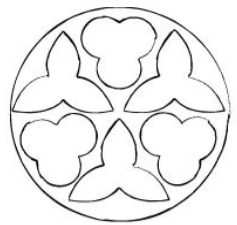


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EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA, LA

A PLACE TO BE, A PLACE TO BECOME

Upcoming Events

Saturday, June 28

10 a.m. **TAG Team performance of "Jonah's Druthers"** - Family Life Center, Gym...Free Admission, Donations Welcome

Sunday, June 29

9:30 a.m. Bible Study
9:30 a.m. June Adult Sunday School Studies - See bottom of page
10:50 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary
2 p.m. **TAG Team performance of "Jonah's Druthers"** - Family Life Center, Gym...Free Admission, Donations Welcome
2:30 p.m. **Regency Worship** - 5131 Masonic Drive, Alexandria
4:30 - 7 p.m. **Youth: Swim Party** - Rayburns' Home (204 Mosby Drive, Pineville)

Tuesday, July 1

9 a.m. - Noon **Adults on Mission** - Main Street Mission, Pineville
12:30 - 2:30 p.m. **Terrific Tuesday: Picnic & Pool Party** (K-6th completed) - Neals' Home (4036 Huntwick Blvd., Alexandria). Please bring your own lunch and towel.

Wednesday, July 2

No Supper or Activities
7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Youth: Canoe Trip - Ouiska Chitto

Looking Ahead:



Thursday, July 3

Deadline to RSVP for Art Daze Children's Event, Cost \$5 per child (K-6th completed)

Friday, July 4

Office Closed - 4th of July Holiday

Sunday, July 6

Youth Home Life: Swim Party, 4:30 - 7 p.m. - Purdy's Home (114 Lilly Scott, Pineville)

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.



July 2014 Adult Sunday School Studies

Beginning July 6
All classes begin at 9:30 a.m.



Personal Spirituality in Classic Literature Room 111

This study explores classic literature and the biblical and spiritual themes of life and faith. Led by Adam Lord, the class will discuss the author's illustrations and ideas.

- July 6 William Blake's *Songs of Innocence*
- July 13 Immanuel Kant's "Guardians of Knowledge"
- July 20 Victor Hugo's *Les Miserables*
- July 27 Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet"

Significant Women of the Bible Room 105

The influence of women throughout our Judeo-Christian history is evident. The studies guided by various teachers will re-introduce some of the women by studying their history and their story.

- July 6 Sarah & Hagar - led by Greg Carroll
- July 13 Ruth & Naomi - led by Frances Blair
- July 20 Mary & Martha - led by Becky Tisdale-Love
- July 27 Priscilla, Lydia, Dorcas & Phoebe - led by Susan Tudor

A Sermon and Dialogue Bolton Chapel

This discussion group led by Lee Weems will listen to different sermons by renowned 21st century preachers. We will dialogue about the message, our personal reflections and the application of the truth to daily life.

- July 6 "Victims," Fred Craddock - Matt. 5:10-11
- July 13 "Messiness of Ministry," William Willimon - Matthew 13:1-9
- July 20 "The Right Answer," Barbara Brown Taylor - Luke 10:25-37
- July 27 "Imagine Life from God and Back to God," Walter Brueggemann - Deuteronomy & Hosea

June Adult Sunday School Series

All classes at 9:30 a.m.

- With Christ in the Desert: Practices For the Thirsty**
Room 200
June 29 - Community
- Living through Conflict**
Bolton Chapel
June 29 - Blasted be the Peacemaker
- Calvinism and Baptists**
Room 105

MORE GOOD THINGS

Weekend Bible Camp

6 - 8 p.m., Friday, July 11

9 a.m. to Noon, Saturday, July 12

Volunteers are still needed to help with S'More of God's Love Weekend Bible Camp presented by the Adult Bible Study Group 5/6B as our "One More Good Thing" this summer!

We also need 20 oz. (green) Sprite or Mountain Dew bottles for our Mission Project before the July 4th weekend. Please wash them out and bring them to church. This is an outreach Mission Bible Camp for children not currently part of our church. We are

inviting children from the Main Street Mission, Hope House and Volunteers of America.

Can you help? Needed: 2 group leaders (youth or adult),

Audio/Visual Coordinator, Outreach/Welcome Coordinator, 2nd music teacher. Contact Heather Matlock if you are interested: heather@matlocksupply.com or 318-229-7613.



NEWS & PHOTOS

Please share your news and photos with us by submitting items to Karen Hamilton in publicity - publicity@emmanuelalexandria.org

- C** Dr. Chris Thacker, *Pastor*
- Dr. Larry Taylor
Pastor Emeritus
- H** Dr. Lee Weems
Associate Pastor - Education
- Rev. Jerry Cauley
Minister of Music
- U** Rev. Susan Cauley, *Associate Minister of Music & Organist*
- R** Gail Smith
Children's Ministry Director
- C** Rev. Greg Carroll
Youth Minister
- Scott Brooks
Activities Director
- H** Gayle Carroll
Day School Director
- Charleen Courtney
Pianist
- Karen Weems
Homebound Director
- S** Butch Berry
Facility Manager
- T** Pat McKee
Finance Manager
- Donna Blair
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- A** Karen Hamilton
Publicity Secretary
- F** Carolyn Robinson Wilson
Director of Food Services
- Ricky Keller
Custodian
- F** Adolphis Wilson
Custodian

ALL CHURCH

Jonah's Druthers by TAG Team 2014

10 a.m., Saturday, June 28

2 p.m., Sunday, June 29

Family Life Center, Gym

Free Admission and Donations Welcome

Emmanuel's Children will present "Jonah's Druthers" this weekend in two performances. Come see what the children have been working on in TAG Team the past few weeks. They have worked hard and are very excited to share this with everyone!



MISSIONS

Homeless Outreach



Volunteers of America
Central Louisiana

These needed items will be collected in Weems Hall.

Looking ahead, July items are as follows: **powder, battery-operated fans/misters and fresh fruit.**

Adults on Mission

Tuesday, July 1

9 a.m. to Noon

Main Street Mission, Pineville

Join us and volunteer in the local community serving lunch and helping with other projects at the mission.

One More Good Thing

Wednesday, July 9

5:45 p.m.

Weems Hall

Share a report about the good things you and/or your groups have brought/will bring to our community this summer through mission projects.



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CHILDREN

Terrific Tuesday: Picnic & Pool Party

(Completed K-6th grade)

12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 1

Neals' Home

(4036 Huntwick Blvd., Alexandria)

Please bring your own lunch, towel, sunscreen, goggles, etc.

Pizza-Skate Party for Jump Into Reading!

(Completed 1st-6th grade)

After Church

July 13

Family Life Center, Gym

This is for all those who have read at least five books, checked out and returned to Emmanuel's Library.

Terrific Tuesday: Art Daze

(Completed K-6th grade)

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 8

Family Life Center, Art Gallery

The cost is \$5 per child. The deadline to RSVP is Thursday, July 3. Please call the church office at 442-7773.

YOUTH

Home Life: Swim Party

Sunday, June 29

4:30 - 7 p.m.

Rayburns' Home

(204 Mosby Dr., Pineville)

Join us for a pool party and fellowship. Please bring a towel.

Canoe Trip

Wednesday, July 2

7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Ouiska Chitto River

Cost: \$20 per person

Join us for canoeing down one of Louisiana's most scenic waterways. RSVP to the church office at 442-7773 or Greg Carroll.



CANOE TRIP