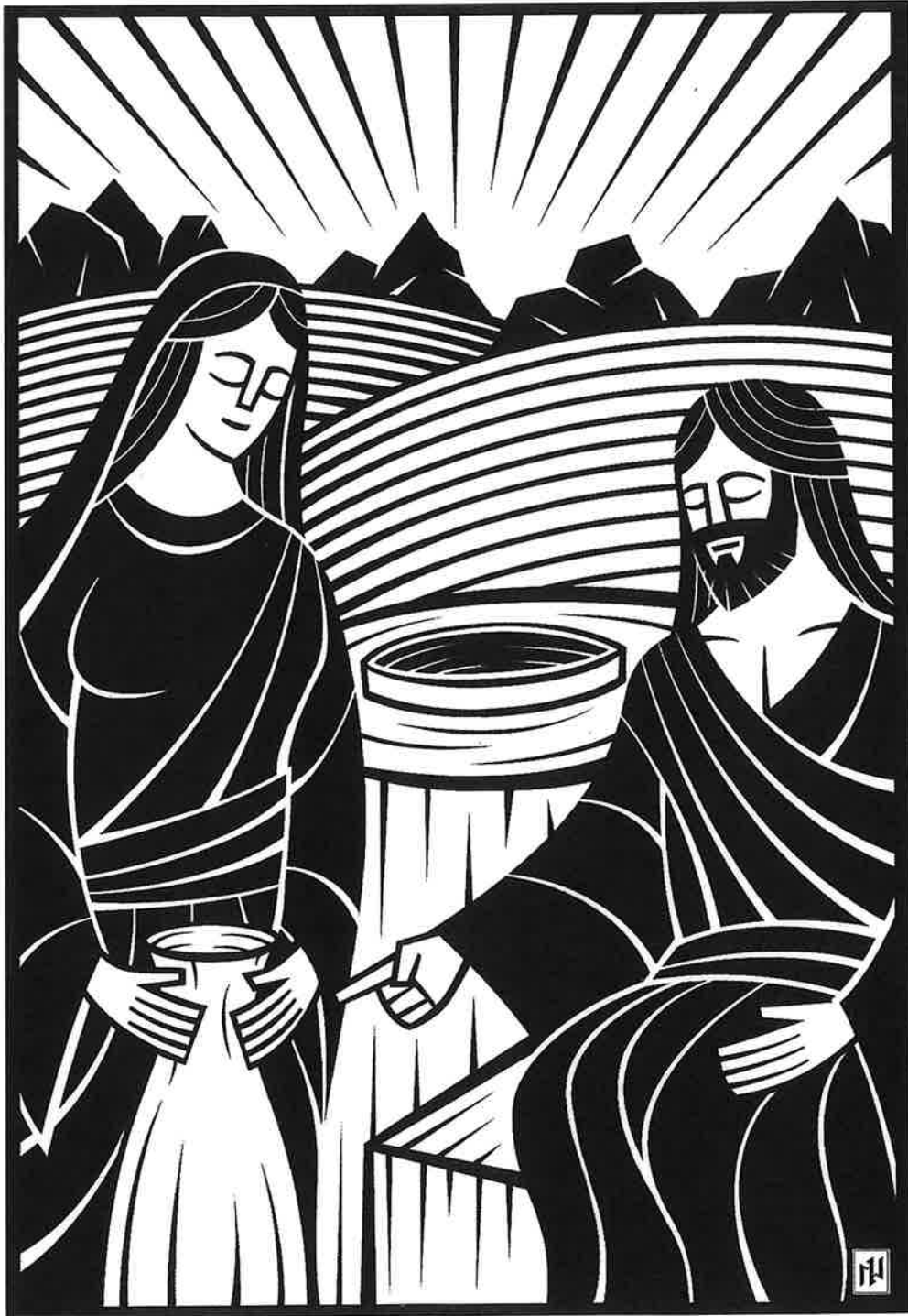


Divine Service at 5:00



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

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Welcome to Worship

Here are a few things we'd like you to know...

Guests in Worship—Each week, we have the opportunity to welcome new people to our fellowship. While ushers have the important job of helping guests find seats and sharing information, we all play a role in embracing and welcoming guests to Emmanuel. Please look for new faces, extend a helping hand whenever possible, and encourage guests to visit the **Connections Counter** in Ebenezer Hall.

Children in Worship—The presence of children at Emmanuel is a great blessing and the worship service can be a wonderful opportunity to teach them about God's love. Please bring children forward during the distribution of Holy Communion for a personal blessing, and help them to participate in the responses and prayers throughout the service. Age appropriate **Children's Bulletins** are available on the tables located at the back of the church. **Tot Bags** are located in the east and west rear entrances of the church. If a child becomes restless or disruptive during the service, a **Church Nursery** for children three years of age and younger is located in the lower level hall just down the stairs near the northwest entrance to the church. If you need help finding the Church Nursery, please ask one of our ushers who will gladly guide you.

Prayer Requests—If you have a prayer concern that you would like included in the worship service, please ask an usher for a prayer request card. You may drop the completed card into one of the boxes located at the back of the sanctuary or hand it to an usher.

Special Needs—We offer a number of aids designed to enhance your worship experience including a **Hearing Loop**, **Large Print Bulletins** and **Printed Copies of Today's Sermon**. If any of these items would be helpful to you, please ask one of our ushers who would be delighted to assist you.

The Gathering Time—Each Sunday, after the early service and before Sunday School and Bible Classes begin, we congregate in Ebenezer Hall for The Gathering Time. During this time, members and guests have the opportunity for fellowship together, while enjoying a beverage and donut.

Emmanuel App—The Emmanuel App is a wonderful tool for ministry and will put access to worship resources, devotional helps, congregational information, video announcements, as well as our church calendar at your fingertips. The Emmanuel App can be accessed by going to your app store and searching for "Emmanuel Fort Wayne." Search results will show you the app which features our logo.

The mission of Emmanuel is the mission Christ gave His Church when He said, "go and make disciples of all nations baptizing them in the Name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you" (Matthew 28:19-20). If you are interested in finding out more about Emmanuel, you can contact Pastor Eggold at taeggold@hotmail.com, or Pastor Sheafer at pastordan@emmanuelutheran.org, or call either of us at (260) 423-1369. We would love to talk with you.

“Living Water”

AS WE GATHER

Today, Jesus brings hope to an outcast with the promise of living water and in this story from the well, we see how exactly God works. We see a Savior who enters into our sinful world, who is not afraid to confront the darkness of our lives, who is not scared off by our past, and who persistently points us to the gift of God that gives us life forever! Today, in this ancient story, we see Christ, and today we are given the sure and certain word that He has come for sinners just like us!

THE GATHERING TIME

We encourage our members to greet each other with God’s peace and to warmly welcome visitors into our fellowship. Kindly turn off all cellphones and please sit toward the center of the pew so there is room for all who worship.

THE RINGING OF THE BELLS

THE WORDS OF WELCOME

THE GATHERING SONG: “King of My Heart”

Let the King of my heart be the mountain where I run,
The fountain I drink from; oh, He is my song.

Let the King of my heart be the shadow where I hide,
The ransom for my life; oh, He is my song.

(Chorus)

.. You are good, good, oh. You are good, good, oh.
You are good, good, oh. You are good, good, oh.

Let the King of my heart be the wind inside my sails,
The anchor in the waves; oh, He is my song.

Let the King of my heart be the fire inside my veins,
The echo of my day; oh, He is my song. (Chorus two times)

When the night is holding on to me, God is holding on.
When the night is holding on to me, God is holding on.

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THE INVOCATION

Leader: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION (Psalm 34:1-3, 5, 22)

Leader: I will bless the Lord at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

People: My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.

Leader: Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together!

People: Those who look to Him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed. The Lord redeems the life of His servants; none of those who take refuge in Him will be condemned.

Leader: Almighty God, we know and admit that we are sinners. We are conceived and born sinful, and we add on to that burden of sin throughout our lives by our heedless thoughts, careless words, and loveless deeds. Indeed, we deserve God's punishment now and eternally. When we reflect honestly on our lives, we readily see that we need repentance and renewal that can only come through our Lord, Jesus Christ. Let us then make confession to our gracious God.

(Silence for personal prayer and reflection)

Leader: Almighty God,

People: we repent of our sins in thought and in word and in deed. You know too well our failings and our transgressions. Be merciful to us and for the sake of Jesus, grant us Your forgiveness so that, as Your redeemed people, we may find rest in You and with refreshed hearts serve You in time and in eternity.

Leader: In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

THE SHARING OF PEACE

THE MUSICAL RESPONSE: "Hear's My Heart, Lord"

Here's my heart, Lord; here's my heart, Lord.
Here's my heart, Lord, speak what is true.

'Cause I am found, I am Yours; I am loved, I'm made pure.
I have life, I can breathe; I am healed, I am free. (Repeat from beginning)

'Cause You are strong, You are sure; You are life, You endure
You are good, always true; You are light breaking through.

Here's my heart, Lord; here's my heart, Lord.

Here's my heart, Lord, speak what is true.
Here's my life, Lord; here's my life, Lord.
Here's my life, Lord, speak what is true.
Speak what is true, speak what is true.

'Cause I am found, I am Yours; I am loved, I'm made pure.
I have life, I can breathe; I am healed, I am free.

'Cause You are strong, You are sure; You are life, You endure
You are good, always true; You are light breaking through.

You are more than enough; You are here, You are love.
You are hope, You are grace; You're all I have, You're ev'rything.

Here's my heart, Lord; here's my heart, Lord.
Here's my heart, Lord, speak what is true.
Here's my life, Lord; here's my life, Lord.
Here's my life, Lord, speak what is true.
Speak what is true, speak what is true.

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THE FIRST READING: Exodus 17:1-7

Teaghan McGuire, reader

All the congregation of the people of Israel moved on from the wilderness of Sin by stages, according to the commandment of the LORD, and camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. ²Therefore the people quarreled with Moses and said, "Give us water to drink." And Moses said to them, "Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the LORD?" ³But the people thirsted there for water, and the people grumbled against Moses and said, "Why did you bring us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our livestock with thirst?" ⁴So Moses cried to the LORD, "What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me." ⁵And the LORD said to Moses, "Pass on before the people, taking with you some of the elders of Israel, and take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. ⁶Behold, I will stand before you there on the rock at Horeb, and you shall strike the rock, and water shall come out of it, and the people will drink." And Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. ⁷And he called the name of the place Massah and Meribah, because of the quarreling of the people of Israel, and because they tested the LORD by saying, "Is the LORD among us or not?"

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING: Romans 5:1-8

Chloe Garay, reader

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. ²Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. ³More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character

produces hope,⁵ and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.⁶ For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly.⁷ For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die—⁸ but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand as you are able)

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 4:5-26

[Jesus] came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph.⁶ Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour.⁷ There came a woman of Samaria to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink."⁸ (For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.)⁹ The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?" (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.)¹⁰ Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water."¹¹ The woman said to him, "Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water?"¹² Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock."¹³ Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again,¹⁴ but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty forever. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life."¹⁵ The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water."¹⁶ Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here."¹⁷ The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband';¹⁸ for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true."¹⁹ The woman said to him, "Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet."²⁰ Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship."²¹ Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father."²² You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews.²³ But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him.²⁴ God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth."²⁵ The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things."²⁶ Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am he."

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

THE APOSTLES' CREED (Spoken together)

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THE MUSICAL RESPONSE: "Living Waters"

Are you thirsty? Are you empty? Come and drink these living waters.
Tired and broken, peace unspoken, rest beside these living waters.

Christ is calling, find refreshing at the cross of living waters.
Lay your life down, all the old gone, rise up in these living waters.

(Chorus)

There's a river that flows with mercy and love,
Bringing joy to the city of our God:
There our hope is secure, do not fear anymore,
Praise the Lord of living waters.

Spirit moving, mercy washing; healing in these living waters.
Lead your children to the shoreline, life is in these living waters. (Chorus)

(Musical interlude)

Are you thirsty? Are you empty? Come and drink these living waters.
Love, forgiveness, vast and boundless. Christ, He is our living waters.
(Chorus)

There our hope is secure, do not fear anymore,
Praise the Lord of living waters.

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THE SERMON

Pastor Dan Sheaffer

THE GATHERING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Please take the black binder at the end of each pew, and fill out the appropriate info.
We encourage our members to greet our visitors after the service.

THE MUSICAL RESPONSE: "No Longer Slaves"

You unravel me with a melody.
You surround me with a song of deliverance from my enemies,
'Til all my fears are gone.

(Chorus)

I'm no longer a slave to fear. I am a child of God.
I'm no longer a slave to fear. I am a child of God.

From my mother's womb You have chosen me.
Your Love has called my name. I've been born again into Your family.
Your blood flows through my veins. (Chorus two times)

You split the sea so I could walk right through it.
My fears were drowned in perfect love.
You rescued me so I could stand and sing, "I am a child of God."
You split the sea so I could walk right through it.
My fears were drowned in perfect love.
You rescued me so I could stand and sing, "I am a child of God."
"I am a child of God." "I am a child of God." (Chorus)
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THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: In peace, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For the blessing of the Lord, that He would receive our praise, hear our prayers and satisfy us with His living water, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For faithful pastors to lead us to the living water flowing from the stricken side of our Rock, Jesus Christ, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For joy in the midst of the things we suffer, that God, who has made peace with us by the cross, would prepare us to behold His glory in heaven, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For all Christian fathers and mothers, that they would stand in God's grace and urge their families always toward eternal life, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For the nations of the world, that both citizens and authorities would seek justice, peace and the common good of all, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For the sick and suffering, that according to God's gracious will, they would be healed; and for those who mourn, that God would fill their hearts with the certain hope of the resurrection, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For strong hearts that boldly confess our sins, that we who daily sin much may joyfully receive God's word of absolution, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

People: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Spoken together)

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THE BLESSING

THE CLOSING SONG: "Build Your Kingdom Here"

Come, set Your rule and reign in our hearts again.
Increase in us, we pray. Unveil why we're made.
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope, like wildfire in our very souls.
Holy Spirit, come invade us now.
We are Your church. We need Your pow'r in us.

We seek your Kingdom first. We hunger and we thirst;
Refuse to waste our lives, for You're our joy and prize.
To see the captive's heart released; The hurt, the sick, the poor, at peace.
We lay down our lives for Heaven's cause.
We are Your church. We pray, revive this earth.

(Chorus)

Build Your Kingdom here. Let the darkness fear.
Show Your mighty hand. Heal our streets and land.
Set Your church on fire. Win this nation back.
Change the atmosphere. Build Your Kingdom here, we pray.

Unleash Your Kingdom's pow'r, reaching the near and far.
No force of hell can stop Your beauty changing hearts.
You made us for much more than this.
Awake the Kingdom seed in us.
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ.
We are Your church. We are the hope on earth.

(Chorus, musical interlude, chorus)

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THE POSTLUDE

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Is. 42:14-21; Ps. 142; Eph. 5:8-14; John 9:1-7, 13-17, 34-39

THE FLOWERS adorning His altar were given to the glory of God in loving memory of Erin and Mildred Linnemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lulleman and Ruth Heine from David Linnemeyer; and in loving memory of Dealus and Bertha Lasley with love from Darlene and Kaitlyn Judkins; and in loving memory of their parents from Chuck and Jan Karrick.

THE MUSIC LEADERS: Emmanuel Praise Team

THE USHERS: Mike & Cathy Paff

The Prayers of the Church

Prayer Requests

- Our congregation continues to care for one another through a faithful prayer ministry. Please pray for the following people this week:
 - Pray for the family of Judy Herbst, and for the family of Bob Bowman, as they mourn the passing of their loved one. Ask God to comfort them in their grief, give them His peace, and assure them of the victory over death that is ours through Christ.
 - Pray for strength, healing, peace and comfort for Bertha Jackson (mother of Kris Tinsley), Joy (friend of Emmanuel Lutheran Church), Ellie Dahlkamp, Marsha Sappenfield, Ed Braun, Doris Hoffman, Alycia Merkler, Lynell Detraz, Allen Herbst, Cheryl Huesner, Marcille Burtch, Ed Braun, Dottie Coppolino (sister of Sherry Baker), Jerry Kanning, Ray Behling (Father of David Behling), Phyllis Tittman, Vickie Tufley (sister of Judy Huesner), Maury Springer, Taylor Hogan (son of Arlan and Robin Hogan), Curt Rees (brother-in-law of Sandra Nahrwold), David Merkler, Kristy Fitzgerald.
 - Pray for the following people recovering from surgery: Peg McFadden, Sonya Eggold, Lynn Frye, Stan Ketzler, Gillian Vachon, Donna Keefer, Marietta Frye, Faith Harless, Cynda Clark, Troy Sargent, Mitch Platt, Steve Mueller.
 - Pray for healing, comfort and peace for the following people with cancer: Rob Howe, Tom Weick, Marty Imler, Judi Brunow, Angela Osborn, Jamie McConnell, Beth Woodward, Tom Eggold, Lois Howe (aunt of Bob Frye), Jenny Hobby (sister of Chris Murphy), Josh Walters (friend of Patty Rouse), and Judy Baumgartner (mother of Kristin Smith).
- Join our staff in praying for the following members this week:
 - Pat and Jenny Scheiderer, Abby and Drew
 - Judy Schele
 - Mike Schenk
 - Cathi Schenkel
 - Lily Schenkel
 - David and Laura Scheppele, Alyssa and Carter
 - Dave and Joni Scheppele
 - Jeffrey Scherer
 - Jonathan Scherer
 - Al and Marilyn Scheumann
- Please pray for the missions supported by Emmanuel's congregation:
 - Rev. James and Deaconess Christel Neuendorf - Ponce, Puerto Rico
 - Rev. Aaron Spratt - Alaska Mission for Christ
 - Lutheran Agency for Missions to Burmese (LAMB)

- Rev. Michael Paul - Taiwan
- The Lutheran Heritage Foundation
- Luther Academy
- Lutheran Senior Care Ministry (LSCM)
- Lutherans For Life (LFL)
- Lutheran Bible Translators

If you have a prayer request that you would like to make known to our Emmanuel family, please email me at taeggold@hotmail.com. If you would like to join the Emmanuel Prayer Chain, please email Marsha Sappenfield at marshasappenfield@comcast.net or call 260-616-0679.

The Teaching of the Church

Sunday School Classes 9:15 - 10:15 A.M.

CLASS	LOCATION
Little Flock (Birth - Age 2)	Room 5 (Lower Level, School)
3-5 Year Olds	Room 6 (Lower Level, School)
K-1 st Grade	Room 7 (Lower Level, School)
2 nd -3 rd Grade	Room 4 (Lower Level, School)
4 th -5 th Grade	Room 3 (Lower Level, School)
6 th Grade Confirmation	D1 (Top Floor, School)
7 th Grade Confirmation	D2 (Top Floor, School)
8 th Grade Confirmation	Ebenezer, Lower Level
9 th -12 th Grade	The Loft

Adult Sunday Bible Classes 9:15 - 10:30 A.M.

CLASS	LOCATION	DATES	INSTRUCTOR
Handling the Word of Truth	Sanctuary	1/8-4/2	Pr. McFadden
Feasts of the Old Testament	Mr. Staub's Rm (Top floor, School)	2/19-3/26	Jan Williams
Lutheran Christianity	Brandt Hall	1/8-3/26	Eggold, Sheafer, Hille
Sunday School for Grown Ups	Mrs. Frerking's Rm (Top floor, School)	1/15-3/26	Pr. Mark Sheafer

Weekday Bible Classes...

CLASS	LOCATION	DAY	TIME
FWYA (Ft. Wayne Young Adult) Bible Study	Ebenezer Hall	Sundays	6:00 pm
Women's Book Study	The Loft	Mondays	8:30 am
LifeLight - Gospel of Matthew	Ebenezer Hall	Mondays	5:30 pm
Women's Book Study (Beth Williams 402-803-5303)	Ebenezer Hall	Tuesdays (1 st & 3 rd)	7:30 pm
Men's Lectionary Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	6:30 am

Women's Bible Study on Luke	Brandt Hall	Wednesdays	8:45 am
Homeschool Religion Class	Choir Room	Wednesdays	9:00 am
Pastor's Bible Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	10:00 am
Men's Lectionary Study	Brandt Hall	Fridays	6:30 am

The News of the Church

Emmanuel Golf League - You're invited to join Emmanuel's Golf League for 2023. This year, it will be a Wednesday weekly league for both men and women. The league begins Wednesday, April 12 at 5:30 p.m. at Brookwood Golf Course (10304 Bluffton Rd, 46809). The cost to ride and play nine holes is \$21. If you plan on playing or would like more details about the league please contact either of our two league coordinators, Fred Peterson (call/text at 260.437.2885) or Mike Huesner (call/text at 260.416.1380).

Save the Date for Emmanuel's Easter Egg Hunt to be held Saturday, April 8 from 10:00 a.m.-Noon. More information to come! If you are interested in helping to plan and run the Easter Egg Hunt, please contact Liz Bejot, Director of Children's Ministry, LBejot@emmanuelutheran.org. We are also accepting donations of plastic eggs filled with candy. You can drop them off at the church office or at the Connections Counter.

Lunch Bunch - The next Lunch Bunch activity for those around 60 or over is scheduled for Tuesday, March 21. Our special guest will be Marti Cooper with Indiana Donor Network who will share information and answer your questions about organ and tissue donation and transplantation. You are never too old to be a hero - learn how older adults are saving lives and providing healing for others every day. We gather for fellowship any time after 11:00 a.m. in the Lower Level of Ebenezer Hall. Lunch is served at noon by our favorite cook Tammy at a cost of \$9.00, payable that day. You are encouraged to stop by the Connections Counter in Ebenezer Hall to sign up for this event, or call the church office at 423-1369 by March 17. Hope you can join us!

Easter Flowers to help beautify our altar on Easter Sunday, April 9, are now being accepted. Order forms can be picked-up from the Connections Counter in Ebenezer. Payment, along with your order form, can be mailed or dropped off at the church office. Please make checks payable to Emmanuel Church. Your flower(s) will be available for pick-up after the 11:30 am Easter service. **Deadline date for ordering is Tuesday, March 14**

Join Us for Trivia Night - Emmanuel Youth Group will host Trivia Night on Saturday, March 25, 6:30-9:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. Take part in a fun-filled evening of trivia, food, and fellowship! Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with pizza, snacks, and beverages. Game play will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. Prizes will be up for grabs throughout the evening. Gather a team of six to eight people and demonstrate your general knowledge skills or laugh trying. Cost is \$10 per participant. Contact Sarah Pennekamp at pennekamp6@yahoo.com if your

business would like to be a round sponsor. Proceeds support the high school youth's summer servant event to Buffalo, New York. Reserve a table by visiting the Connections Counter!

ESM Now Enrolling for 2023-24 School Year - We are now accepting applications for Preschool-8th grade. Schedule a visit today! Contact Erin Clark, Director of Admissions | 260.422.6712 | eclark@esmeagles.com | www.esmeagles.com.

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Emmanuel GriefShare - GriefShare is a grief recovery support group where you can find help and healing for the hurt of losing a loved one. Our GriefShare group will begin meeting every week on Wednesdays, April 19-May 17 for five weeks, and then every other week for the next eight sessions, from May 31-September 6. All sessions will meet from 1:00-2:30 p.m. in Emmanuel's Loft. There is no cost for the study materials, but we would like to know by April 4 if you are planning to attend so we can order enough materials. To sign up, visit the Connections Counter, or call the church office at 260-423-1369. If you would like more info, please call Kathy Eggold at 260-615-1189.

Prayer of Thanksgiving for Birthdays - Thank God for the following birthdays, and ask Him to provide peace and fullness of life for those who serve Him.

Edith Lesh	2515 Clifton Hills Dr., 46808	89	3/10
Jim Moore	2737 W. Washington Ctr. Rd., Lot 384, 46818	86	3/10
Caroline Eber	4410-2 Kekionga Dr., 46809	81	3/11
Sarah Rood	900 Pristine Ave., Angola, IN 46703	83	3/12
Judy Schele	4005 Foxknoll Cove, 46835	81	3/20
Edna Heckber	3640 W. State Blvd., 46808	84	3/25
Janet Doege	1525 Runnion Ave., 46808	90	3/29

The Stewardship of the Church

EMMANUEL'S MINISTRIES

Supports the ongoing mission and ministry efforts of Emmanuel congregation.

Year to Date: \$355,176	Anticipated Need Thru March, 2023: \$313,646
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DISTRICT AND SYNOD

Used for local, national and world mission efforts.

Last Week: \$622	Year to Date: \$3,335
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CUP OF KINDNESS

Distributed by Lutheran Social Services to local families who have crisis needs.

Last Week: \$175	Year to Date: \$1,447
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IN ALL GENERATIONS

Supports the renovations of the Emmanuel campus school building.

Received: \$2,818,150

Goal: \$5,000,000

Pledged: \$3,000,412

The Calendar of the Church

Monday, March 13

- 1:00 p.m. Caregivers' Support Group
- 7:00 p.m. West Central Board Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. Mission Meeting

Tuesday, March 14

- 12:30 p.m. Grief Group
- 5:00 p.m. Stephen Leaders
- 6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry

Wednesday, March 15

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
- 8:30 a.m. ESM School Chapel
- 8:45 a.m. Women's Bible Study
- 9:00 a.m. Home School Religion
- 9:00 a.m. Wednesday Playgroup
- 10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study
- 11:30 a.m. Lenten Worship with Communion
- 3:30 p.m. PALS
- 7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship Service

Thursday, March 16

- 8:30 a.m. Thursday Guys
- 8:45 a.m. New Construction Meeting
- 9:00 a.m. Piece Makers
- 3:30 p.m. Food Pantry

Friday, March 17

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study

Saturday, March 18

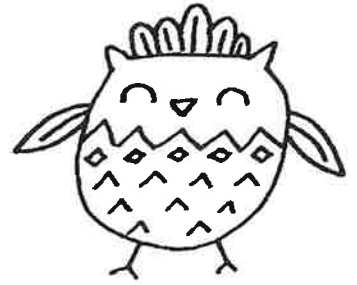
- 3:30 p.m. Praise Team
- 5:00 p.m. Divine Worship with Communion

Sunday, March 19

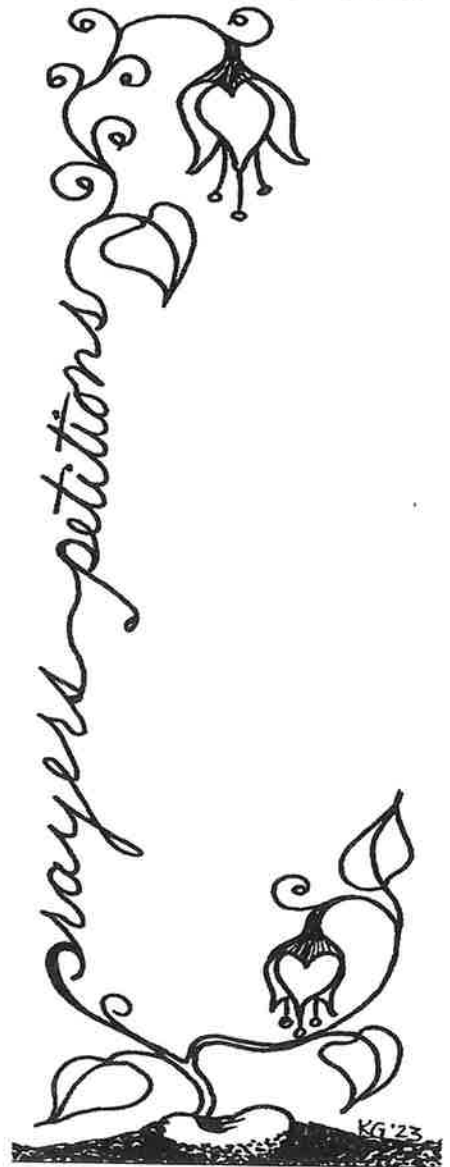
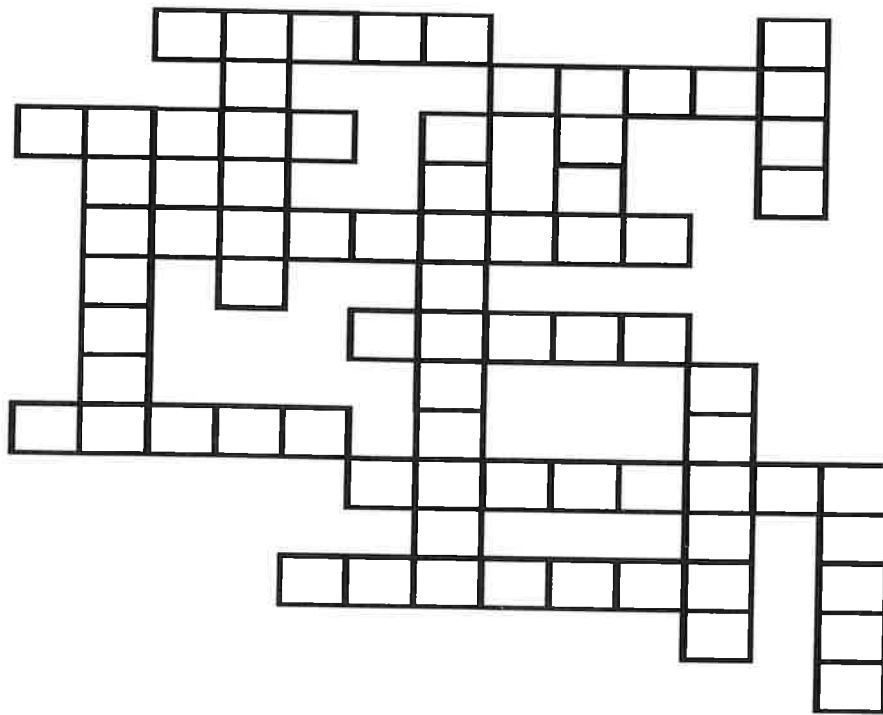
- 8:00 a.m. Divine Worship Service
- 9:15 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Study
- 10:30 a.m. Divine Worship Service with Communion
- 6:00 p.m. FWYA Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. SNA

What was my favorite part of church today?

How can I use this in my life?



Fill In Word puzzle



SUFFERINGS
JUSTIFIED
ENDURING
REJOICE
ENSLAVE

ACCESS
UNITED
SHAME
GRACE
GLORY

PEACE
DEATH
FAITH
WEAK
HOPE



This Visual Faith resource is designed to help visual and tactile learners take worship into the week. You can find more Visual Faith resources at <https://www.visualfaithmin.org>.

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Building faith in the city

We are a caring family of baptized Christians bound together in the forgiveness which God has provided all people through His Son.

This family exists to announce this gift of forgiveness to individuals of all nations and cultures through the preaching of God's Word and the administration of the Sacraments. Emmanuel instructs young and old according to the confessional standard of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, and reaches out through forgiving relationships, working to connect all members of the family through caring friendships.

Emmanuel serves as shepherds of the sheep; seekers of the lost; friends of sinners; and caregivers to the poor, lonely and broken-hearted. It is a family that cares for all people and reaches out to witness to the love and forgiveness found in Jesus Christ.

Emmanuel Worship Services are designed to share God's love and forgiveness through the ministry of Word and Sacrament. We offer a variety of worship styles and we encourage you to worship in the liturgical style that best meets your needs.

Saturday Evening Divine Service—This service offers a contemporary setting and is held on Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning Divine Services—These services are held on Sundays at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. and feature worship in a traditional liturgical setting.

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