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Emmanuel Baptist Church

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Our Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American Missions will continue until after Easter. Pray for our North American Missionaries and their ministries, and about what God would have you give to this special offering. Our church goal is \$5000.00

PRAY FOR OUR PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE!!!

Please be in prayer for the Pastor Search Committee as they undertake the responsibilities of seeking God's man for Emmanuel Baptist Church. The Committee meets at 4:00 on Sundays and at 5:50 p.m. on Wednesday nights for prayer. Please pray at those specific times for this committee.

SYMPATHY TO:

Tracey Six and Family in the death of her uncle.

Gail Blakely and Family and Marianne Felker and Family in the death of their brother and brother-in-law, Mr. J.L. Felker.

The Family of Larry Stokes.

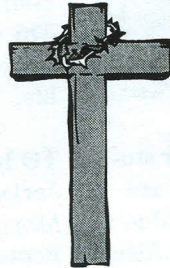
Sandy Goodson and Family in the death of her sister, Beverly Shirley.

Pat Hitt & Family in the death of her mother, Louise Jones.

RAISE THE CROWN

AN EASTER MUSICAL DRAMA

Presented By
Emmanuel Baptist Church
Sanctuary Choir, Orchestra
and Drama



PRESENTATIONS:

Wednesday, April 8, 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 9, 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 12, 8:00 a.m.

Sunday, April 12, 10:30 a.m.

GRIEFSHARE will not meet on Sunday, April 12, but will resume on Sunday, April 19 at 4:00 p.m.

WHY?

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding." (Proverbs 3:5)

Is God ignoring you? You may feel He is, you want to know why He has taken your loved one, and looking through His Word for answers doesn't help, or does it? The April 19 Session's DVD, discussion and workbook exercises are designed to help you discover God's answers to your "why" questions. While His answers may not be the ones you want, if you're willing to listen, they will comfort you.

PASTOR:

MUSIC & SR. ADULTS:
Rev. J. Barry Worrell

EDUCATION, YOUTH:
Rev. Eugene Heimbach

RECREATION AND
ACTIVITIES:
Rev. Kyle Cox

SECRETARIES:
Elizabeth Turner
Kerron Moorman

BUILDING:
Kenneth Blaylock
Cecil Lynn Blaylock

ACCOMPANISTS:
Wanda Madison
Bonita Phillely

Deacons of the Week

Ken Cline
(891-3531)

Charlie Wood
(230-0694)

Dwayne
Westmoreland
(688-0778)

Youth News by Eugene Heimbach

SPECIAL THANKS to all our Youth Parents who helped with our Cotillion Dinner and to the students who attended. We appreciate all you do.

GRADUATE SUNDAY, April 26. Parents and graduates, please begin making plans for this special day. We will have a Graduate Luncheon afterwards for all

graduates, their families, and our students and youth workers. If you are graduating or have a student graduating, please contact the church office and let us know by Friday, April 17. We don't want to leave anyone out.



JUNIOR HIGH CENTRIFUGE: Sign-up is ongoing. We will be going to Union University in Jackson, Tennessee on June 22-27, 2009. The deposit is \$100.00. We need deposits by the end of the month if at all possible.

SR. HIGH MISSION-FUGE: Sign-up is ongoing. We will be going to M-Fuge in Glorieta, New Mexico on July 3-11, 2009. The deposit is \$100.00. We need deposits in by the end of the month if at all possible.

TO KEEP IN TOUCH with Morgan Jackson and her family, write her at Morgan Jackson, Target House 1, 1811 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, TN 38104. To keep up with Morgan and send encouraging notes go to www.caringbridge.org/morgan_jackson.

Education News

THERE WILL BE NO SUNDAY SCHOOL ON EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 12. We will have an 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. service and no Evening Worship.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL is June 1-5, 2009. If you can help in some capacity, please see Bro. Eugene or Lisa Hill. You can begin registering online at www.emmanuelbapt.org/vbs.

News From the Family Life Center by Kyle Cox

2009 DODGEBALL TOURNAMENT:

The last day to hammer somebody with a Dodgeball is Monday, April 13 at 6:00 p.m. in the FLC. This will be a double elimination tournament. Everybody needs to be here on time so we can finish on time.

BRAGGIN WALL TURKEY ADDITION:

Want to show off that wild turkey? Bring a picture of your bird or email it to Bro. Kyle at kyle@emmanuelbapt.org. There is an adult, youth, and female division. Winner of each division will get a prize.

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EMMANUEL INVITATION

Saturday, May 2
At Dogwoods Golf Course

The deadline to sign up is
April 29

Bridal Showers

- *Bridal Shower for Amanda Worsham, bride-elect of Mark Moorman, Sunday, April 19, 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall*
- *Bridal Shower for Paige Condy (Beverly Hoop's daughter), Sunday, April 26, 3:00-4:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.*

Thank You Notes

A note has been received from the Family of Nina Gail Chamblee.

A thank you note has been received from Keith Carson following the death of his daughter, Mallory.

A thank you note has been received from Emagene Jenkins for the cards, visits, thoughts and prayers during here illness.

New Baby

Congratulations to Nathan and Brittany Brower on the birth of their son, Connor. Connor was born on Wednesday, March 25, 2009, weighing 7 lbs. 8.2 oz. 19" long.

He is welcomed by his grandparents Martha and Bill McDaniel and Dale and Barbara Brower. Nathan's grandmother was Treva Del Harrison.

Music Notes by J. Barry Worrell

RESURRECTION DAY PRESENTATION SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK:

Wednesday:

5:00 p.m. – Supper for presentation participants and their families

7:00 p.m. – Presentation #1

Thursday:

5:00 p.m. – Supper for presentation participants and their families.

7:00 p.m. – Presentation #2

Sunday:

7:20 a.m. – Choir & Orchestra meets for warm-up

7:40 a.m. – Devotional & Prayer

8:00 a.m. – Presentation #3

9:15 a.m. – Breakfast served for presentation participants

10:30 a.m. – Presentation #4

PRAISERINGERS BELL CHOIR will attend the State Handbell Festival at Central Hills on April 24 and 25.

==YOUTH==

SR. & JR HIGH ENSEMBLES will not rehearse this Wednesday, due to our Resurrection Day Presentation. DRAMA PARTS will be assigned and given out ASAP. Our first presentation with FBC New Albany will be April 19, 6:40 p.m. at FBC New Albany.

==CHILDREN==

ALPHA (Beginner) BELLS with Beth Cline and Aletha Simpson will not meet this Wednesday.

RINGS OF JOY BELL (youth) BELLS with Aletha Simpson will meet on Monday, April 13.

ALPHA AND RINGS OF JOY will ring in the Wednesday evening service on April 15.

CONGRATULATIONS to our Young Musicians who received a superior rating at their State Adjudication last Friday night in Clinton. I am very proud of them for representing the Lord and our church so well.

SPECIAL THANKS to the chaperons who attended the Young Musicians Festival with our children. They were Wendy Clausel, Beverly Hoop, Tange James, Ken & Tammy Jordan, Angie Miller and Bettye Putman.

CHILDREN'S CHOIRS AND MISSIONS are cancelled this week due to the Resurrection Day Musical.

END-OF-YEAR PROGRAM, May 6, 2009.

CHILDREN'S T-SHIRTS will be ordered next week! The cost is \$8 for each child. Two children from the same family \$14, three from the same family \$18. Turn in your money to choir teachers or Kerron Moorman in the Fellowship Hall during supper when the shirts are finished.

Hymnal Fund

HYMNAL FUND CONTINUES TO GROW! To date, there have been 250 hymnals purchased for our Sanctuary and more is being given each week! We will need a total of 500-550 hymnals to adequately supply the Sanctuary.

If you are interested in purchasing a hymnal "in memory" or "in honor" of someone or as a gift to our church, you may do so through the church office. Each pew hymnal is \$14. It will be exciting for everyone to enjoy the new hymnal together!

Fifty and Up Ministry by J. Barry Worrell

SILVERTONES SINGING SCHEDULE:

- April 9– Grenada Living Center
- April 23 – Winona Nursing Home
- April 30 – yet to be announced.

ASSOCIATION MERRYMAKERS (Sr. Adult Fellowship)

Thursday, April 16
11:00 a.m.

at
Cascilla Baptist Church

R.A. Race Day

R.A. CAR WORKSHOP, Saturday, April 11, 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon, at the Family Life Center.



R.A. RACE DAY will be Saturday, April 18 (all day) at the Family Life Center.

For more information, see Gilbert Simpson.

Children's Ministry by Kyle Cox

PARENT CHILD FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, April 19
after the p.m.
service

WILD 4 CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

is cancelled this Sunday,
but will resume next Sunday
at 4:45 in the Family
Life Center

Calendar of Events

GIFTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN MEMORY OF:

- Mallory Carson
By Norris & Carolyn Rutledge
By E.B. & LeDar Vance
By Friends & Workers at Chandelier Beauty Shop
By David & Mary Beth Melton
Nina Gail Chamblee
By Francis & Reta Williams
By Erma Lee Steed
Cled Gregory
By Tommy, Lisa, Rett & Justin Dyre
Dorothy Collins
By Hope Sunday School Class
By Sonshine Ladies Ministry
Mae Cunningham
By G.L. Cunningham
Kinnie Tankslev
By Mike, Carolyn, Anthony, Cathy & Mark Bowles
Jo Williams
By Harold & Mary Horton
Larry Wayne Richardson
By David & Mary Beth Melton
Mr. Hershel Puckett
By David & Mary Beth Melton
Mr. Bob Harrelson
By Davis & Jean Freeman
Pearl Howard
By Ed & Bettye Putman
Nan Simpson
By Larry & Rebecca Hunter
Mr. & Mrs. J.B. Hitt
By John & Ollie Hitt
Donald Hitt
By John & Ollie Hitt
Mr. & Mrs. J.R. Murphy
By John & Ollie Hitt
Kenneth Criss Murphy
By John & Ollie Hitt
James "Bucky" Murphy
By John & Ollie Hitt

GIFTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN HONOR OF:

- Marianne Felker
Faith Sunday School Class
Kay Staten
By Norris & Carolyn Rutledge
Shellie Lane
By Norris & Carolyn Rutledge
Courtney Simmons
By Norris & Carolyn Rutledge
Cassidy Darbone
By Norris & Carolyn Rutledge
Ann Collins
By Faye Trussell
Stella Aven
By Ed & Betty Putman
Linda Hitt Naron
Kathy Hitt Boone
Staff Sgt. John Michael Hitt
By John & Ollie Hitt
Morgan Jackson
By Ray and Karen Boxx

- Sunday, April 12: EASTER SUNDAY**
8:00 a.m. Early Worship Service/Presentation of *Raise the Crown* Easter Musical Drama
9:05 a.m. Sunday School *cancelled*
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service/Presentation of *Raise the Crown* Easter Musical Drama
Children's Bible Drills *cancelled*
Youth Bible Drills *cancelled*
GriefShare *cancelled*
Sr. High Ensemble Rehearsal *cancelled*
Outreach Visitation *cancelled*
Youth PrimeTime *cancelled*
Praisersingers Bell Choir *cancelled*
Children's Worship *cancelled*
Discipleship Training *cancelled*
Evening Worship *cancelled*
- Monday, April 13:**
10:00 a.m. Women's Body Fitness
3:45 p.m. Rings of Joy Bell Choir
- Tuesday, April 14:**
9:00 a.m. Sr. Adult Game Day
10:00 a.m. Rachel DuBard Women on Mission
12:00 noon Women Who Pray, in the Prayer Room
5:15 p.m. Beginner Aerobics
6:00 p.m. Advanced Aerobics
- Wednesday, April 15:**
10:00 a.m. Women's Body Fitness
3:30 p.m. Beginner Bell Choir
Emmanuel's Grace
Supper
5:20 p.m. Children's Choirs
5:30 p.m. WildSide
5:45 p.m. For Girls Only (Sr. High)
6:15 p.m. Children's Missions
6:20 p.m. Midweek Service
6:30 p.m. JOY Explosion
6:30 p.m. For Girls Only (Jr. High)
6:30 p.m. For Guys Only (Jr. High)
- Thursday, April 16:**
7:00 a.m. Youth SonRise Breakfast
10:00 a.m. Women's Body Fitness
11:00 a.m. Association MerryMakers (Sr. Adults) at Cascilla Baptist Church
5:15 p.m. Beginner Aerobics
6:00 p.m. Advanced Aerobics
6:30 p.m. Orchestra Rehearsal
- Saturday, April 18:**
R.A. Race Day at the FLC

VITAL SIGNS

Tithes and Offerings.....	\$52,093.69
Designated Receipts	\$5,890.00
Building Fund Gifts.....	\$2034.00