## **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

#### Sunday

10:00 AM - Sunday School (for all ages)

11:00 AM - Worship Service Children's Church

7:00 PM - Worship Service

#### Wednesday

7:00 PM - Prayer Meeting & Bible Study WMU & Brotherhood\*

7:00 PM - Children/Youth Activities (September-April)

\*meets last Wednesday of each month

#### FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY

Mike Hammonds, Director 859-986-2604 (Church) 859-986-7874 (Home)



# Our Vision

To seek to establish a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, and to reach out with God's love and power to all people in our church and community.

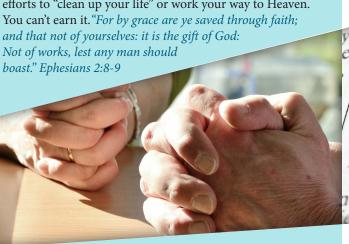
### **HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN**

There is just one thing that seperates you from God - sin. "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;" Romans 3:23

For you to come to God, your sin must be paid for. God's gift to you is His Son, Jesus, who paid the debt for you. "For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Iesus Christ our Lord." Romans 6:23

It might be hard to understand how Jesus could love you when other people don't. "But God demonstrated his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." Romans 5:8

It is God's grace that allows you to come to Him - not your efforts to "clean up your life" or work your way to Heaven. You can't earn it. "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." Ephesians 2:8-9



Jesus paid the price for your sin by giving His life on Calvary's cross and being raised to life on the thrid day. What you must do is accept the free gift that Jesus is holding out for you right now. "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation." Romans 10:9-10

God says that if you believe in His Son, Jesus, you can live forever with Him in glory. If you would like to know more about trusting Jesus as your Lord and Savior, please let us know. "For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." Romans 10:13



perish, but have that he gave his only begotten him should not perish, but have him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

17 For God sent not his Son world; but that the world through him might be saved.

18 \*\*He that believeth on the saved send through the saved.

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#### WELCOME FROM OUR PASTOR

Emmanuel Baptist Church is a growing congregation. We are a family of believers who are deeply committeed to fulfilling our Lord's Great Commission to "Go into all the world proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ and making disciples of all nations," while also exhibiting Christian qualities of love, compassion, and caring for those in need as revealed by Christ.

If you are seeking purpose and meaning for your life, we invite you to join us. You will find real people from all walks of life who have found purpose in a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Jesus said, "I Am the Way, the Truth, and the Life. No man cometh unto the Father but by me." John 14:6

## **ABOUT OUR CHURCH**

The congregation of Emmanuel Baptist Church is an evangelical body of baptized believers committed to the worship and service of Jeus Christ. We are a Southern Baptist Church, associating with the ministry of the Tates Creek Baptist Association, the Kentucky Baptist Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention.

We believe the Bible is the inspired, inerrant, ifallible, authoritative Word of Almighty God and is our only rule of faith and practice. The church subscribes to the doctrinal statement of the Baptist Faith and Message.

We believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God who died for our sins, was buried, and rose again from the dead, and that salvation is only available through faith in Jesus Christ.

#### WE RECEIVE MEMBERS BY:

**Profession of Faith in Christ, Baptism** - For those making a decision to receive Christ as their personal Savior and following Him in baptism by immersion.

**Transfer of Letter** - For those who belong to the fellowship of another Baptist church of like faith and order. We ask that your church letter of membership be transferred to EBC.

**Statement of Faith** - For those who wish to unite with our church upon a statement of prior conversion experience and baptism by immersion in a Baptist church of like faith and order when no church letter or transfer is available.



# **ABOUT OUR PASTOR**

Joey Kays, a lifelong resident of Richmond, KY, is a graduate of Madison Central High School. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree in History from EKU and his Masters of Divinity from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY.

Joey and his wife, Alexis, have been married for thirtyfour years and have two adult sons, Jordan and Cory, and a daughter-in-law, Emily. We believe in one God, the Creator, Preserver, Sustainer, and Ruler of all things. God is revealed to us as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, each with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature, essence, or being.

We believe Jesus Christ is the Head of the church. We are a local, autonomous, New Testament church of baptized believers under the Lordship of Jesus Christ, the scriptural officers being pastor and deacons, the church ordinances being baptism and the Lord's Supper.

"But now hath God set the members every one of them in the body, as it hath pleased Him."

1 Corinthians 12:18

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