



Emmanuel

BAPTIST CHURCH

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April 26, 2022

EBC Family,

We have wrapped up our study through the Sermon on the Mount. I pray that it has been a helpful series for you as we've learned the purpose of the Sermon. Take this truth with you - the Sermon on the Mount is not a list of rules to obey in your own strength. It is a description of life in God's kingdom to ask Him to produce in you. As we ask God to change us, we cooperate with His work in us.

The next 3 Sundays we'll look at a short passage in Colossians 3 about how to honor God in our family relationships. Then starting May 22 and running through the summer, we'll walk through the book of 1 Kings together.

This Sunday night (May 1) is our Quarterly Business Meeting. I encourage you to be there as we need to have a conversation about the EBC Daycare. Recently, our Finance Committee hired an outside group that specializes in church finances to look over our books and audit our financial procedures. The audit went well. There were a few minor procedural changes recommended, but the auditor was mostly pleased with our financial reports and processes with one exception - the relationship between our church and the EBC Daycare.

The auditor's main concern is that the EBC Daycare seems to operate as a separate entity from the church, but it is not. For legal and financial purposes, it is considered a ministry of EBC. And yet we don't have anything in our Constitution or By-laws that mention the Daycare or define who oversees it. This is an area that we need to shore up. As a ministry of our church, we need to do the work of defining and clarifying our relationship to the Daycare and how we will bring it back under the umbrella of our oversight. As a member of Emmanuel, this is an important conversation for you to be a part of. Please make an effort to be at the Business Meeting at 6:00 on Sunday night.

It's a joy to be a part of the EBC Family,
Pastor Clint

EBC Family,

I am excitedly waiting for the chance to dive deeply into God's Word with you this Friday at Secret Church. Not only will we spend significant time drinking in God's Word, but we will also devote intentional time in prayer for persecuted brothers and sisters around the world. This year, we will pray specifically for the church in Afghanistan. The recent Taliban overthrow in Afghanistan has increased human rights violations including violence against women, kidnapping, torture, and religious persecution. Afghanistan has high levels of terrorism, poverty, child malnutrition, and corruption. Only .051% of the population is Christian. Emmanuel family, these brothers and sisters need our prayers. Join us in prayer that God would do a mighty work by furthering his Kingdom in Afghanistan. You can join us specifically, at 5:30 pm this Friday, April 29th, at 1535 E Eagle Rd, as we pray for the Gospel to take root in Afghanistan and dig deep into God's Word together.

I hope to see you there!
Craig Jackson

SECRET CHURCH

WHO AM I?

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT...

- SEXUALITY AND GENDER
- RACE
- ABORTION
- JUSTICE
- GENOMICS
- INFERTILITY
- ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
- THE METAVERSE

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Joining Hearts Mother's Day Offering

Your offering will benefit children, single mothers, and the elderly.

Offering envelopes are on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

More information is posted on the bulletin board.



May 1st Meetings

Building and Grounds 5pm
Business Meeting 6:00pm
Deacon's Meeting 7pm

Looking for Nursery Workers

Emmanuel is looking to hire part time nursery workers. Sunday morning, Sunday evening, and Wednesday evenings available. For more information call Sherry Gooch at (580)302-0073



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Coming Events

- 5/8 Mother's Day
- 5/11 Women on Mission
- 5/13 Youth-Flix Dinner and Movie
- 5/15 Committee Meetings
Finance Committee Meeting
VBS Lead Team Meeting
- 5/22 Lord's Supper
- 5/30 Church Office Closed

Last Week at a Glance Sunday, April 24, 2022

Budget Offering

Last Sunday	\$	4,803.00
YTD Budget Needed	\$	173,303.27
YTD Budget Received	\$	196,893.04

This Month New Building

Receipts this month	\$	8,825.00
Received this week	\$	0.00

Attendance

Grow Group Attendance: 100
Family Worship: 155 Online Households: 16

Wednesday Dinner: Beef enchilada casserole, black beans, corn, chips & salsa, and sopapilla

Sunday Servants

Preschool Care

- 5/1 Karen Antwine
- 5/8 Molly Hollingsworth

Lead Usher

- 5/1 Nick Nikkel
- 5/8 Bernard Boeckman

Welcome Desk

- 5/1 Kenny and Nyla Watson
- 5/8 Chuck and Marilyn Marquis

Deacon of The Week

Larry Wright

Our deacons are available to share in prayer concerns and praises.

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