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Emmanuel Baptist Church

Sunday, June 7 is Catch Up Sunday!
Pray, Trust, Serve

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PRAY FOR OUR PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE as they undertake the responsibilities for seeking God's man for Emmanuel. The committee meets on Sundays at 4:00 p. m. and on Wednesday nights at 5:50 for prayer.

Please pray at those specific times.

Join us for . . .

"BOOMERANG EXPRESS" VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL June 1-5, 2009

Now is the time to begin registering for VBS. You can do so by going to the church website or going directly to www.emmanuelbapt.org/vbs.

If you can help in some capacity, please see Bro. Eugene or Lisa Hill.

Ages for this year's "Boomerang Express" VBS: Four years old (must be going into Kindergarten) through 5th Grade (completed 5th grade). There will be a class for younger children than Pre-Kindergarten age, but it is for VBS worker's children. "Camp Crazy" is for all students who have completed the 6th grade.

Children's "Boomerang Express" VBS kickoff is Sunday, May 31, in the Fellowship Hall. This is for children in 1st-5th grade. More information next week.

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

SUMMER KIDZ NIGHTS

May 27 - Pool Party
June 3 - VBS
June 10 - Water Games
June 17 - Geyser Falls Trip
June 24 - Movie Night
July 1 - No Kidz Night
July 8 - Olympic Games
July 15 - Messy Games
July 22 - Skate Night
July 29 - Carnival Night
August 26 - Welcome Back Bash

All dates are on Wednesday night and will take the place of Choir and RA/GA's during the summer months. Events are subject to change because of weather.

All times are from 6:00-7:30 except for Geyser Falls and Movie Night.

GRIEF SHARE THIS SUNDAY Room 314, 4:00 P.M.

Stuck In Grief

It's easy to get stuck along the journey of grief. This session explains how to keep moving on the path to healing. Find out how to keep from getting stuck in grief.

While it's important to give yourself permission to grieve, sometimes you can go too far. Ironically, this will lead you to get stuck in your grief. This session will help you determine if you're stuck in grief and give advice on how to stay on the path to healing.

"Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable - if anything is excellent or praiseworthy - think about such things." Philipians 4:8

Deacons of the Week

Robbie Staten
417-0247

Randy Harrell
417-1890

Sidney DuBard
417-0231

Youth News by Eugene Heimbach

CENTRIFUGE AND MISSION-FUGE UPDATE: Please be sure and pick up the necessary forms from the office or from Bro. Eugene. You can begin going online to download the consent forms and trip covenant form. Go to www.emmanuelbapt.org/fuge.

SPECIAL THANKS to those who cooked breakfast for us this year – Terry Hutchins, Tim LeClair, Billy Brassel, Andy Bell, Hunter Bull, Jeff Sanford, Todd McLemore, and Beth Cline. (I apologize if I missed anyone.) All of you did a great job. I want to especially say a deepest thanks to Terry Hutchins, Tim LeClair, Billy Brassel, and Todd McLemore for the faithful service over the past several years as you've grown with your children. Thank you for all you've done. We will be looking for those who wouldn't mind serving on Thursday mornings in the Fall. If you can help in some capacity, please let me know.

THANK YOU to the many youth and youth parents who attended our Youth Summer Kickoff this past Sunday night. Sorry that we ran out of food, but we had a tremendous time. Thank you to all the parents for how you served, set up and cleaned up. Ya'll are the best.

FIRST YOUTH WEDNESDAY NIGHT EVENT – Wednesday, May 27, in the Family Life Center from 6:00-8:00. Be sure and join us.

"CAMP CRAZY" for 6th graders (completed) during Vacation Bible School. Be sure and sign up. If you would like a t-shirt, the cost is \$15. See you then.

FUGE INFORMATION: We need to begin getting forms in to the Church Office as soon as possible. We'll let you know when the next meeting is.

MORGAN JACKSON UPDATE: Let's be in much prayer for one of our teenagers, Morgan Jackson. Please lift her and her family to the Lord in prayer. If you would like to keep in touch with Morgan and her family, write to her at the following address:

Morgan Jackson
Target House 1
1811 Poplar Avenue
Room 201
Memphis, Tennessee 38104

You can also keep up with Morgan and send her encouraging notes at her Caring Bridge Site. Go to www.caringbridge.org/morganjackson

Stewardship Update

2009 Budget Needs (20 weeks): \$780,899.48

2009 Year-to-Date Budget Offerings (Jan. 1-May 17): \$670,832.99

CATCH-UP SUNDAY, June 7, 2009 – PRAY, TRUST, SERVE

Over recent weeks and months, our church has been in a significant transition. We would like for you as a Church Family to pray over these matters over the coming weeks. The Deacons, Stewardship Committee, and Church Staff would like to challenge our Church Family to a very special possibility. One Sunday, June 7 we would like to allow that Sunday to be an offering Catch-up Sunday. We are asking people to begin praying over this date and pray about the possibility of giving extra as the Lord leads. For some who have been out of pocket off and on over recent weeks, this would be an outstanding opportunity to "catch up" on our tithes and offerings. More than that, this day will serve as a reminder of the faithfulness. Let's not pass up an opportunity to experience God and watch Him display His glory.

These are challenging times in our world, in our families, and in the Body of Christ. Pray over June 7 and let's trust God to provide as He sees fit. Joshua 3:5 says, "Consecrate yourselves for tomorrow the Lord will do wonders among you." Let's trust God to do "His wonders among His people." Sunday, June 7, 2009 – Catch-Up Sunday – PRAY, TRUST, SERVE

Children's News

*POOL PARTY
May 27*

Meet at the Kiwanis Pool at 6:00 for a night of fun in the sun. Pizza and drinks will be served.

Thank You Note



A thank you note has been received

from Patsy Williams following the death of her mother, Mrs. Vivian Waddle

Sympathy

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY AND LOVE to Kenneth and Lynn Blaylock and Family in the death of her aunt.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY AND LOVE to Nannie Mae Reves, Learline Abel, Donald Sulton and the Sultan Family in the death of Mr. Algeon Sulton.

Music Notes by J. Barry Worrell

===YOUTH===

YOUTH CHOIR TRYOUT TIMES to be announced next week. Watch the Tie for more details.

===CHILDREN===

CHILDREN'S CHOIR T-SHIRTS are still available in the church office for those who missed Wednesday night. Cost will be \$8.00 for one child, \$14.00 for two children from the same family, and if three from the same family \$18. Money can be turned in at the church office at your convenience.

THE HYMNAL FUND continues to grow! Thank you to all who have purchased hymnals for our Sanctuary. Gifts continue to come in every week. At present, 351 hymnals have been purchased. 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, 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!

A SUMMER LUNCHEON

June 16, 2009 – 12:00 Noon

In The Fellowship Hall

Please make plans to attend the *Loss of a Loved One Luncheon* if you have lost a "close relative". Please feel free to invite others that are not members of EBC to attend with you as well. The luncheon will be a time to eat and have Christian fellowship with others that have lost loved ones. Call the church office at 226-5316 to RSVP at no cost to you. Or call Katherine Raney at 230-0872, Margaret Davis at 417-5625, Sheila Saunders at 226-3047 or Joyce Bowman at 417-1440. Treasure time with your fellow Christians who are also walking the path of sorrow.

"Not that I speak in regard to need, for I have learned to whatever state I am, to be content; I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:11 and 13.

Recreation Opportunities by Kyle Cox

BRAGGING WALL TURKEY ADDITION: Want to show off that wild turkey, but have nowhere to show it off? Well, now you can do so. Bring a picture of your bird to Bro. Kyle or email it to kyle@emmanuelbapt.org.

There will be an Adult, Youth, and Female division. Winner of each division will receive a prize.



A safe and happy summer vacation from school to all our students! Check out the fun things to do this summer at Emmanuel.

Family Life Center Spring Hours:

Monday: 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Tuesday: 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m.
Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Friday and Saturday: Closed

Schedule is always subject to change for church sponsored ministries.

50 and Up Ministry by J. Barry Worrell

50 AND UP DAY TRIP, Thursday, June 11, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. We will travel to Jackson to visit the newly renovated Old Capitol Building. On the way we'll stop and visit the Mississippi Coffee Company (Canton) and hear about this new venture while we enjoy a cup of fresh coffee. After the Old Capitol visit, we'll eat at Golden Corral Restaurant. There is one more place we'll visit on the way home, but

it's a surprise. (Sorry, no clues.) Cost is your admission to the Old Capitol Building and your lunch meal. Sign up through the church office by Wednesday, June 10.

ASSOCIATIONAL SR. ADULT FELLOWSHIP at Friendship Baptist Church, Grenada 11:00 a.m. on May 21. This will be our annual Health

Fair. There will be several health checks such as blood pressure and sugar level will be checked.

Complimentary "favors" will be given away from different health providers present. This will be covered dish. We will "carpool" to Friendship for the meeting.

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662-226-0812 (FLC)
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GIFTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN MEMORY OF:

- Mr. Shellie Guy Lane
By Kitty and Dick Strub
- Mrs. Beverly Shirley
By Carlton, Michelle and Parker Goodson
- Mr. Jerry Toney's Sister
By Hope Sunday School Class
- By David and Mary Beth Melton
- By Rodney and Louise Rester
- Mrs. Vivian Waddle
By Bobby and Joyce Fleming
- By David and Mary Beth Melton
- By Joan Robinson
- Mr. Fred Tierce
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mrs. Nell Tierce
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Lynn Tierce
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Ralph "Tiny" Bennett
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Raymond C. Collins
By Bea Collins
- Mr. David R. Collins II
By Bea Collins

GIFTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN HONOR OF:

- Mr. Lynn Clark
By the Sanctuary Choir
Hope Sunday School Class
- Mr. Davis Freeman
By the Sanctuary Choir
- Mr. Larry Avery
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mrs. Sandra Avery
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Tim LeClair
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mrs. Stephanie LeClair
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Miss Lindsey LeClair
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Andrew LeClair
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Richard Davis
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mrs. Valeria Davis
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Matthew Davis
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Miss Mary Catherine Davis
By Kenny and Margaret Tierce
- Mr. Phillip Cook
By Hope Sunday School Class
- Mrs. Lydia Cook
Hope Sunday School Class
- Mr. Brooks Moss
By Hope Sunday School Class

Calendar of Events

- Sunday, May 24:**
 - 8:00 a.m. Early Worship Service
 - 9:05 a.m. Sunday School
 - 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service
 - 4:00 p.m. GriefShare *cancelled*
 - 4:30 p.m. Outreach Visitation *cancelled*
 - 4:45 p.m. Praisersingers Bell Choir *cancelled*
 - 5:00 p.m. Discipleship Training *cancelled*
 - 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Service *cancelled*
- Monday, May 25:**
 - 10: a.m. Office and FLC closed for Memorial day
 - Body Fitness *cancelled*
- Tuesday, May 26:**
 - 9:00 a.m. Sr. Adult Game Day
 - 12:00 noon Women Who Pray
 - 3:30-8:30 p.m. BLOOD DRIVE
 - 5:30 p.m. Aerobics
- Wednesday, May 27:**
 - 10:00 a.m. Women's Body Fitness
 - 6:00 p.m. Kidz Night at the Pool
 - 6:00 p.m. First Wednesday Night Youth Event, FLC
 - 6:20 p.m. Midweek Service
 - 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal
- Thursday, May 28:**
 - 10:00 a.m. Women's Body Fitness
 - 5:30 p.m. Aerobics

VITAL SIGNS 5/17/09

Weekly Budget Requirements...	\$38,937.46
Tithes and Offerings.....	\$30,357.46
Designated Receipts.....	\$1,638.36
Building Fund Gifts.....	\$1,795.00

BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, May 26

The Bloodmobile will be in our parking lot from 3:30-8:30 p.m. To donate, call the Emmanuel Baptist Church Office at 226-5316, sign up on sheets in the foyers, or schedule your appointment online by using the information below.

1. Visit www.bloodhero.com



2. To log in, enter your e-mail address and date of birth.
3. Fill out all required fields and submit (Be sure to enter your information in the proper format).
4. In the middle of the screen, type in the sponsor code of the location where you want to donate.
For Emmanuel Baptist Church the sponsor code is ebc
5. Select whether you wish to donate whole blood or double red cells.
6. Select your donation time and add your appointment to the schedule.
7. You are now scheduled to give the Gift of Life.