# 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**

Apr 6<sup>th</sup>......Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan Apr 13<sup>th</sup>......Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan Apr 20<sup>th</sup>......Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan

# Other Calendar Events

International Banquet May 18<sup>th</sup> (Special Speaker) Summer Banquet July 27<sup>th</sup> (No Way Production)

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# Welcome



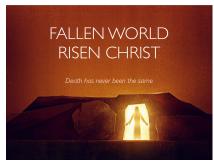
# WHAT IS EKKLESIA?

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 – Pastor McCowan

While this world of ours is a combination of both GOOD things and BAD things, it's not necessarily the world we want. In fact, it is a FALLEN WORLD and real suffering and hardships abound and death and dying is experienced by everyone. But through the resurrection of Christ, we have hope. What God has promised was fulfilled.



Tonight the Ekklesia Kids church and Kinderchurch kids will perform the Chris Tomlin song, "Jesus, Son of God." Also, immediately following our worship time we will be having a Resurrection Party for all our children downstairs and an interactive lesson on the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

# **Red Envelope Compassion**

Ekklesia received a thank you note from Red Envelope Compassion for our BGMC offering. They said the following: "Thank you for your gift to Red Envelope Compassion. Your partnership will allow us to touch lives and change them for eternity. And thank you for your prayers--God is moving in China!" —Gratefully, Cindy Sites, Red Envelope Compassion

## It's March Missions Madness!

Tonight is the final night of our March Missions Madness Drive for BGMC. Our Ekklesia kids will be taking up your missions offering during our celebration service. Get those coins ready!

### **Podcast**

For those of you who are interested, Ekklesia records our services and provides them on the Internet as Podcast. You can simply go to our web site and click on the Podcast icon to download them. Also, all of Pastor McCowan's sermon slides are available on our web site too.



# **Ekklesia Active Cell Groups**

CELL GROUP	LOCATION	DAY	PHONE
MULTIGENERATIONAL CELL GROUP			
Andover Hills	Lexington (Off Todds Road)	Sunday 6:00 PM	543-0778
MENS GROUPS			
Fairway at Lakeside	Lexington (Next to Jacobson Park)	Tuesday 7:00 PM	619-5824
Fair Oaks	Lexington (Near Gardenside)	Wednesday 7:00 PM	552-4363
WOMENS GROUPS			
Andover Woods	Lexington (Near Todds Rd.)	Tuesday 7:00 PM	273-4887
Pimlico	Lexington (Off Man-O-War)	Wednesday 7:00 PM	543-9600
YOUTH GROUPS			
Park Ridge (Girls)	Lexington (Off Todds Rd.)	Tuesday	543-0778
Park Ridge (Boys)	Lexington (Off Todds Rd.)	Tuesday	543-0778
MENTORING (One-on-One)			
Men		Pastor McCowan	543-9600
Women		Sally McCowan	543-9600