# Emmanuel Baptist Church

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### Weekly Schedule

#### Sunday

Sunday School, 9:30 AM Morning Worship, 10:45 AM Children's Church No evening activities

#### Wednesday

TeamKid & Youth , 6:00 PM Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM Sanctuary Singers, 7:00 PM

> Harold Ashcraft Music Minister

Denise Griffin Children/Youth Director

> Claire Pennington Church Administrator

"The LORD is near to all who call upon Him; to all who call upon Him in truth." Psalm 145:18



August 29, 2024

Dear Church Family,

As fall approaches, Louisiana Southern Baptists find ways to raise money for our *Georgia Barnette and Lottie Moon mission offerings*. The Lord has blessed us and we continue to bless others through our contributions. Today I want to share with you a few of the ways our donations spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout our state, our nation and our world. This exciting information is from the Cooperative Program Impact Report for the **first six months of 2024**.

- Sixty-two missionaries were commissioned in February and 83 were appointed in May.
- In April more than 330 believers from 76 countries gathered in Asia to discuss strategies for reaching the lost.
- In Uganda, healthcare was provided and our compassionate missionaries ministered to a hidden community of lepers.



- More than 200 new U.S. church planters went through orientation.
- More than 2,150 U.S. ministry leaders received evangelism training.
  - The La. Woodlake Addiction Ministry had 9 professions of faith.



- Over 232 teenage girls attended Clara Springs Camp in March to learn how to integrate coping skills with Biblical truth in school and on social media.
- 67 people indicated decisions for Christ through our LA Baptists' multimedia outreach program.
- Our LA "Here for You" media outreach yielded 39 people who indicated a decision for Christ.
- Strong April storms in Slidell brought out Disaster Relief from LA and MS producing over 10,000 meals and 42 chainsaw jobs completed for people in crisis.

WOW! Look what God can do with our

combined offerings! May we continue to be amazed by God's power and faithfulness. Blessings, Ms. Claire

#### **MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS**

In Memory of Floyd JonesBy John and Betty Stalnaker<br/>Ron and Diane DennyBudget<br/>Connect 1 Child

## **THROUGH THE BIBLE IN A YEAR**

Friday, August 30 Proverbs 15 - 17, 1 Corinthians 4 Saturday, August 31 Proverbs 18 - 20, 1 Corinthians 5 Sunday, September 1 Proverbs 21 - 23, 1 Corinthians 6 Monday, September 2 Proverbs 24 - 26, 1 Corinthians 7 Tuesday, September 3 Proverbs 27 - 29, 1 Corinthians 8 Wednesday, September 4 Proverbs 30 - 31, 1 Corinthians 9 Thursday, September 5 Ecclesiastes 1 - 3, 1 Corinthians 10 Friday, September 6 Ecclesiastes 4 - 7, 1 Corinthians 11 Saturday, September 7 Ecclesiastes 8 - 12, 1 Corinthians 12 Sunday, September 8 Song of Solomon 1 - 4, 1 Corinthians 13

Due to lack of space and infrequent use, our church library is no longer accepting donated books. We appreciate your generosity with your many donations through the years! Someone recently dropped off a bag of books with no name attached - if you would like to retrieve them, please do so at your convenience. They are on the library desk.

The Sanctuary Choir Cantata Party will be next <u>Wednesday Night, September 4<sup>th</sup> at</u> <u>7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall.</u> Admission is FREE! Just bring your favorite snack, dessert or covered dish and your biggest SMILE! And by all means, don't forget your Christmas Spirit! There will be



Christmas decorations, Christmas carols, Christmas games & Christmas Cantata Music. SO MUCH FUN! SEE YOU THERE!



There will be no evening services Sunday Night, September 1<sup>st</sup>. The church office will be closed Monday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> for Labor Day.

EBC Monthly Luncheon – Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> at Noon, FLC – Christy Goodwin will speak to us about Connect 1 Child through the LBCH ministry.

Adult Cantata Choir Party – Wed. Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, 7:00PM

Prime Time Singers will begin Fall rehearsals Tuesday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:30AM.

**Men's Fish Fry** – Camp Bethany, Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm. Cost is \$10. Please call 318-938-1221 for reservations.



# Don't Forget!

Fall Food Roundup for the LA Baptist Children's Home

The Roundup Truck will be here early Thursday, Sept 19<sup>th</sup>.

A "Needs List" and Drop-off boxes are in the Main Hallway.