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## ALL PARISH CONFERENCE

**News Flash:** Last year's All Parish Conference (APC) was a success! With more people present and a good time had by all we are beginning to put the "ALL" back into the All Parish Conference.

Everyone is invited to this year's APC, to be held here at our Emmanuel HOME. Reflecting the recent significant events in our parish life, our theme for this year's APC is *All Together Now! One Shepherd, One Flock*. We hope everyone will plan to be a part of the festivities and register. There is something for everyone in these three days of events.

Please fill out the form, available on the website or on Sunday, and send a check to Emmanuel Church with APC in the memo line. You can mail it in to the church office or put it into the offering plate on Sunday! **It is due by May 2, 2011** so that the committees can plan accordingly.

If you would like to participate in a planning committee, it's not too late! Call or e-mail one of the co-chairs listed below. With the APC committees, the fun begins before the designated weekend.

We are looking forward to seeing you at Emmanuel's All Parish Conference! It is you - and all of us together - who make the APC such a great event. Here's a preview of the week-end.

### Friday Night Activities: 7:00 pm-10:00 pm

Compline in the church at 7:00 pm

Movie, campfire & refreshments plus tons of fellowship!

### Saturday Morning Activities: 9:00 am-12:00 noon

Morning Prayer

Gather & Prepare in the church,

Crafts for (all) the Ages 3-105, Scavenger Hunt

Historical Walk, Speaking of Faith group. Something for everyone

### Saturday Afternoon Activities: 12:00 to 4:00 pm at Emmanuel and Eden

Seminary Grounds

Lunch provided! All Parish Team Competition with games for all ages, followed by the Softball Game.

### Saturday Night Activities: 6:30 pm -10: pm

Pot Luck dinner with BBQ (supplied),

Music and plenty of fun and fellowship!

### Sunday Services at 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and 5:30 pm

(10AM is the APC service) followed by a lovely Brunch.

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## Into Holy Week — Our Walk with God

"Where is God in the midst of this?" is the question whispered at the hospital bedside of a gravely ill loved-one, or by the grandparent of a soldier fighting in a war far away or by a child in court as her family's divorce decree is "awarded" or at the grave of a teen tragically killed in a car accident. Where is God in the face of fear, sorrow and death? This is a good question for us to be asking in the face of these things, as we find our country in economic crisis and involved in multiple military conflicts or as we look upon the devastation which has occurred in Japan. This is a good question for us to be asking as we look at our fragile relationships with family, neighbor and parishioners. This is a good question for us to be asking as we look within ourselves at our spiritual journey through the last days of Lent. "Where is God now?"

Often God seems to be disturbingly absent. In the situations where God's presence, God's power, is most indispensable, God often seems impotent and neglectful. Is God fickle? Is our faith being tested? Would God really abandon us in our greatest hour of need?

From the very start of our Church Year, our worship focuses on what it means to believe in a divinity who would enter into creation and be "with us." In Advent, we sing "O come, O come, Emmanuel," that is "O come, God be with us." At Christmas, we celebrated the birth of Jesus as "God Incarnate" - which means, "God enfleshed in humanity", intimately bound to us. During Epiphany, we are reminded that the light of Jesus was borne out into the world through his earthly ministry and now continues to be embodied through us as the Body of Christ. During Lent, we reflect on what it means that Body (the community of faith) which walks with Jesus toward Jerusalem. All along, "God being with us" is the theme.

However, too often, an incredibly essential aspect of God's loving presence in Jesus is missed or avoided. In our hurry to celebrate the most important day in the Church Year, Easter, the holy days of Maundy Thursday; Good Friday; and Holy Saturday are skipped. In Holy Week, we remember that Jesus was betrayed and abandoned at "his greatest hour of need" by his followers even as they intimately broke bread together and washed each other's feet. In Holy Week, we remember that there is a Good Friday (and that it is "good") because Jesus showed the depth of his love by allowing himself to share the depths of our human suffering. In Holy Week, we come to remember that deep grief and great loss come into our lives because we have experienced great love. The familiar words, "No Cross, No Crown" mean that we cannot really celebrate Easter without having come together to worship during the Triduum Sacrum (the three sacred days) which conclude Holy Week. We cannot be the Resurrection Community if we have not also been the Community of the Cross.

Perhaps we do not know that God is walking with us in "our greatest hour of need" because we have not been walking with God in Jesus' most crucial hours. Perhaps we cannot imagine God could understand our pain, sorrow, fear and death because we have not yet come to witness and reflect on Jesus encountering his pain, sorrow, fear and death.

I think Holy Week is a wonderful time to walk with God.

Peace,  
Dan

## SAVE THE DATES: JULY 18-22 FOR VBS

Join us for a SPIRITUAL SUMMER SOJOURN WITH FLAT STANLEY! Children ages 4-8 are invited to learn and experience the culture and connections with locations around the world that Emmanuel is connected to. We will study clues about Stanley's travels through arts and crafts, food, music, scripture and story. Registration information coming soon for this globe trotting Vacation Bible School experience!

The dates are July 18 to 22 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

If you want more information contact Jennifer Sisul at [scottjen0995@sbcglobal.net](mailto:scottjen0995@sbcglobal.net)



## Tickets are now on sale for Trivia Night, 2011!

The date is **Friday, May 6.**

We haven't changed our price for six years! \$20 per person or a table of eight for \$120.

Doors open at 6:30 PM and the fun begins at 7:00. (We can't promise that it won't happen again, but we will try not to have tornado warnings or rude and intrusive mice like last year!)

Several items have already been donated to the Trivia Night Silent Auction, and **donations are now being accepted** for additional items. Call Jim Groetsch at 961-6390 for information.

Since MOE won't be participating in the beer booth at Art and Air in the future, Trivia Night is now our major fund raiser. **Money will go to mission outreach** of the church and other church needs that may be identified. For example, this year, in addition to donating the Emmanuel Clergy's Discretionary Funds, Webster-Rock Hill Ministries, and Episcopal City Missions, MOE has donated \$500 to Emmanuel's City Streets Project, \$500 to the Young Emmanuel Mission Trip to Guatemala, and support for our visiting African seminarian at Eden.

If you can't make it to Trivia Night, cash donations will be welcomed.

Thanks for your support, and we hope to see you at Trivia Night, 2011.

## The Reformations: Then & Now"

The Episcopal School for Ministry & the Lutheran School of Theology are offering a joint course entitled "The Reformations: Then & Now" which explores the Lutheran, Reformed, Anabaptist, Anglican and Roman Catholic phases of the Reformation era, as well as the claim that we are currently in an emerging new reformation time.

**The class will be taught by the Rev. Dr. Warren E. Crews**, and will meet at Grace Episcopal Church, 514 E. Argonne in Kirkwood, on six Wednesdays **from April 27 to June 1**. The class runs from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. The cost is \$81. To register online go to [lststl.org](http://lststl.org). We have registration forms in the office also.

## Tomatoes, Peppers, & Basil for Sale!

Starting May 1, 8:30 am to 11:30 am

Who doesn't dream of the garden fresh vegetables of summer? Well if you are planning on growing your own, then consider checking out the Environmental Stewardship Committee's plant sale.

We will be selling a variety of tomatoes, basil, jalapeno, habanero and the **SIZZLING HOT** ghost peppers (caution)!



## The 5K Walk/Run is back this year!

New name: "**Walk/Run for Everyone.**"

Who? Everyone who wants to run, jog, trot, walk, ride a bicycle, skateboard, push a baby stroller, or tricycle, or use any other means of locomotion.

8:00 AM departure from Bompert and Lockwood, and breakfast to follow. Cost will be \$15.

**Date is October 8, 2011**



## Plan to attend the Spring Clean Up Day this coming Saturday, April 16th.

This is our Spring Clean-up day focusing on the general campus and grounds.

Please note we will start at 8:30 am and go through the morning. Lunch will be provided.

Bring your rakes, gloves, shovels and wheelbarrows. Rain or shine as we need to get the grounds ready for spring plantings and for Easter.

## Flower the Cross for Easter

Emmanuel has a tradition of bringing blooms from our gardens to church on Easter morning to “flower the cross.” Cut as many stems as you’d like from your garden and bring them on Easter morning. The flower cross will be outside the church awaiting your blooms, and we will have parishioners on hand to assist you.

The cross will remain in front of the church throughout the day and also on Easter Monday as a beautiful reminder of Christ’s glorious resurrection.



## Senior High Mission Trip

This June the Emmanuel Senior High Youth will return to Chicago for a weeklong Mission of Labor & Love serving Chicago’s homeless and hungry.

To complete this mission Emmanuel Youth need your support ... by opening your hearts, your prayers and your pocketbooks. This is your **last chance** to help and possibly walk away with an amazing handmade quilt.

**PURCHASE QUILT RAFFLE TIX! Tickets are \$5 per chance or five tickets for \$20. Don’t wait! Your entry must be received in Emmanuel’s office by April 15, or purchased in person on Palm Sunday, April 17, when the winner will be drawn** between services in the Dining Room!

Thank you in advance for your support of the outreach and missions of our Senior High Youth.

## Happy Birthday!

### April 13

Chalgne O’Brien  
Bob Shillito

### April 14

Sarah Jane Hornberger  
Lucy Hubert  
Kate Schuchmann  
Laura Ullmann

### April 15

Tina Kennedy

### April 16

Daniel Jones  
Adam Kopff  
Jenn Marcus  
Sheila Moseley-Perry  
Clayton Moss

### April 17

Candace Hooker

### April 19

Maggie Kramper

### April 21

Gerald Early  
Matt Wilson

### April 22

Brad Dieck  
Bev Schmitt  
Alice Snodgrass

### April 23

Erik Hansen  
Gretchen Land  
Caitlin Phelan

### April 26

Rachel Fisher  
Debby Long

### April 28

Tom Cahill  
Bruce McDonald  
Ben Wagon

### April 29

Laura McCord  
Don Rose

### April 30

Sandy Baker



# Birthdays

## Holy Week and Easter Observances

We are nearing the end of our Lenten observance. This season of penitence, self-reflection, study, and special spiritual discipline reaches its climax in Holy Week, which will begin April 17. There will be a full schedule of worship services for Holy Week. Please make every effort to attend them all. They are listed below.

### Holy Week Observance

**Palm Sunday (April 17):** The worship schedule for this day will be 7:30, 9:00, and 11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. **At 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. the congregation will meet on the Jones Hall lawn to begin the service with a grand procession of the palms into the church. In the event of foul weather, we will begin in the dining hall.**

**Monday and Tuesday:** The Holy Eucharist will be offered at 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday:** The Holy Eucharist will be offered at 12:00 noon and at 6:00 p.m.

**Maundy Thursday:** This service begins at 7:00 p.m. and is preceded by a dinner at 6:00 p.m. As a symbol of our servanthood in Christ, we will observe his commandment to wash one another's feet. This year all members of the congregation will be invited to participate in the ritual. All who want to take part will have their feet washed and join in washing feet.

Childcare will be available starting at 6:45 p.m.

Once again this year a Garden of Gethsemane Prayer Watch will follow the Maundy Thursday service in the chapel.

### Garden of Gethsemane Watch: Keep Awake One Hour

*Jesus came and found them sleeping; and he said to Peter, "Simon, are you asleep? Could you not keep awake one hour? Keep awake and pray that you may not come into the time of trial; the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." Mark 41:37-38*

On the night before he was handed over to die, Jesus took his disciples to pray in the Garden of Gethsemane. Jesus asked them to stay awake with him "one hour" while he faced what he knew he must do on our behalf the next day.

At Emmanuel, we endeavor to keep our Lord company in his hour of anguish by keeping watch in our own chapel (made over to resemble the garden) all night, beginning at 9:00 p.m. on Maundy Thursday, April 21, and breaking our vigil with the Stations of the Cross on Good Friday morning. For everyone's safety and comfort, we need at least two people to keep watch for each hour. Please look for the easel in the chapel and sign up to keep awake one hour.

**Good Friday:** Stations of the Cross conclude the Prayer Watch and begin at 7:00 a.m. in the church. The Proper Liturgy for Good Friday will be said at 12:00 noon, and the church will be left open until 3:00 p.m. for prayer and meditation.

At 7:00 p.m. we will join our friends at Christ Lutheran for Solemn Tenebrae.

**Holy Saturday:** The Proper Liturgy for Holy Saturday (the day our Lord lay in the tomb) at 9:00 a.m.



## CLERGY & STAFF

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 Pamela Dolan, *Curate*  
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## About the Parish Family

We are grateful for gifts to the Food Center in in memory of **Mary Blackmar Shelden, Katherine Ziegler's** mother.

We are grateful for gifts to the Foundation in memory of **Daniel Hotaling, Clark Hotaling's** father.

We are also grateful for gifts to the Church Music Ministry in thanksgiving for the choir members who participated at Ben Lemond's funeral service.

Congratulations to **Jim and Joan McGivney** on the April 1 (no foolin') birth in New York City of 4<sup>th</sup> granddaughter, **Olive Amina Park**. Olive is the daughter of **Veronica and Gabriel Park** and the baby sister of 2 year old, **Jasmine**. All are doing well!

The sympathy of the parish is extended to **Clark Hotaling** and his family on the March 28 death in Florida of his father **Daniel Daley Hotaling**.

The sympathy of the parish is also extended to **Chris Wagnon** on the April 5 death of her sister, **Phyllis Moore**, after a long illness.

*"Grant to them eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them."*

## Easter Lily Deliveries

As Easter approaches all of us are very busy, but please consider delivering an Easter Lily from the sanctuary of Emmanuel!

The Caring Ministries Committee is requesting volunteers for the wonderful task which can be done on Easter day (after the 11:00 a.m. service) or anytime the first few days after Easter. Volunteers are needed to deliver the beautiful lilies that will adorn the sanctuary as well as the rest of the church for Easter. These plants will be taken to those who are part of Emmanuel's Visitor program and others on a list that is prepared by the clergy and office staff.

If you would like to participate in this very important ministry of reaching out to fellow Emmanuelites and others, please contact Peg Cooper at 314-821-1012 or [coopermh@slu.edu](mailto:coopermh@slu.edu).

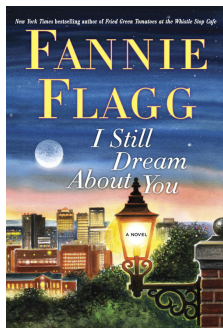
## Emmanuel Women's Book Club

The next gathering is **Monday night, April 25 at 7:00**, when we'll meet to discuss "*I Still Dream About You*" by Fannie Flagg.

Bestselling author Fannie Flagg's trademark comic flair is out in full force in this fabulous new novel about the unpredictability of life. "*I Still Dream About You*" is a delectable romp of a novel that is part murder mystery and part feel-good comedy. It bursts with the Southern charm and good, old-fashioned wisdom that have become Fannie Flagg's hallmark worldwide.

We welcome any newcomers....Please join us!

Next up is "*Founding Mothers*" by Cokie Roberts for **Monday, May 23**. Cokie Roberts' wonderful biographical sketches about the wives of our Founding Fathers, called "Founding Mothers."



Questions? Contact Ann McReynolds at 314-960-0560 or [ARMcR@armmra.com](mailto:ARMcR@armmra.com). Please mark your calendars and start reading!

## Maundy Thursday Dinner

This year's Maundy Thursday dinner will take place on **April 21 at 6:00 p.m.** in the Emmanuel dining room. This traditional, family-style meal is a great fellowship opportunity prior to the 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday worship service. The dinner will be a splendid experience as we gather in celebration and remembrance.

Our Maundy Thursday dinner is also an opportunity for service. Sign-up sheets for helpers to assist with the event are posted on the bulletin boards. Any time you can offer would be greatly appreciated, will give you the chance to get to know other parishioners and is a wonderful way to serve the parish. Serving together at Emmanuel events is fun and rewarding!

Due to limited seating, **reservations will be required**. Prices are \$7.50 for adults, \$5.00 for kids 12 and under, and free for kids three and under with a family maximum of \$25. Tickets will be available after the services on Sunday. Deacon Burnell will have tickets available for those who attend the 5:30 p.m. service. **The last day to buy tickets or make reservations will be Monday, April 18**. All tickets should be paid for prior to the dinner.

If you can help, please contact Mimi Shipp (961-8618).

## Easter Celebration

Holy Week is a powerful time in the Church Year. It is intended to prepare us for the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. Our experience of suffering and death are forever defined in the context of our Lord's victory, a victory he shares with us.

The celebration of our Lord's resurrection begins Saturday at sunset with **The Great Vigil of Easter**. The Vigil begins at 8:00 p.m. and includes Holy Baptism. Our celebration of Christ's victory over sin and death continues on Sunday with services at 7:30, 9:00, and 11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

This is a glorious time of year for the Church. Easter gives us our primary identity as people of the Resurrection, and Holy Week prepares us to celebrate God's gift to us with deep and abiding joy. Make sure to be here. Bring a friend! There is no greater celebration.



## Calendar of Upcoming Events

For a complete listing of events, please consult our online calendar at [www.emmanuelepiscopal.org](http://www.emmanuelepiscopal.org)

### Morning Prayer

Tuesday, April 19 and 26 at 9:00 a.m.

### Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Tuesday, April 19 and 26 at 9:30 a.m.

### Choir Practice

Wednesday, April 20 and 27

Cherub Choir at 6:00 p.m.

Junior Choir at 6:30 p.m.

Adult Choir at 7:30 p.m.

### Eucharist at Noon

Wednesday, April 20 and 27

### Men's Bible Study

Thursday, April 21 and 28 at 7:00 a.m.

Stratton's Restaurant

### Lenten Eucharist and Breakfast

Eucharist on Friday, April 15 at 7:00 a.m.

Breakfast by MOE following Eucharist

### Spring Clean-up Day

Saturday, April 16th.

This is our Spring Clean-up day focusing on the general campus and grounds.

Please note we will start at 8:30 am and go through the morning. Lunch will be provided.

Bring your rakes, gloves, shovels and wheelbarrows. Rain or shine as we need to get the grounds ready for spring plantings and for Easter.

### Vestry Meeting

Monday, April 18 at 7:00 p.m.

### Maundy Thursday

Thursday, April 21

See pages 5 and 7 for details

### Good Friday

Friday, April 22

See page 5 for details

### Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 23

See page 5 for details

### Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 24

See page 7 for details

### Easter Lily Deliveries

Beginning Sunday, April 24 after the 11:00 a.m. service and continuing the next week.

### Women's Book Club Discussion

Monday, April 25 at 7:00 a.m.

See page 7 for details

### EPS Fruit Day Picnic

Thursday, April 28

Friday, April 29

### Facilities Management Committee Meeting

Saturday, April 30 at 8:30 a.m.

### Junior High Mission Mania

### Junior High Youth & Parent Mission Trip Meeting

Sunday, May 1

### Environmental Stewardship Committee

### Plant Sale

Sunday, May 1

### Feast Day Eucharist for Feast of St. Mark

Monday, May 2 at 6:00 p.m.

### AIR Committee Meeting

Tuesday, May 3 at 6:00

### Feast Day Eucharist for Feast of St. Philip and St. James

Tuesday, May 3 at 6:00 p.m.

### ALL PARISH CONFERENCE IS COMING.

SAVE THE DATES - May 13 to 15 - and help us put together this weekend of fun and fellowship.

**Volunteers are needed for this three day event.** See page 1 for details.



## Junior High News

First – a huge shout out to everyone who supported our biggest fund-raiser of the year – the Spaghetti Dinner. It was a great success and contributed almost \$1300 towards our Kansas City Mission Trip. Also, congratulations on a job well done to the Junior Highers who were there for to help with the prep and the day of the dinner! All of you did great work!!!

**There will be NO Rite 13 on April 17 and 24.**

Marie and Mitch will look forward to seeing you on May 1st!

**Sunday, May 1, 10:15-11:15**

**Rite 13 (Faith)**

**Also, May 1st, 1:00-2:00 Youth & Parent Mission Trip Meeting (Service, Fellowship)**

**1:30-3:30 Mission Mania**

The meeting is *strongly* recommended for those planning to attend the mission trip. The kids, then, will have fun with some team building activities which will help prepare them for Kansas City. Don't miss it!:)

**Wednesday, May 4, 6:30-8:00pm**

**Rite 13 Liturgy Preparation and Practice (Faith)**

This event is for those Jr Highers who are in 7th grade (or are 13 yrs. old) and their parents to get ready for the Celebration of Manhood and Womanhood. The kids who are eligible to participate will receive a letter from Kevin Williams with more details. It will be necessary to respond to that letter to let us know that you and your parents are planning to participate.

**Sunday, May 8, 9:00 a.m. Service**

**Group Worship (Faith)**

**Rite 13, 10:15-11:15 (Faith)**

We will sit together as a group to support our friends who are participating in the Rite 13 Liturgy. After, head downstairs for the regular Rite 13 lesson with Marie and Mitch.

### Happy Anniversary

- April 22 – John & Ann Begemann
- April 22 – Steve & Corinne Chalmers
- April 24 – Glenn & Kathi Dunn
- April 24 – Chris & Melissa Patt
- April 25 – John & Paula Collins
- April 27 – John & Lisa Liss
- April 28 – Paul & Kitty Hartwig
- April 28 – Larry & Gail Tucker
- April 29 – Trudy & Jim Appel
- April 30 – Sue & Carl Smith



## Anniversary

### Palm Sunday and Easter Acolyte Schedule

**Palm Sunday**

**April 17, 2011**

Sabrina Walch (TC)

Maggie Brennan (1<sup>st</sup>. Cruc.)

Liz Remming

Ted Miller

Blake Kennedy

Matt Walch

Charlie DeYoung

**Easter Sunday**

**April 24, 2011**

Will Brennan (TC)

Maggie Brennan (1<sup>st</sup>. Cruc.)

Alli Tappana

Julian Appleyard

Isabelle Appleyard

Isabella Crang

Jack Love

Hannah Myers

### May 1 Acolyte

### Schedule

Jessica Schmitz (TC)

Kathryn McGuire (1<sup>st</sup>. Cruc.)

Jackson Hotaling

Thomas Hotaling

Jameson Howard

Maia Langdon

Annabel Dolan

## News from Lui Diocese, Southern Sudan

### [News from Diocese of Lui Secretary Stephen Dokolo:](#)

The date set for electing a new bishop for the diocese is May 14, 2011. The Province (the Episcopal Church of Sudan) will meet in Juba.

The three candidates for Bishop of Lui are: Ramzy Volle, Yohana Wajo, and Stephen Dokolo. The consecration of the next Bishop of Lui will take place, God willing, on June 26, 2011.



Dokolo (pictured here) continues with news about two diocesan parishes (Dari and Lessi) of Lakamadi archdeaconry. They are "completely displaced and they have lost everything." During a recent visit Dokolo noticed that they need food, clothing, medicine, cookware. "They do not have any place to stay, they are

just under trees. We need your prayers and urgent assistance if possible."

Efforts are being made to the communicate with the other six archdeaconries of Lui diocese and Dokolo looks forward "to hearing from them by this week and hopefully next week we will take what so ever was contributed to the displaced people."

**Blessings on everyone during Holy Week and Easter. May this season bring new life and much joy!**



## International Anglican Bible Project aims to discover the church's role in battling climate change

Members of the worldwide Anglican Communion are working together on a project to discover what the Bible tells the church about saving the planet from environmental damage.

The Bible in the Life of the Church project manager, Stephen Lyon, said that World Environment Day was the perfect moment to reveal that the first issue under discussion would be the Environment.

"We are already seeing the impact of climate change, particularly in the developing world," he said. "Most Anglicans live in countries like India and Nigeria that will be worst hit by greater flooding, or diminishing levels of potable water.

**"All faiths have a duty to protect the environment, for themselves and others. Our particular tradition, Anglicanism, has enshrined the need to protect our world in its mission statement The Five Marks of Mission\*. This is one of the reasons why we have picked this issue—to ensure that all Anglicans everywhere realize the biblical imperative to protect and sustain God's creation.**

### Did you know?

**Planning ahead is part of effective stewardship. Plan your will now – and include a bequest to the Emmanuel Church Foundation.**

### March Attendance Statistics

Service	1st	2nd	3rd.	4th
Time	Sun.	Sun.	Sun	Sun
8:00 a.m.	28	21	23	11
9:00 a.m.	259	112	138	115
10:30 a.m.	14	38	55	57
5:30 p.m.	24	14	10	12
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**Avg. Sunday Attendance for March: 233**

**Avg. Sunday Attendance to date for 2011: 251**

***The prayers of the parish are requested for:***

Because the prayer list is so large, we are only able to print half of it in each Angelus. PLEASE be assured that if you have put someone on the Intercessory Prayer list, everyone will continue to be prayed for daily by name. PLEASE keep the office updated on the progress of those you have placed on this list in order that our list remains timely.

**Long Term Medical Needs**

Grace Koerner, out of town parishioner  
 Doris Ekstrum, parishioner  
 Edith Schrautemeier, parishioner  
 Caroline Birdsall, parishioner  
 Barbara Rose, parishioner  
 Jean Weingaertner, parishioner  
 June Banks, parishioner  
 Roberta Gehbauer, parishioner  
 Fran Martin, parishioner  
 Nan Rimbach, parishioner  
 Charlie Bland, parishioner  
 Collin Gunn, parishioner  
 Charlotte Badgley, parishioner

Rissa Woodley, Ann McReynolds' aunt  
 Margaret Clark, Dick's aunt  
 Felmir Singson, friend of the Dolans  
 Edna Tappana, Gary's mother  
 Mark Heaton, Judd & Marie Holt's son-in-law  
 Vernon Burlie, Lissa Johnson's elderly uncle  
 Ben Schneider, MacBryde's grandson  
 Annie May Fielder, Roberta's mother  
 Wylma Teczar, Steve's mother

**Recuperating**

Donald Rose, parishioner

Robert Lindberg, Pamela Dolan's step-father  
 Jane Evans, Nancy McClary's mother  
 Randy Dunn, Glenn's brother  
 Rita Dolores Moore, Victoria Hudson's mother

**In Hospital/Med Tests/Med Treatment**

Joe Korten Hof, parishioner  
 Pat Wiltse, parishioner  
 Carol Greene, parishioner  
 Andy Ruhlin, parishioner

Bud Benning, Dorothy Saunders' brother-in-law  
 Stephanie MacEwen, Bron Brennan's sister  
 Nell Pike, Burnell Esbenshade's mother  
 Melanie Schaufert, Eleanor Fletcher's daughter  
 Lisa Sherrill, Fran Sherrill's daughter  
 Donna Maginn, friend of Dee Margos  
 Joann, friend of Delena Moredock  
 Micki Jobst, friend of Dexter Schraer  
 Kim Hale, friend of Kellie Hornberger  
 Patsy Ayers, friend of Nancy Williams  
 Vickie Brubaker, friend of Tammy Free  
 Jodie Johnson, Lissa Johnson's mother  
 Jim Clauss, Lou's brother  
 Gary Goosen, MJ Kuhn's cousin  
 Eve Lowe, Pamela Dolan's step-mother  
 Bob Rosen, Pam's husband  
 Jackson Mitchell, son of MK Horton's friend  
 Abigail Isom, student of Katie Kopff

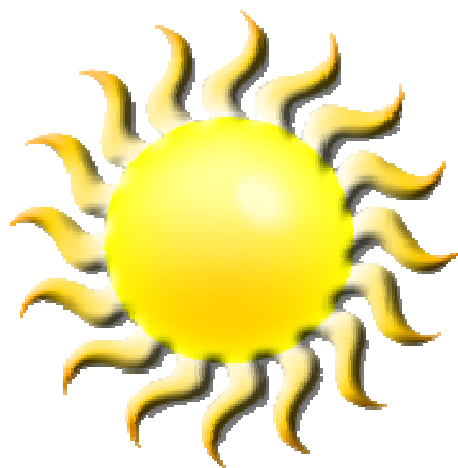
**Summer Solstice Festival****Friday, June 10, 2011****Benefitting Episcopal City Mission and St. Louis children in detention.**

An evening of music, food and fun for the whole family on Friday, June 10 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Emmanuel. Tickets are \$15 for adults, and \$5 for children ages 5 to 12. The ticket price includes dinner, beverages and great acts from the "ECM Revue."

There will be an auction that includes such things as an afternoon sailing trip on Carlyle Lake and Cardinals tickets.

There will also be a children's area with face painting, games and more.

For tickets, please call Episcopal City Mission at 314-436-3545



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The next newsletter deadline is **April 19** for the issue to be published on April 28, 2011. All articles and information should be submitted to Kathy Wright (parishadmin@emmanuelepiscopal.org) in the parish office (by email, if possible). Thank You.

### **Sunday Worship Schedule and Propers**

Child care is available in the new nursery (near the Big Bend entrance) from 8:45 a.m. until after the 11:00 a.m. service. Christian Formation for all ages is in recess for April 17 and 24.

An age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word for children (Children's Chapel) is offered at the 9:00 a.m. service.

**Service Schedule:**    **April 17, Palm Sunday** - 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.  
                                  **April 21, Maundy Thursday** - 7:00 p.m.  
                                  **April 22, Good Friday** - 12:00 p.m.  
                                  **April 23, Easter Vigil** - 8:00 p.m.  
                                  **April 24, Easter Sunday** - 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m., and 5:30 p.m.

**Propers for April 17, 2011  
Palm Sunday**

Isaiah 50:4-9a  
Psalm 31:9-16  
Philippians 2:5-11  
Matthew 26:36 - 27:54

**Propers for April 24, 2011  
Easter Sunday**

Acts 10:34-43  
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24  
Colossians 3:1-4  
Matthew 28:1-10

**Propers for May 1, 2011**

Acts 2:14a, 22-32  
Psalm 16  
1 Peter 1:3-9  
John 20:19-31