

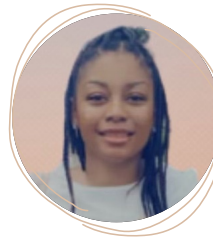
BETTER TOGETHER

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP TEAM



Amy
Rypkema

Born: West Monroe, Louisiana
Grew up: West Monroe, Louisiana
Family: Married to Scott
Children: Keaton (student at Auburn University), Annie Carol & Kyle
Immanuel Member since: 2004
Church Involvement: Currently teach 11th grade Sunday School in the student ministry, serve on the Acts 1:8 team.
Life Verse: It changes, but Romans 12:1-2 is the current one!
Favorite Hymn: So many... I love hymns! But if I had to choose one, I would say "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "Is He Worthy?" by Andrew Peterson
Favorite Drink: Summer; sweet tea; Winter; Caramel Macchiato from Starbucks



Dejanae
Edwards

Born: Helena/West-Helena Arkansas
Grew up: Marvell & Little Rock, AR
Family: Divorced (2 children)
Immanuel Member since: 2018 (visited since 2016-2017)
Church Involvement: Volunteer with children's ministry (Kid's Club), Children's Sunday School, & Hospitality
Life Verse: Mark 11:23
Favorite Hymn: "More Than Anything"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "Breakthrough" by Red Rocks Worship & "Still Alive" by Jeremy Camp
Favorite Drink: Water or (when stressed) Sonic Cherry-limeade



Caitlyn
Robnett

Born: Memphis, TN
Grew up: Pine Bluff, AR
Family: Married to Tim; Momma to Scotty and Naomi
Immanuel Member since: 2017
Church Involvement: TLC Sunday School & Preschool
Life Verse: Psalm 19:14
Favorite Hymn: "I Surrender All"
Favorite Contemporary Song: "Living Hope" by Phil Wickham and "My Lighthouse" by Rend Collective
Favorite Drinks: Water, Strong Coffee, and Vanilla Coke



June
Thomas

Born: Little Rock
Grew up: Little Rock
Family: Married to Jeff Thomas; 3 children: Reed and his wife, Olivia, Mary Claire, and Paxton. Grandmother (Juju!) to 2 grandchildren: Ford and Margot
Immanuel Member since: 1960
Church Involvement: VBS, Prayer Team, Sunday School
Life Verse: 1 Corinthians 13:13
Favorite Hymn: "The Garden"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "Tremble" by Lauren Daigle
Favorite Drink: Pellegrino with lime!



Courtney Baker

Born: Dayton, OH
Grew up: Dayton, OH
Family: Caleb and I have been married for almost 12 years and have 4 kiddos: Vera, Ezra, Phoebe, and Selah

Immanuel Member since: Fall of 2019
Church Involvement: I teach first grade at 9am and teach in the beaver room during the 10:30 service
Life Verse: Micah 6:8 (verse)
Favorite Hymn: "His Eye is on the Sparrow"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "Good God Almighty"
Favorite Drink: Coffee with a splash of creamer



Kelly
Bledsoe

Born: The Philippines
Grew up: Eastern North Carolina
Family: Married to Sam for 22 years and have three children: Reagan (16), Joshua (13), and Hannah Grace (7)
Immanuel Member since: 2017
Church Involvement: Bledsoe/Shaffer Sunday School Class, THRIVE/Better Together, and DGROUPS
Life Verse: 1 Samuel 12:24
Favorite Hymn: "Be Thou My Vision"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "Goodness of God"
Favorite Drink: Starbucks Iced Skinny Vanilla Latte



Breanna
Branley

Born: Tahlequah, Oklahoma
Grew up: Stilwell, Oklahoma
Family: Cody husband, kids Charlotte 10, Walker 7, Judah 5
Immanuel Member since: December 2019
Church Involvement: Serves in kids ministry
Life Verse: Proverbs 3:5-6
Favorite Hymn: "How Great Thou Art"
Favorite Contemporary Song: "Goodness of God"
Favorite Drink: COFFEE!



Laura
Little

Born: Little Rock, AR
Grew up: Ekaterinburg, Russia
Family: Married to Matt for 1 ½ Years! Kids; Callie (11) & Bennett (6 months)
Immanuel Member since: December 2017
Church Involvement: Staff (since March 2018), Volunteer anywhere that I am needed
Life Verse: In my current season: Exodus 14:14
Favorite Hymn: "It Is Well"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "The Blessing"
Favorite Drink: Diet Dr Pepper!!!!!!



Joy Johnson
Floyd

Born: San Diego, California
Grew up: Eldorado and Hot Springs
Family: Married to Paul Floyd (met at Ouachita)
Immanuel Member since: 2019 (moved back to Arkansas after 20 years in Dallas)
Church Involvement: Choir and Sunday School
Life Verse: Lamentations 3:23-24
Favorite Hymn: "Great is Thy Faithfulness"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "10,000 Reasons"
Favorite Drink: ALL THINGS COFFEE and Water



Courtney
Reissig

Born: Santa Clara, California
Grew up: Garland, Texas (a suburb of Dallas)
Family: I've been married to Daniel for 12 years and we have four boys: Luke and Zach (8), Seth (6), and Ben (4).
Immanuel Member since: 2019
Church Involvement: We serve in preschool ministry, lead an adult Sunday School class, and I help write some of the Sunday School curriculum for sermon based classes. We also help wherever we're needed!
Life Verse: A verse that I love is Psalm 46:1
Favorite Hymn: "How Firm a Foundation"
Favorite Contemporary Song: "He Will Hold Me Fast", but "King of Kings" is a close second. I hate having to choose! :)
Favorite Drink: My favorite cold drink is LimonCello La Croix. My favorite hot drink is a flat white from Starbucks.



Deborah
H. King

Born: Greenville, North Carolina
Grew up: Greenville, North Carolina
Family: Married to Wayne King for 51 years; Kelly (daughter), Sam (son-in-law), Reagan, Joshua, and Hannah Grace (grandchildren)
Immanuel Member since: February 2017
Church Involvement: Worship Choir, City Center Clothing Closet Volunteer, Pairs and Spares SS class, IBC WMU Council, Participant Go Trips Amazon and Ghana, Senior Twice Blessed Volunteer
Life Verse: Colossians 3:23
Favorite Hymn: "A Mighty Fortress"
Favorite Contemporary Praise Song: "Open Up the Heavens"
Favorite Drink: Iced Cold Coke Zero