## 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** 

Apr. 8<sup>th</sup> ...... Celebration Banquet (Hyatt Place Hotel)

May 13<sup>th</sup>...... Celebration Banquet (Hyatt Place Hotel)

On those weekends where there is no corporate event, our Sunday Evening Andover Hill Cell Group will also offer special worship, prayer, and ministry.

### **Other Calendar Events**

# Welcome



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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**

## **Tonight's Sermon**

Online advertisers like to lure us by posting sensational, salacious and seductive images and headlines that tempt us to click on them. It's called "clickbait," and it's a real distraction from reality.

Jesus was tempted with a similar form of clickbait by the devil himself. The way he refused to



click on it can teach us a lot about dealing with temptation in our own lives.

The title of Pastor McCowan's sermon is The Devil's Clickbait.

We will be celebrating communion after the sermon.

## **Ekklesia Ladies Group:**

The Wednesday night ladies group is watching a 6-session Bible study called: Finding I Am How Jesus Fully Satisfies the Cry of Your Heart by Lisa TerKeurst.

They are exploring the seven "I Am" statements of Jesus found in the Gospel of John.

The video teachings are filmed on sites in Israel.

## Ekklesia Men's Group:

The Men's Group is currently watching the video series from The Voice of the Martyrs called *I-AM-N*, which highlights the needs of persecuted Christians who are making great sacrifices for the practice of their faith.



ACTIVE CELL GROUPS			
CELL GROUPS	LOCATION	DAY	PHONE
MULTIGENERATIONAL CELL GROUP			
Andover Hill	Lexington (Off Todds Road)	Sunday 6:00 PM	543-0778
MENS GROUP			
Fair Oaks	Near Gardenside	Wednesday 7:00 PM	619-5824
WOMENS GROUP			
Andover Hill (Women)	Lexington (Off Man-O-War)	Wednesday 7:00 PM	543-9600
MENTORING (One-on-One)			
Men	Pastor McCowan		619-5824
Women	Sally McCowan		536-3777

#### **Welcome Guest**

We at Ekklesia would like to thank our guests for visiting our fellowship tonight and pray you will feel welcome and enjoy our service.

We also meet in Home Small Groups and if you would like to visit one of these groups, we're sure you will enjoy the dynamics and fellowship as well.

Again, we thank-you for visiting our church.

