

# Emory Church

## Scheduled Events

Believers	First Thursday @ 5:30pm
Bunco	Second Tuesday @ 6:30pm
Crafty Ladies	Third Tuesday @ 6:30pm
4-H	Third Friday @ 5:30pm
Crochet Group	Fourth Monday @ 6:30pm
The Brethren	Second & Fourth Tuesdays @ 6:00pm
Find & Follow	First & Fourth Tuesdays @ 6:30pm
Jesus Bible Study	
Youth Night	Wednesdays @ 5:30-7:00pm
Explorer's	Tuesdays @ 9:30am
	Wednesdays @ 7:00pm

## Prayer List

Frank Acree  
 Alexis Adler  
 June Aldridge  
 Jack Billingsley  
 Betty Burton  
 Lin Burton  
 Betty Carpenter  
 Monty Coleman  
 Frank & Annette Conway  
 Jackie Cooper  
 Earl Cox  
 Carlyon Crook  
 Kevin Dickey  
 Jan Hammack  
 Pat Hollowell  
 Josh Howard Sr.  
 Jimmy McKinney  
 Shirley Pruett  
 Family of Ed Robbins  
 Roy Sanderson  
 Danette Smith  
 Kay Spence  
 Brandy Stiles  
 Jimmy Thompson  
 Morris Thompson  
 Martha Wallace  
 Amy Wilbanks  
 Bobby & Caren Wilbanks  
 Barry & Cindy Wilson

## Today

4:30pm GriefShare  
 5:00pm Choir Practice  
 6:00pm Evening Worship Service  
 Bring your favorite Thanksgiving appetizers & finger foods.  
 Systematic Theology #5  
*The Attributes (Qualities/Features) of God*

## Homecoming Sunday

Homecoming Service start time —10:45am

Homecoming is next Sunday. This week, reach out to those individuals who do not attend regularly or who no longer reside in the Emory area. Please encourage them to attend the service and then for the lunch.

**Members, please bring 2 side dishes.**

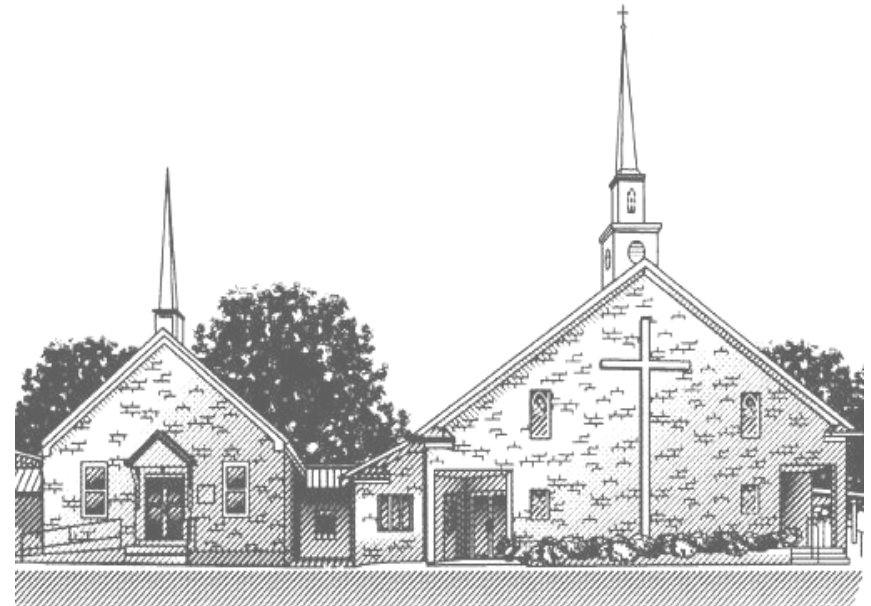
## Important Dates

Homecoming	November 23
Believers Christmas Luncheon	December 4
Emory Choir Christmas Cantata	December 7
Christmas Card Exchange Drop-off	December 7 -14
Fruit Basket Preparation	December 20
Christmas Caroling and Delivering Fruit Baskets	December 21
Christmas Card Exchange Pickup	December 21
Greatest Gift	December 21 & 28
Christmas Eve Communion Service	December 24

## Emory Independent Methodist Church

872 Watson Road	Dr. Michael Johnson	Sr. Pastor
Byhalia, MS 38611	(901) 606-8113	
(662) 838-7878	Robin Cox	Secretary/Treasurer
	(901) 351-7269	
<b>Sunday Services</b>		
Sunday School	10:00am	Margie Thompson
Worship Service	11:00am	Believers
Evening Service	6:00pm	
	<a href="http://www.emorychurchbyhalia.org">www.emorychurchbyhalia.org</a>	

## Guest Registration



November 16, 2025

# Colossians 4:2-6 ESV

## Further Instructions

2 Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. 3 At the same time, pray also for us, that God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ, on account of which I am in prison  
4 that I may make it clear, which is how I ought to speak.  
5 Walk in wisdom toward outsiders, making the best use of the time. 6 Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer each person.

## Church Directory

Emory is in the initial planning stage to release an updated church directory. We are currently updating/validating our membership records. Many of the records are either incomplete, we may have missed an update when you changed your email address, phone number, address, etc.

If you have not already completed a form, please complete the form even if none of your information has changed.

For anyone who has not completed a form, please do one of the following:

- Paper forms should be available in the church foyer.  
Place the completed form in the collection plate.  
Mail it to the church or put it in the church mailbox.
- To use the online form do either of the following:  
Use the link below  
Scan the QR Code with your phone camera
- Call Robin Cox with your information. (901) 351-7269

### Link:

<https://tinyurl.com/EmoryMemberUpdate>

### QR Code:



## Wireless Network

Network Name: EmoryChurch

Network Name and Password are case sensitive.

Password: Emory2022

# Order of Worship

Prelude

Please be seated to prepare yourself for worship.

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Special music

Thank You Lord for Your Blessings on Me

Lynn Howard

\*Hymn

A Simple Prayer

Congregation

\*Hymn

How Great is the Greatness of God

Congregation

Affirmation of Faith

Offering

Offering & Doxology

\*Hymn

#297 I Love to Tell the Story

Congregation

Scripture Reading

Colossians 4:2-6

Children's Church

Children 3rd grade and younger

Sermon

Gracious Words: Evidence of New Birth  
Colossians 4:2-6

Dr. Michael Johnson

Benediction

\*Hymn

#428 I Need Thee Every Hour

Congregation

Announcements

Closing Prayer

(\*) Indicates times when you are invited to stand as you are able  
The nursery is available during the worship service.

**\*\* NO food or drinks in the sanctuary at any time \*\***

## Emory Calendar for the Week of November 16<sup>th</sup>

Sunday	Sunday School	10:00am
	Worship Service	11:00am
	GriefShare	4:30pm
	Choir Practice	5:00pm
	Evening Service	6:00pm
Tuesday	Explorer's Bible Study	9:30am
	Crafty ladies	6:30pm
Wednesday	Kids for Christ	5:30pm
	Explorer's Bible Study	7:00pm
Friday	4-H	5:30pm
Sunday	Homecoming Service	10:45am

For news and updates for the bulletin and prayer list or if you have moved or changed your phone number or email address, contact Robin Cox (901) 351-7269 or wildpigfan@aol.com.