

**Ephesians 3:14-21**

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**March 26, 2023**

**Pastor’s Note:**

Good morning, we are so glad you are here today! We had a productive Pastoral Search Committee meeting this past Sunday. As slow as it may seem, I am pleased with the progress as we are working through important steps in preparing for the leader God will bring to Emmanuel Baptist Church. A very important step in preparing for that decision is understanding what the congregation understands to be the greatest need of the church in finding the right Pastor for the ministry here at EBC. To do this we have chosen to present the church family with a questionnaire. We are asking that you complete and return this questionnaire as soon as possible. Once all the questionnaires have been returned this information will be vital to the decision-making process as we take the next steps in seeking a new Pastor. This includes developing a Biblical job description, putting together a realistic salary package, and to begin to advertise for the position. I want to thank you now for your faithfulness in completing and returning the questionnaire.

God Bless you!  
Pastor Barry

**This Week:**

**Sunday:** 9:15 AM- Sunday School  
10:30 AM- Worship Service

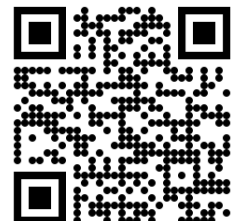
**Tuesday:** 10:00 AM- Women’s Bible Study

**Wednesday:** 6:00 PM- Adults Prayer and bible study  
6:00 PM- Children Ministry in Ed Building

*What the Pastor is Reading:* *Calling out the Called* by  
Scott Pace & Shane Pruitt

*Next Week’s Passage:* Ephesians 4:1-6

**If you are a guest today, scan this code to let us know who you are and how we can pray for you.**



# Announcements

**Men's Gathering:** Men, Join us for a fish fry and time of fellowship Thursday, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

**Church Council Date Correction:** Save the date for our next Church council meeting, April 12<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.

**Easter at Emmanuel:** Join us Sunday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:30AM for our Easter service. Be sure to pick up some invite cards to hand out to friends and neighbors.

**Annie Armstrong Easter Offering:** Consider giving to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering this year. Your prayers and gifts to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering provide support for thousands of missionaries. These men and women are planting new churches in unreached communities. Offering envelopes and Annie Armstrong Prayer guides are on the back table in the Sanctuary.

**Peace Lilies:** Peace lilies will be available this year for \$6.50. A sign up sheet will be in the back of the sanctuary if you would like one.

## **Financial Snapshot:**

March 19<sup>th</sup> giving: \$713.00

Online Giving March 19<sup>th</sup>: \$1,800



# March 26, 2023

## **Welcome and Announcements**

### **Worship in song**

*How Great Thou Art*

### **Worship in Song**

*It's Just Like His Great Love*

### **Offering**

### **Worship in Song**

*It Is Well with My Soul*

### **Worship in Word**

Pastor Barry Campbell

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### **Invitation**

*More Love to Thee*

If you would like to discuss a spiritual decision or have a prayer request, please scan the QR code or call the church office (941) 722-0218.

### **How Great Thou Art**

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed.

*Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!*

When thru the woods and forest glades I wander  
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,  
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,  
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in,  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,  
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

### **It's Just Like His Great Love**

A friend I have called Jesus, Whose love is strong and true,  
And never fails howe'er 'tis tried, No matter what I do;  
I've sinned against this love of His, But when I knelt to pray,  
Confessing all my guilt to Him, The sin-clouds rolled away.

*It's just like Jesus to roll the clouds away,  
It's just like Jesus to keep me day by day.  
It's just like Jesus all along the way,  
It's just like His great love.*

Sometimes when clouds of trouble Blot out the sky above,  
I cannot see my Savior's face, I doubt His wondrous love;  
But He, from heaven's mercy seat, Beholding my despair,  
In love removes the clouds between, And shows me He is there.

O I could sing forever Of Jesus' love divine,  
Of all His care and tenderness For this poor life of mine;

His love is in and over all, And wind and waves obey  
When Jesus whispers "Peace, be still!"  
And rolls the clouds away.

### **It Is Well with My Soul**

When peace like a river attendeth my way,  
When sorrows like sea billows roll;  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,  
"It is well, it is well with my soul."  
It is well (It is well) with my soul, (with my soul),  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control,  
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.  
It is well (It is well) with my soul, (with my soul),  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

My sin- O this bliss of this glorious thought,  
My sin- not in part but the whole,  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more.  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!  
It is well (It is well) with my soul, (with my soul),  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll,  
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend,  
"Even so" it is well with my soul.  
It is well (It is well) with my soul, (with my soul),  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

### **More Love to Thee**

More love to Thee, O Christ, More love to Thee!  
Hear Thou the prayer I make, On bended knee;  
This is my earnest plea:  
More love, O Christ, to Thee, More love to Thee, More love to Thee.

Once earthly joy I craved, Sought peace and rest;  
Now Thee alone I seek, Give what is best;  
This all my prayer shall be:  
More love, O Christ, to Thee, More love to Thee, More love to Thee.