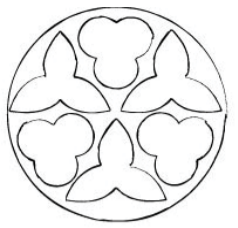


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EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, LA

A PLACE TO BE, A PLACE TO BECOME

Upcoming Events

Friday, July 18

Deadline to RSVP for Water Park Day Trip for Children (Completed K-6) - call the church office at 442-7773

Sunday, July 20

Deadline for "Bags of Hope" donations
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
9:30 a.m. July Adult Sunday School Studies - *Personal Spirituality in Classic Literature*, Rm. 111; *Significant Women of the Bible*, Rm. 105; *A Sermon and Dialogue*, Bolton Chapel
10:50 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary
No Youth: Home Life
Youth return from camp

Tuesday, July 22

9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Terrific Tuesday: Water Park Day Trip (K-6th completed) - Sulphur, LA (RSVP by Friday, July 18).

Wednesday, July 23

5 p.m. **Summer Supper Special: Adult 3** - Weems Hall
5:15 - 7 p.m. Library & Media Center Open Early Room (Pre-K and under) - Kiddie Korral (**Parent/Adult escort children**)
5:45 - 6:30 Children: Davey & Goliath's Camp Creation - Rm. 208
5:45 p.m. Prayer Meeting: "H2O" and Main St. Mission - Weems Hall
5:45 p.m. Youth: A Reason to Shower - FLC & Youth Room
No Yoga this week
No Choir Rehearsal

Looking Ahead:

Thursday, July 24

"H2O" Homeless Outreach with Volunteers of America, 10 a.m. to Noon - Garden Parking Lot

Friday, July 25

Parents' Night Out (Birth-6th Grade), 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. - Family Life Center
Young Adult "Pool Fiesta," 6 p.m. - Scott & Sally Newcomer's House (2825 Marye Street, Alexandria) RSVP by Wed., July 23.

Bags of Hope Donations

Monetary Donations (\$20 covers one book bag and supplies) and gently-used children's books are now being accepted for the annual Bags of Hope school supply campaign for Tensas and East Carroll parishes. The money is being spent locally in order to aid their economy.

July 20 is the last day that donations will be accepted in the church office to help in this effort through CBF Louisiana.

Generation to Generation



Terrific Tuesdays have become a summer staple of picnics and activities for the children of Emmanuel.

What began as pool parties and day trips to keep children who have completed Kindergarten - 6th grade busy during summer weekdays has taken a partial mission focus.

Last week 18 children came to the Art Daze on Terrific Tuesday and recreated Emmanuel's famous Rose window on canvas with colorful small fingerprints.

Carrie Rhymes led the group in making two canvas windows - one to take home and the other to be given to one of Emmanuel's homebound members.

Several adults assisted Carrie in helping the group make their personalized masterpieces.

During this past week's Terrific Tuesday session the children set out to complete their mission project by personally delivering some of the Rose window creations to homebound members of Emmanuel.

Several of the children travelled to Alexandria and Pineville to hand deliver some of the artful creations.

These special canvas pieces from a younger generation became a personalized gift to some of Emmanuel's older generation.



SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

July Adult Sunday
School Studies

9:30 a.m. for all classes

Personal Spirituality in Classic
Literature led by Adam Lord
Room 111July 20: Victor Hugo's *Les Miserables*July 27: Shakespeare's "Romeo
and Juliet"Significant Women of the Bible
Room 105July 20: Mary & Martha - led by
Becky Tisdale-LoveJuly 27: Priscilla, Lydia, Dorcas &
Phoebe - led by
Susan TudorA Sermon and Dialogue
led by Lee Weems
Bolton ChapelJuly 20: "The Right Answer," Barbara
Brown Taylor - Luke 10:25-37July 27: "Imagine Life from God and
Back to God," Walter
Brueggemann -
Deuteronomy & Hosea

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The deadline for submitting photos and other items for Emmanuel Life is noon each Wednesday the day before the issue is published.

All information and photos can be sent to Karen Hamilton in the church office or e-mail materials to her at publicity@emmanuelalexandria.org.

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ALL CHURCH

Summer Supper Specials

July 23 - Adult III

July 30 - Adult V & VI

July is when hosting Sunday School groups collect money, provide dessert and help clean up following prayer meeting on Wednesdays. The list of dates and hosting departments is above.

Please arrive no later than 4:45 p.m. with your dessert and to collect money.

Be a Hero: Donate Blood

4:30 - 7:15 p.m.

Wednesday, July 30

Room 105

Make a blood donation this July and receive a \$5 Off offer from Outback Steakhouse® and a patriotic-themed blood donor shirt for your life-saving donation!

GRATITUDE

Thanks so much to my Emmanuel family for all the thoughts, cards, prayers, calls and visits. I am especially grateful to and forever indebted to my Faith Friends Sunday school class led by Linda McKee. They were there for me every day and night in the hospital and will never know how much that meant to me.

I don't know exactly what is to come, but I am feeling quite well as of now. You are a terrific family to have and I love you.

- Hope Sherman

We would like to express our gratitude for all the many prayers, cards, well wishes and food during Preston's kidney surgery and recovery.

- Pat and Preston McKee

MISSIONS

Homeless Outreach

These needed items are being collected during July in Weems Hall: **powder, battery-operated fans/misters and fresh fruit.**

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CHILDREN

Terrific Tuesday:
Water Park Day Trip

(Completed K-6th grade)

9 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, July 22

Join us for a day trip to the Sulphur Water Park: \$15 plus money for lunch at Wendy's and snacks in the park.

RSVP deadline: Friday, July 18. Please call the church office at 442-7773 to make your reservation.

Davey and Goliath's Camp
Creation

(Completed K-6th grade)

5:45 - 6:30 p.m.

Wednesdays

Through August 6
Room 208

A different Bible story and activity each week will demonstrate God's creativity and love by discovering Christian stewardship.

Parents' Night Out

(Birth-6th grade)

5:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Friday, July 25

Family Life Center

The cost is \$5 per child - please RSVP by noon on Friday to the church office at 442-7773 to save a spot for your child and avoid extra charges.

Terrific Tuesday: Picnic &
Pool Party

(Completed K-6th grade)

12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 29

the Mackey Home

(4205 Aspen Court, Pineville)

Join us for a splash in the pool. Please bring your own lunch. Don't forget sunscreen and a towel.

YOUTH

Youth Home Life: Swim Party

4:30 - 7 p.m.

Sunday, July 27

the Mackey Home

(4205 Aspen Court,
Pineville)