

## **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 Banquets at the Hyatt Place Hotel

Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> ..... Celebration Banquet

Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> ..... Celebration Banquet

*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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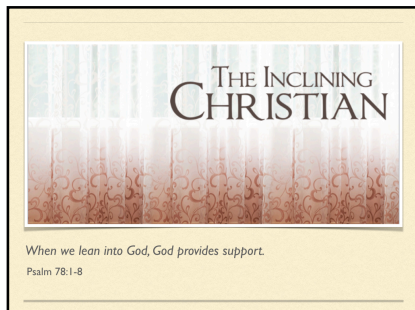
# WHAT IS EKKLESIA?

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 Speakers

The Leaning Tower of Pisa just happens to be 3.99 degrees off perpendicular, which is 13 feet off plumb. Several other buildings in the world are off perpendicular as well. So, tonight's question will be can Christians be off centered as well and lean to one side or the other.



Our text is taken from Psalm 78:1-7

Also, speaking at our Banquet this weekend is **Rev Terry Moore**. Brother Moore is the Bluegrass Sectional Presbyter of the Kentucky District of the Assemblies of God and also the pastor at First Assembly of Nicholasville, Kentucky. **Bruce & Peggy Floyd** from First Assembly of Nicholasville will also greet our church.

### Ekklesia Ladies Group:

Our Ladies group has been doing the study called "5 Habits of a woman who doesn't quit" by Nicki Koziarz and just finished our 5th Habit-She moves forward in faith. Our study focused on the Book of Ruth and how Ruth was a woman who didn't quit. She accepted her assignment of refinement. Her feelings didn't dictate her level of commitment. She stayed open to the movement of God, gave others what she needed and moved forward in faith. We will begin a new study next week.

### Ekklesia Men's Group:

The Men's Group is currently watching the video series from Andy Stanley, entitled "How to get what you *really* want." It is about how to pursue the things that don't leave regrets.

## ACTIVE CELL GROUPS

CELL GROUPS	LOCATION	DAY	PHONE
<b>MULTIGENERATIONAL CELL GROUP</b>			
Andover Hill	Lexington (Off Todds Road)	Sunday 6:00 PM	543-0778
<b>MENS GROUP</b>			
Fair Oaks	Near Gardenside	Thursday 7:00 PM	619-5824
<b>WOMENS GROUP</b>			
Andover Hill (Women)	Lexington (Off Man-O-War)	Thursday 6:30 PM	543-9600
<b>MENTORING (One-on-One)</b>			
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.

