

THE PRINTS of PEACE

Emmanuel Baptist Church of Gambrills

Changing Lives with Christ

November, 2015

FAMILY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Thursday, November 26

10:00 a.m.

Invite your friends and family to join us in giving God thanks for our blessings of every kind.



NOTE: As this is a family service, there will be no nursery provided.

HOLIDAY SHARING

Thanksgiving and Christmas bring the opportunity to share with families in need in our church neighborhood. For Thanksgiving we will provide groceries and a grocery store gift card to 3 families and 2 senior adults. If you would like to help, please indicate on the sign-up sheet in the hall which of grocery items you would like to provide.

Please bring the grocery items to the church by Sunday, November 15th and place them in the basket designated for Holiday Sharing.

LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

**Our Church Goal:
\$ 4,000.00**

Lottie Moon spent nearly 40 years telling people in China about the God who created them, loved them, and gave His life for them. Today, billions are still living and dying without ever hearing this good news. Because of who Jesus is, and what He has done for us, we give sacrificially, pray relentlessly, and send the called (even our children) willingly, that all people on earth might hear about Jesus.

Lottie Moon wrote numerous letters home and one triggered the first Christmas Offering for International Missions. Enough money was donated to send three new missionaries to China.

The theme this year is,

"BECAUSE OF WHO HE IS"

Matthew 28:19-20.

Our
Week of Prayer for International Missions

begins Sunday, November 29, and runs through Sunday, December 6

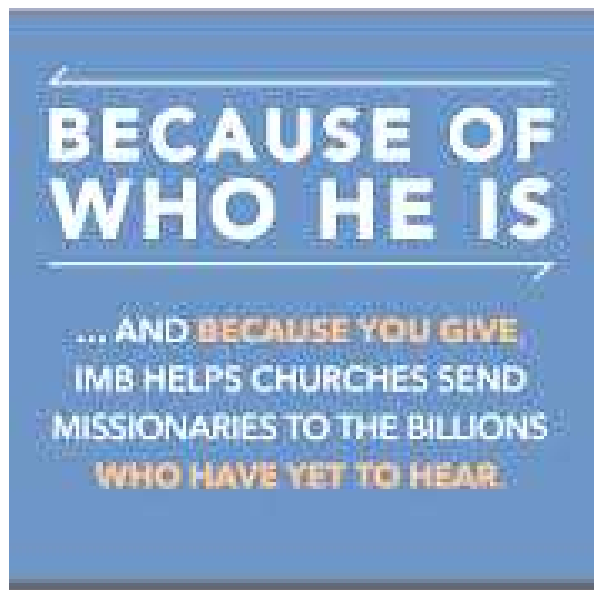
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MISSIONS

We will pass out the prayer guides, and offering envelopes on Sunday, November 29.

We will see missionary story videos on December 6, 13, and 20.

Think up a creative way for your family to observe the mission offering at home. Maybe put the prayer guide on the family dining table and pray through it all month. Remember our missionaries who are faithfully serving where God has sent them. They will not be home with family on Christmas. Lift them up in prayer that the holiday will be full of joy where they are serving our Savior.



BaptistLIFE

Our state Baptist newspaper, BaptistLIFE, is only printed on paper and mailed out a few times per year. But new articles are displayed each month on-line at:

www.baptistlifeonline.org

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The children's Choir will be rehearsing on November 6, 13, and 20.

Rehearsals will start at 4:00 p.m.



CHRISTIAN ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Food Drive Items

November - Canned green beans, corn, peas, or beans

December - Baking mixes (cakes, muffins, biscuits, cornbread)

SOME NOVEMBER PRAYER NEEDS:

Nominating Committee: filling service positions in the church for 2016

Youth Activities Committee: planning service projects and other activities for 2016

Outreach & Ministry Team: to know what kinds of outreach activities to focus on in 2016

Foundations Sermon Series on third and fifth Sundays.