

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.

“The Gift of God’s Word”

AS WE GATHER

Jesus challenges the belief that earthly blessings are a sign of God’s eternal favor. He teaches us to heed the Word of God now while faithful mercy can be shown, for this is God’s good and gracious will. Lord, teach us to read and trust in Your gift of Moses, the Prophets, and all faithful witnesses to the Gospel. May our tongues speak now of Your grace for all who have ears to hear. Amen.

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: “Open Up the Heavens”

We’ve waited for this day. We’re gathered in your name, Calling out to You.
Your glory like a fire, awakening desire, will burn our hearts with truth.
You’re the reason we’re here. You’re the reason we’re singing.

(Chorus)

Open up the heavens, we want to see You.
Open up the floodgates, a mighty river flowing from your heart,
Filling ev’ry part of our praise.

Your presence in this place, Your glory on our face, We’re looking to the sky.
Descending like a cloud, You’re standing with us now. Lord, unveil our eyes.
You’re the reason we’re here. You’re the reason we’re singing. (Chorus)

Show us, show us Your glory. Show us, show us Your power.
Show us, show us Your glory, Lord.
Show us, show us Your glory. Show us, show us Your power.
Show us, show us Your glory, Lord. (Chorus)

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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

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: who made heaven and earth.

Leader: If You, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?

People: But with You there is forgiveness, that You may be feared.

Leader: The Spirit of God calls forth sacrifices pleasing to God: brotherly love, hospitality to strangers, care for all in need, faithfulness in marriage and the family, fearless joy in the Lord, right faith, and right worship. Let us ask God to forgive our sinful neglect of faith's power to have free course in our life.

(Silence for reflection and confession)

Leader: Almighty God,

People: we confess to You that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed. We have not loved You with our entire being, and we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Alone we remain without hope, health, or help. Have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

Leader: May the God of peace equip you with everything good that you may do His will. 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: "Great Are You Lord"

You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness.
You give hope; You restore ev'ry heart that is broken.
And great are You, Lord

(Chorus)

It's Your breath in our lungs, so we pour out our praise,
We pour out our praise.

It's Your breath in our lungs, So we pour out our praise to You only.

(Repeat from beginning)

All the earth will shout Your praise.

Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing, "Great are You, Lord!"

All the earth will shout Your praise.

Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing, "Great are You, Lord!" (Chorus)

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THE FIRST READING: Amos 6:1-7

“Woe to those who are at ease in Zion, and to those who feel secure on the mountain of Samaria, the notable men of the first of the nations, to whom the house of Israel comes! ²Pass over to Calneh, and see, and from there go to Hamath the great; then go down to Gath of the Philistines. Are you better than these kingdoms? Or is their territory greater than your territory, ³O you who put far away the day of disaster and bring near the seat of violence? ⁴“Woe to those who lie on beds of ivory and stretch themselves out on their couches, and eat lambs from the flock and calves from the midst of the stall, ⁵who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp and like David invent for themselves instruments of music, ⁶who drink wine in bowls and anoint themselves with the finest oils, but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph! ⁷Therefore they shall now be the first of those who go into exile, and the revelry of those who stretch themselves out shall pass away.”

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING: 1 Timothy 6:6-19

Now there is great gain in godliness with contentment, ⁷for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world. ⁸But if we have food and clothing, with these we will be content. ⁹But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. ¹⁰For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evils. It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pangs. ¹¹But as for you, O man of God, flee these things. Pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness. ¹²Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called and about which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. ¹³I charge you in the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, ¹⁴to keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵which he will display at the proper time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, ¹⁶who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen. ¹⁷As for the rich in this present age, charge them not to be haughty, nor to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who richly provides us with everything to enjoy. ¹⁸They are to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous and ready to share, ¹⁹thus storing up treasure for themselves as a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of that which is truly life.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand as you are able)

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 16:19-31

[Jesus said:] "There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. ²⁰And at his gate was laid a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, ²¹who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table. Moreover, even the dogs came and licked his sores. ²²The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's side. The rich man also died and was buried, ²³and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. ²⁴And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame.' ²⁵But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner bad things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. ²⁶And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' ²⁷And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house— ²⁸for I have five brothers—so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' ²⁹But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the Prophets; let them hear them.' ³⁰And he said, 'No, father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' ³¹He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.'"

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

THE APOSTLES' CREED (Spoken together) Inside back cover of hymnal

THE MUSICAL RESPONSE: "King of Kings"

In the darkness we were waiting, without hope, without light,
'Til from Heaven You came running, There was mercy in Your eyes.
To fulfill the Law and Prophets, to a virgin came the Word.
From a throne of endless glory to a cradle in the dirt.

(Chorus)

Praise the Father, praise the Son, praise the Spirit, three in one.
God of Glory, majesty, praise forever to the King of kings.

To reveal the kingdom coming and to reconcile the lost,
To redeem the whole creation, You did not despise the cross.
For even in Your suff'ring, You saw to the other side.
Knowing this was our salvation, Jesus, for our sake You died. (Chorus)

And the morning that You rose all of heaven held its breath,
'Til that stone was moved for good, for the Lamb had conquered death.
And the dead rose from their tombs, and the angels stood in awe,
For the souls of all who'd come to the Father are restored.

And the Church of Christ was born, then the Spirit lit the flame.
Now this Gospel truth of old shall not kneel, shall not faint.
By His blood and in His Name, in His freedom I am free,
For the love of Jesus Christ who has resurrected me. (Chorus)

Praise forever to the King of kings.

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THE SERMON

Pastor Dan Sheafer

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: "Lord, I Know"

Lord, I come, I confess. Bowing here, I find my rest.
And without You, I fall apart. You're the One that guides my heart.

(Chorus)

Lord, I need You, oh, I need You. Ev'ry hour I need You.
My one Defense, my Righteousness, O God, how I need You.

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more.
Where grace is found is where You are.
And where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me.
Where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me. (Chorus)

So teach my song to rise to You when temptation comes my way.
And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You. Jesus, You're my Hope and Stay.
And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You. Jesus, You're my Hope and Stay.
(Chorus two times)

My one Defense, my Righteousness, O God, how I need You.

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THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

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

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For diligent study of God's Holy Word, that we might be content with His provision for us in this life, trust in Christ and His death for us, rejoice in His resurrection, and look forward to the life to come, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For pastors, that God, who appoints them to this noble task, would strengthen them to be above reproach in their care for their own

households and His Church, preserve them from every snare of the devil, and give them great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For our households, that God would preserve us from idols and sins of idleness; and that He would bless fathers and mothers as they catechize their children to guard their hearts and rejoice in His gifts, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For the authorities of the nations, that the King of kings and Lord of lords would deliver them from idols of wealth and power and strengthen them to fulfil the duties of their offices in humility and service to others, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For all in need of deliverance, that God, who comforts in His steadfast love, would console them with His promises until He rescues them from their trouble, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For His kindness to the saints whom God has delivered and now comforts with eternal rest, let us give thanks to the Lord; and that God would preserve us in repentance until we are carried by angels to Abraham's side, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: Answer all doubt and fear, O Lord, with confidence in Your Word and Sacraments, that by these Means of Grace we may be kept in holiness and guarded from temptation and despair until the day when You bring all things to their perfect fulfillment and we are delivered to everlasting life; 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)

Inside back cover of hymnal

THE BLESSING

THE CLOSING SONG: "For All You've Done"

My Savior, Redeemer, lifted me from the miry clay.
Almighty, forever. I will never be the same,
'Cause You came near from the everlasting
To the world we live; the Father's only Son.

And You lived and You died and You rose again on high.
And You opened the way for the world to live again.
Hallelujah for all You've done. (Repeat from beginning)

'Cause You came near from the everlasting
To the world we live, the Father's only Son.
'Cause You came near from the everlasting
To the world we live; the Father's only Son.

And You lived and You died and You rose again on high.
And You opened the way for the world to live again.
Hallelujah for all You've done.
And You lived and You died and You rose again on high.
And You opened the way for the world to live again.
Hallelujah for all You've done. Hallelujah for all You've done.
Hallelujah for all You've done.

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THE POSTLUDE

THE READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK: Hab. 1:1-4, 2:1-4; 2 Tim. 1:1-14; Luke 17:1-10

THE FLOWERS adorning His altar were given to the glory of God in loving memory of Bart Bircheff from Janet and family; and in loving memory of Karl and Doris Krudop from their children and extended families; and in loving memory of Richard Hill from his family.

THE MUSIC LEADERS: Emmanuel Praise Team

THE USHERS: Jan Hoffman, Laura Miller

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:
 - We give thanks with Josh Brune and Ivy Kurgan who were united in marriage. We ask the Lord to bless their relationship with a love for each other that is based on His perfect love. Pray that He will guide their life together and keep them always grounded in the faith that they may be a blessing to each other and to those around them.
 - Pray for strength, healing, peace and comfort for Janet Doege, Karen Schoenefeld, Lance Diffendarfer, Rhonda Irvén, NeNe Vibbert (cousin of Becki Elonzae), Caroline Shelton, Kathy Schweyer, Vickie Tufley (sister of Judy Huesner), Carol Salge, Maury Springer, Patrick Agerton, Harry Brown (father-in-law of Kristina Brown), Dick Reinking, Taylor Hogan (son of

Arlan and Robin Hogan), Curt Reese (brother-in-law of Sandra Nahrwold), David Merkler, Jennifer Bergman, Sue Maxson, Kristy Fitzgerald, Mary English, Kelly Richards.

- Pray for the following people recovering from surgery: Angela Osborn, Jeff Scherer, Bob Dietrich, Jan Karrick, Tim Lankenau, Donna Brunow, Mitch Platt, Steve Mueller, Ethan Perkins, Bruce Novak.
- Pray for healing, comfort and peace for the following people with cancer: Tom Eggold, Lois Howe (aunt of Bob Frye), Peg Davis, Jenny Hobby (sister of Chris Murphy), Josh Walters (friend of Patty Rouse), Carolyn Robison (sister of Sandy Reavis and Patty Rouse), Richard Vargas (brother-in-law of Kris Tinsley), and Judy Baumgartner (mother of Kristin Smith).
- Join our staff in praying for the following members this week:
 - Mike and Karen Lyttle
 - Cam and Meg MacKenzie
 - Josh and Kristen Macy, Brody, Christian and Mallory
 - Amanda Madden, Annie
 - Dylan and Amelia Madden, Adeline
 - Patrick and Michelle Madden, Ethan and Isabel
 - Joe and Stephanie Magsam, Ruth
 - Walt and Nancy Maier, Nicki and Sara
 - Bill and Peggy Maki
 - Peter and Nikki Marden, Calleigh, Cassidy and Jarrod
- Please pray for the missions and missionaries currently 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)

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.

The Teaching of the Church

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

CLASS	LOCATION	DATES	INSTRUCTOR
James: Apostle of Faith	Sanctuary	9/11-11/20	Pr. McFadden

Lutheran Christianity	Brandt Hall	9/11-11/27	Eggold, Sheaffer, Hille
Conversations in Parenting	School Rm 103 (Middle Level)	9/11-10/23	Cross Connections Counselors
Sunday School for Grown-ups	School Rm 102 (Middle Level)	9/11-11/20	Pr. Mark Sheaffer

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

CLASS	LOCATION
Little Flock (Birth - Age 2)	Room 7 (Lower Level, School)
3-5 Year Olds	Room 6 (Lower Level, School)
K-2 nd Grade	Room 105 (Middle Level, School)
3 rd -5 th Grade	Room 104 (Middle Level, School)
6 th Grade Confirmation	Room 202 (Third Floor, School)
7 th Grade Confirmation	Room 4 (Lower Level, School)
8 th Grade Confirmation	Ebenezer, Lower Level
9 th -12 th Grade	The Loft

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)	8:00 pm
Men's Lectionary Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	6:30 am
Women's Bible Study on Luke	Brandt Hall	Wednesdays (Beg 9/21)	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's Food Pantry - Food donations may be placed in the "Food Bank" cabinet in the Welcome Center. In addition to the regular food staples, there is a need for tissues, paper towels, and large and extra-large adult Depends. Cash donations may be placed in a church envelope and marked "food pantry" on the "other line". Members may stop by for food any day the church office is open. The food pantry is available to those living in the 46802 zip code on the third Thursday of each month from 3:30-5:00 p.m. If you are interested in serving on this ministry team, call Carolyn Beitz at 432-9189.

LWML Celebration Next Sunday, October 2 - Based on Romans 8:31-39, the theme for Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) Sunday, 2022 is "For Us and With Us." LWML Sunday is celebrated annually in LCMS churches. Join us next Sunday to learn more about LWML, and to get involved in reaching others with the love of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

October ESM Preschool News:

Grandparent's Day Recap - ESM Preschool Grandparent's Day was held at both campuses on Thursday, September 15. We welcomed over 125 grandparents to enjoy some special time with their grandchild at school. In addition to a snack and activities, families were also able to worship together during chapel. The day was a blessing for everyone!

October Preschool Excitement - Lots of learning, growth and excitement are anticipated for the month of October. Some of the highlights include Bible study, "buddy time" with 8th & 3rd grade students, a trip to a pumpkin patch, an all-school carnival, and a Fall party with a costume parade. If you are interested in your child experiencing the hands-on learning that preschool at Emmanuel-St. Michael offers, its not too early to be placed on the mailing list for the 2023-2024 school year! For more information, please contact Jennifer Ackmann at jackmann@esmeagles.com.

Active Duty Military Outreach - Rev. Ted Hoham is the son of Emmanuel members John and Noni Hoham. Pastor Hoham serves in the theology department at Concordia Lutheran High School, but is currently serving as a military chaplain in Baghdad to approximately 2500 military personnel and many patients receiving treatment in the hospital there. Pastor Hoham would appreciate prayers for the soldiers and their families at home. He also shared that his unit could use a resupply of the following snacks and hygiene items:

- Unopened bags of individually wrapped gum and candy (NOT CHOCOLATE - it's over 100 degrees most days)
- Unopened multi-packs of PB/cheese crackers, cookies, nuts and salty snacks
- Powdered flavored electrolyte mixes (like Propel)
- Travel sized deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, body wash, shave gel, lotion, sunscreen, toothpaste, mouthwash, chapstick, etc.
- Individual, unopened toothbrushes
- Baby wipes
- Notes of encouragement, as some soldiers do not receive mail.

If you would like to donate, the easiest way to help meet these needs is to ship through Amazon Prime (free shipping!) directly to Pastor Hoham at:

**Chaplain Theodore Hoham
374th Field Hospital
BDSC
APO, AE 09305**

NOTE: There is also a need in the hospital for new/gently used t-shirts and gym shorts in all sizes for patients who generally come with only the clothes they

were wearing at the time they were admitted. If you would like to donate t-shirts and gym shorts, please bring them to the church office.

Dartball at Emmanuel - Are you looking for another fun church activity? Emmanuel's Dartball Team could be it! The team has been on break due to the pandemic, but is hoping to restart this great activity. The team needs 6-9 players to participate in the Lutheran Dartball League that begins Wednesday, September 28. If interested, please call Rick Linnemeier at 260-415-5824 for more information and to sign up.

CLHS Sermon Report Forms - In case your Concordia High School student forgets to bring a "Growth in Worship" sermon report form to church, we have extras at the Connections Counter.

The Washington School Project READS Program will begin again Wednesday, September 28, at Washington School. It takes place at the school every Wednesday, from 3-4:00 p.m. If you are interested in this program, email Nicole Phillippe (Volunteer Coordinator) at: nicole.phillippe@fwliteracyalliance.org. Include in your email that you are a member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church and are volunteering for the Project READS program at Washington Elementary School. If you have any questions, contact Diane Witzenman at 260-249-1307.

The Stewardship of the Church

EMMANUEL'S MINISTRIES

Year to Date: \$1,258,390	Anticipated Need Thru September: \$1,324,446
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DISTRICT AND SYNOD

Last Week: \$170	Year to Date: \$13,271
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CUP OF KINDNESS

Last Week: \$225	Year to Date: \$5,433
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IN ALL GENERATIONS

Received: \$1,931,206	Goal: \$5,000,000	Pledged: \$2,992,172
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The Calendar of the Church

Monday, September 26

9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study

5:30 p.m. Lifelight Bible Study

7:00 p.m. Church Council

Tuesday, September 27

5:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Training

6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry

Wednesday, September 28

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

8:30 a.m. ESM Chapel

8:45 a.m. Women's Bible Study

9:00 a.m. Homeschool Religion

9:00 a.m. Playgroup

10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study

11:30 a.m. Mid-Week Communion Service

12:30 p.m. Grief Support

3:00 p.m. PALS

Thursday, September 29

8:30 a.m. Thursday Guys

9:00 a.m. Piece Makers

Friday, September 30

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

Saturday, October 1

3:30 p.m. Praise Team

5:00 p.m. Divine Worship Service with Communion

Sunday, October 2

8:00 a.m. Divine Worship Service

9:00 a.m. Gathering Time in Ebenezer Hall

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



My Worship Notes

Today is: _____

The preacher is:

Today I ...

Generous

_____ Brought a friend to Church.

_____ Spent time in prayer.

_____ Said "hello" to two people.

Today's Bible Passages

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2

3

Words I don't understand ...

Questions I have about
what was said ...

How many times did I hear these words? (make a tally mark)

Overseer	Hospitable	Gentle	Manage
Faithful	Blameless	Trustworthy	Godliness

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.

Church Staff

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