



# EMMANUEL LIFE



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

## Week of September 20 - 26

### Wednesday, September 20

- 4:30 Family Life Center Opens
- 5:15 Nursery (ages Birth - 2 years) - FLC Kiddie Corral
- 5:30 Early Room (3 years - K) - Room 124 in Preschool Wing; parents must escort child.
- 5:30 Early Room (Grades 1 - 6) - FLC Game Room
- 5:45 **Business & Prayer Meeting** Sanctuary
- 5:45 **Personnel Committee Meeting** - Room 125 in Preschool Wing
- 5:45 Mission Friends and Preschool Choir - Rooms 120 & 124 in Preschool Wing
- 5:45 Music Makers & Young Musicians
- 5:45 Youth Recreation
- 6:30 **Committee on Committees Meeting** - Room 115 in Preschool Wing
- 6:30 Mission Friends escorted to FLC by nursery workers
- 6:30 GAs & RAs - 2nd Floor
- 6:30 Youth Element - FLC Large Gallery
- 7:00 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
- 7:30 FLC Closed (except to children whose parents are in choir rehearsal or meetings)

### Sunday, September 24

- 9:00 Coffee and Fellowship in FLC Small Gallery - 9:00 - 9:20
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:50 Worship
- 4:30 **Youth Choir** - Choir Room
- 5:00 **Youth gather in FLC Large Gallery** - Wear blue EBC Youth t-shirt and jeans/pants.
- 6:00 **Welcome to Emmanuel Dinner** - Family Life Center Gym; Childcare provided.

### Looking Ahead

#### Wednesday, September 27

- Full Music & Missions Schedule for Children and Youth
- Prayer Meeting - 5:45, Sanctuary
- Budget Planning Committee Meeting - 6:00, Room 125
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal - 7:00

#### Thursday, September 28

- H2O Homeless Outreach 10:00 - Noon, EBC Parking Lot

#### Friday, September 29

- Mission Team to Houston - depart EBC at 5:00 p.m.
- Parents' Night Out - 5:30 - 9:30, Family Life Center



## September 24

### 6:00

## Family Life Center

Childcare provided for ages Birth - Kindergarten.

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## Concerns and Celebrations

**Sympathy:** to David Britt and his family on the death of his mother, Margaret Anne Britt

### Pray for:

- State Missions and Offering
- Hurricanes Harvey & Irma Recoveries
- Beth Slawson
- Johnnie Jenkins
- Mary Manzano
- Bob Howell
- 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
- Don Maudlin (Lillian Purdy's father)
- Tonya Normand and her family (principal of Huddle Elementary)
- Adam Keul (Kendall Ryland's son-in-law)
- Elizabeth Aday (Charlotte Rozier Aday's granddaughter)
- Kimberly Girlinghouse (James Girlinghouse's niece)
- 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)

## WELCOME TO EMMANUEL

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## MISSIONS

### Mission Opportunity

#### Houston Flood Assistance

Friday, September 29 - Sunday, October 1

You can help with the needs in the Houston area as a result of Hurricane Harvey through CBF missions. Contact Brandon Tubbs to sign up or for more information. Church office: 318-442-7773 Email: brandontubbs@emmanuelalexandria.org

- CBF Missions requests teams of 5 to 15 people to muck houses in the Houston metro area.
- Depart Emmanuel at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, September 29, and return approximately 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 1.
- Sleeping accommodations are a church fellowship hall so bring sleeping bags and air mattresses.
- Participants must be 18 and older.

## ACTIVITIES

### Parents' Night Out

Friday, September 29  
5:30 - 9:30  
Family Life Center

### DUNKIN' WITH DAD

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7  
9:00 - 11:00  
FAMILY LIFE CENTER

Dads, stepdads, granddads, uncles, etc. are invited to join their children, ages birth - 6th grade, for a morning of play and donuts in the Family Life Center. There will be basketball in the gym (small goals in one half and regular goals in the other half) and games in the Game Room and Kiddie Corral. Please sign up by calling the church office at 442-7773 by Thursday, October 5. Sign up is not required for attendance, but will help to ensure enough donuts, milk and coffee.

## NEW MEMBERS



**Norma Kate Guidry** joined the Emmanuel family on September 10. Norma Kate lives in Pineville and is the daughter of Jessica and Heath Guidry.



**Zadie Hancock** joined the Emmanuel family on September 17. Zadie lives in Pineville and is the daughter of Cassidy Crawford and the granddaughter of Gina and Jim Crawford.

## Mission of the Month: September



## PLACES OF GRACE State Missions Offering

**H2O Homeless Outreach**  
Fourth Thursday each month  
Next H2O: September 28  
10:00 - Noon  
EBC Parking Lot

**Main Street Mission**  
First Friday of each month  
Next Main Street: October 6  
9:30 - Noon  
321 Main St., Pineville

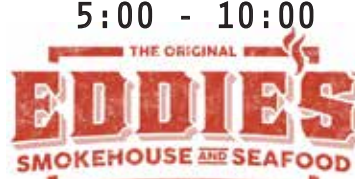
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## GRATITUDE

Dear Emmanuel,  
Thank you, dear friends, for all your beautiful cards, well wishes, hugs, tears and visits, not to mention the help and the meals. The lovely breakfast organized by Faith Friends was a wonderful opportunity to say farewell to many of you, although we hated to do so. We ask for your prayers as we settle in here and find our places in the community. We love you and hope to see you at the dedication!  
Frances and Nippy

MARK YOUR CALENDAR  
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19  
5:00 - 10:00



DAY SCHOOL FUNDRAISER