#### Our Vision & Purpose 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 Mission & Strategic Area of Focus 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** 

Jan. 24 .......Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan

Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>......Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan

Feb. 7<sup>th</sup> .......Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan

Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>.....Celebration Service – Pastor McCowan

#### **Other Calendar Events**

Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>......Valentines Banquet (Doubletree Hotel – 6:00 PM)

May 16<sup>th</sup>.....International Banquet (Doubletree Hotel – 6:00 PM)

# 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 – Rules of the Road (Pastor McCowan)

Weird traffic laws have always been a part of American culture, but, in John's gospel, the best rules of the road are those that lead us straight to Jesus.

#### **Contribution Statements**

2014 Contribution Statements are now out. If you see a mistake in your report please notify the church office.

# **Workers Appreciation Dinner**

This Monday, January 19th, at 6:00 P.M., Ekklesia will be honoring those workers in our church who have faithfully helped our fellowship with a special appreciation dinner. This includes all cell leaders, cell hosts, nursery workers, worship leader, musicians, sound, computer, Kids church and Kinderchurch ministers. Dinner will be at the McCowans.





### 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.

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				
Andover Hills (Men's)	Lexington (Off Todds Road)		Tuesday 7:00 PM	619-5824
WOMENS GROUPS				
Fair Oaks (Women's)	Lexington (Near Gardenside)		Monday 5:30 PM	433-9235
Smoky Mountain	Lexington (Off Buckhorn Dr.)		Tuesday 7:00 PM	543-9600
Pimlico	Lexington (Off Man-O-War)		Wednesday 6:30 PM	543-9600
YOUTH GROUPS				
Brookewind (Girls)	Lexington (Off Richmond Rd.)		Tuesday 7:00 PM	619-7885
Boys Group	Lexington		Call	543-0778
MENTORING (One-on-One)				
Men		Pastor McCowan		543-9600
Women		Sally McCowan		543-9600