

# NEWS FROM EMMANUEL: APRIL 23, 2022

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

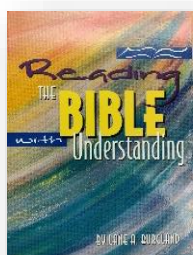
## Worship and Bible Class this Weekend

This weekend Holy Communion will be offered in the 8:00 a.m. service on Sunday. On Sunday morning, we also offer Bible class for adults and high school youth, confirmation for grades 6-8, and a Sunday school program for children from birth through grade 5. For a complete listing of all current classes and locations, [click here](#).



## A New Sunday Morning Bible Study: "Keys to Unlocking the Bible"

Today, **Sunday, April 24**, Pastor Eggold and Pastor Sheaffer will begin a five-week class on interpreting the Bible. Based on Dr. Lane Burgland's book, *Reading the Bible with Understanding* this Bible class will provide basic principles for interpreting the Bible that everyone can use. "Keys to Unlocking the Bible" will meet in the lower level of Ebenezer Hall on Sundays, 9:15-10:15 a.m., April 24-May 22.



## Congregational Meeting Tomorrow

Tomorrow, **Sunday, April 24**, we will hold a congregational voters' meeting immediately following the 10:30 a.m. service. The agenda will include reports on the In All Generations campaign and ESM renovation, and a recommendation from the Youth and Family Call Committee. The meeting will take place in the Sanctuary.

## Communion Services on Wednesdays

We continue to offer a special service of Holy Communion on Wednesday mornings at 11:30 a.m. If you would like to attend one of these communion services, please register by calling the church office at 260.423.1369 by noon on the Tuesday before you plan to attend. If you are unable to attend one of these special Communion services, and desire to receive the Sacrament, please contact the church office to schedule a communion visit.

## Cookies for the Connections Counter

Each weekend we plan for guests and visitors at Emmanuel. Our Connections Counter serves as a central location for making conversation, sharing information, and providing a warm welcome. When first-time guests come to the Counter, we provide a small box of cookies. If you enjoy baking and would like to be part of this ministry of hospitality, please sign up to contribute cookies. Use [this link](#) to select the date(s) of your choosing.



## Cross Connections Spring Thing

**When:** Tuesday April 26, 2022, 5:30-9:00 p.m.

**Where:** Parkview Mirro Center, 10622 Parkview Plaza Dr., Fort Wayne

Join us in celebrating the Biblical ministry of Cross Connections as we welcome our featured guest, New York Times best-selling author, Mr. Lee Strobel!

There will be a live auction, a beautiful meal, raffles, and live music. The cost is \$100 per person. There are sponsorship opportunities still available. Call today to register at 260.373.0213, ext. 101, or visit our website: [crossconnectionsounseling.com](http://crossconnectionsounseling.com) and see our Events page.



We hope you will join us!

## Emmanuel Golf League

There has been growing interest from those connected to Emmanuel to have a golf league. This year we are looking to continue to build on the previous year's momentum.

**Emmanuel's 2022 Golf League will begin the first Tuesday in May (May 3) and will run weekly until September or October.** We will be playing at Brookwood Golf Course

starting at 5:30 p.m. For a round of 9 holes, the weekly cost to play in the league will be \$24 (riding) and \$16 (walking). This league is open to both men and women and we are

seeking to have at least 12 people each week of play. If you are interested or have further questions, please feel free to contact Fred Peterson (260.437.2885) or Mike Huesner (260.416.1380) who are helping to organize this league at Emmanuel.



## Lunch Bunch



Our "Over Sixty" Lunch Bunch will meet on **Tuesday, May 17**, and will feature Bruce Novak, a historian, adjunct faculty at Purdue Fort Wayne and Emmanuel member. He will share a very engaging presentation on Civil War Trivia. Fellowship hour begins at 11:00 a.m. with lunch served at noon, followed by our featured speaker at 12:45 p.m. Please make reservations by Friday, May 13, at the Connections Counter or by calling the church office at 260.423.1369. The cost of the meal is \$9.00.

## CLHS Alumni Spotlight on Emmanuel Members Camden and Jackson Wagner

Read the interview with the Wagner brothers [here](#).



## Vacation Bible School



Due to the work that will be happening with the school renovation project this summer, Emmanuel will not be able to hold VBS on our campus. Instead, Emmanuel will be participating in St. Michael's VBS program. We will resume our VBS program in the future once the school renovations are completed. Emmanuel VBS participants and volunteers are encouraged to join in St. Michael's VBS this year. Registration will be available after Easter. Here are the details:

**Theme:** *Food Truck Party: On a Roll with God*

**Dates and Time:** July 25-29, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

**Culminating Service and Party:** July 30 at 5:00 p.m.

**Location:** St. Michael Lutheran Church

**St. Michael's VBS Contact:** Carrie Gould, 937.641.9744 / [carrie.gould1137@yahoo.com](mailto:carrie.gould1137@yahoo.com)

## Register for Summer Camp at Concordia Lutheran High School

Summer Camp and Summer Class registration is now open! Summer Camps are available for K-12 grade students and feature something for all interests, including sports, computers, band, drama, and rocket science! We also offer summer classes for students in grades 8-12 (during the 2021-22 school year). Learn more and register at

[www.clhscadets.com/summer](http://www.clhscadets.com/summer).

Together in Christ,  
Pastor Eggold and Pastor Sheaffer