

WELCOME

November 19, 2023

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ABOUT US

Emmanuel is a church filled with people who recognize their brokenness and need of Jesus Christ on a daily basis. The Word of God leads our every purpose and practice. Each person is challenged to have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ where he has access to God through prayer, worship, and service. We are a church of imperfect people serving a perfect and awesome God!

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We believe that it is important to be deliberate in everything we do. Therefore, we have established what we call our mission or strategy for accomplishing the eternal purposes of Evangelism, Fellowship, Worship, Discipleship and Ministry. That strategy is... **Connect - Grow - Live.**

OUR DNA VALUES

Gospel Centered, Truth Matters, Journey of Faith and Participation Over Performance. Visit www.weareemmanuel.life/new-here for more information on what these values mean to us.

GUEST INFORMATION

We're so glad that you decided to join us today! You are important to us and we hope you have a wonderful experience. We would love to be able to connect with you. Please text **eflint to 77411** or fill out a Connection Card and return it to the Welcome Center. We have a special gift for you. Thank you!

CONTACT US

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Office Hours this week:
Monday-Wednesday: 9am-4pm
Thursday-Friday: Closed

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YOUTH PROGRAMS

SUNDAY 9:30am/11:15am:
Kid Zoo: Infant-Kindergarten
Nursery for infants
Music, fun and Bible lessons for 2yrs – Kindergarten.

SUNDAY 9:30am/11:15am:
Kid Zone: 1st-5th grades
An exciting time of music, games and Bible lessons.

WEDNESDAY 6:00pm:
MAGNIFY – 6th-12th grades
Cancelled this week!

WEDNESDAY 6:30pm:
AWANA – 2yrs-5th grade
Cancelled this week!

THURSDAY 6:30pm-8:00pm:
AMPLIFY – 6th-12th grades
Cancelled this week!

ACTIVITIES/INFORMATION

CELEBRATE RECOVERY – A Christ centered recovery program for men and women with all types of habits, hurts and hang-ups. We meet every Thursday at 7pm. **Cancelled this week.**

E-SENSATIONAL BIBLE STUDY – A Special Needs Bible Study for ages teen-adult. We meet in room 4 at 9:30am every Sunday.

LIVING ON PURPOSE PODCAST – Pastor John answers your questions about God, life, Christianity, and the Bible. Please visit weareemmanuel.life to ask a question and listen.

PIE & PRAISE – At South Baptist Church this evening at 6pm. Join us for worship and fellowship with other churches.

THRIVE CRAFT & COOKIE EXCHANGE – Tuesday, December 5th at 6:30pm. Cost: \$5/person. Information and sign-ups are at the ministry table in the auditorium.

DISCLAIMER: Photos are taken weekly in all areas of the church and are posted online. If you do not wish to have your child's photo taken and/or posted online, please email your name and child's name to office@weareemmanuel.life.

UPWARD BASKETBALL & CHEERLEADING – Registration is now open. For ages K4-6th grade. Cost is \$90/participant. Please visit weareemmanuel.life/upward for complete information and sign ups. We are in need of coaches as well!

GIVING

Secure online giving is available. Visit weareemmanuel.life/give for more information. A phone app is available for iOS and Android users. Search "Emmanuel Life" in the app store. If you are our guest, please do not feel obligated to give at this time.

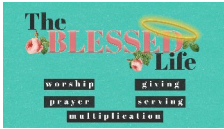
BY THE NUMBERS

July 2023 – June 2024

YTD Income: \$262,436
YTD Expense: \$237,620
Budget: \$277,464

Hearing devices are available in the lobby if needed.

Sermon Notes



"MY PROSPERITY" (Giving)
2 Corinthians 8-9 (Pages #1,799-1,801)
November 19th, 2023
Pastor John

BIG IDEA: God has designed the church to be _____
_____ for Kingdom advancement.

HOW TO PRIORITIZE FINANCIAL GIVING AS A SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINE TO ADVANCE GOD'S KINGDOM:

1. My part to financially invest in Kingdom advancement is both a
_____. **2 Corinthians 8:1-7**

Embrace giving as an _____
leading to _____!

Powerful Traits of the SACRIFICIAL SPIRIT:
(1) Reasonable (2) Sacrificial (3) Intentional

Embrace giving as a _____ of
your _____!

2. My part to financially invest in Kingdom advancement comes from a
_____. **2 Corinthians 8:8-12**

The _____ prove the _____!

Constantly compare yourself to Jesus for motivation to live sacrificially.

The critical characteristic of the giving spirit is _____!

Everyone has discontentment temptations that must be defeated in Christ.

THE ULTIMATE MINDSET: 1 Timothy 6:6-10 & Philippians 4:11-13

3. My part to financially invest in Kingdom advancement produces
_____. **2 Corinthians 9:6-15**

Sacrificial giving is an _____ not an _____!

Proportionate Principle (Lesson #1): Faith Over Fear
Personal Principle (Lesson #2): Purpose Over Pressure

God cares about _____ over _____!

Provision Principle (Lesson #3): Provisions Over Prosperity
Production Principle (Lesson #4): Praise Over Prosperity

Sacrificial giving _____ that lead people to _____!

FINAL THOUGHTS... Choose to prioritize generosity for Gospel impact.
1 Timothy 6:17-19 – _____ determines priorities!



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We exist to honor God by making passionate disciples