

JANUARY 2021



THE ECHOES

*2021 Faith Promise
Missions Conference*



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Praise God! The year 2020 is OVER, and we can hopefully begin moving forward. We're not sure about you, but we're willing to do whatever it takes to let God's desire take over our lives. May you be inspired to do the same by this month's articles, all relating back to the theme for our 2021 Faith Promise Missions Conference, Whatever!



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday
8:30am - 5:00pm

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Sunday School
9:00am

Worship Services
10:30am

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Worship (FB LIVE)
Every Thursday
@ 7:00pm - Prayer
Gathering (FB LIVE)

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General Fund

Week 29 Budget.....\$288,463.00
Week 29 Totals.....\$264,547.29

Faith Promise

Week 43 Budget.....\$150,597.61
Week 43 Giving.....\$126,202.00

ECC Statistics

**Sunday, November 29
201**

**Sunday, December 6
202**

**Sunday, December 13
194**

**Sunday, December 20
172**

**Totals include estimated
online attendance**

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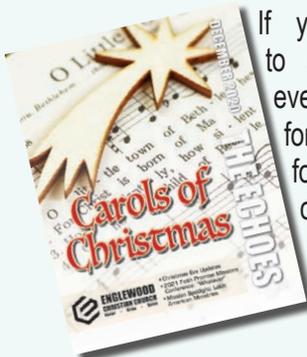
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DEADLINES



If you would like to submit articles, events or activities for consideration for the next issue of *The Echoes*, the deadline is **Wednesday, January 13.**

The deadline for submitting information for the weekly e-newsletter is each **Wednesday at 5:00 pm.**

Please email all submissions to angelah@eccjax.com with any coordinating artwork or graphics.



JANUARY 2021 CALENDAR

GriefShare

Mondays at 6:45pm
New Series Begins 1/11

Sewing/Quilting

Wednesdays at 1:00pm

Wednesday Night Youth Group

Wednesdays at 7:00pm

New Year's Day – Office Closed

Friday, January 1

CWF Circle Meetings

Tuesday, January 5
Saturday, January 9

e-City Kids

Jump into the New Year

Sunday, January 10

CWF Board Meeting

Sunday, January 17

ESM Guys Night/Girls Night

Sunday, January 17

Faith Promise Kickoff

International Luncheon

Sunday, January 24

Faith Promise

Wednesday, January 27

Lifeline Meal Packing Event

Saturday, January 30

Faith Promise

Commitment Sunday

Sunday, January 31

2021 Faith Promise Missions Conference



It's time for our annual Faith Promise Missions Conference. Our 58th edition of this event will challenge us once again with our faith in God to provide for the work of His Kingdom. The theme for this year is "Whatever" and is based off the passage in Matthew 25:40, "Truly, I tell you, **WHATEVER** you did for one of the least of these brother and sisters of mine, you did for me." Our goal is to help us see not only the need for Kingdom work around the world, but also the ways we can give in service to our neighborhood and the greater Jacksonville area. We have partnerships with more than twenty different missions, workers and organizations who work to spread the gospel to all the corners of the globe. Your Faith Promise commitments create opportunities for these essential Kingdomwork activities to occur.

We have made some changes to our Faith Promise Conference format, so please read carefully and make note of the changes to the schedule:

Sunday, January 24 – 9:00am – Combined Adult SS – Kane Miller, FSU CCF; 10:30am – Worship – Jeff Greene, IDES; 12:00pm – International Luncheon

Wednesday, January 27 – 7:00pm – Adults: Vivek Lall, Mid-India Christian Mission; Children – Danny Slater, North Florida Christian Camp

Saturday, January 30 – 9:00am – Lifeline Meal Packing Event (Online registration available! \$5 per person)

Sunday, January 31 – 9:00am – Combined Adult SS – Jessica Lup, AIM; 10:30am – Worship – Billy Loft, Latin America Ministries



Faith Promise commitments will be made at the end of the Worship Service on Sunday, January 31.

The Kids Conference will happen within our regular e-city kids programming.

International Luncheon Details

Good-bye Dinner, Hello International Luncheon!

In the new Missions Conference schedule one of our most cherished events, the International Dinner, will become the International Luncheon. It will be held on the first Sunday of the conference, January 24th, immediately after morning worship service. As a luncheon, it will be similar to our homecoming meal. Other than its new time, the only changes to the event will be ones made to improve safety and reduce the chance for illness to spread.

Here's what you can expect:

- **Decorated Tables:** We will be looking for volunteers to decorate 10-12 tables in the fellowship hall. If you're interested in decorating a table, please contact Karen Lee at 504-6075 (texting is fastest) or by email at piano@comcast.net or on Facebook/Messenger.
- **Covered Dish:** That's right! You can bring your favorite international food dishes as you have in the past.
- **Warehouse:** As in the past, the food line will be in the warehouse, and with some safety changes, you'll be able to serve yourself.

Watch for more details regarding the safety precautions we will have in place for this special event. Your cooperation to make this event as meaningful as other years is greatly appreciated.

Preaching Schedule

During the month of January, we'll focus on missions with three messages from some of our Kingdom partners we support through our Faith Promise giving. There will be a short Stewardship series during the other weeks.

January 3 – Anthony Smith/Pioneer Bible Translators

January 10 – Pete Ramsey/Stewardship

January 17 – Pete Ramsey/Stewardship

January 24 – Jeff Greene/IDES – Faith Promise Conference

January 31 – Billy Loft/Latin America Ministries – Faith Promise Conference



Whatever **MAY COME**

by *Pete Ramsey, Senior Minister*

I've always been a fan of Jeremy Camp. Not a huge one – I can't say I have all his albums or have seen him in concert eighteen times, but I do admire his music, his testimony and the journey the Lord had led him on.

I first heard of Jeremy while I was youth minister here at ECC. We took the youth to a concert event (I think it was called Festival Con Dios), and one of the opening acts was Jeremy Camp. I enjoyed his style of music and became a fan. He shared his testimony that night about the passing of his wife and how God was present and providing in all his mountains and valleys. If I recall, I believe the band Benjamin Gate was there, too, which ironically had a lead singer named Adrienne Liesching, who later became Jeremy's wife.

There was a movie released right about the time of the initial lockdown and national response to the COVID-19 pandemic, so most of you may not have heard about it. It was called *I Still Believe* and told the story of his faith journey and the testimony of his first wife, Melissa, and her battle with cancer. If you have time, please watch it. You can find it on most online streaming services.

His latest project is a collection of worship songs written by Jeremy and Adrienne called, *The Worship Project*. One of them happens to be the theme song for this year's Faith Promise Missions Conference, and I think it accurately describes our attitude when it comes to the challenges we may face in life.

Whatever I face/Whatever the fear/Whatever the cost/
You always draw near

Whatever the pain/Whatever may come/Whatever may
fall/Your love overcomes

To me, this song describes our response to Jesus' own words in John 16:33 – *"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."*

If we truly believe the words of Jesus, should we not respond to every circumstance – COVID included – with this type of faith? If we take Jesus at His very word which tells us we have peace in Him alone and He has indeed overcome the world, and if we truly believe that, then I believe, yes, our response could be summarized with one simple word, "Whatever." There is nothing outside of Your dominion You do not control and nothing You are incapable of leading me into, over, through, around or away from, Lord!

WHAT I'M WONDERING, THOUGH, IS NOT IF I BELIEVE THESE WORDS OF JESUS, BUT IF I BELIEVE THEM IN A BIG ENOUGH, BOLD ENOUGH, CRAZY ENOUGH KIND OF WAY.

This even relates to our Faith Promise commitments. I'll admit, sometimes I've gone conservative – just enough beyond what's comfortable to stretch my faith, but tempered by the reality of my own mind. I know the numbers. I know the family budget. I know what expenses are coming up, but I also know what God can do. What I'm wondering, though, is not if I believe these words of Jesus, but if I believe them in a big enough, bold enough, crazy enough kind of way. When it comes to my Faith Promise commitment, do I really believe HE will provide, or am I just writing down a number that I'm confident I will find a way to give? As we prayerfully consider what our Faith Promise commitments will be this year, let's remember that HE is the one who will provide, not us. He is the one who will be there for us no matter what the circumstances and HE is the one who gives us peace.

WHEN IT COMES TO MY FAITH PROMISE COMMITMENT, DO I REALLY BELIEVE HE WILL PROVIDE, OR AM I JUST WRITING DOWN A NUMBER THAT I'M CONFIDENT I WILL FIND A WAY TO GIVE?

The final portion of our theme song says this:

Every wall will break/All the darkness shake/All the joy will be renewed/So, every knee let's bow/Raise a victory shout/For the King will make things new

Every mountain moved/Every lie be loose/For Your banner we're lifting high

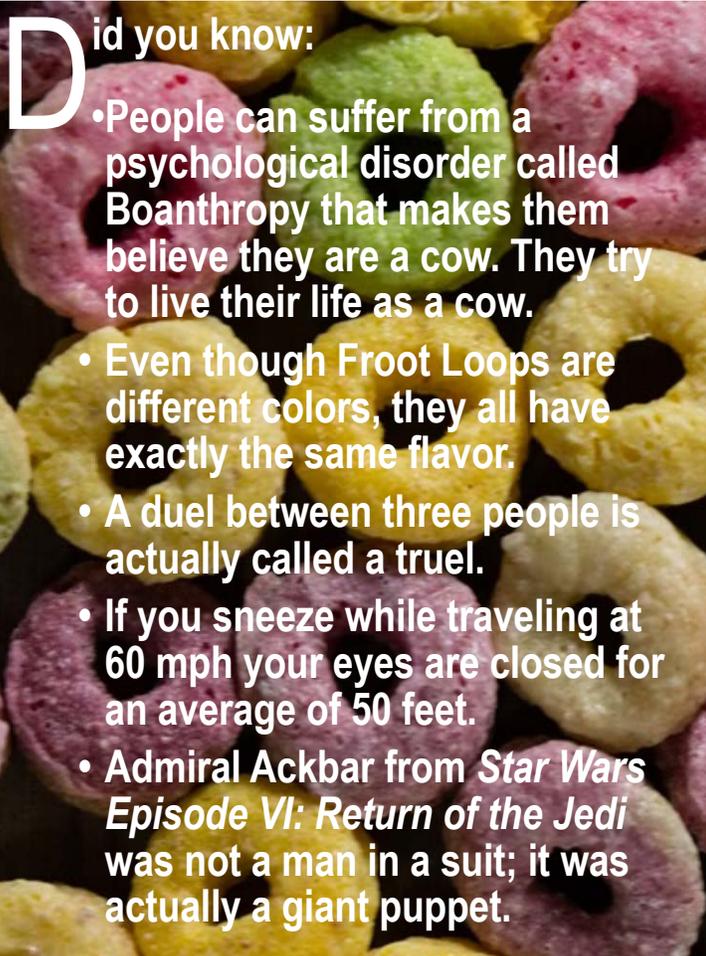
For neither depth nor height/Nor any life/Could ever cast Your love aside

May our faith move us to trust God in such a way that shows we have trust in the victory God has promised and the life He promises to give. Let's move the mountains and lift the gospel banner high as we commit to Christ's Kingdom through our Faith Promise commitments this year. Remember, He is the one who will provide, not us. All we have to do is say, "Whatever."

Whatever YOU SAY



by Josh Colvin, Student Minister



Did you know:

- People can suffer from a psychological disorder called **Boanthropy** that makes them believe they are a cow. They try to live their life as a cow.
- Even though Froot Loops are different colors, they all have exactly the same flavor.
- A duel between three people is actually called a **truel**.
- If you sneeze while traveling at 60 mph your eyes are closed for an average of 50 feet.
- Admiral Ackbar from *Star Wars Episode VI: Return of the Jedi* was not a man in a suit; it was actually a giant puppet.

I'm assuming the majority of you already know several facts about me. Many of you know I am a person who likes to go with the flow. You may also know I am an easily trusting person who believes a lot of things people say, depending on how passionate they are. I'm not gullible, but I do believe people easily.

There are times in my life, and probably your life as well, where we hear something totally off the wall and have a hard time believing it. However, because of who it is that said it and how they said it, you say to them, "Okay. Whatever you say." You don't want to believe them, but you also don't want to argue with them.

There are times in all of our lives when we are asked to do something and have no idea whatsoever why, but we do it anyway. We do it in of blind faith. I've mentioned this before, but coming back to Florida was one of those blind faith

moments. My family and I moved to Indiana, and I said, "I'm done with Florida," but God had different plans and a different direction for my family. I didn't understand why He was leading us back, but in the long run I'm glad He did. During that time, I was asking Him what He wanted us to do and where He wanted us to go. Here we are! We are part of an extraordinary church family.

Sometimes we don't understand why God is calling us to do certain things or go certain places, but we say to Him, "Okay, God. Whatever you say." Our walk with God needs to be rooted in faith. Faith that God's plan is what is best for us and faith He's not going to lead us the wrong way or down the wrong path.

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People today try to think logically about faith. Faith is not logical. The writer of Hebrews tells us, "Now faith is confidence of what we hope for and assurance of what we do not see." We can't see into the future. Sometimes we don't know what God is trying to tell us or where He is sending us, but we have a hope for the future when God is leading us there.

Pete quoted John Eldredge several weeks ago when he said, "Faith looks back and draws courage; hope looks ahead and keeps desire alive." We may be confused or questioning when God asks us to do something or directs us to go a certain way, but our response shouldn't be to run away and hide where we think God can't find us. Our response should be, "Okay, God. Whatever You say to do, I'll do. Wherever You say to go, I'll go." Have faith, draw courage, and have hope for the future God has planned for you.

"FAITH LOOKS BACK AND DRAWS COURAGE; HOPE LOOKS AHEAD AND KEEPS DESIRE ALIVE." JOHN ELDREDGE

So, whenever God is trying to direct you or wherever God is trying guide and lead you, make your response to Him, "Okay, God. Whatever you say."



Whatever **GIFT**

by Angela Hastings, Office Manager

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10 NIV

When a 7.0 magnitude earthquake wrecked Haiti in January 2010, I wanted to jump on a plane and do all I could to help. The nation and its people had already been popping up on my spiritual radar for several months. I even had a Haitian roommate at the time! The only problem was, most missionaries were fleeing the country, and the only people flying in were in the medical field. I even prayed about going to nursing school so in disastrous situations, I'd be equipped for assisting with trauma. (The reason that didn't pan out is a story for another day.)

...I BROKE DOWN IN TEARS AND IN PRAYER ASKED, "GOD, WHY DON'T YOU DO SOMETHING?" THE HOLY SPIRIT RESPONDED: "WHY DON'T YOU?"

Thirteen months after the earthquake, I took a vision trip with a small group of people from Christ's Church. It was still a nation in ruins. Many buildings were still filled with rubble. Many people were still living in tents. We heard stories of families still living outside for fear of another earthquake. We saw a makeshift orphanage in the middle of nowhere. We crossed a river in crude boats to a village one natural disaster away from starvation. One day while riding through the dirt-paved, trash-covered streets, I broke down in tears and in prayer asked, "God, why don't you do something?"

The Holy Spirit responded: "Why don't you?"

So, I did. I came back and shared stories and pictures with the singles' group, and we started praying and preparing to take another trip later in the year. Six of us headed out the week of Thanksgiving 2011. My favorite part of the trip was everyone brought something different to the table (not the Thanksgiving table), and it all came together beautifully. One person brought a Bluetooth speaker, and we had great

dance parties with kids of all ages everywhere we went. One person helped build a chicken coop and even led another trip the following spring to build more. One person took beautiful photos and made a video for us when we arrived home. We were all gifted in different ways, but we used the gifts we had to serve and to love everyone we came in contact with.



It can be tempting to compare ourselves and our gifts to others and their gifts. We can be convinced that just because we don't have a certain gift or story or personality, we don't have anything to bring to the table. This just isn't true. As a child of God, we have gifts and we must be good stewards of them!

Faith Promise is the perfect time for all of us to be sure we are being faithful stewards of the gifts God has given us. Whether it's a large gift or a small one, bring it to the table. It can be tempting to think, "What can I do? What difference will this little gift make?" I encourage you to remember the story of the widow's mite; Jesus "also saw a poor widow put in two very small copper coins." ³ 'Truly I tell you,' he said, 'this poor widow has put in more than all the others.' ⁴ All these people gave their gifts out of their wealth; but she out of her poverty put in all she had to live on" (Luke 21:2-4). Even the smallest gift of faith honors God and blesses the kingdom.

Whatever gift you have, use it. You will bring life to the church, the kingdom and to yourself. Don't let comparison steal your opportunity to make a difference. When you see a situation that makes you want to ask, "Why doesn't someone do something about this?" why don't you?

Whatever YOU FEEL



by Karissa Mead, Worship Ministry Director

One of my favorite movies of all time is Pixar's *Inside Out*. The movie's protagonist, Riley, goes through conflicting emotions about moving away from her home. Anger, Fear, Disgust, Sadness and Joy are personified as individual characters inside Riley's mind, giving us a glimpse of how each emotion is manifested in her journey to accepting what she feels about her new situation. She starts by being sad, moves on to disgust, then anger (which

got angry at *still exists*. However, each of us has to decide if we are going to continue reacting to our emotions in a negative way or bring them to the foot of the Father and tell him we're sad; we're hurt by our family and friends; we don't understand; we're in pain; we're angry; we're struggling. Before you act on those feelings, don't keep them from God – confess them and surrender. David knew that keeping himself from God did more harm than good when he said,



causes her to run away from home), and then fear about what she has done. It's not until she confronts the aching sadness inside of her that she can finally experience joy again. Part of that involved running back to her parents and confessing to them all the emotions she was experiencing, and being honest with them about what was going on.

Part of any person's Christian walk is going to involve conflicting emotions like this. Paul knew it when he said "I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do" (Romans 7:15). All of us know our emotions have not always matched what we know we are supposed to do. All of us also know our emotions have not always led us on a godly path. But does that mean we can't (as I always like to say) "feel our feelings?" I don't believe so. We know the fruits of the Spirit are products of emotional reactions (love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control). However, we also know if we don't have self-control over how we act on those emotions, there are sinful ramifications to those reactions (impurity, drunkenness, idolatry, hatred, discord, jealousy, rage, selfish ambition, envy, etc.).

January is a great time to renew your spirit with some resolutions. It may also be a time where our hopes for things to "reset" diminish into the same frustration and anger that nothing has changed. Listen, I am so on board with a new year, don't get me wrong – but don't expect that all the baggage from 2020 will simply disappear because we turn a page in the calendar. Your experiences are permanent – everything you did, felt, saw, cried about, laughed about, and

"When I refused to confess my sin, my body wasted away, and I groaned all day long... Finally, I confessed all my sins to you and stopped trying to hide my guilt. I said to myself, 'I will confess my rebellion to the Lord.' and you forgave me! All my guilt is gone" (Psalm 32:3-5 NLT).

It's funny how Pixar reflects this in *Inside Out*. Riley knew that she was supposed to be happy in her new home, but she didn't confront her feelings about leaving her old home at all, and the result was unhealthy manifestations of everything she was feeling: fits of rage, hatred, selfishness and fighting with her parents. Her desired outcome was a happy family, but the reality ended up being something much different. It wasn't until she admitted what she was feeling to her parents that she was able to be at peace with her situation. We learn from Riley's story that even though she finally confronts her emotions, the end result is not simply experiencing joy again. Rather, her joy now contains a hint of sadness over what she lost by moving away from her home.

I don't know about you, but when I confront my feelings (good or bad) in front of the Father, my pain grows smaller. When I stop trying to hide my true self from Him, it is less of a struggle every day. Many of us are going through major life events where our joy is tainted with sadness or pain. For most of us, that pain will never go away. Yet just like Riley, some of us just need to reunite with our Father, tell Him our baggage, and have a good old-fashioned ugly cry. He knows what we need even before we do. Whatever you feel come the new year, remember that truth!



Whatever YOU NEED

by *Serena Maerkl, Children's Director*

A few weeks ago I was having a particularly rough evening with my kids. On this day I had asked each of them to help with a few things around the house. None of them exhibited even a spark of a response. Then I did what any of you would do in this situation, I repeated the request a little louder, only to be ignored a second time. I started to really get angry at them because I felt not only ignored, but disrespected.



I asked a third time before I received a reply of, "I HEARD YOU MOM! I'M DOING SOMETHING ELSE!" I may have broke down a little at that point because I screamed back, "WHY CAN'T ANY OF YOU JUST ACKNOWLEDGE ME AND DO WHAT I SAID?" Not my finest parenting moment. I just wanted them to

say "Yes ma'am," and happily do the job as a sign of their love and commitment to our family (I know, they're kids, but I can dream). One of the positives of them getting older is they're more independent. Unfortunately that's also a pretty big negative as well. They make their own judgment call about things, which in this instance involved whether my request was worth doing in my time frame or theirs. They also displayed a little "not it" mentality, hoping one of the others would do it first, so they didn't have to. If this sounds familiar, you're either a parent, or you're in ministry.

Have you ever responded in a similar way when you were called on to do something? One undeniable truth of Children's Ministry is one can never have enough volunteers. Even when you're fully staffed, you need people training to be future leaders. Unfortunately, it's also a job many people are afraid to do because let's face it, kids can be scary. One of the tasks I was least prepared for when I began this job was recruiting volunteers, which is why I'm so grateful to have the amazing volunteer staff I have. They are some of the most hard working and loving people I know. They're the people who answer my

calls with, "Whatever you need." The best part is they really mean it. However, it can also be a pretty discouraging task because for every emphatic "YES!" I get about ten declines. I've found most people just aren't confident enough in their abilities to teach small children. All of us have felt like we're not good enough to do something. If you need an example from the Bible just read what Moses said in Exodus 4:13, "Pardon your servant Lord. Please send someone else." Yeah, he turned down God, but God wasn't going to take no for an answer. He told him to recruit his brother Aaron to help him, because not saving God's chosen people wasn't an option.

Allowing the legacy Englewood has built over the years to fade away should not be an option either. The families in our community need Jesus, and in order to do that we need to allow God to use us in whatever capacity He needs. Pete recently issued a challenge for the next generation to rise up and carry out the legacy these volunteers have worked so hard to build. They did not build this legacy on their own, but with the spirit and power of God. Jesus said in John 14:12, "Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father." He was laying the very foundation of ministry based on the good works of His people so more may come to know salvation. The fact is, all of us are like Moses. None of us are equipped, and none of us are qualified, but to judge our abilities on an earthly standard diminishes the power of God. 1 Corinthians 1:25-29 explains it like this. "For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength. Brothers and sisters, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. God chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things—and the things that are not—to nullify the things that are, so that no one may boast before him." So the next time God calls you to action, don't let your doubts, fears and insecurities move you to say, "Send someone else," but instead answer, "Whatever you need."

Guys Night Out

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17TH @ 6PM

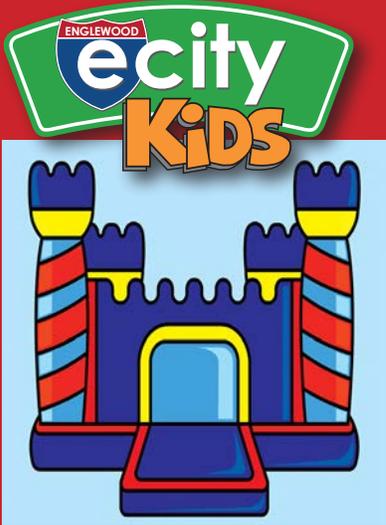
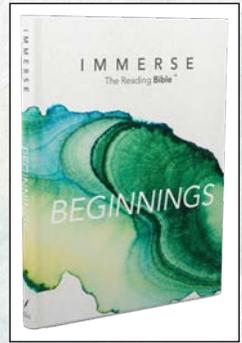
MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Girls Night Out



IMMERSE

Books for our next segment of the IMMERSE Bible reading program are available for purchase. The deadline to pre-order these books is Sunday, January 3. You can do so by ordering one online through the app, website or enewsletter, or by placing an order at our registration table on Sunday morning. Books should arrive within two weeks and be available for distribution by Jan 17 or 24. Our program begins on January 31 with IMMERSE groups beginning the following week. Remember, you can also listen to the daily readings or order an e-book version for your tablet, phone or electronic device. Please join us as we move into the second segment of our Bible reading program.



JUMP INTO THE NEW YEAR

All kids in grades K-5 are invited to join us after church on Sunday, January 10 for an afternoon of fun. We'll have a bounce house, pizza, and outside games. The cost of this event is \$4.00 per child. Please register online no later than Wednesday, January 6.

Treasurer Note

Englewood Christian Church will not be placing donor statements for 2020 in the foyer for distribution in January 2021. Instead, if you require a printed statement from the church, please call the office, email or use the connect option on the ECC app and you will be placed on the mail out list. If you participated in online giving for 2020, you will receive an email from Subsplash with an attached donor statement for your online contributions. Some of you may have used both methods of giving, and therefore you will have two statements to combine for your total giving for the year to the church. If you use online giving and have changed your email address, please make sure the church has your current email address.

ECC Notebooks

Have you ever taken some great notes on a class, devotion or sermon only to have no idea where they are when you try to find them later on? For 2021, ECC has a great way for you to better organize all your notes from all your great Bible study opportunities. These customized notebooks will be available for \$5 each, and they are all the perfect size to carry with your Bible. Beginning in January 2021, our weekly sermon notes will fit perfectly inside this notebook, and they will even be pre-punched so you can place them inside right away! Notebooks are available for purchase in the lobby each Sunday or from the office during the week.



Note of Thanks

Our family would like to give all the ladies that helped supply items for the Thanksgiving baskets a great big THANK YOU! The Hammock/Zaffarese families were truly blessed by this outpouring of love. We have an amazing church family and it fills my heart to know that you are always there to support us through joyous and difficult times.

Love to you all,
Jennifer Hammock

ECC @ A Glance

PROGRAMMING UPDATES

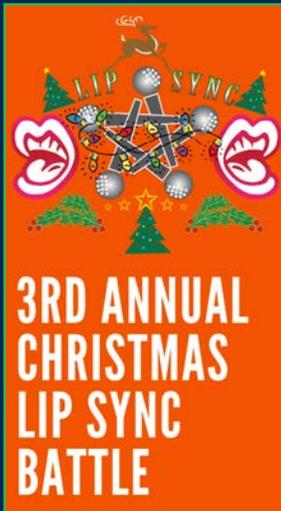
Beginning on Sunday, January 3, Englewood Christian Church will resume Sunday School programming for all ages in an abbreviated format. We will keep the current time schedule with our Sunday school classes meeting at 9:00am and our worship service at 10:30am. This abbreviated schedule means some classes will temporarily merge or not return to meeting yet. See the list at the right for current details. As a reminder, in all circumstances please use caution. Remember, wisdom over emotion, and you must make the best choice for you and your family and those around you.

SS Class Schedule (beginning January 3)

- Young Adults – Room 208
- Converge – Room 209
- Philathea – Warehouse
- Seekers/Homebuilders – Fellowship Hall

Please be aware, this also requires us to return to a ONE worship service format which will take place at 10:30. In order to make this a success, we need to remind you that the FRONT ROWS are available to sit in, and it would be better if some of our regular attenders would sit there so our late arriving members or guests don't have to walk all the way to the front of the room.

Thanks for your help in all of this.



Give it up for The Butlers and Hopkins as they went all out syncing Pentatonix's version of "White Winter Hymnal." Congrats!





Young Adult Immerse Group had a blast at end-of-year Christmas party!



Thanks to all those who came to decorate our campus for Christmas



Our ESM crew heading home from a memorable weekend at the first High School Winter Retreat at NFCC!



Day Circle's Christmas for 33 Kids!



Servants in training! Our e-City Kids working hard to make wreaths for our home bound members!



Some of our caroling members sharing the joy & sounds of Christmas!

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- ☆ Mid-India Christian Mission/Vivek Lall
- ☆ Family Ministries of FL - Cookson Hills
- ☆ Colegio Biblico
- ☆ Johnson University - Florida
- ☆ Medical Missions of India/Rees
- ☆ North Florida Christian Camp
- ☆ International Disaster Emergency Services
- ☆ Seminole Student Ctr. – FSU/Kane Miller
- ☆ Latin America Ministries/Billy & Betty Loft
- ☆ UF Campus Ministry/Bob & Celeste Gailey
- ☆ Mid South Hispanic Ministry/John Bliffen
- ☆ Appalachian International Ministry/
Jessica Lup
- ☆ Good News Publications
- ☆ The Cloudland Seminary
- ☆ Lifeline - Omoa Children's Home
(Honduras)
- ☆ Rapha International
- ☆ Literature and Teaching Materials
- ☆ Pioneer Bible Translators/Smith family
- ☆ Central Brazil Missions/Haubner family

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