

### **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

March 31<sup>st</sup>.....Celebration Service - Pastor McCowan (Palm Sunday Weekend)  
April 7<sup>th</sup>.....Celebration Service - Pastor McCowan (Resurrection Sunday Weekend)

#### Other Calendar Events

May 12<sup>th</sup>.....International Banquet

# Welcome



Please be mindful to turn your cell phone off or on a setting that won't disturb others. Thank-you!

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## 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

### Celebration Service - "Show Me the Money"

Death and taxes have been two of life's certainties, at least since the time of Jesus. But so is the freedom we have in the management of money. Tonight, Pastor McCowan will share how our wants can interfere with our real needs, which in turn will complicate our relationship with God.



### Financial Seminar and Workshop

This weekend, Paul McCready of Counsel Wealth Management, Inc., of Arden Hills, Minnesota shared on the importance of being good stewards with the finances God has given us. However, this is not easy as our own will and selfish desires can get in the way of us putting God and His Kingdom first in our lives. Tonight, Paul will briefly share his testimony on how God helped him and his wife better agree on their finances, putting God first in everything.

### Share Your Testimony

Testimonies are very powerful. They have the power to inspire, encourage, and build faith to believe God when things seem hopeless. So, if you have a testimony of God's faithfulness and love, please feel free to let us know as we may want you to share your story to the congregation. Don't be shy, your testimony will encourage everyone and could very well be a godsend to someone in need.

### It's March Missions Madness Month

Our Ekklesia kids have a heart for missions, and they're collecting "Lost Change for Lost Souls." There could be two souls' worth of lost change in your washing machine. Maybe there are a dozen souls sitting around in your mini-van. BGMC provides all the supplies that missionaries need to reach children around the world. All monies will be collected at the end of this month during our celebration service. So keep looking for those coins. They could turn up anywhere!



### 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
Jacobson Park (Boys Group)	Lexington (Near Jacobson Park)	See Jim Latimer	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)