# Emmanuel Baptist Church

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**Weekly Schedule** 

## Sunday

Sunday School, 9:30 AM Morning Worship, 10:45 AM Children's Church

#### Wednesday

Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM Team Kid, 6:00 PM Youth Bible Study, 6:00 PM

> Harold Ashcraft Music Minister

Denise Griffin Children/Youth Director

> Claire Pennington Church Administrator

"The nearness of God is my good." Psalm 73:28



December 4, 2025

Kim Butts, Director of *One Cry Prayer* and a longtime contributor to *Prayer Connect*, has authored the book, "30 Biblical Reasons to Pray Scripture."

# **Praying Scripture is Powerful and Effective Because:**

#17 – God's Word is the TRUTH. "To the Jews who had believed Him, Jesus said, "If you hold to My teaching, you are really My disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

John 8:31-32

"And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in Him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit;" Ephesians 1:13

### CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE READING PLAN

Dec 04 2 Corin 1-4

Dec 05 2 Corin 5-9

Dec 06 2 Corin 10-13

Dec 07 Acts 20:1-3, Romans 1-3

Dec 08 Romans 4-7

Dec 09 Romans 8-10

Dec 10 Romans 11-13

Dec 11 Romans 14-16

Dec 12 Acts 20:4 - 23:35

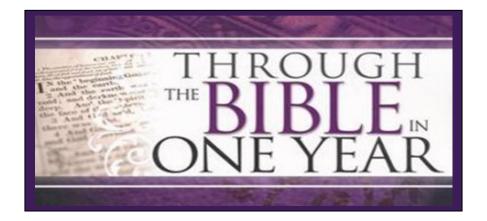
Dec 13 Acts 24-26

Dec 14 Acts 27-28

Dec 15 Colossians 1-4, Philemon 1

Dec 16 Ephesians 1-6

Dec 17 Philippians 1-4





## **MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS**

## In Honor of Ron and Diane Denny

Harry and Agnes Forester Lottie Moon



Prime Time Singers will be off until January. On January 13<sup>th</sup>, they will be singing at The Brookdale in Shreveport on University Drive.

Tuesday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm – Grief Share will be meeting in the FLC.

Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 8:15am – Deacon's Meeting before Sunday School.

Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am – Ladies Bible Study, FLC

Tuesday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm – Grief Share will be meeting in the FLC.

Wednesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm – Business Meeting

Sunday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, 10:45am – The Emmanuel Combined Choirs will present "Rejoice with Great Joy."

Wednesday, December 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:00pm – We will host a Christmas Eve Candlelight Service and observe The Lord's Supper.



To Our Wonderful Emmanuel Family –

What do people do who don't have Christian friends???? Harvey and I decided we don't ever



want to know! What would we have done without all of you? Your cards, your phone calls, your sweet visits and your delicious food were such ministries to our family. But how do we thank you for the prayers which brought miracles for me? I am a walking, talking miracle! When the doctors said "Never," you prayed harder. Thank you for your constant love and care. You are the best! We praise God for our precious church and for my continued recovery.

Love, Robbie and Harvey Ramsey



The Lottie Moon Week of Prayer for International Missions is

December 7<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>.

Our Lottie Moon Offering Ingathering will be Sunday Morning, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 10:45am.

Emmanuel's Offering Goal this year is \$10,000. Prayer Guides and Envelopes are in the foyer and main hallway.

Please commit to pray for our missionaries as they face horrific circumstances to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Some are missing or being held hostage this very day. Let us honor Lottie Moon's sacrifice and dedication as we pray about our offering next Sunday.