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Worship through Song With David Spears
Sunday, July 25th, 6:00 pm

Rev. David Spears will be visiting Immanuel Baptist Church on July 25th to share the wonders of God through his songs. Rev. Spears is the son of the Late Jo and Fred Spears and grew up as a member of IBC. Rev. Spears is also the nephew of the late Blaney and Polly Howle.

David is the Pastor at Eason Memorial Baptist Church in Eastover, SC and has been serving there for the past five years.

David grew up in Florence, SC and made Columbia, SC his home in 1991. He and his wife Tina are the proud parents of three children, Douglas, Rachael, and Nick. They have been blessed with five grandchildren, Graysen, Kinley, James, Michael, and Owen.

Immanuel Light

“God with Us
Serving God, Loving People, Sharing the Gospel”

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Independence Day Worship
Sunday July 4th, 10:30 am



The Church Office will be Closed on Mon., July 5th.

Happy 112th Birthday, Immanuel
Celebrating God's Blessings



Birthday Celebration
Sunday, July 11th, 10:30 am



Our Convention Needs your Fervent Prayers!

Please be in prayer for Rev. Ed Litton, Pastor of Redemption Church in Saraland, Alabama. Pastor Litton was recently elected to service as the 46th President of the Southern Baptist Convention. Our convention, and all its leaders, faces many hurdles as we strive to be faithful followers on Jesus Christ. Pray, Pray and Pray some more!

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## All Lives Matter to God. Born and Unborn!

(From a Baptist Press news report.)

The Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission (ERLC) of the Southern Baptist Convention intends to place 50 ultrasound machines in pregnancy resource centers during a two-year span in its ongoing and increasing effort to protect unborn children, acting President Daniel Patterson told messengers to the 2021 SBC Annual Meeting on Wednesday (June 16<sup>th</sup>).

After donating two dozen machines in the first two decades of the Psalm 139 Project, the ERLC announced in December it would provide 10 machines in the following six months, Patterson told messengers. He said the ERLC surpassed that goal, placing 11 machines as of the SBC meeting.

At its current rate, the ERLC will donate 20-25 machines by the end of 2021, including at least seven in Tennessee because of a state government grant to the **Psalm 139 Project**. The entity now has a new goal, Patterson announced. The ERLC plans to place 50 ultrasound machines in a two-year period leading to Jan. 22, 2023, the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Roe v. Wade decision that legalized abortion nationwide.

The **Psalm 139 Project** is an initiative designed to make people aware of the life-saving potential of ultrasound technology in crisis pregnancy situations and to help pregnancy centers minister to abortion-vulnerable women by providing ultrasound equipment for them to use.



## LOCAL MISSIONS

### July's Parking Lot Ministry Day

Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 am

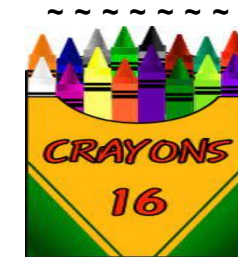
\*Toothbrushes, toothbrush covers and toothpaste.

\*Travel size shampoo and deodorant.

\*Women's hairbrushes and men's combs.

\*Men and women's socks.

\*Christian tracts!



## Operation Christmas Child is Collecting 16-Piece Boxes of Crayons in July to put in of Shoeboxes.



## Let's Celebrate Our July Birthdays!!!

- 3 Mr. Thomas Rivera, Miss Samantha Powell
- 7 Master Elias Pittman
- 10 Mr. Danny Thompson
- 13 Mr. Mike Wainright
- 17 Miss Dora Childers
- 19 Mrs. Patti Holland
- 20 Mrs. Anita B. White
- 28 Rev. Peter Rivera
- 30 Mrs. Libby Carter
- 31 Mr. Michael Johnson, Mrs. Janet Webber