

Emmanuel Baptist Church

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Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School, 9:30 AM
Morning Worship, 10:45 AM
Children's Church
Prayer Time, 5:00 PM
Evening Worship, 6:00 PM

Wednesday

TeamKid and 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*



February 13, 2025

FORERUNNER

Kristen Wetherell's *Seventeen Benefits to Reading the Entire Bible* presents Reason #6:

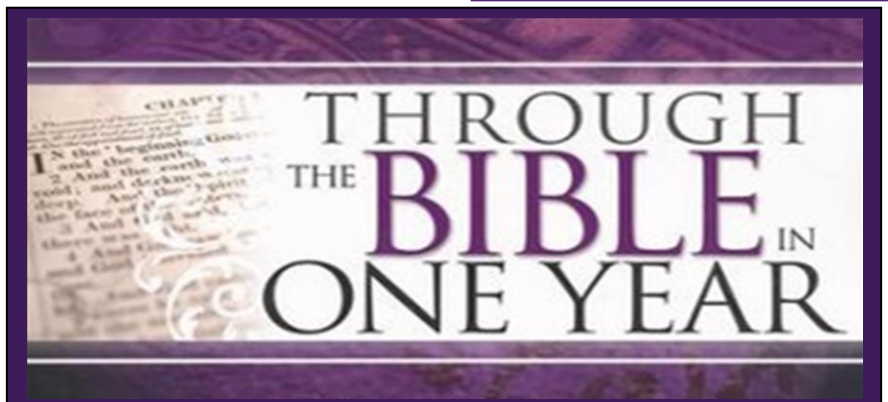
You'll Avoid Tunnel Vision

In reading only certain parts of the Bible, we limit our view of the big story God has written. Many feel more comfortable staying within the New Testament because it seems easier to understand. But the reality is that we cannot fully grasp the Gospel-wonder of the New Testament apart from reading the Old Testament first. If we read only certain books, we limit our spiritual perspective and develop tunnel vision. This is why it is vital to read the entirety of Scripture, even the books difficult to grasp. You will be surprised by what God allows you to see by His grace as you read outside your comfort zone and trust Him for the outcome.

CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE READING PLAN

February 8	Exodus 28 - 29
February 9	Exodus 30 - 32
February 10	Exodus 33 - 35
February 11	Exodus 36 - 38
February 12	Exodus 39 - 40
February 13	Leviticus 1 - 4
February 14	Leviticus 5 - 7

February 15	Leviticus 8 - 10
February 16	Leviticus 11 - 13
February 17	Leviticus 14 - 15
February 18	Leviticus 16 - 18
February 19	Leviticus 19 - 21
February 20	Leviticus 22 - 23
February 21	Leviticus 24 - 25



MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS

In Memory of Earl and Yvonne Douglas

By Phail Dean Jones Budget

In Memory of Robbie Clingan

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In Memory of Jean Tibbit

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*You are invited to the Ladies Bible Study,
Monday, February 17th*

*at 10:00AM
Family Life Center*

Come Prepared to Be Blessed!

Heaven! When Faith Becomes Sight

Author - Jennifer Rothschild

Ladies Bible Study to begin a 7-week study
beginning Monday, March 10th at 10:00AM

\$15 per Book – Scholarships are available
through the church office.

Sign-up Sheet in Main Hallway

We are already collecting items to be used for
decorating in VBS. Our theme this year is
MAGNIFIED. Some items we need include:

1. Empty Plastic bottles (6 oz., 12 oz.,
2 liter)
2. 15 oz. empty vegetable cans (approx. size)

Please rinse the items. You may drop them off at
the main church office or leave them at Denise
Griffin's office. Thank you!



New Literature has been placed in your Sunday
School Classrooms for the new quarter.

Deacons' Meeting – Sunday, February 16th, 4:30pm

Business Meeting – Wednesday, February 19th, 6:00pm

Our ladies group, "From Heartache to Hope" will be
meeting next Wednesday night at 5:00pm before the
church business meeting. The evening's topic will be
Dealing with Loneliness. Please feel free to join us
for a helpful and meaningful time together.



The Thank You Corner!

*To the Homebound Ministry
of Emmanuel Baptist Church –
Thank you for the beautiful and bountiful
gift for Christmas. There was so much to enjoy
myself and even more to share with others. I am
grateful for your love and support, and for showing
Jesus' love. My Love to You All, Carole Pacheco*

*Thank you for the beautiful holiday basket! And
special thanks to Carolyn Thorne and Karen
Fuller. It warms an old woman's heart to know
there are Christian people who still care about us!
Jeanette Grainger*

*To the Family of Emmanuel –
It has been a great joy to work at Emmanuel. God
has given me the opportunity to work and become
friends with many members. As I slow down and
enjoy my new life with Sandra, I will be always one
call away. God has helped me through the last
couple of years, telling me to always take one day
at a time. "The LORD is my strength and my
shield; my heart trusted in him, and I am helped:
therefore my heart greatly rejoiceth; and with my
song will I praise him." Psalm 28:7 Gary Wallaert*