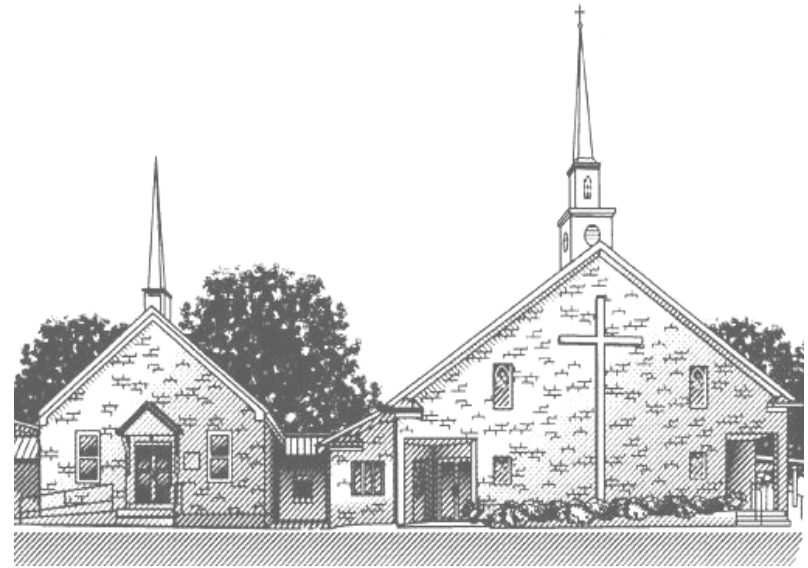


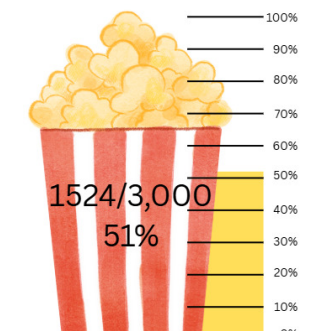
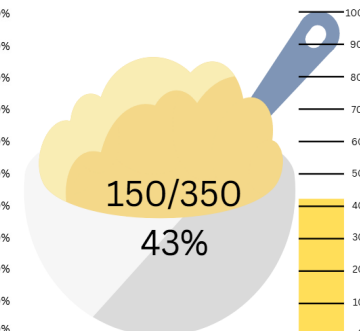
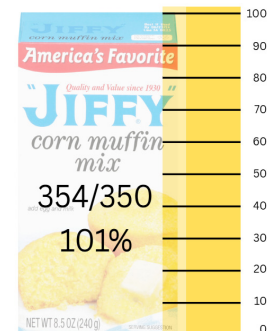
Emory Church



Rev. Johnson

Hearts and Hands Ministry

Prison Ministry



October 12, 2025

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

* Groups not currently meeting

Today

5:00pm Open Board Meeting & Choir Practice
 6:00pm We're having lasagna and garlic bread sticks
 We will need vegetables and desserts.
 Tonight's topic:
 The Bible is INSPIRED and AUTHORITATIVE

GriefShare

Group provides a place for support and guidance through grief. Starting Sunday Nov 2nd 4:30-6:00pm.
 For additional information contact:
 Denise Anglin 901.820.6508 Mandy Yatta 901.553.0233
 Register: griefshare.org

Operation Christmas Child

Shoebboxes & packing guides are available in the foyer.
 Shoebboxes need to be returned by November 16th.
 Contact Robin Cox with questions.

Prayer List

Frank Acree
 Alexis Adler
 June Aldridge
 Shawn and Heidi Allen
 Jack Billingsley
 Betty Burton
 Lin Burton
 Betty Carpenter
 The David Clayton Family
 Frank & Annette Conway
 Jackie Cooper
 Earl Cox
 Carlyon Crook
 Kevin Dickey
 Becky Earnest
 Jan Hammack
 Pat Hollowell
 Josh Howard Sr.
 Jimmy McKinney
 Shirley Pruett
 Roy Sanderson
 Danette Smith
 Kay Spence
 Will Stewart
 Helen Stewart
 Jimmy Thompson
 Morris Thompson
 John Wagnon
 Martha Wallace
 Amy Wilbanks
 Bobby Wilbanks
 Caren Wilbanks
 Barry & Cindy Wilson

Today

Olivia Yannaccone & John Smithey
 Shower
 Sunday, October 12th
 Immediately following worship service
 Emory Church
 Registered at Amazon

Save the Date

Klara Watson & Dawson Mann
 Shower
 Sunday, October 19th
 2:00pm - 4:00pm
 Emory Church
 Registered at Amazon & Target

Emory Independent Methodist Church

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 Byhalia, MS 38611 (901) 606-8113
 (662) 838-7878 Robin Cox Secretary/Treasurer
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Sunday Services
 Sunday School 10:00am Margie Thompson Believers
 Worship Service 11:00am (901) 262-6747
 Evening Service 6:00pm
www.emorychurchbyhalia.org

Guest Registration



John 12:35-43 ESV

³⁵ So Jesus said to them, “The light is among you for a little while longer. Walk while you have the light, lest darkness overtake you. The one who walks in the darkness does not know where he is going. ³⁶ While you have the light, believe in the light, that you may become sons of light.”

The Unbelief of the People

When Jesus had said these things, he departed and hid himself from them.

³⁷ Though he had done so many signs before them, they still did not believe in him, ³⁸ so that the word spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

“Lord, who has believed what he heard from us,
and to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?”

³⁹ Therefore they could not believe. For again Isaiah said,

⁴⁰ He has blinded their eyes
and hardened their heart,
lest they see with their eyes,
and understand with their heart, and turn,
and I would heal them.”

⁴¹ Isaiah said these things because he saw his glory and spoke of him.

⁴² Nevertheless, many even of the authorities believed in him, but for fear of the Pharisees they did not confess it, so that they would not be put out of the synagogue; ⁴³ for they loved the glory that comes from man more than the glory that comes from God.

Trunk or Treat

October 26th 5:00 - 7:00pm

Spread the word to family, friends and neighbors to save the date. Wear the costume that brings out the real you! There will be food, fun, games and much more!

Please sign the sheet in the foyer if you plan to decorate your trunk and/or if you want to volunteer to assist. Contact Stephanie Barrett with questions.

Hearts & Hands

Emory is collecting instant mashed potatoes (13oz. box) and Jiffy cornbread mix (boxed) for their Thanksgiving boxes. **Items need to be turned in by October 20th.** In addition to the Thanksgiving boxes, H&H has a need for food and clothes every week.

Prison Ministry Popcorn

Popcorn bags should be standard size, no mini bags please. Items need to be turned in by November 16th.

Wireless Network

Network Name: EmoryChurch

Password: Emory2022

Network Name and Password are case sensitive.

Order of Worship

Prelude Please be seated to prepare yourself for worship.

Welcome & Opening Prayer

*Hymn Only a Holy God Congregation

*Hymn Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me Congregation

*Hymn #4 How Great Thou Art Congregation

Affirmation of Faith

Offering Offering & Doxology

Special Music My Name's Already There Tim Thompson

Scripture Reading John 12:35-43

Children's Church **Children 3rd grade and younger**

Sermon John 12:35-43 Dr. Michael Johnson

Benediction

*Hymn #350 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus 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 October 12th

Sunday	Sunday School	10:00am
	Worship Service	11:00am
	Open Board Meeting	5:00pm
	Choir Practice	5:00pm
	Evening Activities	6:00pm
Tuesday	Explorer's Bible Study	9:30am
	The Brethren	6:00pm
	Bunco	6:30pm
Wednesday	Kids for Christ	5:30pm
	Explorer's Bible Study	7:00pm
Friday	4-H	5:30pm

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.