Small Gallery - 9:00 - 9:20
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:50 Worship
- 5:00 Youth HomeLife & Swim - 5:00 - 7:00; (van leaves EBC at 4:30 and returns at 7:30); Purdy Home, 114 Lilly Scott, Pineville

### Monday, July 31

**Ricky Keller celebrates 28 years of service to Emmanuel.**

### Tuesday, August 1

**Gail Smith celebrates 15 years of service to Emmanuel.**

Noon **Terrific Tuesday: Pool Party at the Purdys** Noon - 2:00; 114 Lilly Scott, Pineville. Bring lunch.

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Emmanuel Baptist Church Alexandria



## BAGS OF HOPE Adopt a Grade

DEADLINE: SUNDAY, JULY 30

Emmanuel is sponsoring the 90 students of the Southside Elementary School Fifth grade class in Lake Providence, Louisiana. Southside Elementary needs \$630 (or \$7 per student) to equip each of the 90 students with crayons, pencils, notebooks and other materials they need for classroom assignments and learning.

Offerings of any amount are welcome and should be designated *Bags of Hope, Lake Providence*. The Southside teachers will distribute the materials to their students at the beginning of school. No back packs are required this year.

CBF Louisiana School Supply Ministry Project for East Carroll and Tensas Parishes



## Concerns and Celebrations

**Hospital: Rapides** - Jim Alexander - No visitors please

### Pray for:

- Children and chaperones at Passport Kids Camp (July 28 - 31)
- Kendall Ryland
- Randy Knoll
- Frank Chandler, Jr.
- Bob Carroll
- Vade Gordon
- Don Neely
- Billy Allgood
- Gene Chandler
- Clarence Golemon
- Paquita Miller
- Alice Mitchell
- Jackie Heath
- Berlan Hargis
- Patty Crout
- Judy Myers (Tammy Franks' mother)
- Sylvia Kessler (Jackie Barton's mother)
- Bob Kelch (friend of the Reiszners)
- Martha Petrus (Pilgrimage animal lady and friend of Janet St. Romain)
- Anne Marie Brunner (Linda Fusilier's niece)
- Keith McLain (Monica Cox's father)
- Kevin Kelly (Rhoda Barbee's cousin)

- Jennifer Whittington (Sandy Whittington's daughter-in-law)
  - Sandy Lance (Leigh Doty's cousin)
  - Connie Broadwater (Julie Morris' mother)
  - Amie Biggs Lewis (Linda McKee's niece)
  - Dorothy Phillips (Bryan Phillips' mother)
  - Anna McKee (Howard McKee's mother)
  - Judy Walker (Donna Howell's sister)
  - Cass Bordelon (Patsy Byles' brother)
  - Monica Anderson (Fran Anderson's daughter-in-law)
  - Laura Ellen West (Jim & Carol Reiszner's niece)
  - Dottie Roach (Brenda Howell's mother)
  - Estelle Johnson (Jeff Johnson's mother)
- Missions:**
- Marc Boswell & Lake Providence CBF Missions
  - Laura & Andy Pettigrew (South Africa) (daughter and son-in-law of Jackie and Brenda Barton)
  - James & Helen Davis (Korea)
  - Emmanuel Gospel Choir, Rueil-Malmaison (France)

## PRESCHOOL

**Preschool Summer Splash POSTPONED**

The Preschool Summer Splash is postponed until a later date because of possible severe weather on Saturday, July 29. Stay tuned for rescheduled date.

## NEW MEMBERS

**Harrison Lord** joined the Emmanuel family on July 23. Harrison lives in Alexandria and is the son of Adam and Megan Lord.

**Linda Peavy and her daughter, Lilly Peavy**, joined the Emmanuel family on July 23. Linda and Lilly live at 3215 Old Marksville Hwy., Pineville LA 71360.

## CHILDREN

**Terrific Tuesdays**

8/1 Pool Party @ Purdys Noon - 2:00; Bring lunch. 114 Lilly Scott, Pineville



For children ages Birth - 6th grade completed

**BEFORE WE BEGIN A NEW "SEMESTA" LET'S CELEBRATE WITH A FIESTA**

for children entering Grades 1-6 and their families

Friday August 11  
6:30 p.m.  
at Cantina Hixson  
112 Ridgedale Lane, Alexandria

RSVP by August 4 on the Group Me app or to the church office (442-7773).  
Bring swimsuit and towel if you would like to get in the pool.

## MISSIONS

**H2O Homeless Outreach** Fourth Thursday each month  
Next H2O: July 27  
10:00 - Noon  
EBC Parking Lot

**H2O Needs: T-shirts and shorts in adult sizes**



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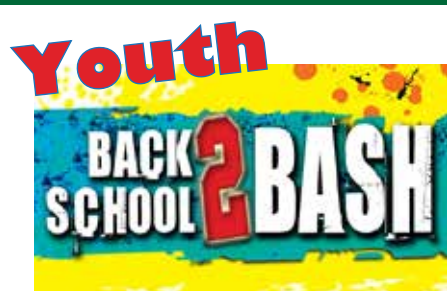
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**Donna & Darrell Blair** proudly announce the birth of their granddaughter **Reagan Loraine Carrier** born on July 25. Reagan weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz. and was 20.5 inches long. Parents are **Jet & Stephanie Blair Carrier**

## YOUTH



SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

4:00 - 9:00

AT THE HOME OF JIM AND STEPHANIE HICKMAN 284 HWY 470, LECOMPTE

BRING YOUR SWIMSUIT AND TOWEL.

**Youth Wrap-up & Worship** Sunday, August 6 6:00

All are invited to join the Emmanuel Youth as they recap a wonderful year of missions and fellowship. Emmanuel's seventh graders, the newest members of our Youth group, will be welcomed and recognized.

## AUGUST

- Children's Terrific Tuesday
- Main Street Mission
- Youth Summer Report & Welcome for 7th Graders
- Music & Missions Annual Planning Meeting
- Sanctuary Choir Resumes
- Children's Back to School Bash
- Youth Back to School Bash
- Rapides Parish Schools Begin
- Music & Missions Small Groups Business Meeting
- Finance Committee Meeting
- Promotion Sunday
- Supper served by Mrs. Carolyn M & M Enrollment Night
- Youth Element Resumes
- H2O Homeless Outreach
- Parent's Night Out
- Day School Begins
- Full Music & Mission Programs

Stewardship is... love in action

	June	Year to Date (January - June)
<b>Budget</b>	\$ 80,383	\$ 425,533
<b>Receipts</b> (gifts from membership)	68,979	382,247
<b>Current Deficit</b>	(\$ 11,403)	(\$ 43,286)
<b>Bolton Funds</b> (not yet received)	8,750	52,500
<b>Adjusted Balance</b>	\$ (2,653)	\$ 9,214