

Earle's Grove Baptist

December 17, 2017

They will call Him Immanuel—which means “God with us”

Matthew 1:23 NIV

Morning Praise and Worship 11:00 am

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Altar Prayer

Worship through Song

Emmanuel #82

O Little Town of Bethlehem #86

Worship through Giving

Jim Watson

Worship through Song

THE CHILDREN CHOIR PRESENTS

The Colors of Christmas

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Scene 1

You Make All Things New

Soloists: Josie Macijewski, Caroline & Maggie Gambrell

Scene 2

Mary, Did You Know?

Scene 3

At the Cross (Love Ran Red)

Soloists: Norah Burgess, Bella Manley

Scene 4

Nothin' Less than the Best

Soloists: Addie Haley, Hannah Macijewski

Scene 5

The Colors of Christmas Finale

Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Go, Tell It on the Mountain (Soloist: William Reid)

Cast: Russ, Melissa, Abby, and Andrew Evans

Welcome to Earle's Grove! We ask that everyone (guests and members) to please take a moment to complete a **CARE** card. You may use the card to request more information about our church or indicate a specific decision or prayer request. Please return the card at the close of the service. If God is leading you to join our church, we would love to have you! You may join by (1) professing faith in Jesus Christ as your personal Savior and receiving believer's baptism; (2) moving your membership from another Southern Baptist Church; (3) or moving your membership from a church of another denomination, which may include receiving believer's baptism by immersion. At the close of the service the pastor will provide an opportunity for you to respond. Simply go forward and let him know what decision you are making, and he will help you with that decision.

DECEMBER 10 REPORTS

Tithes: \$8,351.14

Weekly Budget Needs: \$9,088.00

Received to Date: \$407,865.98

Abishai Love Offering: \$490.00

Lottie Moon: \$280.00

Upward: \$130.00

Preschool: \$100.00

Sunday School: 139

CHRISTMAS DINNER

FAMILY LIFE CENTER

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE MORNING SERVICE

NO EVENING ACTIVITIES



LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS

Church Goal: \$5,000.00

Received to Date: \$1,475.00

Please use the envelopes provided at the entrances to give to the Lottie Moon Offering. Please write separate checks for your regular offering and the Lottie Moon offering. (Payable to EGBC)

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday	9:40 am	Ladies' Prayer Group (Library)
	10:00 am	Bible Studies for Life
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Caroling

Loving Our Children

AM Nursery I & II: Dec 17: Emily Ables, Taylor Moore, Nikki Sheriff
Dec 24: Tammy Palmer, Ashley Reid, Gail Hinton

PM Nursery: Dec 17: **NO** Evening Service
Dec 24: **NO** Evening Service

Wednesday Nursery: Dec 20: Christmas Caroling
Dec 27: **NO** Evening Service

Children's Church Volunteers: Dec 17: **NO** Children's Church
Dec 24: **NO** Children's Church

Homebound Food Delivery

Dec 23: **NO DELIVERY**
Dec 30: Pastor James & Teresa Dyar

Looking Ahead

Dec 20: Christmas Caroling at 5:00 pm
Dec 24: Christmas Eve service at 10:00 am
Dec 27: **NO** Wednesday Night Service
Dec 31: Communion Service at **5:00 pm**. No Discipleship Training

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

We invite all of you to come and go caroling with us Wednesday, December 20. We will meet at the Social Hall at 5:00 to divide up into groups to go out caroling.

SERVICE SCHEDULE FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Christmas Eve, Sunday, December 24

Worship at 10:00 am
No Sunday School or evening activities

Wednesday, December 27

No church activities

Sunday, December 31

Sunday School at 10:00 am
Worship service at 11:00 am
No Discipleship Training
Evening Worship at 5:00 pm instead of 6:00 pm
Communion Service & Hand/Stick Drama

UPWARD BASKETBALL MEAL SIGN UP

It's time to sign up for the Saturday meals to be served starting January 6 and ending February 24. There are still three open dates available. Please sign up at the bulletin board if you will serve. If you have any questions, please see April Burgess.

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