



EMMANUEL LIFE



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

Week of April 12 - 18

Wednesday, April 12

- 4:30 Family Life Center Opens
- 5:15 Nursery (ages Birth - Kindergarten) - FLC Kiddie Corral
- 5:30 Early Room (Grades 1 - 6) - FLC Gym

5:45 **INSCRIBING Hope**
Sanctuary

6:30 **Finance Committee Meeting** - Room 125

6:30 **Children's Committee Meeting** - Room 120

6:45 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

7:30 FLC Closed (except to children whose parents are in committee meetings or choir)

Friday, April 14

7:00 **Good Friday Service**
Sanctuary

Sunday, April 16

Easter Sunday

9:00 Coffee and Fellowship in FLC Small Gallery - 9:00 - 9:20

9:30 Sunday School

10:50 **Resurrection Service** - Baptism of Adam Mackey

No Youth Choir or Life

No Emmanuel Ringers

Monday, April 17

Church Office Closed - Easter Holiday

Looking Ahead

Wednesday, April 19

No Activities or Services

Sunday, April 23

Noon Meeting for 5th & 6th Graders and their parents - FLC Game Room

4:30 Youth Choir

5:15 Youth Life & Snack Supper

6:00 Coffee House Session with Cassidy Hancock and Jeff Jenkins - FLC Game Room

7:00 Emmanuel Ringers

Monday, April 24

6:30 **Holocaust Commemoration Service** - Commemoration begins with Opening Service at Alexandria Holocaust Memorial at the corner of Elliott and 4th Streets then moves to Emmanuel Sanctuary.

Wednesday, April 26

Full Wednesday Activities Resume

INSCRIBING Hope

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12

All generations of Emmanuel will meet for a special time of offering our prayers and blessings of hope for the ministry enabled by our renovation work. We will convene in the sanctuary at 5:45 before walking over to the education building. Once there, we have the opportunity to write words of scripture and prayer on the basic structure of the building.

While these words will eventually be covered up by paint and walls, the hopes represented will outlive even the best building materials. This is an opportunity for us to celebrate and remember God's faithful promises for the work we are called to as a family of faith.

Childcare for children ages birth - Kindergarten will be available in the Family Life Center Kiddie Corral.



April 23

Cassidy Hancock and Jeff Jenkins

Join us for the next **Emmanuel Coffeehouse Session** Sunday, April 23 @ 6:00 p.m. Family Life Center Game Room

Childcare provided in the preschool wing for children ages birth - Kindergarten

Concerns and Celebrations

Sympathy to Milton Brown and his family on the death of his wife Hilda.

Pray for:

- Ruth O'Quinn
- Carter Rhymes
- Frank Chandler Jr.
- Bob Carroll
- Vade Gordon
- Charles Clover
- Don Neely
- Billy Allgood
- Ray and Gene Chandler
- Clarence Golemon
- Paquita Miller
- Alice Mitchell
- Neva Guinn
- Jackie Heath
- Dian Wise
- Berlan Hargis
- Patty Crout
- Brenda and Jackie Barton
- Sandy Lance (Leigh Doty's cousin)
- Joe Montz (Nedra Phillips' father)
- Connie Broadwater (Julie Morris' mother)
- Wanda Ozier (friend of Emmanuel)

- Amie Biggs Lewis (Linda McKee's niece)
 - Dorothy Phillips (Bryan Phillips' mother)
 - Mildred Cauley (Jerry Cauley's mother)
 - Anna McKee (Howard McKee's mother)
 - Judy Walker (Donna Howell's sister)
 - Marvin Gibson (Howard McKee's great uncle)
 - 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)

HOLY WEEK



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Good Friday April 14
Good Friday Service with the Emmanuel Sanctuary Choir - 7:00, Sanctuary

Easter Sunday April 16
Sunday School - 9:30
Resurrection Service - 10:50
Baptism of Adam Mackey
No Youth Choir or Youth Life
No Emmanuel Ringers

MAUNDY THURSDAY



As we move through the Season of Lent and look toward Holy Week please be aware that, due to our temporary space limitations, Emmanuel will not host the Maundy Thursday Passover Seder meal and service as in years past. The Sanctuary choir will perform during the Good Friday service on April 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Anyone wishing to prepare and serve a Seder meal in their home may contact the church office for information.

HOLIDAYS

Church Office Closed
Monday, April 17
Easter Holiday

No Wednesday Activities
No Meetings or Music & Missions
Wednesday, April 19

YOUTH CAKES & CHOIR

Youth Choir concert, Youth recognition and lots of homemade cakes

SUNDAY, MAY 7

6:00

FAMILY LIFE CENTER



ACTIVITIES

Coffee House SESSIONS

April 23

Cassidy Hancock & Jeff Jenkins

6:00

Family Life Center

Childcare is provided for children ages birth to Kindergarten.

DRAGON BOAT RACES



Dragon Boat Races
Holy Rowers of Emmanuel
Saturday, May 6
Sponsorships Available

The 2017 Holy Rowers of Emmanuel Baptist Church are looking for sponsors for this year's Dragon Boat races. The total cost to compete in the races will be about \$2,400 (registration fee plus team shirts). Also, the Holy Rowers are in need of responsible adults to volunteer their childcare services to keep an eye on the Holy Rowers' children while the team rows.

To make a contribution, to volunteer, or if you have any questions, contact Scottie Brooks by calling him at 442-1302 or 715-0738 or e-mailing him at scottiebrooks@emmanuelalexandria.org.

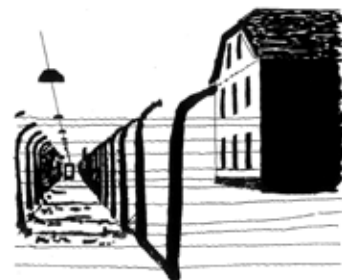
MISSIONS

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

H2O Needs: Socks (new), Sleeping Bags, Monetary donations

Main Street Mission
First Friday of each month
Next Main St: May 5
9:30 - Noon
312 Main St., Pineville

HOLOCAUST



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6:30

The Commemoration begins with the Opening Service at Alexandria Holocaust Memorial at the corner of Elliott and 4th Streets then moves to Emmanuel Sanctuary.

GRADUATION

Call for Graduates
Submit by Monday, May 8

May is the month for graduations and we would like to recognize the members of Emmanuel who are graduating from high school, college or graduate school.

Please submit your graduate's name, school name and degree **no later than Monday, May 8** by calling the church office or e-mailing the information to Elaina Ayres at publicity@emmanuelalexandria.org

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