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In case of a pastoral emergency after office hours, please call the clergy cell phone at 314-324-4115.

From the Curate: Practicing Hospitality

Hospitality is a favorite word in church circles these days. There are many gestures of courtesy and respect that we do here at Emmanuel that fall under the umbrella term "hospitality": wearing a name tag is a gesture of hospitality, as is introducing ourselves or showing someone around. Offering a loaf of home-baked bread to visitors and newcomers is an act of hospitality we practice here.

Preparing my sermon from the story of Martha and Mary gave me an opportunity to think about "radical hospitality," or "hospitality of the heart." The Incarnation is the most radical act of hospitality of all, and Jesus certainly practiced hospitality of the heart throughout his life. If we are to pattern our lives on that kind of hospitality, we will need to look beyond courtesy and good manners and think about how everything we do can either welcome or exclude the stranger, the poor, the Other.

Hospitality takes practice, and it has consequences. The Eucharist is a place where we both learn and practice hospitality. God welcomes us to a feast that he provides through his own flesh and blood, and through it He offers us an ongoing opportunity to be wholly transformed. When Eucharistic hospitality becomes a habit, we start asking

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questions of ourselves and of the world in which we live. We remember that the church is not ours, but God's, and act accordingly. We begin to ask if our public policies, both foreign and domestic, reflect our value of hospitality. We seek active ways to make our hearts and homes places of gracious welcome, even at the risk of being made uncomfortable, or being asked to change.

It is said that St. Benedict transformed monasticism, and all of Western spirituality, through his emphasis on a balanced life and on the values of hospitality and community. But when Benedict first became a monk, he focused on withdrawal from the world; he started out as a hermit, living in a cave in isolation for three years. It was not easy for him to welcome the visitors who came to him for advice and encouragement. But over the years his attitude changed, and he founded monasteries that became the supreme example of Christian hospitality.

Most of us are probably not called to live as hermits for three years, or to spend significant portions of our lives in a monastic community. But no matter who we are, no matter our personality type or profession, silence and solitude have a place in our lives. Through them, and through practicing hospitality in community and in communion, we can learn to welcome everyone as Christ.

Faithfully,

Pamela+

Calendar of Upcoming Events

For a complete listing of events, please consult our online calendar at www.emmanuelepiscopal.org

Environmental Stewardship Seminar

Sunday, August 1, 11:30a.m.-12:30 p.m. See article on page 8.

Weekend Retreat for Women Registration Deadline

Sunday, August 1, Deposit due **Sept. 10-12 Retreat** in New Harmony See article on page 7.

School Supplies Collection

Deadline Sunday, Aug. 1

Baptismal Instruction

Sign up deadline: Monday, August 2 Class on Tuesday, Aug. 10 See article on page 11.

Summer Work Day

Saturday, August 7, 8:30 to noon

Men's Social Breakfast

Friday, August 13 AT 7:00 a.m. Stratton's Restaurant

Sr High Opening Celebration for the 2010/2011 Program Year

Sunday, August 15 AT 5:00pm See article on page 5.

Episcopal School For Ministry Orientation

Saturday, August 21 See article on page 7.

Journey to Adulthood at Grace Episcopal

Friday and Saturday, August 20-21 See article on page 6.

FaithQuest Teacher Meeting & Luncheon

Sunday, Aug. 22 at 11:00 am For new and returning teachers, Dining Room

Newsletter deadline

Tuesday, August 24 at 12 noon

Choir Rehearsals Resume

Wednesday, August 25, 7:00 p.m.

Men's Social Breakfast

Friday, August 27 at 7:00 a.m. Stratton's Restaurant

Senior High Float Trip

Saturday, August 28 8:00 a.m. See article on page 5.

FaithQuest Parent Orientation & Registration

Sunday, Aug. 29 at 11:00 a.m. See article on page 5.

Junior High Opening Celebration for the 2010/2011 Program Year

Sunday, August 29 2:00 p.m. Parent Meeting 5:00 p.m. See article on page 5.

Important Dates in Future Months

Homecoming

Sunday, September 12 Regular Service times resume

MOE Boot Sale

Saturday, September 18, 8:00 a.m.

FaithQuest Open House

Sunday, September 19 at 11:00 a.m. Following 10:30 a.m. Family Worship

FaithQuest Program Begins!

Sunday, September 26 at 10:15 a.m.

Every Member Canvass Event

Evening of Saturday, October 2

Bishop Smith's Visit

Sunday, October 31

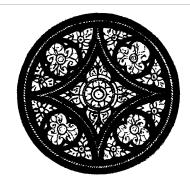
MOE/Environmental Stewardship Dinner with Peter Raven

Tuesday, November 16 See article on page 4.

Vestry Vibes

(Vestry Vibes is a regular addition to the Angelus. It is meant as a snapshot from 30,000 feet of what the Vestry is currently working on and key priorities.)

How many times have you heard the saying, "The older you get, the faster time seems to fly."? I don't know if it's my age, but it hardly seems possible that we are already more than half way through 2010. One moment, we're celebrating Mardi Gras and preparing for Lent. In the blink of an eye, we're marking the beginning of summer with the Summer Solstice celebration. As this year races by, it won't be long before we find ourselves celebrating Homecoming and rushing quickly towards Advent.



We've also seen some big milestones this year: ordinations were held for both Pamela Dolan and Robert Ard, the space in our new building became available for use, and our mission trip participants traveled to places both near and far to give their time and talent to do God's work. And throughout the year, we've had opportunities to come together beyond our traditional worship services to have fun and to experience fellowship at events such as our All Parish Conference and MOE's Trivia Night, just to name a few.

As I reflect back on the first half of 2010, I feel very blessed to be a part of this very special parish family. And I wonder to myself, how many more people are out there seeking a place to worship? How many more are out there, looking for that special place where all are welcomed at God's table? Just a few short years ago, I was out there seeking a church that I could call 'home.' And I came to Emmanuel not by chance, but at the invitation of a friend.

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We are very fortunate that Emmanuel is a vibrant parish. And often, as time flies by, we get caught up in the rhythm of our own lives and we forget that there are others out there who seek but who do not find. As a former 'seeker,' I remember feeling frustrated as I searched for a place of worship that really felt 'right' for me. Too often, I felt like a stranger in a foreign land as I attended different churches around the area. Even though I would attend the same church for a period of time and sit in the same spot, I was treated as a 'visitor,' someone who was politely welcomed, but not warmly embraced. Only when a friend who attended Emmanuel invited me to come worship here did I find what I was seeking. Emmanuel had a different feeling; a warmth, an energy that seems to flow naturally from person to person. And only because a friend cared enough to ask was I able to find my 'home.'

I am making my own pledge to be more active in helping others discover Emmanuel. In doing so, I am also appealing to the hearts and minds of all fellow 'Emmanuelites' to prayerfully consider reaching out and sharing the warmth of this very special place. There are so many people out there that are seeking, but not finding. During the course of your week, as you talk with friends and co-workers, ask them if they have a special place where they worship. If they tell you they don't attend church, invite them to join you on Sunday at Emmanuel. When they come with you, introduce them to those around you before and after the service. Before worship services begin, actively look around you to see if there are individuals that you don't recognize. If you see a face that you don't know, approach them and introduce yourself. Let them know that you are glad they are here. Tell them about upcoming events and invite them to join in. If you suddenly realize that someone you used to see regularly at worship service seems to have disappeared, reach out to them and invite them to reconnect. Consider joining the Attraction-Integration-Retention (AIR) Committee and help us uncover other ways to reach out and help seekers discover this special place that we call Emmanuel.

Emmanuel is too special to keep this all to ourselves. It's always the right time to extend the hand of fellowship and to invite others to worship with us. After all, there is always room at God's table for more.

Kathy Lorino, Vestry Member

Baby Shower for Sharol Ard

You are invited to attend a baby shower for Sharol on August 14, 2010 at 1:00 pm. The shower is being hosted by three of Sharol's friends and will be held at Robert and Sharol's home. The address is 6522 Michigan St. (63111).

It is Sharol's wish that this shower be attended by her friends from Emmanuel, St. Paul's and her personal friends.

Please join us for this celebration and blessing of a new life.

Please RSVP to JoAnne Warren by August 7, if you will be attending. (314) 849-5284 or jaw1204@att.net. Directions will be given to those attending.

Cheryl is registered at Target and Babies R Us.

Men's Bible Study

Men's Bible Study continues to meet through the summer every Thursday morning from 7:00-8:00 a.m. at Stratton's Café. Pull up a chair and join us.



Bishop's Dedication of Our Building

Our gala celebration of the new construction will take place on Sunday, October 31, when Bishop Smith makes his visit.

New Staff member

Kathy Wright joined the staff in July as the part-time parish Administrator. She is a Sister of Loretto, a CPA and has over thirty years of management and accounting experience with non-profit organizations. Kathy grew up in Kirkwood and currently lives in Webster Groves. In addition to work, Kathy volunteers with groups working in Haiti, and on immigration issues. She loves to travel but is home more these days with two rescue dogs that she has adopted.

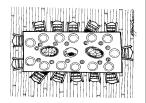
Priest-in-Charge Evaluation Committee

As a part of our agreement with The Rev. Dan Appleyard, called as Emmanuel's Priest-in-Charge, the vestry established a committee to gather information and make a recommendation concerning the call for Dan to serve as Emmanuel's Rector. The group has met with Dan to develop the process for the review based on the expectations of the agreement. We continue to meet without Dan to consider his ministry among us. We'd like to remind you that we welcome any thoughts you have about the ministry of Dan as we discern the call for Dan to serve as Emmanuel's Rector.

Please contact by phone, e-mail, or in person any of the following: Dick Clark, Jerry Cooper, Margaret De Young, Bob Feldmann, Kathy Lorino, Ian MacBryde, Ann Marie Ruhlin or John Snodgrass.

We are grateful for your participation and thank those who have already responded.

Save the Date: Parish Dinner with Dr. Peter Raven



The Men of Emmanuel and the Environmental Stewardship

Committee will be co-hosting a dinner talk with Dr. Peter Raven, **Tuesday, November 16** at 6:00 p.m Tickets will be on sale this fall. Described by TIME magazine as a "Hero for the Planet," Dr. Raven champions research around the world to preserve endangered plants and is a leading advocate for conservation and a sustainable environment.

June Attendance Statistics				
Service Time	1st Sun.	2nd Sun.	3rd. Sun	4th Sun.
8:00 a.m.	32	32	42	36
10:00 a.m.	202	166	162	173
5:30 p.m.	20	12	10	9
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Avg. Sunday Attendance for June: 227

Avg. Sunday Attendance to date for 2010: 278

Youth Activities

Senior High Opening Celebration for the 2010/2011 Program Year Sunday, August 15 5:00 p.m. at Larson Park - for ALL Senior Highers



A special invitation is extended to all <u>incoming freshman and their parents</u>. We will begin with a BBQ, followed by a special exercise for our newest Senior Highers and their parents. This is a special event, please make every effort to be there!

Saturday, August 28 8:00 a.m. Senior High Float Trip

Since we are 1 for 4 since 2006 for the float trip, our tried and true rain plan will be breakfast at Courtesy Diner and a fun day at the City Museum. Either way, a fun day!

Junior High Opening Celebration for the 2010/2011 Program Year

Sunday, August 29 2:00 p.m. – Pool Party at the Faddis' – All Junior Highers, including incoming 6th graders! We will gather at Emmanuel at 2:00 and head over to Mitch and Kay Faddis' house for a fun time in the pool. We will return to Emmanuel at 5:00 p.m. for a special meeting with all Junior Highers and their parents.

Special Junior Higher and Parent Meeting Sunday, August 29 5:00 p.m. – this is an information meeting for all. We will give an overview of the Junior High program, Rite 13 and calendar, explain our "point system" and get to meet all the wonderful Junior High Leaders.

FaithQuest 2010-2011 Invitations

FQ Teacher Meeting & Luncheon

for returning and new teachers on

Sunday, Aug. 22 at 11:00 a.m. in Emmanuel's Dining Room

FQ Parent Orientation & Registration

for returning and new children pre-K through 5th grade on

Sunday, Aug. 29 at 11:00 a.m.

in the Dining Room with Movie for children in Cozy Corner



FaithQuest is Emmanuel's Christian education program for children ages pre-K through 5th grade. The curriculum and dedicated group of FaithQuest teachers provide children with engaging activities and lessons each Sunday to further their understanding and perspectives on our faith. Classes meet in conjunction with the school year from September through May.

What does a worm have to do with FQ?

Contact Tricia Copeland 909-6695 (copelandtl@hotmail.com)

Vacation Bible School

Thirty-five kids and many crew leaders set sail for a successful High Seas adventure during the last week of June. Along with the gorgeous weather, highlights of the week included making fleece blankets for Habitat, putting together lunches for the homeless shelter and getting soaking wet during Friday's water day!

Many thanks to: Jennifer Sisul, Pat Wiltse, Heather Sabath, Katie Kopff, Chris Wagnon, Liz Wagnon, Gabriel Liss, Lisa Liss, Bill Wright, Katie Gregston, Volker Coleman, Beth Knapp, Joan McGivney and Rick and Mary Jane Kuhn. And a special thanks to our fearless leader, Tricia Copeland!

Vestry Vitals

The Vestry did not meet in July. Vestry Vitals will return in September

J2A (Journey to Adulthood) Workshop Offered at Grace Kirkwood

Friday, August 20, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. and Saturday, August 21, 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Hosted by: Grace Episcopal Church (www.gracekirkwood.org) 514 E. Argonne Drive, Kirkwood (St. Louis), MO 63122

Brochure and Registration (pdf) available on the diocesan site: www.diocesemo.org/news/2010/07/19/j2a-2

On Friday evening, August 20th, parents of youth (grades 6 - 12), clergy, and workshop participants are invited to gather informally to explore a bit of youth culture, learn about the Journey to Adulthood program, and meet local clergy & youth ministers including, Jon Stratton, the new Youth Missioner of the Diocese of Missouri, and our workshop leader, Heidi Clark of LeaderResources. Coffee and dessert will be served.

Saturday's training workshop will cover all aspects of the six-year program The Journey to Adulthood, known informally as J2A. Topics covered in the workshop include:

- * Theological Imperatives
- * Developmental Underpinnings
- * Goals of each 2-year block
- * Calendars
- * Events
- * Lesson plans
- * Communication

Saturday's workshop leader is Heidi Clark, Director of Consultant Services for LeaderResources (publisher of J2A materials). In addition to her national reputation as a Christian formation trainer and consultant, Clark has served as president of NAECED, the National Association of Episcopal Christian Education Directors.

Child care on Friday and/or Saturday will be provided upon request.

Contact: Angela Bader, Parish Administrator

Phone: 314-821-1806 or Email: angela.bader@gracekirkwood.org

Register by August 16. Cost is \$45 and includes materials, Friday evening reception, Saturday morning continental breakfast and lunch. (**Register by July 31** and receive a discounted rate of \$35.)

Emmanuel parishioners interested in working with youth should contact Kevin Williams via email at kwilliams@emmanuelepiscopal.org.



Maxine McCormick, our interim Director of Music, beginning August 22, has BM and MM degrees in Sacred Music with additional study at Union Theological Seminary in N.Y. She also has a SPAGO certificate from the American Guild of Organists. Maxine has served as substitute Organist/Director or Organist at over 75 churches and temples in the St. Louis area and Interim Organist/Director or Organist at over 15 churches. She is a former faculty member of Community School in Ladue where over a 15 year period 29 of her students were chosen to sing in the National Kodaly Honors Choir. Maxine has served churches in N. J., W. Va, Ohio, and Tenn. She was on the music faculty at Tennessee Technological University where she also served as University Organist. Some of her interests include: working on her older house here in W.G.; antiquing; and skydiving



"Praying Creatively" A Weekend Retreat for Women

Offered by the Center for Spirituality; The Abbey Barn, New Harmony, Indiana

This weekend retreat focused on prayer will draw on the creative spark of God dwelling within each of us. The retreat time will center on that "creative spark" as a means to deepen and enhance our prayer life. Participants will have the opportunity to experience what it is to pray while walking a labyrinth, listening to music, playing with clay or paint, baking bread, or walking among sculptures in the historic, picturesque town of New Harmony, Indiana. (New Harmony is located approximately 150 miles east of St. Louis on Hwy. 64 – an easy 2.5 hour drive from downtown St. Louis.)

The retreat will be led by the Rev. Susan Skinner, an experienced retreat leader, and will be held in The Abbey Barn, a simplistic, monastic-like structure with small single rooms and communal bathrooms. The time will include input from the retreat leader, suggested creative activities, as well as times for silence and group reflections. A part of the creative process will be to help in the preparation of meals. Participants will enjoy the use of the New Harmony Inn grounds and facilities.

The retreat begins with registration and a simple supper at 5:00 p. m. on **Friday, September 10**, and concludes with a noon time Eucharist on **Sunday, September 12**. The \$175 fee covers the cost of lodging for two nights, five meals and all materials. **A \$100 non-refundable deposit is necessary by August 15.** (**Please note the registration deadline has been extended.**) The remaining \$75 is due at the commencement of the retreat. In order to allow for individual rooms space is limited. For more information and/or to receive a registration form, contact the Rev. Susan Skinner at scskinner@charter.net or (314) 965-9155.

Go to http://www.newharmony.biz/ for information about New Harmony and to http://www.newharmony.biz/ images/barn for the Abbey Barn brochure.

Fall Term for The Episcopal School for Ministry

The Episcopal School for Ministry comes together once a month for the shared work of forming disciples of Jesus for all the ministries of the baptized. The School's programs are an opportunity for a deeper exploration of the Christian faith and life; students are encouraged to spend time intentionally discerning God's call on them. The School provides guidance in the form of advisors, presentations, fellowship, and small group time, as well as the course work itself, as part of its mission to equip all members of the Church, lay and ordained, for ministry.

This is a school in the ancient Christian sense: a place, a gathering of the faithful, where Christ continues to teach his disciples. The School provides ways for the baptized to learn whom they follow, how to follow, and their ministries as followers.

You do not need to enroll in a three-year program in order to become a student at the School. You can sign up for a single course or even drop in for a Saturday presentation from time to time (if you only want to drop by, you should still contact the registrar so you can join us for a meal). The courses are offered across the street on the Eden campus.

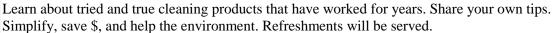
If you are interested in signing up for one of the courses this fall, please contact the Rev. Beverly Van Horne, interim dean, or Cory Hoehn, registrar. Our parish is well-represented at ESM: the Rev. Rod Wiltse and Ron Crown are on faculty; Kevin McGrane and the Rev. Pamela Dolan are Board members. Many others in our parish have gone through programs there. Any one of the people listed above would be happy to discuss the School with you in more detail; you only have to ask!

The Fall Term dates are: August 21 (orientation); September 24-25; October 29-30; December 3-4; and December 18.

Sunday, September 5

Environmental Stewardship News

Making Household Chores More Eco-Friendly: An Adult Forum presentation Sunday, August 1 at 11:30 a.m. in the dining room



Walk, Bike, Carpool, Bus to Church

Help protect God's Creation by using a non-polluting, non-fuel-consuming way to travel to church. Busing or carpooling are great, too! If you are unable to take alternative transportation, please help cheer on parishioners as they arrive!

Expanded List of Recyclable Items at Emmanuel

Thanks to our Emmanuel Stewardship Committee efforts and our new recycling dumpster, Emmanuel can now recycle aluminum, plastic, steel and tin cans, glass, paper, and cardboard. Specific information will be located at each recycling can.





Summer Work Day — We need YOU!

On Saturday, August 7, from 8:30 to noon, we are going to have an interior move, haul, scoot, etc. event at Emmanuel. If enough people turn out we'll be done before noon. We will be moving furniture and doing some general light repairs. Mark your calendar and bring your tool box! Maybe we'll even have lunch together afterward. If you can show up for all or some of the time, please contact Clark Hotaling and let him know (by phone at 918-8561 or by email at chotaling@interiorinvestments.com).

Free Classical Concert at Emmanuel

Emmanuel Episcopal Church presents an evening of exquisite works for cello and piano performed by Russian-born cellist Alexei Romanenko and Canadian pianist Christine Yoshikawa, Tuesday, August 12th at 7:00 p.m. The exhilarating program will include works by Valentini, Stravinsky, Davidoff, Strauss, and more.

As soloists, their respective wide ranging recital and concerto repertoire have been applauded, and their international career includes performances in major cities throughout North America, Europe and Asia. They are also advocates for new music and dedicated pedagogues to a generation of young musicians, with current and past teaching positions at the University of British Columbia, Arizona State University, University of Florida, and Chipola College. Touring regularly throughout the United States and abroad, forthcoming duo engagements include a 20-city concert tour of the Midwest & New England.

For more information on the artists, visit www.alexeiromanenko.com and www.christineyoshikawa.com

Tuesday Mornings at Emmanuel

Morning Prayer is offered each week at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is invited. Tuesday Bible Study will resume on **September 14** with *The Revelation to John*

We recommend as a summer read: *The Power of the Lamb: Revelation's Theology of Liberation for You* by Ward Ewing, retiring Dean of the General Theological Seminary. "This book is about power, or to be more precise, about the experience of being without power... Within the experience of powerlessness, I discovered the Book of Revelation, the record of God's people in their experience of powerlessness in the first century."

"This is a textually responsible and highly readable use of the Apocalypse of John as a sourcebook for the meaning of power in the individual and corporate lives of Christians." John Koenig.

The Tuesday Morning Bible study is open to any and all who wish to attend. We meet for approximately one (1) hour each week. Fr. Rod Wiltse will be our leader on this journey through the book of Revelation. One of the classic methods of Bible study, Lectio Divina, will be used occasionally when the particular text for the day seems to call for it. The African method of Bible study will also be used along with

What is God saying to the Church in this passage and how should we respond? What is God saying to me in this passage and how will I respond?

other methods as well. Two basic questions to be asked regarding all of the texts are:

PLEASE, come and join us! Bring a friend!

Thank you from Pamela Dolan



"We can only be said to be alive in those moments when our hearts are conscious of our treasures."

Thornton Wilder

Dear Emmanuel Parish:

I can hardly find words to express how grateful I am to you for all the many gifts I received on the occasion of my ordination to the priesthood. The service itself was magnificent, and included many of you in it (and to those of you who could not be there because of the multiple mission trips that were happening at the same time—you were missed!). The reception was just beautiful...I hope someone has pictures of the cake, because it has to be seen to be believed! The purse that was collected was generous in the extreme, and some of you gave me additional personal gifts. It may take me an inexcusably long time, but I do hope to thank you all individually.

Most of all, I appreciate the expressions of congratulations and thanksgiving, both written and spoken, that I have received from many of you. It is an exquisite privilege to serve here as a priest. My heart is very conscious that vocation is a treasure, and that having a parish—a people among whom to live out and live into that vocation—is a priceless gift. I am so very glad you are that parish.

Blessings,

Pamela+



CLERGY & STAFF

Dan Appleyard, *Priest-in-Charge*Pamela Dolan, *Curate*Warren E. Crews, *Priest Associate*Roderic D. Wiltse, *Priest Associate*Burnell T. Esbenshade, *Deacon/Pastoral Associate*Maxine McCormick, *Interim Director of Music*Kevin Williams, *Christian Formation*for Youth

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About the Parish Family

The parish is saddened by the July 2 death of long time parishioner **Liz Burst**. The sympathy of the parish is extended to **Matt, Julie, Dan, and Chris Burst**, her other children, **Andy, Amy, David,** and their families, and her many friends. **Liz** was not only an active parishioner and member of St. Helena's Guild, but she was also an important part of Emmanuel Center for the Young Years from 1965-1972 as a teacher and then as Director.

The sympathy of the parish is also extended to **Phyllis**, **Brett**, **and Spencer Newcomb** on the July 11 death of Phyllis's grandmother, **Adele Scharringhausen**. Adele lived with them and brought joy into their lives as they did to hers. A service will be held at a later date.

We are saddened by the July 11 death of long time parishioner **Marjorie Reinhart.** A Funeral Service and Interment were held at Emmanuel on July 17.

The sympathy of the parish is also extended to **Gail Tucker** on the July 22 death of her mother, Dolores Fiala.

The sympathy of the parish is also extended to the family of long time parishioner **Diana Knapp**, who died on July 24. Diana is survived by her sons **Stephen**, Brian and **David** and by her daughters-in-law **Diana** and **Beth**, as well as her grandchildren and a large extended family. Funeral arrangements are being made (not available at the time of publication, but please check back with the parish office).

May light perpetual shine upon them.

The Emmanuel Church Foundation is grateful for gifts in celebration of the marriage of Sara Canavan and Dave Loyet, and in memory of Margaret Henderson and Lolly Knight.

The **Food Center** is grateful for a gift in celebration of **Eleanor Fletcher's 90th birthday** and in memory of **Marjorie Reinhart** and **Minerva Canavan**.

The **Missions Committee** gives thanks for a gift in memory of **Liz Burst**.

Acolyte Schedule

August 1

Annie Dolan

Will Brennan (TC) Maggie Brennan (1st C) Sabrina Walch Matt Walch Claire Hooker Jack Love

August 8

Jessica Schmitz (TC) Kathryn McGuire (1st C) Tom Florent Meaghan McGuire

Hannah Myers Liz

Remming Ryan Rich



August 15

Liz Wagnon (TC)

Liz Remming (1st C) Jack Love

Ryan Rich

Jackson Hotaling Maggie Brennan

Will Brennan

August 22

Andrew Keyes (TC) Alli Tappana (1st C) Isabella Crang Michael Rich

Charlie DeYoung

Creighton De Young Annie Dolan

August 29

Sabrina Walch (TC) Blake Kennedy (1st C)

Matt Walch Tom Florent

Meaghan McGuire Hannah Myers Liz Remming Thomas Hotaling

(Shadow)

Happy Anniversary to:

August 2 – Ron & Anne Crown

August 2 – Chris & Sally Howard

August 3 – Andrew & Janet Gillow

August 5 – Sandy Cooper & Peter Van Arsdale

August 5 – Tim & Chalegne O'Brien

August 5 – Rob & Sarah Skinner

August 5 – Tim & Christina Williamson

August 5 – Rod & Pat Wiltse

August 5 – Megan Wren & George Murphy

August 8 – Ed & Jean Little

August 8 – Bill & Rita Rundquist

August 9 – Donnal & Mary Leisher

August 11 – Tom & Sandi Fischer

August 11 – Dave & Joyce Pluhar

August 12 – Jim & Mary Ann Groetsch

August 12 – Scott & Jennifer Sisul

August 12 – Steve & Lisa Teczar

August 15 – Tom & Laura Jones

August 15 – Roger & Fran Koch

August 15 – John & Alice Snodgrass

August 17 – Earl & Susan Naylor

August 18 – Virginia & Bill Thompson

August 19 - Dave & Janis Aiello

August 21 – Chris & Candice Hooker

August 21 – Henry & Cindy Knock August 22 – Jeff & Stacey Greer

August 24 – Bill & Betty Cochran

August 25 – Paul Langdon & Hilary Perkins

August 25 – Dan & Nancy Winter August 27 – Gerald & Ida Early

August 28 – John & Laura Limbaugh

August 30 – Lucy & Tom Hubert

Sign up Now for Baptismal Instruction on Tuesday, August 10

Tuesday, August 10 will be Emmanuel's next baptismal preparation session. There won't be another session until October, so if you'd like your child baptized before then, be sure to register for the August 10 class. If you plan to attend, please contact Susie Feldmann in the parish office by Monday, August 2 (961-2393). Please be sure to let us know if you will be needing child care.

At least one parent must attend an evening session before their child can be baptized at **Emmanuel.** Grandparents are also invited, and Godparents are strongly encouraged to attend.

You do not have to set a baptismal date to come to a session. If you are pregnant or still deciding about baptizing your child here, please come to one of these sessions. They are a wonderful opportunity to learn more about baptism and to explore raising your child as a Christian, as well as a chance to get to know other parents in the parish.

The preparation sessions begin with dinner at 6:00 p.m. Child care will be available upon request; sessions run about 2½ hours. You need not attend the session closest to your child's baptismal date, just choose one that works with your schedule and is prior to the day you want to have your child baptized.

Upcoming baptismal dates are: August 15 at 10:00 a.m., September 19 at 9:00 a.m. & September 26 at 10:30 a.m.

If you are interested in baptism for an adult or older child, please contact the Rev. Pamela Dolan.





The prayers of the parish are requested for:

ARMED FORCES

Parishioners: Ethan Allman, Aaron Faust, Nathaniel Baker

Bill Amerman, Diana Knapp's nephew Jason Martens, Jen Dunn's brother Kevin Michael Moore, Kevin Moore's son Lt. Col. Stephen Carson, Nan Rimbach's nephew Barbara Carson, Nan Rimbach's niece David Benning, nephew of Dorothy Saunders Stephen Lopez, Sharon Prah's cousin Capt. David Nierenberg, son of Ann McReyolds' friends

IN HOSPITAL/MED TESTS & TREATMENT

Bill Keller, Marilyn's husband

Parishioners: Carol Greene, Gayle Birdsong, Bob Rosen

April Kozlowicz, Amy Reily's aunt David Cline, Amy Reily's uncle Rissa Woodley, Ann McReynolds' aunt Larry Weir, friend of Michael Martines Joel Krause & family, friends of Kuhns Wyatt Gehbauer, Roberta Gehbauer's great-grandson Maurice Williams, Kevin's dad Eve Lowe, Pamela Dolan's step-mother Nell Pike, Burnell Esbenshade's mother Micki Jobst, friend of Dexter Schraer's Maureen Ennis, Kevin McGrane's daughter Laura Jones, parishioner Vickie Brubaker, friend of Tammy Free Denise Quinn, Janet Dobbs' niece Bob Weber, Susie Feldmann's dad Stephanie MacEwen, Bron Brennan's sister Jodie Johnson, Lissa Johnson's mother Mike Miller, Maryjane Hotaling's brother Gary Goosen, MJ Kuhn's cousin Johnita Forssberg, Alice Snodgrass' sister Joann, friend of Delena Moredock Serena Robbins, Sue Smith's future daughter-in-law

LONG TERM MEDICAL NEEDS

Parishioners: Grace Koerner, Edith Schrautemeier Roberta Gehbauer, Barbara Rose, Jean Weingaertner June Banks, Fran Martin, Barbara Reinhard, Collin Gunn, Charlotte Badgley, Doris Ekstrum and Nan Rimbach

Brian Medford, Jessica Warneke's father
Vernon Burlie, Lissa Johnson's elderly uncle
Felmir Singson, friend of the Dolans
Margaret Clark, Dick's aunt
Edna Tappana, Gary's mother
Ben Schneider, MacBryde's grandson
Ginny Koehler, Robert Ard's grandmother
Annie May Fielder, Roberta's mother
Ben McReynolds, J. Emerson & M. McReynolds' dad
Wylma Teczar, Steve's mother

RECUPERATING

Parishioners: Dolores Schulze, Bob Ziegler, Fran Koch

Candy Stallings, Glenn Dunn's neighbor Luther Clauss, Lou's Dad Minnie S., mother of Laura Jones' friend Mark Heaton, Judd & Marie Holt's son-in-law

SERIOUS ILLNESS

Edith Pemberton, friend of Nancy Williams Whitney, daughter of Chris Wagnon's friend Erin Peak, Dore Martin's sister Dickie Priest, friend of Betsy Mackey Leigh Tyler, friend of Mark McReynolds Matt Wickenhauser, friend of Nancy McClary John Kohler, friend of Sue & Lou Clauss Susan Scherer, Janet Dobbs' sister Jocelyn Welk, Catherine & Kevin McGrane's niece JoAnne Drew, former parishioner Frances Coleman, friend of Kristyn & Bron Brennan Bill Brown, Janet Brown's father Douglas Dick, Diana Knapp's cousin David Amos, friend of Glenn Dunn Jim Alworth, Marti Hinkley's step-father Carol Lynn Birnbaum, friend of Marti Hinkley Mark Sutherland, Nelle Garrecht's nephew Logan, son of Ann McReynolds' friend Janet Klumpp, friend of Rod & Pat Wiltse Marty Schmitt, friend of Margaret Rowe Judy Cheatham, friend of Martha LaFata Franklin Montenegro, friend of Marti Hinkley Phyl Corbet, friend of Nancy Williams Brian Zimerman, Maryellen Bell's principal Phyllis Moore, Chris Wagnon's sister Andy Armistead, Friend of Sally Haywood's Roger Wakefield, Sharon Prah's uncle Joe Faul, Susan Naylor's uncle Tuula Kunze, Ann Crown's cousin Mike Karandief, Chris Knox's family friend Mark Swaski, friend of Stella Spalt Ramona Rice, Susan Naylor's mother

SPECIAL NEEDS

Parishioners: Ben Lemonds

Tony Giglio, Druschkys' great-grandson
Peggy Thacker McCaslin, Kerry Thacker's daughter
Betty Krainik, friend of Marti Hinkley
Dave Torgeson, friend of Nancy McClary
Sue Kohler, friend of Sue & Lou Clauss
Ann Neukomm, Mart Mitchell's aunt
Pat Brown, Janet Brown's mother
Beka, daughter of Lynne Shield's friend
Jeffrey, Sue Smith's grandson
Liam & Adelaide Dolan, John Dolan's nephew & niece
Ryan Potts, Sandy Cooper's cousin
Laura Tomlinson, friend of Anne Benson
Diane Ryberg, friend of Sally Haywood
Ginny Benz, Sandy Baker's friend



Birthdays

August 1
Gabriel Wiltse
Cole Wright

August 2

Caroline Birdsall Ron Crown Annie Dolan

August 3

Katie Kopff Davis Ragan

August 4

Cathy Mueller Steve Mumm

August 5

Dana Ernsky Roberta Fielder

August 6

June Banks Cassidy Fischer Mary Lou McGuire Harry Prah Nicola Rikand Cooper Wright

August 7

Chris Allen Owen Crews Jeff Greer Gabriel Kraftor Jesse Reimann Elise Ringenberg Bob Schnitker Lisa Sparks August 8

Kevin Boyd
Paul Langdon
Kelsey MacBryde
Martin Myers
Ryan Rich
Mike Sabath
Steve Teczar
Matt Walch
Meme Yaeger

August 9

Cathi Boyd Layton Breitweiser Bill Keller

August 10

Katie Bruegemann Ben Perry

August 11

Warren Crews Maia Langdon

August 12

Brian Knapp Mark McReynolds Lydia Sabath John Snodgrass Jessica Warneke

August 13

Shani Burley-Moore Andrew Gillow Debbie Hadley Lisa Shipp

August 14

Isaac Berkley Chris Hooker Pat Ryan August 15

John Kaiser LaVerna Meyer Brian Weiland

August 16

Stacey Greer Elijah Myers Liam Narendorf Daniel Tappana

August 17

Pamela Baldi Will Stewart Jean Weingaertner

August 18

Bev Austin Josh Csolak Cindy Knock Joe Kortenhof Claudia LeSage

August 19

Laurie Collier BJ Cummings

August 20

Mary Higbee

August 21

John Begemann Ann Rehme

August 22

Corinne Chalmers
Brendan Gillow
Betty Lange
Adeline Liss
Molly Phelan
Jackie Radovich

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August 23
Janet Dobbs
Keith Fischer
Claire Knox

August 25 Rob Hadley

August 26

Lauren MacBryde Leigh McKittrick Bob Moore

August 27

Judd Holt David Knapp Kelsey Krimmel

August 28

Sally Davidson Tom Florent Michael Knox

August 30

Brian Danis

August 31

Evelyn Archer
Trevor Hastings
Austin Jones

Virginia Thompson

The Food Center food for August is

Jelly

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Sunday Worship Schedule and Propers

August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Child care is available in the new 1st floor nursery (near the Big Bend entrance) from 9:45 a.m. until after the 10:00 a.m. service.

Christian Formation for all ages is in recess.

An age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word for children (Children's Chapel) is offered at the 10:00 a.m. service.

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Rite I) 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Rite II) 5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

Summer breakfasts are over for the summer.

Propers for August 1 (13C) Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23 Psalm 49:1-11

Colossians 3:1-11

Luke 12:13-21

Propers for August 8 (14C)

Psalm 33:12-22 Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Luke 12:32-40

Genesis 15:1-6

Propers for August 15 (15C)

Jeremiah 23:23-29

Psalm 82

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

Luke 12:49-56

Propers for August 22 (16C)

Isaiah 58:9b-14 Psalm 103:1-8

Psalm 103:1-8

Hebrews 12:18-29

Luke 13:10-17

Propers for August 29 (17C)

Proverbs 25:6-7

Psalm 112

Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16

Luke 14:1, 7-14