

# WELCOME

March 24, 2024

[www.weareemmanuel.life](http://www.weareemmanuel.life)

## 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](http://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-Friday: 9am-4pm

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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: 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grades**  
An exciting time of music, games and Bible lessons.

**WEDNESDAY 6:00pm:**  
**MAGNIFY - 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades**  
Worship, Bible lessons and small groups. **Cancelled this week!**

**WEDNESDAY 6:30pm:**  
**AWANA - 2yrs-5<sup>th</sup> grade**  
Fun evening of Bible memorization, lessons, and games. **Cancelled this week!**

**THURSDAY 6:30pm-8:00pm:**  
**AMPLIFY - 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades**  
An outreach evening of games and relevant Bible lessons. **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.

**DAY OF PRAYER** - Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup> from 8pm-12am and Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup> from 7am-7pm. We will have a room set up for reflection and prayer. Please sign up for a 15-minute time slot at the ministry table.

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

**CONNECTIONS LUNCH** - New to Emmanuel? Join us Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> after the 11:15 gathering in the Connections Café. You will have a chance to meet the team, take a tour of our facility and enjoy a meal with us. Please sign up at the Next Steps table in the lobby.

**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](mailto:office@weareemmanuel.life).

**EASTER AT EMMANUEL - Good Friday Gatherings:** GB Campus: 5pm, FL Campus: 7pm. **Easter Gatherings:** FL Campus: 9:30am & 11:15am, GB Campus: 10am. **Day of Prayer** is Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup> from 8pm-12am and Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup> from 7am-7pm. Sign-ups for Day of Prayer are available at the ministry table in the lobby. Easter invite cards are also available at the ministry table.

## GIVING

Secure online giving is available. Visit [weareemmanuel.life/give](http://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: \$517,319  
YTD Expense: \$479,598  
Budget: \$523,868

**Hearing devices are available in the lobby if needed.**

## Sermon Notes



**“AUTHENTIC, AUDACIOUS, & ABUNDANT GRACE”  
(True Living)**  
Galatians 6:11-18 (Page #1,813)  
March 24th, 2024 | Pastor John

**BIG IDEA:** Lasting joy is found in \_\_\_\_\_  
instead of \_\_\_\_\_.

### THE NECESSARY REMINDERS TO TRUE LIVING ON OUR JOURNEY OF FAITH:

1. Grace protects against \_\_\_\_\_.  
(vs. 12-13: The Authenticity Impact) | Also read... Proverbs 21:2, Matthew 6:1-7, Matthew 16:24

**Motivations must be \_\_\_\_\_ to determine \_\_\_\_\_!**

\* Culture of Grace (Emmanuel Distinctive #1) – **We are genuinely transparent!**

Be sincere, especially when you are afraid of what others might/will think.

**Grace protects against \_\_\_\_\_!**

Grace is my “solid ground,” forgiveness, and confidence!

2. Grace promotes the \_\_\_\_\_ for protection and purpose.  
(vs. 14: The Audacious Impact) | Also read... Galatians 1:10, Galatians 2:20, Philippians 3:4-6

**Maturing motivations always lead a disciple to \_\_\_\_\_!**

**Grace produces \_\_\_\_\_!**

**PROMOTION PRINCIPLES:** How a maturing disciple will **PROMOTE JESUS:**

- (1) God displays his **power** in my **“insignificance!”** (1 Corinthians 1:26-31)
- (2) God displays his **purpose** using my **“weakness!”** (2 Corinthians 12:7b-10)
- (3) God displays his **patience** using me despite my **“past!”** (1 Timothy 1:15-17)

\*\* Culture of Grace (Emmanuel Distinctive #2) – **We are only about God’s Glory!**

3. Grace produces \_\_\_\_\_ bringing lasting peace.  
(vs. 15-16: The Abundant Impact) | Also read... 2 Corinthians 5:17, Galatians 5:25

**The fruit of your life is the \_\_\_\_\_  
of what you valued most!**

What’s worthy of recognizing and celebrating is not a *rule that you kept* but a *relationship benefit you received* at salvation: **purposeful priorities, quality of love, strength over addiction, self-worth reality, peaceful confidence.**

**Behavior is the \_\_\_\_\_!**

\*\*\* Culture of Grace (Emmanuel Distinctive #3) – **We believe God can change anyone!**

**CALL TO ACTION...** It is the authentic, audacious, and abundant grace of God that defines Emmanuel, and we are NEVER going back! Stop striving in your own limited strength and start submitting to the Spirit of God!



# Emmanuel Flint

We exist to honor God by making passionate disciples