

SERMON NOTES

Emmanuel Baptist Church

September 24, 2023

EMMANUEL EXISTS AS A REACHING MINISTRY:
REACHING UP TO GOD IN WORSHIP, REACHING IN TO ONE
ANOTHER FOR EDIFICATION AND ENCOURAGEMENT,
REACHING OUT TO THE WORLD WITH CHRIST'S LOVE



PRAYER REQUESTS

“Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life.”

Proverbs 4:23

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SUNDAY 10:00AM WORSHIP • WEDNESDAY 9:30AM BIBLE STUDY

TODAY'S MESSAGE: Welcome to Emmanuel; where we serve a righteous God who has given us His righteousness in Christ! In order to protect our vitals in this spiritual war, we need to put on the breastplate of righteousness. This breastplate is like God's breastplate of righteousness, which is His promise to be faithful to His people. But ultimately what protects us as Christians is God's gift of righteousness in Christ. We need to remember that Jesus paid it all when the enemy attempts to force-feed us a plate of guilt leftovers.

VIOLINIST: Mike Nelson
PIANIST: Nancy Larson

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

HYMN NO. 10 "O Worship The King!"
HYMN NO. 107 "Let's Just Praise The Lord"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE & PRAYER

Our time as a church to share prayer requests, as well as praises and updates from answered prayers.

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

HYMN NO. 564 "We Are So Blessed"

MESSAGE Ephesians 6:14
"The Breastplate"

HYMN NO. 210 "Jesus Paid It All"

CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION

NEXT WEEK'S TEXT: Ephesians: 6:15

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Mornings	9:30am	Prayer time downstairs
Sun. Nights	6:00-7:00pm	Community Choir
Today	After Service	Potluck
Sun. 10/15	After Service	QBM
Wed. 10/18	5:30-8:00pm	Potluck & Fellowship Night

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Our next Quarterly Business Meeting will be Sunday, October 15.

We will have a Potluck and Fellowship Night on Wednesday, October 18, at 5:30pm. Feel free to invite a friend or neighbor! This is the first of hopefully many fellowship nights where we will have various events such as a movie night, topical discussion, game night, worship night, testimony night, theology class, topical Bible study, etc. Stay tuned!

Offering plate(s) are available at sanctuary entrance after the service.

Would you like a yard sign to let passers by know about our church? Please leave your name on the sign-up in back.

MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH

Ryan and Kristen O'Leary [Joshua, Luke, Benjamin] are our missionaries for September. They serve with Converge in Bemidji, MN. Ryan is the President of the National Association of Native Evangelicals. He travels extensively all over the USA to help train leaders and encourage the work among Native Americans. Pray for Spiritual wisdom, health, safety, and traveling. Also pray for increase in support to cover travel expenses.

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Please **email** all bulletin announcements by noon on Wednesday. *If you do not have email*, you may call the church office with your message.

A calendar is posted outside Pastor's office. Please record any planned meetings so there is no double-booking of events. Thank you.