

### **Our Mission is . . .**

To bring **Glory to God** by showing forth the *faithfulness* and *power* He gives to those who carry out the Words of His Son Jesus Christ and in so doing provide *evidence* for others to believe and put their trust in the living God.

### **Our Vision is . . .**

To become a biblically functioning community by structuring church life around the development of small groups (cells) so that meaningful and caring relationships can take place and thus create an atmosphere where God's Word can be practiced.

To allocate church resources around the equipping and training of small group leaders providing them with the very best in knowledge, understanding, and encouragement.

To experience God in regular settings of corporate worship through relevant and lively forms of worship that allow for the operation of spiritual gifts and the preaching of God's Word where people are encouraged in their faith and guided in its application.

### **Calendar Events**

#### Upcoming Services

- Nov 24<sup>th</sup>.....Celebration Service - Pastor McCowan
- Dec 1<sup>st</sup>.....Celebration Service - Pastor McCowan
- Dec 8<sup>th</sup>.....Celebration Service - Pastor McCowan
- Dec 15<sup>th</sup>.....Celebration Service - Pastor McCowan

#### Other Calendar Events

- Dec 24<sup>th</sup>.....Candlelight Service (Combined Service with The CROSSing and Destiny Fellowship)
- Jan 11-12, 2012.....Conference on the Holy Spirit (Rick Clendenen)



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# Welcome



November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012

## What is Ekklesia?

Ekklesia Christian Life Fellowship is a Protestant Evangelical Charismatic cell-based church where ministry is centered on relationships and carried out using Small Groups and regular large group meetings called "Celebration" services on weekends. Affiliation is with the Assemblies of God. **See our Information Brochure for more information.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Sermon - "What is Common Cents?"

Tonight Pastor McCowan will speak on the question of "What is Common Cents?," and whether or not we should get in on the latest investment craze and hoard pennies. Or should we like the poor widow woman of Mark 12, do something with them that impresses God.



### Faith Promises

If you still haven't turned in your Faith Promise for 2013 Missions support, you can still do so by placing your pledge in the offering box. Extra Faith Promise Cards are located at the Information Table.

The FAITH PROMISE OFFERING is a method of missionary giving by individuals or families through their local church. A FAITH PROMISE is made to contribute a certain amount, either weekly or monthly, to the missionary fund of the local church, over and above the usual tithe, building fund, and other offerings. It is based upon faith and is given first, just as the tithe, trusting God for needs. It follows the basic biblical principle of sowing and reaping, sowing always being first. (2 Corinthians 9:6)

### Upcoming Holiday Events



Attention everyone! We will be having our annual Ekklesia Cookie Exchange on Friday Dec. 14th at 7:00 P.M. Everyone bakes 2 dozen cookies to be exchanged and bring their favorite board game. You always leave with more than you bring. Place TBA.

Also, on December 15th, we will have our Happy Birthday Jesus Party for the Kids Church and Kinderchurch kids. It will be immediately following worship.

### Podcast

For those of you who are interested, Ekklesia Podcasts our Celebration Services on the Internet. You can simply go to our web site and click on the Podcast icon.



## Ekklesia Active Cell Groups

CELL-GROUP	LOCATION	DAY	PHONE
<b>MULTIGENERATIONAL CELL GROUP</b>			
Andover Hill (Childcare)	Lexington (Off Todds Road)	Sunday 6:00 p.m.	543-0778
<b>MENS GROUPS</b>			
Fairway at Lakeside	Lexington (Near Jacobson Park)	Tuesday (7:00 p.m.)	619-5824
Fair Oaks	Lexington (Near Gardenside)	Wednesday (7:00 p.m.)	552-4363
<b>WOMENS GROUPS</b>			
Andover Woods	Lexington (Near Todds Rd.)	Tuesday (7:00 p.m.)	273-4887
Pimlico	Lexington (Pimlico Rd. & Man O-War)	Wednesday (6:30 p.m.)	543-9600
<b>YOUTH GROUPS</b>			
Park Ridge (Girls Group)	Lexington (Off Todds Road)	Tuesday (7:00 p.m.)	543-0778
The CROSSing (Boys Group)	Lexington (Off Old Todds Road)	Tuesday (7:00 p.m.)	489-6950
<b>GATHERINGS</b>			
Youth Gatherings		Once per month	
<b>MENTORING One-on-One</b>		<b>LEADER</b>	
Men's Mentoring Groups		Pastor McCowan	
Women's Mentoring Groups		Sally McCowan	

For more information about any of our groups, please call 543-9600 or visit our web site at [www.ekk-lex.org](http://www.ekk-lex.org)