

Fall is near and football season is quickly approaching. We encourage you to wear the colors of your favorite football team (college or professional) or team apparel to show your support on Sunday, September 8, 2024. Show your team spirit..

Our Ladies' Ministry Fall Bible Study is upcoming Aug. 26—Oct. 24, (5 Tuesdays) entitled, **I'm Waiting, God**, facilitated by Jan Newbrough. Sign-up in the foyer & pickup Flyers to share with others.

Son Seekers, For our next activity, on August 29th we will meet at noon in the Chapel for the movie, *I Can Only Imagine*. Finger foods and snacks will be

Hurricane Preparedness Workshop
Here at IBC in the Fellowship Hall Friday, August 30, 2024 10 am – 11:30 am. Sign up in the foyer. Pick up fliers to share with neighbors & friends

If you would like to request a **prayer quilt**, please contact Jan Newbrough by phone or text at (304) 670-2772 or email teacher@newbrough.com.

We encourage you to make plans to see the new Christian movie, **The Forge**, premiering on August 23 in local theatres. We will then have a five session/week Bible study based on the movie. These discussion sessions will take place on September 3, 10, 17, 24 & October 1, at 2:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Sign-up in the foyer and pick-up flyers to share.

A Celebration of Life Service for Carlene Jones will take place here at Immanuel on Saturday, September 14, 2024 at 11 am. A time of visitation with the family will be from 10:30 am—11 am followed by the Memorial Service at 11 am in the Worship Center. All are invited to a luncheon and a time of fellowship immediately following the service in the fellowship hall. Please sign-up in the foyer if you would like to attend the luncheon.

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Wed	5:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
Wed	6:00 pm	Choir Practice
Sun	9:00 am	Sunday School
Sun	10:00 am	Worship Service



August 25, 2024

Welcome to Immanuel! You're more than welcome. You're wanted!

We are a family — a place you can call home. It's where you can find hope, healing, and purpose. Over the years, this family has grown and changed; but one thing will always stay the same: Our love for Jesus and for each other. No matter where you are in your journey, you can be confident that you are more than welcome at Immanuel.

Senior Pastor
Chuck Houston

Associate Pastor
Dr. Jeff Ayers

Office Hours:
Monday — Thursday
9:00 am — 12:00 pm

Worship Leader
Choir Director
Bobby Kinsey

Pianist
Vickie Langford

Organist
Jim Buck

ORDER OF WORSHIP
August 25, 2024

Prelude	Vickie Langford	
Announcements & Prayer	Pastor Jeff Ayers	
Call to Worship	<i>I Sing Praises</i> <i>I Will Sing the Wondrous Story</i> <i>'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus</i>	Pg. 17 Pg. 338 Pg. 502
Special Music	Abbie Earnest	
Choir Special Music	<i>Mansion Over The Hilltop</i>	
Message from God	Pastor Chuck Houston	
Invitation	<i>Wherever He Leads I'll Go</i>	Pg. 437
Offertory Prayer	Wendell Nier Deacon of the Week	
Tithes & Offerings	Ushers & Deacons	
Hymn of Praise	<i>Doxology</i>	Pg. 668
Closing Prayer	Pastor Jeff Ayers	
Closing Chorus	<i>Bless Be the Tie</i>	

Deacon of the Week

Wendell Nier, may be reached at:
(501)827-3156 or email: wgnier@gmail.com

Have you heard about the Question Box?

Come and join us before Sunday School for coffee and donuts in the Fellowship Hall every Sunday morning at 8:30 a.m.

If you are interested in becoming a member of IBC, or would like to talk with Pastor Jeff Ayers, please call the church office at 352-268-2384 to make an appointment.



Welcome to Elisha, Week 1!

ELISHA—1, THE CALLING

1 Kings 19:19-21

1 Kings 19:19b

1 Kings 19:19c

TWO PRINCIPLES OF COMMITMENT

1) YOU DON'T HAVE TO UNDERSTAND _____ TO OBEY
_____.

1 Kings 19:20

2) THOSE GOD USES THE _____ ARE THE ONES WHO HOLD ON TO
THE _____.

1 Kings 19:21

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

- What security do you need to step away from that will allow you to step toward your destiny?
- Describe a time when you obeyed God even though you didn't fully understand His directions. What resulted from your obedience?
- What is God asking you to do that you need to obey immediately? What's your next step?