

I ♥ Immanuel

Thank you to each and everyone that has given to the "I ♥ Immanuel" fund. These offerings will be used for necessary maintenance that would normally put a strain on the church budget. Again, we appreciate your willingness to give and support our church needs.

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Please join us for Prayer and Praise every Thursday at 10:00 am in Welcome Center as we lift our prayers to God.  
(Matthew 7:7-11)



**October 5<sup>th</sup>:** Tammy Ashley & Debbie Woodward  
**October 12<sup>th</sup>:** Sue Lynch & Mary Grace Hanna  
**October 19<sup>st</sup>:** Michelle Wilkes & Brenda Wilkes  
**October 26<sup>th</sup>:** Tammy Ashley & Samantha Allen  
**November 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Tammy Ashley & Debbie Woodward

Please call Mrs. Tammy Ashley or Mrs. Brenda Wilkes at 843.407.4081 if you have a scheduling conflict.

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October 5th: Randy Powell
October 12th: Danny Thompson
October 19st: Andrew Pittman
October 26th: Randy Powell
November 2nd: Danny Thompson

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 Serving God, Loving People, Sharing the Gospel"  
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A very special Happy Birthday to all of our October birthdays!

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|----|----------------------|----|---------------|
| 7  | Amanda Pittman       | 24 | Mike Evans    |
| 10 | Paige Holbrooks      | 26 | Harriet Evans |
| 11 | Rev. Charlie Pittman | 30 | Lynne Jackson |
| 23 | Harrel Jordan        |    |               |

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Upcoming Events

Tuesday, Oct. 21st: Ladies of Grace Breakfast at 10:00 am @ Bazens

Saturday, Nov. 15th: Parking Lot Ministry

Operation Christmas Child:

Packing Party 10:00 am, Saturday, Nov. 8th
***Dedication** Morning service, Sunday, Nov. 23rd
 (Immediately following the service, please plan to help load and transfer boxes.)

*Please note corrected date for Dedication

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## Parking Lot Ministry

The next Parking Lot Ministry is Saturday, November 15<sup>th</sup>. Thank you all for your support of this ministry.

For those who have asked, we are in need of the following items:

- Men and women's socks
- Small toothpaste
- Small deodorants
- Combs and hair brushes
- Blankets or throws

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## Church Budget Information

| Date                                       | Budget Needs | Budget Received |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| August 31 <sup>st</sup>                    | \$2,966.41   | \$4,036.00      |
| September 7 <sup>th</sup>                  | \$2,966.41   | \$2,754.00      |
| September 14 <sup>th</sup>                 | \$2,966.41   | \$2,738.00      |
| September 21 <sup>st</sup>                 | \$2,966.41   | \$2,103.50      |
| September 28 <sup>th</sup>                 | \$2,966.41   | \$1,911.00      |
| Year to Date as of August 24 <sup>th</sup> | \$115,689.99 | \$116,362.67    |

Bank Balance: \$4,180.73

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## Recent Gifts

† Pastor Charlie & Marcia Pittman to the UB in m.o. Mrs. Joye Howard and in h.o. Mr. Jim King & Mrs. Lydia King

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## Operation Christmas Child

Thank you so very much for contributing the many items we have accumulated for this year's OCC boxes. We still need a large number of stuffed animals like the ones at Dollar Tree and also donations for postage.

Postage for our boxes includes all the shipping and handling charges to get the boxes to their destination, as well as the ministry pamphlets and other materials for witnessing to these children and to their families.

Please remember that if you are not a "shopper", you may make a donation to IBC and designate it for Operation Christmas Child

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## Special Thanks

We would like to thank our IBC family once again for all your support during my recent battle with low heart rates, my hospitalizations, and my recovery since receiving the Pacemaker. Your prayers, texts, calls, cards, gifts, etc. have been such a comfort to both of us. In fact, you all are absolutely the BEST church family anywhere!

A very special thanks is extended to Dwight and Rev. Chris Smith (our Director of Missions) for filling the pulpit for me in my absence. It was reassuring to know that our church family was in the hands of two such Godly men!

We'd like to thank Libby Carter for taking the day of my surgery off from work to be our Uber and to be with us all day at the hospital. Libby, you will NEVER know how you ministered to us that day!

Last but not least, we'd like to thank Andrew and Stephanie for dropping everything in their already crazy schedules to bring "real food" to us at the hospital. You really saved the day! Thanks also Steph for picking us up when I was discharged. You all and your little guys are among our greatest blessings!

We praise the Lord for His healing, and we're "thanking God for all of you." (Ephesians 1:16) God bless...

We love you,

Pastor Charlie and Marcia