



EMMANUEL LIFE



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

Week of January 25 - 31

Wednesday, January 25

- 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 Gym
- 5:45 **Business & Prayer Meeting** Sanctuary
- 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 **Finance Committee Meeting** - room 125
- 6:30 **Building Committee Meeting** - Office Area
- 6:30 Mission Friends escorted to FLC
- 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 committee meetings)

Thursday, January 26

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

Friday, January 27

- 5:30 **Parents' Night Out** - 5:30 - 9:30; Family Life Center
- 6:00 **Adult 5: Junk Food January** 6:00 - 9:00; home of Megan & Adam Lord, 2101 Elliot St., Alexandria

Sunday, January 29

- 9:00 **Reception honoring Paul Gordon** - 9:00 - 9:30; Family Life Center Game Room
- 9:30 Sunday School
- 10:50 Worship
- Noon **Usher Committee Meeting** Room 120, Preschool Wing
- 4:30 Youth Choir - Choir Room
- 5:15 Youth Life & Snack Supper - Family Life Center
- 6:30 **Emmanuel Ringers resume**

Looking Ahead

Wednesday, January 25

- 5:45 **Music & Missions**
- 5:45 **Prayer Meeting** - Deacon Ordination
- 6:30 **Personnel Committee Meeting** - Room 125



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Paul Gordon

son of Vade Gordon & Mary Striegel on Sunday, January 29, between 9:00 and 9:30 in the Family Life Center Snack Bar

Concerns and Celebrations

Contratulations: to **Bobby and Pam Marler** on the birth of their grandson Casey on January 16, 2017. Casey is welcomed by parents Robert and Kristen Marler and big brother Cooper.

Pray for:

- Rissa Shearer
- Don Neely
- Bob Carroll
- Billy Allgood
- Ray and Gene Chandler
- Vade Gordon
- Clarence Golemon
- Paquita Miller
- Alice Mitchell
- Neva Guinn
- Jackie Heath
- Dian Wise
- Berlan Hargis
- Mary Manzano
- Patty Crout
- Vince Manzano
- Brenda and Jackie Barton
- Frank Chandler, Jr.
- Kaci and Michael Allgood (friend of Debbie Sherrill)
- Julie Scott (friend of Beth Slawson)
- Lonnie Taylor (Charleen Courtney's sister)
- Angela Ingram (Nick Simpson's mother)
- Ron Tullos (friend of Johnny Dollar and former member)
- Nelson Lee (Adrienne McKay's brother)

- Dorothy Phillips (Bryan Phillips' mother)
 - Peggy Bridges (Hilda Brown's sister)
 - Mildred Cauley (Jerry Cauley's mother)
 - Anna McKee (Howard McKee's mother)
 - Judy Walker (Donna Howell's sister)
 - Bill Hathorn (Brian Couvillon's friend)
 - Ron Woodruff (Nedra Phillips' brother)
 - Elma Lee Hood (Rexie Tweedy's mother)
 - 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:**
- Robinson Mexico 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)

You are cordially invited to a

Casual Come and Go Tea

honoring

Dr. Jenny Howell

recent bride of Kirk Sisco

on Saturday, February 4, 2017
from 2 to 4 p.m.

at 236 White Oak Drive, Pineville

Parents of the Happy Couple

Thomas and Donna Howell Ralph and Evelyn Sisco

Hostesses

Mary Lea Bates, Susan Cauley, Susan Nixon, Susan Tudor, and Judy Walker
No gifts, please - just your good wishes and support!



ALL CHURCH



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Pianos Available

Three of Emmanuel's upright pianos were affected by the plumbing failure of October 5. These pianos will be replaced by our insurance company; however, all three are still playable.

These pianos are available to anyone in the Emmanuel family, free of charge, on a first-come, first-served basis. Those interested in securing one would need to make arrangements to move it themselves.

Serv Pro is storing the pianos in their Alexandria warehouse and has agreed to hold these pianos until mid-February. After that, there is no guarantee they will still be available.

Contact Susan Cauley at 442-7773 for details.

Youth Fundraiser

Sweetheart Luncheon

and Dessert Auction

Sunday, February 12
Noon
Family Life Center

\$8 PER PERSON / \$30 FAMILY MAX
TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE OR ANY EMMANUEL YOUTH

PLEASE CONTACT BRANDON TUBBS OR THE CHURCH OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE A DESSERT FOR THE YOUTH TO AUCTION.



Donations Needed

Sunday, February 12

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Please contact Brandon Tubbs or the church office if you would like to donate a sweet for the youth to auction following the Youth Sweetheart Luncheon.

Offering Envelopes

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Packets with either 12 monthly envelopes or 52 weekly envelopes are available in the church office and at the front and piano entrances of the Sanctuary.

MARDI GRAS 2017

T-Shirts For Sale

Order by Monday, February 13 by calling the church office. Long sleeve t-shirts available this year! Get into the Carnival spirit with your own "Krewe of Emmanuel" T-shirt. T-shirts are available in sizes Youth XS to Adult 5XL for short sleeve and \$14 for long sleeve.

Parade Watching Party

RSVP to the church office by Thursday, February 25. Church members of all ages are invited to a Children's Mardi Gras Parade Watching Party. We'll meet in front of the Sanctuary on Saturday, February 25, to watch the parade which begins at 10 a.m., then stick around for pizza and king cake in the Family Life Center Game room. Parade watching is free, but lunch is \$3 for children 11 & under, \$5 for ages 12 to adult, or \$15 family max.

Ride the Float

RSVP to ride the float by Friday, February 17. 1st - 6th grade riders and chaperones must RSVP to the church office to ride in the February 25 parade on the Krewe of Emmanuel float. Due to limited float space, children who participate in Wednesday/Sunday activities will have first priority. ALL children must have a medical release form on file to ride the float. We'll decorate the float on Wednesday, February 22. Bring your own throws (beads and/or candy) and wear your Krewe of Emmanuel t-shirt. Adults needed to chaperone as float riders or walkers.

Medical release forms must be on file for ALL children who ride on the Emmanuel float!

The Children's Committee welcomes any donations of Mardi Gras beads, throws, or candy.

