

Divine Worship at 5:00



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

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



SPECIAL NEEDS



We offer a hearing loop, large print bulletins and printed copies of today's sermon. If these would be helpful, please ask one of our ushers who would be delighted to assist you.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP



We are so happy you are here!

We've got tot bags and children's bulletins that are located in the east and west rear entrances of the church. Also, check out our Visual Faith page in the back of the bulletin.

Please feel free to bring your kids up during the distribution of Holy Communion for a personal blessing.

The unstaffed Church Nursery is available for children three years of age and younger and is located in the lower level. If you need help finding it, please ask one of our ushers who will gladly guide you.

PRAYER REQUESTS



If you have a prayer request that you would like announced to the congregation, you will find a prayer request card on the tables located near each entrance into the sanctuary. Drop the completed card into one of the boxes located at each entrance, or simply hand it to an usher.

CONNECTIONS COUNTER



Visit the Connections Counter located in Ebenezer Hall. We've been expecting you and have a gift for our visitors. You can also pick up information on all we have to offer and sign up for events too!

GATHERING TIME



Join us for coffee, donuts and fellowship on Sunday mornings, after the early service and before Sunday school and Bible classes begin.

EMMANUEL APP



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Found in the gathering space we call Ebenezer Hall.

BUILDING FAITH IN THE CITY

"Living Water"

AS WE GATHER

In John 4, Jesus deliberately crosses boundaries to meet a woman who knows the sting of being an outsider. Jesus "had to pass through Samaria," not by accident, but by mercy—because He goes where no one else will go, speaks to the one no one else will speak to, and offers a gift no one else can give. Christ comes for sinners and His forgiving, life-giving and living water of grace doesn't avoid the unclean or the broken; it seeks them out. Having been quenched by Christ, we are sent to do the same: to move toward the lonely, the avoided, the overlooked, and to carry the living water of Jesus to those who are dying of thirst.

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 CALL TO WORSHIP: "This Little Gospel Light of Mine"

ESM Preschool

THE WORDS OF WELCOME

THE OPENING SONG: "Arise"

**One thing we ask of You, one thing that we desire.
And as we worship You, Lord, come and change our lives.**

Arise, arise, arise, arise.

Arise, take Your place, be enthroned on our praise.

Arise, King of kings, Holy God, as we sing.

Arise! Arise!

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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 84:4-5)

Leader: Blessed are those who dwell in Your house ever singing Your praise!

People: Blessed are those whose strength is in You, in whose hearts are the highways to Zion.

(Silence for personal prayer and reflection)

Leader: O almighty God, merciful Father,

People: I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your punishment now and forever. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being. Forgive me all my sins and grant me the power of Your Holy Spirit that I may amend my sinful life.

Leader: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son ✠ and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: Let us pray. O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy, be gracious to all who have gone astray from Your ways and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of Your Word; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

THE SHARING OF PEACE

(Please be seated)

THE MUSICAL RESPONSE: "Forevermore"

(Solo)

To the One who stretched the sky over emptiness
To the One who formed the earth from nothingness

(Chorus)

Be blessing and honor glory and power
Forevermore, forevermore
God You rule, God You reign, forevermore.

To the One who carved out oceans with His hand
To the One who gave His life to ransom man (Chorus)

Let the earth proclaim that our God reigns (Repeat)

Forevermore, forevermore

God You rule, God You reign, forevermore. (Repeat)

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THE FIRST READING: Exodus 17:1-7

Teagan Arkkelin

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

Jada Rodgers

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, ⁵and 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. ⁶For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die— ⁸but 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 4:5-30

[Jesus] came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. ⁶Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour. ⁷There 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.) ⁹The 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.) ¹⁰Jesus 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." ¹¹The woman said to him, "Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? ¹²Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock." ¹³Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴but 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.” ¹⁵The woman said to him, “Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water.” ¹⁶Jesus said to her, “Go, call your husband, and come here.” ¹⁷The woman answered him, “I have no husband.” Jesus said to her, “You are right in saying, ‘I have no husband’; ¹⁸for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true.” ¹⁹The woman said to him, “Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet. ²⁰Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship.” ²¹Jesus said to her, “Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father. ²²You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. ²³But 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. ²⁴God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth.” ²⁵The woman said to him, “I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things.” ²⁶Jesus said to her, “I who speak to you am he.” ²⁷Just then his disciples came back. They marveled that he was talking with a woman, but no one said, “What do you seek?” or, “Why are you talking with her?” ²⁸So the woman left her water jar and went away into town and said to the people, ²⁹“Come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?” ³⁰They went out of the town and were coming to him. . . .

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord
People: Praise to You, O Christ.

THE APOSTLES' CREED (spoken together)

Inside back cover of hymnal

(Please be seated)

THE MUSICAL RESPONSE: “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”
How deep the Father’s love for us, how vast beyond all measure,
That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure.
How great the pain of searing loss; the Father turns His face away,
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders;
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.
It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me life—I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no pow’r, no wisdom;
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer.
But this I know with all my heart: His wounds have paid my ransom.

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THE SERMON

Pastor Thomas A. Eggold

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: "In Christ Alone"

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in all,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! Who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save;
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied.
For every sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious Day,
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me.
For I am His and He is mine!
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home—
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

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THE MINISTRY MINUTE

Easter Egg Hunt

(Please stand, as you are able)

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father, through Your Son Jesus Christ, You proclaimed that Your worship will no longer be confined to the Temple in

Jerusalem, but that You desire to be worshipped in Spirit and in Truth. Protect and sustain Your Church where Your faithful gather to worship You in the unity of the Holy Spirit in the presence of Jesus Christ, Who is Truth. Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Almighty God, You called Your servant Moses to lead Your people Israel through the wilderness, and used him to provide water for them from the rock. Raise up for us faithful pastors to lead us through the wilderness of this life to the living waters of Your saving Word. Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, You deigned to speak to the Samaritan woman with five husbands, and used her to spread Your saving Gospel to the parched land of her village. In the same way, look down in mercy on all Christian families, especially those broken by infidelity and divorce. Grant all husbands and wives to be reconciled to one another in the bonds of forgiveness, and comfort those who have been abandoned by their spouse. Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: O Lord, You showed Your love for us in that, while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Convert all hearts to the news of this joyous Gospel, that all may be saved and rejoice in the eternal blessings of the heavenly life with You. Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Blessed Spirit, through You God's love has been poured into our hearts, allowing us to rejoice in the peace we have with Him. Grant this love also to all governments around the world, that the peace we have with You may be manifest in this world. Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Almighty God, You richly provided Your people Israel with all their bodily needs as they wandered through the wilderness. Provide us also with the necessities of this life, heal us from our diseases, and protect our bodies from all harm. Lord, in Your mercy:

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: All this we pray through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Spoken together)

During the Lord's Prayer, the church bell tolls three times to encourage those outside the sanctuary to join with the church in corporate prayer.

THE BLESSING

THE CLOSING SONG: "I Will Not Be Shaken"

My soul finds rest in You, my fortress and my rock,
My hope for life, my hiding place, my refuge and my God.
In You I've found my home, my shelter from the storm,
And I'll pour out my heart to You, and lean upon Your throne.

(Chorus)

I will put my trust in You, I will put my hope there, too.
I will stand upon Your word, and I will not be shaken.
I will let my praises show, holding on to what I know,
Because I know You're always there.
And I will not be shaken, I will not be shaken.

(Solo)

I will not be moved, I'm leaning on the throne
Because You died for me and called me to Your own
And even when the strongest winds begin to blow
I will stand my ground, I will not be moved,
I will not be shaken.

(All)

My soul finds rest in You, my fortress and my rock,
My hope for life, my hiding place,
My refuge and my God. (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 the altar were given to the glory of God in honor of Karen Schoenefeld on her 80th birthday from her loving husband, Jerry, and her children and grandchildren; in loving memory of Vern and Phyllis Urbine, and Bob Rommel from David and Vikki Birdwell and family; and in loving memory of Erin and Mildred Linnemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lulleman and Ruth Heine from David Linnemeyer.

USHERS: Dale and Pat Bultemeier

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 strength, healing, peace and comfort for Pam Carmichael (sister of Deb Percy), River Garcia (grandson of Raquel Klug), Carlton Grotrian (father of Karla Neeld), Ricky Carmickle (brother-in-law of Deb Percy), Alycia Williams, Gene Franklin (father of Sandy Behling), Vickie Kidwell (mother of

Sandy Behling), Phil Arthur, Deb Percy, Ed Braun, Norv McClure, Janine (friend of Lauryn Longworth), Gracelynn Anderson (granddaughter of Tim and Cindy Anderson), Randi Gramling (cousin of Deb Percy), Stan Thompson, Deb Epperson, Salem Lee Hilty, Faith Behling, William Rush, Wayne McClure, LuAnn Reichhart (mom of Brent Reichhart), Cohen (grandson of Matt and Kim Benne), Lynn Auman (father of Kim Faley), Michaela Procise, Melissa Henry (sister of Judy Huesner)

- Pray for the following people recovering from surgery: Wes Harless, Larry Von Gunten, Catherine Peterson, Kathy Lash, Becki Elonzae, Ruth Ann Hernandez, George Elonzae
- Pray for healing, comfort and peace for the following people with cancer: Bonnie Havener (sister-in-law of George and Becki Elonzae), Karen Burtch (sister-in-law of Lori Richey), Amy Krontz (daughter-in-law of David and Karen Wyss), Mary Grosjean, Peg Davis, Ashley Edge (niece of Barb and Gary Lesh), Barb Hambrock, Julie McMichael (niece of Deb Percy), Bob and Jenny Hobby (brother-in-law and sister of Chris Murphy), Shelly Koenig (friend of Matt & Amy Konow), Rob Howe, Judi Brunow, Josh Walters (friend of Patty Rouse), Judy Baumgartner (mother of Kristin Smith), Tina Bennett, Dennis McFadden, Lisa Toth (Pepple), Laura Herrick (Caroline Eber's niece), Art Klausmeier, Roger Kuehnert, John Jennings (friend of Dave and Tammy Bair), Bruce Williams, Rob Roehm, Ann Schwartz, Hazel Krenzke (Brian and Anna Snodgrass's niece), Robert Burmeister (Hannah Swor's dad), Roxanne Moore, Marsha Sappenfield, Jenny Nehrenz (niece of Charlene Hess), Rick Bair (brother of Dave and Tammy Bair), Gary Thompson (father of Carly Bennett), Carol McGuigan (mother of Kevin McGuigan), Amanda Cornyn-Bradford (daughter of Mike and Aprel Cornyn), Linda Raatz
- Prayers for PALS – PALS is a program in which Emmanuel members partner with Washington School students to build relationships and strengthen reading skills in a Christian environment. Each week we will pray for some of our Washington School PALS or helpers, and we encourage you to join us in the ministry. This week, we are praying for Chase.
- Join our staff in praying for the following members:
 - Tracey Carteaux
 - Sierra Carter
 - Amanda Caudill
 - Brent and Angela Chamberlin, Moses, Myla, Shepherd, and Wynn
 - Sara and Rodney Chaney, Nicholas
 - Charlie Chapman
 - Cody and Emily Chapman, Madalyn and Ethan
 - Zach and Tori Chess, Calvin
 - Willie Chin
 - Patti Churchill
- Please pray for the missions supported by Emmanuel's congregation:
 - Rev. James and Deaconess Christel Neuendorf – Ponce, Puerto Rico

- o Lutheran Agency for Missions to Burmese (LAMB)
- o Rev. Michael Paul - Taiwan
- o Heidi Wilkinson - Ethiopia
- o The Lutheran Heritage Foundation
- o Luther Academy
- o Lutheran Senior Care Ministry (LSCM)
- o Lutherans For Life (LFL)
- o 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.

Prayer of Thanksgiving for Baptism: Thank God for the baptisms so far in 2026:
 Callaghan Miller Austin Hayward Calvin Chess

The Teaching of the Church

Want Help Growing in the Word? Regularly visit Pastor Brunow's website <http://www.genesbrunotes.com>. The website offers notes on each chapter of Scripture, Bible studies, tips for preparing for worship, and a weekly devotion based on the Gospel reading for the coming week. You can find these devotions under the "Sermon Notes Plus" option.

Sunday School and Bible Class 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

CLASS	LOCATION
Little Flock (Birth - Age 3)	School Room A5 (Extended Care)
4-5 Year Olds	School Room A3
K-1 st Grade	School Room A1
2 nd -3 rd Grade	School Room B3
4 th -5 th Grade	School Room B5
6 th -7 th Grade	School Room D2
8 th Grade	School Room D3 (Art/Science)
High School	Loft
Lutheran Christianity	Brandt Hall
Galatians	LL Ebenezer
Genesis	Sanctuary

Weekday Bible Classes...

CLASS	LOCATION	DAY	TIME
Monday Morning Moms	Loft	Monday (every other)	8:30 a.m.
LifeLight: Luke	Ebenezer Hall	Mondays	3:30 p.m.
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Study the Psalms	Chapman's	Tuesday	6:00 p.m.

Men's Lectionary Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	6:30 a.m.
Women's Bible Study	Brandt Hall	Wednesdays	8:30 a.m.
Pastor's Bible Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	10:00 a.m.
Friends in the Word	Loft	Thursday (every other)	8:30 a.m.
Bible Study & Fellowship	Chapman's	Thursdays	6:00 p.m.
@917 (Ages 25-45)	Ebenezer Hall	Thursdays	7:00 p.m.
This Is Most Certainly Brew	Brandt Hall	Fridays	6:30 a.m.

The News of the Church

Easter Flowers –Easter is on Sunday, April 5 and the deadline to order your flower(s) is Monday, March 9. Order forms can be picked up from the Connections Counter in Ebenezer, the Welcome Center, or you can print one from the email newsletter. Please submit your form along with payment to the church office. If paying by check, please make it payable to Emmanuel. Your flowers will be available for pick up after the 11:00 service on Easter Day.

Lutherans for Life – Lutherans for Life will meet at Emmanuel Friday, March 13, at 9:30 a.m in Brandt Hall. The meeting presentation is a video of a veteran who was a 7 year prisoner during the Vietnam war. Visitors are welcome.

EYG Trivia Night! Get ready for an exciting evening of fun, food, and friendly competition at Emmanuel Youth Group's Trivia Night! Gather a team of 6–8 players and join us Saturday, March 21, from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. in the gym. Doors open at 6:00 p.m., with pizza, snacks, and beverages available. Trivia begins promptly at 6:30 p.m. Show off your creativity by choosing a team theme—costumes, props, and table decorations are encouraged! Prizes will be awarded throughout the night, including one for the best-themed table. Cost is \$10 per participant, and childcare is available. All proceeds support our high school youth's summer servant event in Pikeville, KY.



GriefShare: 13-Week Grief Support Group – GriefShare is a Christ-centered support group for adults grieving the loss of a family member or friend. We will be meeting Tuesdays, 5:00 – 6:30 p.m., March 31 - June 23 in Ebenezer Hall. To register (so books can be ordered), contact Lana Hille at lanah@emmanuelutheran.org or 260.417.5639.

Lunch Bunch - We welcome all of our members around 60 or over to join us for our next Emmanuel Lunch Bunch activity on Tuesday, March 17. Our special guest speaker and member Bill Warner will join us to share his most memorable experiences as an FBI agent and how that came to influence his early book writing. Fellowship begins at 11:00 a.m. in LL Ebenezer Hall and lunch will be served at 12:00 p.m. Lunch reservations are required by calling the church office at 260.423.1369 or

by signing up at the Connections Counter by Friday, March 13. The lunch cost is \$10.00 per person payable that day.

Save the Date for Emmanuel's VBS - Join us June 22-26, as we walk the streets of Rome! Explore the Underground Church, meet the Apostle Paul, and so much more! Interested in being a part of the planning team? It's forming NOW! Reach out to Liz Bejot for more information. LBejot@emmanuelutheran.org

ESM Position Open - ESM is in need of morning help with our Extended Care from 6:30 - 8:30 a.m., Monday - Friday at either Getz or Union. Individual days available if you're willing to help but can't do every day of the week. Please contact Analicia Nunez at anunez@esmeagles.com if you're interested or able.

Bridge 20/30 is a young adult ministry for those in their 20s and 30s, offering Christ-centered community and fellowship at rotating locations around Fort Wayne. Our next meetup is Porch Night - Series on Vanity, on Tuesday, March 10, 7:00 p.m. at Holy Cross Youth Center (3420 N. Anthony Blvd).

The Stewardship of the Church

EMMANUEL'S MINISTRIES

Supports the ongoing mission and ministry efforts of Emmanuel congregation.

Year to Date: \$406,322	Anticipated Need Through March: \$625,714
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DISTRICT AND SYNOD

Used for local, national and world mission efforts.

Last Week: \$220	Year to Date: \$2,621
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CUP OF KINDNESS

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

Last Week: \$70	Year to Date: \$700
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IN ALL GENERATIONS

Supports the renovations of the Emmanuel campus school building.

"IAG" Total Received: \$6,603,930	Mortgage Balance: \$884,311	Total Cost* \$7,450,365
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*Total Cost = Mortgage Interest Paid to Date + Construction Cost

The Calendar of the Church

Monday, March 9

6:30 a.m. Iron & Clay Weekly Devotion
8:30 a.m. Monday Morning Moms
3:30 p.m. Lifelight
5:30 p.m. Lifelight
6:00 p.m. Handbell Practice

Tuesday, March 10

6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry
6:00 p.m. Stephen Leaders
6:00 p.m. Psalms at Chapman's
7:00 p.m. West Central Board Meeting

Wednesday, March 11

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
7:30 a.m. Finance Committee Meeting
8:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study
8:30 a.m. ESM Chapel
9:00 a.m. Homeschool Religion
10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study
11:30 a.m. Lenten Communion Service
3:30 p.m. PALS
6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Lenten Service

Thursday, March 12

8:30 a.m. Thursday Guys
8:30 a.m. Friends in the Word
9:00 a.m. Piece Makers
6:00 p.m. Bible Study at Chapman's
7:00 p.m. @917 Bible Class

Friday, March 13

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
9:30 a.m. Lutherans for Life

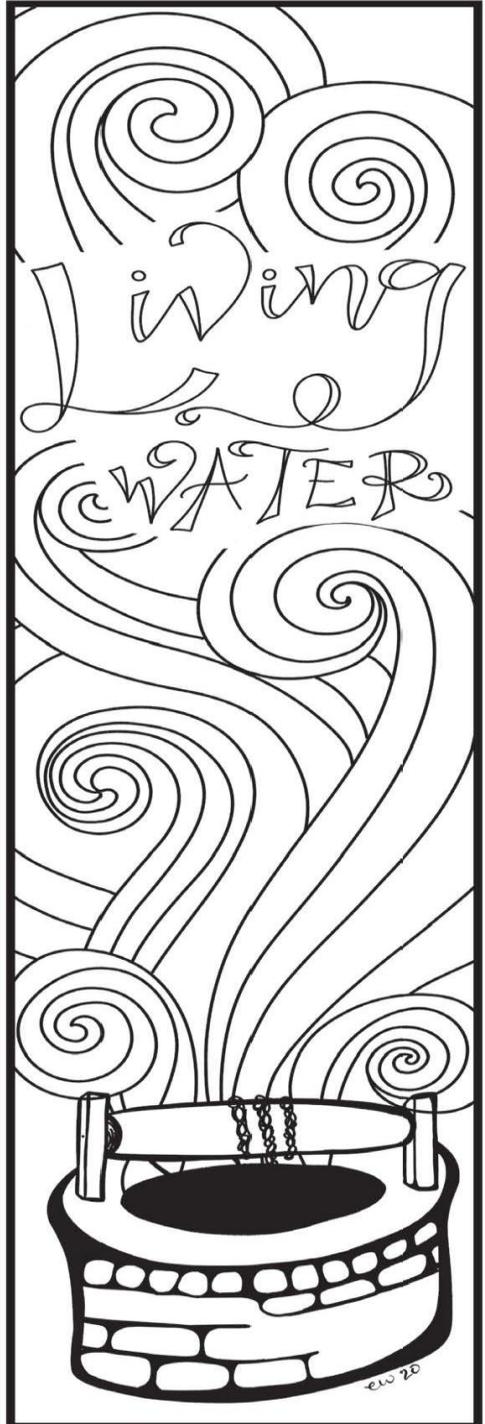
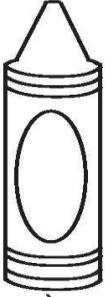
Saturday, March 14

5:00 p.m. Divine Service w/ Communion

Sunday, March 15

8:00 a.m. Divine Service
9:15 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Classes
10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/
Communion

Draw a picture about the sermon



The Sacraments

Today we celebrated the Lord's Supper ...

Yes No

Today we had a baptism ...

Yes No

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, Jesus.

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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