

*Christmas Tree Decorating
and
Carol Sing Service*



December 8, 2019

Ralph Nygard, Lead Pastor

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Church family,

The Christmas Tree Decorating Service has been part of my life since I was a teenager. This is such a simple service that includes all ages of the church and is family friendly. Not only do we get to decorate the Trees and bring a spiritual meaning to the Christmas tree, we have the opportunity to sing many of our favorite carols and listen to the beautiful music of Christmas presented by EGFirst's gifted musicians. When my mother wrote the script to this service, I doubt that she knew that this service would be used by churches across the Nation as a way to celebrate the birth of the Savior. It is easily adapted for small churches and larger churches. I really hope that you will stay for the time of fellowship following the service in order to get to know some more of the church family.

As Christmas Day is quickly approaching, let me ask you a question. How are you doing preparing your heart for this most special day of the year? Have you taken some time to pray and read the Biblical narratives, and take the opportunity to refresh your mind with the wonder of how much God loves you by sending His only Son into the world to save you from the penalty of your sins and establish with you a personal friendship?

There are so many people in our world who have no real understanding of the Christmas message. Christmas Eve Candlelight Services will be on Tuesday afternoon and Tuesday evening this year. Many people are open to coming to Church on Christmas Eve, and they are waiting for your invitation. Don't let this season slip by without doing your best to share the Good News through this special opportunity in our special Christmas Eve Celebrations. You will have the opportunity to choose the time that will work out best for your family as both services will be identical at 4 & 6 pm. Don't forget to give your offering to support the work of our International Missionaries through our Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

Love in Christ,

Pastor Ralph

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

We are so glad you made it today!

Grab an info packet in the lobby and a Bible from the information desk.

There is a mother-baby suite in the NE corner of the Worship Center

Babies and Preschooler can join us in the preschool area.

1st-6th Graders, your groups meet at 9:15-10:15AM, and you'll be released to "Uprise" from the 10:30 Service.

Our Guest Wifi Password is: 87654321

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY!

Potluck to Follow Christmas Tree Decorating and Carol Sing Service

Ecuador Child Sponsorships

So Far we have 10 out of 25 children sponsored! You may contact Pastor Matt with any of your questions at 254-2339 x 15.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering: Our Goal \$20,000

100% of your generous gifts provide missionaries the services they need to live among the unreached peoples they serve.

**No more Wednesday Night Youth in December.
Youth is now on Sunday Night!**

Youth Christmas Party: December 15 at 6PM (Youth Zone)

Church Wide Christmas Caroling: Sunday, December 22 at 3 PM

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Services Tuesday, December 24:
at 4 PM and 6 PM**

childcare available for children 3yrs and under.



OUR MISSION:

LOVE GOD, LOVE PEOPLE, SHARE JESUS, REACH THE WORLD

THIS WEEK AT EG FIRST

Sunday, December 8:

Pastor's Prayer Team: 8:30 AM (Rm 104) Open to All

Prayer First: 8:30 AM (Conference Rm)

Library Open: 8:45 - 9:15 AM & 10:00 - 10:30 AM

Christmas Tree Decorating/ Carol Sing: 10:30 AM

Potluck Immediately to Follow Service

Youth (Youth Zone): 5 PM

Monday, December 9:

BYKOTA Class Meeting: (Rm 400 A) 11 AM-12:30 PM

Tuesday, December 10:

Ironmen Bible Study: 9:15 AM (Rm 301)

Woman Warriors Bible Study: 9:15 AM (Rm 104)

Library: 9:30 AM - Noon

Boutique: 10 AM - Noon

Food Pantry & Community Assistance: 10 AM - Noon

Phebean Monthly Class Meeting: 6-7:30 PM (Rm 400 A)

Wednesday, December 11:

Men's Life Group: 1:30 PM (Conference Room)

Dinner Served: 5:00 PM (Worship Center)

Library Open: 5:45 - 6:15 PM

Wednesday Night Programs: 6:15 PM

Kidz Midweek (Uprise Room)

Hooking on Hump Day (Crocheting) (Rm 104)

Seekers of the Word (Conference Room)

Adult Bible Study & Prayer Meeting (400 D & E)

Praise Band Rehearsal: 6:30 PM

Traditional Choir Rehearsal: 7:30 PM

Thursday, December 12:

Threads of Love: 9 AM-12 PM (Rm 400)

Boutique: 10 AM - Noon (Rm 200)

Food Pantry & Community Assistance: 10 AM - Noon

Iglesia Bautista Eau Gallie: 7:30 PM (Rm 400 D & E)

Friday, December 13:

Basic Class Meeting: 6 PM (Rm 400 A,B,C)

IN MEMORY OR HONOR

To Benevolence:

In Memory of Doris Kenyon

By: Ed & Nancy Fannin

To Lottie Moon:

In Honor of Lynne Phillips

By: Sherry Keene

Lottie
Moon
Christmas
Offering



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 12/08:** Patricia Swett
12/09: Betty Boman, Vivian Fogle, Ben Paynter
12/10: Joyce Bostic
12/11: Wandell Adkins, Jess Salas, Sharon Kiser, Katrina Colley
12/12: Shauna Hume
12/13: Sarah Liberto, Vincent Breckenridge
12/14: Evelyn Woods, Iva Walton, Warren Thomas
12/15: Thelma Pomery, Robert Daniels, Karen Herrmann, Brad Beckman, David Harshaw, Samantha Nimmo
12/16: Christine Vinson, Tim Hoffman
12/17: Barbra McCalla, Wendell Maxwell, Connie Clouser, Christian Trespacios, Lance James
12/18: James Werner, Jacob Payne
12/19: Betty Taylor, Betty Jo Green-Park, Amberly McCoy, Angelina Concha
12/20: Jean Stabler, Nellie Crees, Judith Spaulding, Kim Wiseman Luke Meister

SYMPATHY

We extended our Christian love and sympathy to Dick and Ginny Pugh in the passing of Ginny's sister Ardith Dillon.

We extended our Christian love and sympathy to Innis Evers in the passing of her brother-in-law.

We extended our Christian love and sympathy to Bruce Ingersoll in the passing of his sister.

We extended our Christian love and sympathy to Ryan and Cara Langlie in the passing of Ryan's mother Kathy Davis.

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

"How wonderful and pleasant it is when brothers live together in harmony!" Psalms 133:1(NLT)

Facts and Figures December 01, 2019

Weekend Worship Attendance 401

Weekly Budget Needed 18,629.15

Budget Offering	18,956.20
Designated	2,783.75
CTB Debt Retirement	340.00
Lottie Moon	2,250.00

Total Offering 24,329.95

To Date Figures

Budget Goal	894,199.20
Received	890,406.33
CTB Year	12,340.00
Lottie Moon to Date	4,171.00

Fellowship Supper Wednesday, Dec 11

Suggested Donation
\$5 Adult \$3 Child \$15 Family

Fried Chicken Sandwich,
Potato Wedges, Carrot Raisin
Salad, Apple Crisp

Cobb Salad

No Reservations Needed

Deacons on Call Dec 8 - Dec 14

Craig Helping	321-693-3040
Jim Offner	321-537-2147
Marc Kish	321-288-3521
Joe Mazzella	347-538-3030

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Hymn	“Joy to the World”	Congregation
Welcome Prayer		Pastor Ralph Nygard
Offering	“Canticle of Glorias”	Praise Orchestra
Reader #1	The Evergreen Tree	
Carol	“Good Christians Now Rejoice”	Congregation
Reader #2	The Silver Garland	
Carol	“Hark The Herald Angels Sing”	Congregation
	“Let Us Adore Him”	Celebration Choir
Reader #3	The Red Ornaments	
Carol	“Gentle Mary Laid Her Child”	Congregation
Reader #4	The Blue Ornaments	
Carol	“Angels We Have Heard On High”	Congregation
	“God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen”	Erin, Mary, Roger, Tom, Walter
Reader #5	The Gold Ornaments	
Carol	“ We Three Kings”	Congregation
Reader #6	Candy Canes	
Carol	“Away in A Manger”	Congregation
	“The Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy”	Kidz Choir
Reader #7	The Bells	
Carol	“I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day”	Congregation
Reader #8	The Birds	
Carol	“Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne”	Congregation
	“Noel”	Living Proof Ladies
Reader #9	The Fruit	
Carol	“Go Tell It On The Mountain”	Congregation
Reader #10	The Icicles	
Carol	“What Child Is This”	Congregation
	“Silent Night”	“Praise Band”
Reader #11	The Stand, the Tree, and the Lights	
Carol	“O Little Town of Bethlehem”	Congregation
Reader #12	The Star	
Carol	“O Holy Night”	Pastor Ralph Debbie Harden
	“Silent Night”	Congregation

Potluck Lunch to Follow Immediately after service

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