

28 May 2020

EBC update. Send an email if you want something included next week ([emmanuelmsu@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmsu@gmail.com)).

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### I. Did you Know?

We resume in-person services this Sunday!

*Guidelines for EBC's reopening on May 31, 2020*

- Greeter will open doors of the church.
- We ask that anyone, regardless of age, that has a fever of any kind to please stay home.
- Lonnie will be in charge of coffee and everything that has to do with coffee! Be nice to her or there will be, "No Coffee for You!"
  - Please try to maintain 6' distancing. Instead of hanging out in the lobby after getting your coffee please continue into the Worship Center or outside.
- The Fellowship Hall side of the church will be closed since it will not currently be in use. Please enter through the main doors by the Worship Center.
- Adult Sunday school will meet in the main auditorium with no other Sunday School classes
- Collection plate will be at the back of the Worship Center and not passed.
- Worship Center was setup so every other row of seating is removed.
- If the seating capacity is reached in the main auditorium overflow will be in other classrooms with a live-stream while maintaining 6' distancing.
- Restrooms will be setup to minimize germ spreading (e.g., trash near door).



Rows are 6' apart and we ask that there is a **minimum of three seats separating families or people that were quarantined together**).

- Childcare/Nursery will not be provided, however, children are welcome to sit with their family. Please keep children with their respective family.
- EDGE will meet using social distancing guidelines.
- Recommended that the most vulnerable groups by age or preexisting condition participate online or watch the streamed service or watch the recorded service. Your decision.
- Hand sanitizer located in numerous locations throughout church.
- People on stage should not share a microphone.

Thank you for your understanding and patience. If you do not feel comfortable returning at this time we will be providing a live-stream and everything will be available online by Monday afternoon. If you have any comments/suggestions/questions please let us know and we will take them into consideration ([emmanuelmsu@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmsu@gmail.com)).

## II. Ministry updates:

**\*Current announcements/bulletin are also available on app.**

**Daniel Thompson's podcast, "Open Corners"** is available on Google Play, Apple Store and our app/website. Podcasts are typically ~30 min.

**Wednesday livestreamed prayer meetings on Zoom @ 6:30 p.m.!**

**Daniel Thompson leads live-streamed/interactive prayer meetings @ 6:30 p.m.!**

Be sure to join! This format continues through June, 2020. You may interact using

zoom, zoom chat or send a text directly to Daniel (662-418-6424). Links are on our homepage ([emmanuelmsu.org](http://emmanuelmsu.org)).

**Adult Bible Study led by Dr. McKibben this Sunday @ 10 a.m.**

Bible study will be live-streamed, recorded and in-person this week.

**Sunday service @ 11 a.m.!**

Pastor Kenny continues the study on Hebrews. Available in-person, live-streamed or recorded on Monday afternoon.

**EDGE**

EDGE will meet outside at EBC this Sunday evening at 5:30 p.m.!

**Women's Bible Study on Wednesdays from 9-11 a.m.**

Please contact Betty McPhail if interested. They will continue to meet on Zoom.

**Women's Prophecy Study from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.**

Please contact Mary Cole if interested.

**Tuesday Night Bible Study, 7-9 p.m.**

Please contact Nick Bell, Daniel Brown or Robert Banik if interested.

**Barn Talks – Men's Group, resumes on June 11!**

This group will meet every other Thursday evening from 7-8:30 p.m. in Dr. McKibben's barn. Discuss God's word, Men's issues, pray.

**VBS Update**

We will have a VBS meeting Sunday, June 7 to discuss when, where, and how to have VBS operate this year. The time for the meeting will be announced this week. Zoom or in-person? Let me know your preference.

Daniel Thompson

## III. Prayer/Events

Please continue praying for all the people going through financial difficulties and health issues. Praise God for watching over all of us and blessing us in ways that we sometimes do not recognize. Please pray for our leaders globally, nationally, and locally that they make Godly/wise decisions regarding Covid19 and the future of our country.

**Jacquelyn Nemeth's Shower/Nemeth-Vaughn Wedding.** The registries for Jacquelyn Nemeth and Luke Vaughn wedding are at Bed Bath & Beyond; Knick's in Grenada, MS; MSU Florist; and Fresh Ink in Jackson, MS. You can find the information online. Their wedding will be a family event on June 6.

**June 14, 2020. High School Graduations, Senior Recognition Day!** We would like to recognize David Hintz, Michael Nemeth, Walker Smith, and Gage Yeatman. Pray for these young men as they venture into the world. We are all proud of them.

## IV. General information

**You will need to update your Zoom account.** Dear Valued Customer, As you may know, Zoom 5.0 is live! Please update all your clients to version Zoom 5.0 now or before May 30th. Beginning May 30th, 2020, Zoom will be enabling GCM encryption across the entire Zoom platform, providing increased protection for meeting data. Please update all your clients to Zoom 5.0. After May 30, 2020, all Zoom clients on older versions will receive a forced update when trying to join meetings as GCM encryption will be fully enabled across the Zoom platform.

If you want something broadcast on our **EBC twitter and/or Instagram** accounts or included in an EBC Update just email it to [emmanuelmsu@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmsu@gmail.com).

You can **get the app** by texting "freegrace" to 206-859-9405.

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