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# Clergy & Staff listing

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## Mimi's Report from the Annual Meeting (edited)



This year's Stewardship campaign theme was Rich in Love. The Stewardship committee discussed ways for us to express how we are Rich in Love and chose a very bold format. We were asked to write how we are Rich in Love through letters/notes to each other. The committee had concerns about how this exercise would be perceived and they really wanted everyone to write and receive a letter. That was a very lofty goal, and one that's

hard to make happen! I believe over 100 people wrote letters to about 200 people. I don't know how many of you liked this or how many of you despised it. I can only tell you my experience. It was one thing to sit in the Stewardship meeting and agree this was a good idea and entirely different when it was time to do it! I cringed. Lots of reasons; I no longer have cute notecards, I never buy stamps, and then there was the time factor. Then I looked at the list. Names seemed to jump off the page. I wanted to write thoughts that I should have shared but never got around to sharing. I think I could have written to everyone! But there were a few people I wanted to let know that probably unknown to them, they had made an imprint on me. I loved writing those letters. It was a wonderful experience for me, and I hope many of you feel the same.

The summer before we got married Dave and I were living in different cities. We wrote each other nearly every day that summer. We were young and in love and these letters are incredibly sappy!! The interesting thing is we didn't know until we were married that we each had saved them. It's been a long time since I read one of them. They are a good laugh now, but at the time totally serious and wonderful. A line from Dave: "... writing to you has become a way of bringing you to me." A line from me: "... Love has suddenly become a word too broad to define." Sappy, right?

Letters are powerful. Letters have long been sources of learning about our history. And we read letters here every week in the form of Epistles. Today I decided to write a letter to Emmanuel.

#### Dear Emmanuel,

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2013 was a busy, good year. Not a fabulous year but a good one. We continue to be amazed at how fast technology changes; how advanced medicine has become; how small the world seems; and yet how many wars, conflicts and persecutions continue in our world.

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Here at Emmanuel church we continue to look for ways to be more welcoming; be transparent about finances; teach our faith to our kids; engage in our own spiritual journey; raise money for & carry out mission. We do this as individuals and as groups. Like the world, some things are very changed here and some things not so changed.

I'm finishing up 2 years as senior warden and I admit 3 years ago when I was asked to be on vestry I said yes more out of obligation and really didn't want to do it.

I freely admit that if someone hadn't brought up my name during the nominations process 3 years ago I would have continued to blend in the background. I tell you all this because even though I came to this job less than thrilled, I'm leaving thankful. Thankful that someone put my name forth; thankful to have gotten to know so many of you and thankful Dan reached out. I was forced to 'get over myself' and re-engage.

We are all alike in that we want to feel included. If we take a forward step and we are not included or welcomed well, it may be a while before we advance again. That is why Hospitality Ministry is so important. Dan said it best in his Annual Report this year. "..the whole of creation springs out of God's self-giving. So the very nature of such creative love evokes a corresponding love and self-giving from us." I've begun trying to remember every

time I walk in these doors what it felt like the first couple times I came into this place. What it feels like to be in a roomful of people I don't know. What it might feel like to be single and looking for a church family. What it felt like the first time someone I didn't know called me by name. Rather than huddling with those we know and asking "who is that?"....do something new...remember self-giving & reach out...alone....It's a start.

Most of you probably know what a Google Doodle is. Earlier this month there was a Google Doodle that caught my eye. It was a graphic for Zora Neale Hurston. Zora was an American folklorist, anthropologist and author. She's best known for her 1937 novel *Their Eyes Were Watching God.* Today I'd like to share a quote from that book that I hope will speak to you as it did me.

"Love makes your soul crawl out from its hiding place..."

Sincerely, And with Love, Mimi Shipp Senior Warden, Retired!

### **Adult Forums for Winter 2014**

### SOCIAL JUSTICE & INCOME INEQUALITY - FEB. 9, 16, AND 23

Come and learn more about the impact of a growing income inequality, especially upon minorities, as well as the social justice issues this raises.

Part 1: Feb. 9 - Social Justice & Income Inequality: Overview

The Rev. Dr. Martin Rafanan, Missouri Jobs for Justice and a Fight for a Fair Economy

# Part 2: Feb. 16 - Social Justice & Income Inequality: Focus on Education Ron Jackson, Executive Director of St. Louis for Kids, and Board Member of the Black Leadership Roundtable

# Part 3: Feb. 23 - Social Justice & Income Inequality: Biblical Perspective Evan Krauss, Director of Faith-Based Mobilization of the United Way of St. Louis and President of the Young Urban Professionals of St. Louis

Series Coordinators: Warren Crews, Sue Claus, and Margaret Rowe

### Let Your Life Speak Men of Emmanuel Annual Retreat Feb. 7 & 8

Borrowing the title and emphasis of Parker Palmer's remarkable book on life, meaning, vocation and direction the MOE Retreat will invite purposeful life review. The retreat will include brief presentations by our speaker, small group discussion and time for quiet personal reflection. We will try to discern what life passages (personal and spiritual) have most significantly shaped us.

We will explore:

- What does the timeline of my life tell me so far?
- How do I/we listen for our true direction?
- What will our individual life legacy be?

It will be a time for fun, fellowship and meaningful sharing.

Led by the Rev. Paul A. Metzler, D.Min., an Episcopal priest and psychotherapist. Paul has recently retired from 40+ years of pastoral counseling and hospice ministry settings. Paul is married to Martie Metzler, our Assistant Priest at Emmanuel Church.

See the MOE table in Dining Room for more details & sign up.

### **Fellowship Dinners Return!**

After a break for the Holidays, the Wednesday Fellowship Dinners have started again!

We begin serving at 5:30 pm and continue until 7 pm. This is a casual, fun evening to share a meal with your extended family – our Emmanuel Family!

#### **EVERYONE** is welcome!

We would love to feature a guest chef, or a special family recipe. Let **Mary Jane Kuhn** know if you are interested in helping. We also could use help with clean-up. Being in on clean-up often leads to taking home leftovers!

We will have a sign up poster in the dining room.



The dinners will continue through February 26th, the Wednesday prior to Ash Wednesday.

## Weekly Bible Study



Beginning Wednesday, 29 January and continuing through Ash Wednesday, 05 March, **YOU** 

are invited to join a Bible study group that will gather for the Wednesday Noon Eucharist in the Chapel. Bring a bag lunch and following the service we will move to <u>The Tree House Room</u> on the second floor to eat and discuss the Lessons for the coming Sunday [The Proper for Sunday next]. <u>YOU</u> are invited to join us.

The plan for our hour of discussion will be to pray the Collect for the Sunday. We will then read the lessons appointed—Hebrew Scripture (in English), the Psalm, the Epistle and the Gospel. We ask you to bring pen and paper so that as each lesson is read you can note those things that you hear which strike you. Everyone will be given opportunity to share their notes from the readings and then the floor will be opened for discussion.

Please join us! [Note: The Tuesday morning Bible study has been discontinued.]

# First, Don't Forget our Spaghetti Dinner on February 9. - Jr. High News

Our last report found our Junior High kids preparing for Webster Rock Hill Ministries' Christmas Adopt-A-Family program. They delivered the food and gifts they had purchased for the three families they adopted as well all the gifts from Emmanuel's giving tree which had been designated for WRHM. And they helped with the ingathering by assisting all the other participants carry in their gifts. This was a good and blessed way to end the year but in addition, many acted as acolytes during the rest of the Advent season.

Now comes January with some very, very, very bad weather causing postponement of a great fun event and a Rite 13 lesson.

But now we're back on track. We have helped with God's work by preparing the Brown Bag lunches for the homeless, had two lessons and much work on the preparation for Youth Sunday on February 2 where the Junior High and Senior High took over many of the responsibilities of the service, including preaching, ushering, writing and reading prayers, and assisting with communion.

One of our lessons – from the Prayer category of our curriculum – was the making of an Episcopal Rosary. From the pamphlet sent home with each child, "Unlike the traditional Catholic rosary, which is used to venerate the Virgin Mary and to focus on the

seminal events in the life, the Episcopal Rosary or Anglican prayer beads, most often are used as a tactile aid to focus one's attention on a variety of types of prayers and worship."

Planning and ticket sales have begun for our second biggest mission trip fund raiser – a fun evening with a delicious spaghetti dinner with great desserts and games for the kids. It is a relaxed event, the time is early enough for the youngsters and ldsters (5-7 p.m.) and, as already stated, the food is delicious and caters to all kinds of food allergies.

A week or so ago, as the kids were preparing to leave Rite 13, I asked if they had opened and used their Advent Kindness Jar. They replied, "Well I did it a couple of times. Then I forgot." When asked about the Rosary, the answers were similar. But I think that someday, their mothers will make them shovel our their room and they will find the jar or the beads, pick them up and, maybe, just maybe, they'll remember.

So....

Don't forget our spaghetti dinner on **February 9**!



### SR HI PLANNING RETREAT

Senior High Youth Group leaders are putting together the agenda for the group's spring retreat scheduled for February 22-23 at Camp Mihaska in Bourbon, Missouri. The group will leave Saturday morning at 10 a.m. and return the following afternoon.

The retreat will be built around some need which the youth themselves have identified as things they wish to talk more about with their colleagues and their leaders. The young people will also lead Morning Prayer on Sunday morning.

"This is always one of our best weekends," said Youth Minister **Kevin Williams**. "It's always fun, spiritual, and thoughtful, and it often provides a springboard for our upcoming mission trip."

This summer's mission will be to Rosebud, South Dakota from June 7 to June 14, in parallel with the long-standing adult trip to the Lakota Sioux Reservation, one of the poorest areas in the United States. The annual mission has for years been hugely successful.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Sunday, February 9

Open Seating 5:00 - 7:00p.m.

\$12 adults \$6 students 5 & under — FREE

Proceeds benefit the 2014 Jr High Mission Trip to Kansas City Make plans to attend the annual Jr. High Fundraising Dinner.

Enjoy a delicious Italian meal of spaghetti with marinara sauce & meatballs (or veggie meatballs), salad, garlic bread, and our

famous Tiramisul.

Games for kids and adults alike! DON'T MISS THE FUN!

Tickets on sale now in the Dining Room after each service!

# **About the Parish Family**

On January 12 we celebrated with **Jonah Moore**, seven year old son of **Georgette Bissen and Stephen Moore** and **Matthew Taylor** and infant daughter, **Elise** (wife and mother is **Stephanie Taylor**!) as they were baptized at Emmanuel's altar. *Welcome to Christ's flock!* 

Congratulations to **Michelle and Brad Edmondson** on the January 16 birth of **Clark and Meredith**. The twins join older siblings **Michael Helker and Emily Edmondson**. How nice to have a new baby for each of them!

Congratulations to **Bill and Carla Simokaitis** on the January 24 birth of granddaughter, **Kayli Elizabeth Simokaitis.** Mom, Dad, Kayli and Grandpa and Grandma are all doing well!

The **Senior High** is grateful for a gift in thanksgiving for the snow shoveling skills of **Charlie DeYoung**.

### New Faces in the Office...Sort of...

The next time you visit or call the Church office, you might notice that some things have changed.

But not too much...

**Susie Feldmann**, who retired as of our Annual Meeting will be working in the office one day a week, on either Wednesdays or Thursdays, depending on the grandkids' schedules.

**Phyllis Newcomb** will be sitting at Susie's desk on Mondays and Tuesdays. **Mary Kay Horton** will be at Susie's desk on Fridays.

We will continue to use Susie's regular email:

### sfeldmann@emmanuelepiscopal.org

All of us in the office will have access to it and will be able to assist you.

This transition period in the office gives us an opportunity to learn all the things that Susie has done for the church over the past *many* decades.

Thank you for your patience, there is truly a lot to learn.

Sue Baseley Parish Administrator

## **Vestry Vibes**

Sunday, January 26 was an eventful day for the Emmanuel Vestry as we said good-bye to five faithful members; welcomed in another five; and elected our executive committee during and after the Annual Meeting.

Starting with the gift presentations from **Dan** to the outgoing Vestry Members, and then the thoughtful and heartfelt presentation from our two-term Senior Warden, it dawned on me the breadth and depth of experience that will be missed as they finished their terms. The outgoing wardens, **Mimi Shipp & Martha LaFata** helped create a consistent, calm, and light-hearted atmosphere to the Vestry meetings this year, and brought several decades of personal Emmanuel experiences to both the Vestry and the executive committee.

Former treasurer **Gary Tappana** and multi-term Vestry member **Karl Reif** provided wise counsel on a wide variety of subjects, especially their experience on all things financial. And first-time Vestry member **Maggie Kramper** brought poetry, music and other new ideas that are so refreshing when people join the Vestry for the first time.

We will miss you all dearly.

And then we ushered in 5 new and exciting members that will each bring their own Emmanuel experiences; their own creativity; and their own levels of experience to the Vestry – each bringing a new perspective and energy to the committee. The new members elected at the Annual Meeting are **Ann Begemann** (20 years), **Dave Loyet** (5 years), **Mart Mitchell** (29 years); **Phil Smerek** (10 years) and **Allison Williams** (12 years).

The executive board this year will consist of Senior Warden, **Trisha Copeland** and Treasurer **Diana Knapp**, both appointed by the Rector; along with Junior Warden, **Ann Marie Ruhlin**, and Secretary **Suzie Florent** who were elected by the Vestry members immediately following the Annual Meeting.

The Vestry will be convening for our Annual Retreat on February 21-22, in which we will share in some team-building exercises and set goals for the coming year. Feel free to share any of your hopes, thoughts, or concerns for this parish with any of us so that we can do our part to address these during our planning process.

By Mark DeYoung

## **Annual Meeting Breakfast**

I would like to extend deep appreciation and gratitude to all of the many people that helped with the Annual Meeting breakfast.

Charlie Walch graciously agreed to take on this event, and what an amazing warm and appetizing meal he prepared for the parish to enjoy. Thanks to Charlie and his crew of Michael Martinez, Fran Grebel, Mark DeYoung and Frank McGuigan for shopping and preparing the meal. I would also like to thank Bob and Katherine Ziegler, Don and Kathy Lorino, Joyce and Dave Pluhar, Marilyn Keller, John Mitchell, Mimi Shipp, Martha LaFata, John Liss, MaryAnn Lemonds, Jennie Werremeyer, Ann Monroe, Tricia Copeland and of course Keith for help with the many tasks it took to prepare and cleanup for this large event on a Sunday morning.

I am grateful to all of the people who have previously worked on this event and kept such careful detailed notes. Thanks also to everyone that pitched in to help with clean up!

Mart Mitchell Parish Family Life Co-Chair.

# Grubby Sunday - Feb. 9 after Church

This year's "Grubby Sunday" event will be dedicated to assembling storage shelves and moving canned goods to support our food ministries.

The event gets its name because it usually involves some dusty work, and in some cases may cause you to break a sweat – but this year's activity won't be too grubby. Some helpers will be moving cans of paints and other supplies out of the Behold basement storage room to a new location, while others put together some much-needed shelving that our Food Ministries will use to store supplies.

Please meet us in the basement of the church on **Sunday, February 9**, right after the 9:00am or 10:30am church services. No special skills are required. Stay for 1 hour or 3 hours – whatever you can spare! The Facilities Management Team will have things organized to keep you busy in your grubby clothes.

## **Annual Meeting, a Sensory Review**

Last Sunday I experienced my first Annual Meeting at Emmanuel. It was an experience for all the senses.

**I saw** the joy emanating from Dan as he stands before our exuberant group of Parishioners.

I tasted a wonderful strata breakfast, made by a crew of talented cooks, headed up by Charlie Walch. Mmm, bacon!

I felt the dedication of our Vestry, Delegates, volunteers and clergy, working toward one goal: of making Emmanuel a warm, welcoming and spiritually fulfilling church.

**I heard** the laughter of 200 people as Dan read a special poem to my officemate, **Susie Feldmann**.

**I smelled** spring in the air (wishful thinking) as we were blessed with a Sunday morning in January, with temperatures reaching *above* freezing.

Sue Baseley Parish Administrator

## Alliance for Interracial Dignity Session "Cracking the Codes"



7:00 p.m. Thursday, February 27, 2014

Emmanuel Episcopal Church 9 South Bompart Webster Groves, MO 63119

### **Overarching Goals:**

- Coming Together as a Community and Growing Together as a Community
- Building community alliances with government, cultural/racial, and faith-based groups to create a sustained social justice partnership.



### Received at the Emmanuel Food Center:



### THANK YOU

Thank you for your generosity in providing my son and I with food. We really appreciate it and your services are such a blessing. And your kindness was amazing! I have not experienced that at other places.

I wanted to follow up with you to let you know that I recently connected with a closer organization, Kirkcare.

Again, thank you for your kindness and generosity.

Sincerely,

## **Parish Family Life Committee**

One of the first things I did when I became cochair of Parish Family Life was to pour over the box of folders from past events with **Maureen Walsh**.

Contained in the box was the annual list of Parish Family Life volunteers. Looking over the lists of names and past events I was awash with memories of the names on the list along with all of the events John and I have attended over the years.

When we joined Emmanuel so many years ago, we joined the PFL committee. All it meant was that you went to one kick off meeting to sign up to help at various events throughout the year. I loved working on events, no matter how big or small the task. It always meant someone new to meet, some new memory and treasured times with our Emmanuel family. The list of PFL members helped chairs of events know who they could call on for help. Joining the committee was the best way for new members of Emmanuel to quickly get acclimated and feel at home.

I have had so many people approach me lately with ideas for Parish Family Life events. I am energized by the enthusiasm you have expressed to me. I am resurrecting the committee list to help with the ideas for new events along with our already scheduled PFL events. No matter if you are new or old to Emmanuel, please add your name to the list. Your involvement can be small or large.

Please email me at <u>martmitchell1@gmail.com</u> to sign up!

Mart Mitchell, Parish Family Life Co-Chair.



## Emmanuel to Host Mission Group from Ohio Wesleyan University March 8 - 15

Ten students and two faculty members from Ohio Wesleyan University will be the first group to stay for a whole week at Emmanuel while they do mission work at St. Louis Crisis Nursery in March.

In the long process of planning the Behold Addition, we dreamt this day would come (one of the main reasons we put showers in the lower level). With Mission being so important to who we are at Emmanuel, how awesome to be able to support a group from afar that is working in our community—hopefully helping to make their time here as comfortable and hassle-free as possible so they can focus on their mission.

**Clark Hotaling** is coordinating with the Ohio Wesleyan group along with Dan and Sue Baseley.

If you would like to help with hospitality while the group is here, please contact the office for more information.

# Sunday Service Times:



8:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.

### **CLERGY & STAFF**

Dan Appleyard, Rector (ext 212)
Martie Metzler, Assistant Priest (ext 218)
Warren E. Crews, Priest Associate
Roderic D. Wiltse, Priest Associate
Trent Patterson, Choir Director
Chuck Peery, Organist
Kevin Williams, Christian Youth Formation (ext 213)
Susan Baseley, Parish Administrator (ext 249)
Susie Feldmann, Phyllis Newcome, Mary Kay Horton
Staff Assistants (ext 209)
Bill Simokaitis, Staff Accountant (ext 210)
Keith Ennis, Sexton
Kelly Lakies & Dianna Konopka, Part-time Sextons
Glenn Dunn, Information Technology (ext 240)
Angela MacBryde, Preschool Director (ext 123)

### **MINISTRY CHAIRS:**

Tricia Copeland, Senior Warden Ann Marie Ruhlin, Junior Warden Diana Knapp, Treasurer Mark Jordan, Finance Committee Tammy Free & Linda Schuchman, Altar Guild Jane Emerson & Mimi Shipp, Archivists Peg Cooper, Caring Ministries Lynne Shields & Megan Wren, Environmental Stewardship David Pluhar & John Liss, Facilities Management Andrew Bleyer, Tricia Copeland & Angie MacBryde, FaithQuest Bill Cochran, Men of Emmanuel Donna Erickson, Missions Mart Mitchell, Mike & Maureen Walsh, Parish Family Life Kathleen Martin, Worship

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# Episcopal City Mission needs Volunteers

Emmanuel is sponsoring the monthly birthday party at the City Detention Juvenile Center on **Friday**, **February** 7<sup>th</sup> and we need some volunteers to cut cake, scoop ice cream and serve punch. We meet at Emmanuel and car pool to the center at 5:15 p.m. This is a way to see, interact and assure young people that there are folks in this world that do care about them and that want to raise them up.

Please contact **Mary Jane Kuhn** if you have any questions. 314-821-3721

Save the Date: Play Readers is Friday, March 28 at 6:30 p.m.

### **BAPTISMAL DATES FOR 2014**



Below are the scheduled dates for Baptism and Baptismal Preparation Session. At least one parent must attend a preparation session before a child may be baptized at Emmanuel. You need not have set a baptismal date

to come to one of these sessions.

If you are pregnant or still deciding about baptizing your child here, please come. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about baptism.

Call the church office at 961-2393 to make a reservation. A light supper is served.

### **Baptism Dates**

### **Preparation Class**

Feb. 16 at 9:00 a.m. Feb. 23 at 10:30 a.m. Apr. 19 at 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 23 at 6:00 p.m. Apr. 8 at 6:00 p.m.

### **BIRTHDAYS**



February 5 Bill Rowe Chris Wagnon Amber Wright John Ziegler

February 6
Jeannie Keyes
Max Marcus
Leo Moore
Sean Phelan
Jean Schiller

**February 7**Jeanene Mascia
Matt Schunke

February 8 Chloe Hooker Eric Mitchell Mandi Winkler

**February 9**Katie Allman
Susie Feldmann

**February 10**Bill Cochran
Brynn Schiller

**February 11**Duane Benson

February 12 Peter Love Paul Padrucco Gretchen Suriano February 13

Heidi Richter Marion Scatcherd

**February 14**Max O'Brien
Brian Stephenson

**February 15**Mark DeYoung
Becki Jacoby

February 16 Maggie Brennan Julie Burst Matt Keefer Beth Knapp Val Walch

**February 17** Lisa Rikand

**February 18**Annabelle Fitzgerald

February 19

Ryan Collins Emily Huey Ryan Velicer

February 20 Douglas Aldrich Sydney Greer Betty Long Whitaker Ragan Martha Ziegler

February 22 Nathan Linneman Laurie Parker

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

February 21 Dave & Mimi Shipp

February 27
Dave & Lind Burns

Please let the Emmanuel office know of any special or important events in your life so we may be able to share them with the entire Emmanuel family!

### **ACOLYTE SCHEDULE**

February 9

Team Captain – Isabella Crang 1<sup>st</sup> Crucifer – Julianna

Crang

Acolytes: Claire Hooker, Maia

Langdon, Clio

Langdon

February 16

Team Captain – Clay Moss

1st Crucifer – Jameson

Howard

Acolytes: Thomas Hotaling, Kendra Howard, Emma

Sabath

February 23, 2014

Team Captain – Hannah Myers

1st Crucifer – Charlie DeYoung

Acolytes: Annie Buck,

Sawyer Buck Elijah Myers



Monday, February 17 is



**Church Offices are Closed** 

### THE PRAYERS OF THE PARISH ARE REQUESTED FOR:

PLEASE keep the office updated on the progress of those you have placed on this list so our list remains timely.

### ARMED FORCES

Parishioners: Ethan Allman, Aaron Faust, Nathaniel Baker, Adam Erickson

Brian Maginn, Christie Maginn's son David Benning, Dorothy Saunders' nephew Jason Martens, Jen Dunn's brother Stephen Carson, Nan Rimbach's nephew Ron Asher, Sara Loyet's nephew Gabriel Stone, Dorothy Saunders' nephew

### IN HOSPITAL/MED TESTS or TREATMENT Parishioners: Linda James, Jen Dunn, Katie Lawless Ben Wagnon

Henry Jones, Lisa Teczar's brother Scott Edenson, M. Rowe's niece's husband Finn Murphy, Kuhn's friend Aaron Crowell, friend of Angie MacBryde Linda Murer, Nancy McClary's cousin Donna Maginn, friend of Dee Margos Fritz Luckner, Anne Crown's father Anna, friend of Betsy Lindner Kenny Borino, Janet Dobbs' brother Jodie Johnson, Lissa Johnson's mother Karol English Trudy Appel's daughter Fran Gebhart, Doris Ferguson's daughter Kari Owens, MJ Kuhn's cousin Vicki Conerly, Maryjane Hotaling's friend

### LONG TERM MEDICAL NEEDS

Parishioners: Caroline Birdsall, Sandra Nelson, Don Rose, Roberta Gehbauer, Laura Ullman, Grace Koerner, Nan Rimbach, Mary Ellen McCarthy, Sophie Owen, Joan Amerman, Mary Toberman

Rissa Woodley, Ann McReynolds' aunt Margaret Clark, Dick's aunt Ben Schneider, MacBryde's grandson Ann Neukomm, Mart Mitchell's aunt Coline Martines, Michael's mother Annie Mae Fielder, Roberta's mother Gabrielle Nelson, Sandy Nelson's granddaughter

### **RECUPERATING**

Parishioners: Rosemary Vorih, Eleanor Fletcher Sally Davidson, Henrietta Kaiser, Elizabeth Wagnon Charles Toberman

Laura Williams, Betsy's mother Steve Wilson, Lynne Shields' friend Kathleen McGrane, McGrane's daughter George Benson, Hilary Perkins step-father Debbie Carter, former parishioner & organist Erwin & Adeline Branahl, Sandy Cooper's parents Jim Kaiser, John & Henrietta's son

### **SERIOUS ILLNESS**

Parishioners: Mary Dolores Baca, Peggy Schroeder

Robert Hogg, John's father Dan Scherer, friend of Kuhns Don Black, Katherine Ziegler's friend Olive Hagen, Mimi Shipp's friend Pam Furrer, Sandy Baker's friend/ former ENS teacher Prayer Cathy Ammons, Allison Williams' friend Requests Dickie Priest, Betsy Mackey's friend Rachael, Bill & Victoria Hudson's niece Alvin Stouffe, Bill Florent's brother-in-law Mike Karandief, Chris Knox's family friend Paula Coulton, Don & Stella Spalts' friend Lois Johnson, family friend of Lisanne Schraer Ed Heigl, friend of Ann McReynolds Sharon Geraghty, friend of Lisanne Schraer Carole Smith, friend of Nancy McClary Stephanie Duensing, Lissa Johnson's sister Heather McFadden, Margaret DeYoung's friend Marty Schmitt, Margaret DeYoung's friend Barbara Hulett, Maryellen Bell's friend Cathy Sheldon, Katie McGuigan's daughter Janet Klumpp, Rod & Pat Wiltse's friend John Kohler, Sue & Lou Clauss' friend Tammy Stutz & family, Tracy Crews' friend JoAnne Bryant, Becki Jacoby's aunt Paula/Jim Spangler, John Mitchell's sister/brother-in-law Shirley Beckman, Diana Beckman's mother Tim Daugherty, Debby Long's son Debra Dean-Ciriani, Lisa Teczar's friend Jean Pettid, Lisa (Sparks) Pettid's mother-in-law Jessica Butler, Molly Clark's friend Patricia McGregor, Stella Spalt's cousin Vicki Barmann, Jen Marcus' mother

### **SPECIAL NEEDS**

Parishioners: Jean Weingaertner, Warren Druschky Benjamin Jones, Robert Tate

Monte Morgan, former parishioner Ieshia Charging Hawk, friend of adult mission trip group JoAnne Hansen, Eleanor Fletcher's sister-in-law Peggy Thacker McCaslin, Kerry Thacker's daughter Mark A. Baxley, Ruth's son Sue Kohler, Sue & Lou Clauss' friend Jeffrey, Sue Smith's grandson Doug Moody, Mary Jane Kuhn's Godson Andrew Jones, Steve & Lisa Teczar's nephew Charlotte Roberts, Tina Kennedy's mother Robert & Kathleen Bowlin, Brett Newcomb's aunt & uncle Cathy Jones, Tom's sister

### **CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

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

### WINTER SCHEDULE Sunday Holy Eucharist:

8:00, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

### **SUNDAYS**

### City Streets Cooking Sun., Feb. 9 & 23 at 11:30 a.m.

### Newcomer Brunch Sunday, Feb. 9 at 11:30 a.m.

# Jr. High Spaghetti Fundraising Dinner

Sunday, Feb. 9 at 5:00 p.m.

# **Jr. High Operation Brown Bag** Sunday, Feb. 16 at 11:15 a.m.

# SASH—Jr. High and Sr. High going to Laser Tag Sunday, Feb. 16 at noon

## **Blood Pressure Screening**

Sunday, Mar. 2 following the 10:30 a.m. Service

### Inquirer's Class

Sunday, Mar 9, 16, 23, 30 and Apr. 6 at 11:30 a.m.

### Mission Committee Meeting

Sunday, Mar. 16 at 11:30 a.m.

### **MONDAYS**

# Caring Ministries Meeting Monday, Feb. 10 at 7:30 p.m.

# Worship Committee

# Monday, Feb. 24 at 6:30 p.m.

## Women's Book Club

Monday, Feb. 24 at 7:00 p.m.

# Jr. High Leader Meeting

Monday, Mar. 3 at 6:30 p.m.

## **Executive Committee Meeting**

Monday, Mar. 10 at 5:30 p.m.

# Finance Committee Meeting

Monday, Mar 10 at 6:30 p.m.

### **Vestry Meeting**

Monday, Mar. 17 at 7:00 p.m.

### **TUESDAYS**

# Contemplative Prayer in the Chapel

Tuesday, Feb. 11, 25 at 5:30 p.m.

### **Baptismal Instruction Class**

Tuesday, Feb. 25 at 6:00 p.m.

### **WEDNESDAYS**

### Episcopal Church Mission Annual Meeting

Wed., Feb. 12 at 11:30 a.m.

# Holy Eucharist at Noon followed by Bible Study with Rod

Wed., Feb. 12, 19, 26, at noon

### Fellowship Dinner

Wednesday, Feb. 12, 19, 26 at 5:30 p.m.

# Food Center Shopping at Aldi's

Wed., Feb. 12 at 5:45 p.m.

### **THURSDAYS**

# Men's Bible Study at Stratton's Restaurant

Thursday, Feb. 13, 20, 27 at 7:00 a.m.

### Noon Day Operation Brown Bag

Thursday, Feb. 13, Mar. 13 at noon

### **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

Thursday, Feb. 20, Mar. 6 at 7:00 p.m.

### **MOE Operation Brown Bag**

Thursday, Feb. 27, Mar. 28 at 4:45 p.m.

### Sr. High Group Leaders Meeting

Thursday, Mar. 6 at 7:00 p.m.

### **FRIDAYS**

### **MOE Men's Retreat**

Friday, Feb. 7

### **Vestry Retreat & Meeting**

Friday, Feb. 21 at 7:00 p.m.

#### Mardi Gras Setup

Friday, Mar. 28 at 3:00 p.m.

### **SATURDAYS**

#### **MOE Men's Retreat**

Saturday, Feb. 8

# Facilities Management Meeting

Saturday, Feb. 22 at 8:30 a.m.

### **Vestry Retreat & Meeting**

Saturday, Feb. 22 at 9:00 a.m.

### Mardi Gras

Saturday, Mar. 1 at 6:00 p.m.

### **Emmanuel Episcopal Church**

9 South Bompart Avenue Webster Groves, MO 63119

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The next newsletter deadline is <u>February 11</u> for the issue to be published on <u>February 18, 2014</u>. All articles and information should be submitted to Sue Baseley (parishadmin@emmanuelepiscopal.org) in the parish office (by email, if possible). Thank You.

# **Sunday Worship Schedule and Propers**

Child care is available in the nursery (near the Big Bend entrance) from 8:45 a.m. until after the 10:30 a.m. service. Service Schedule: 8:00, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

# Propers for February 9 The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Isaiah 58:1-9a, (9b-12) 1 Corinthians 2:1-12, (13-16) Matthew 5:13-20 Psalm 119:1-9, (10)

### Propers for February 16 The Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

Deuteronomy 30:15-20 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 Matthew 5:21-37 Psalm 119:1-8

# Propers for February 23 The Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany

Leviticus 19:1-2, 9-18 1 Corinthians 3:10-11, 16-23 Matthew 5:38-48 Psalm 119:33-40

# Propers for March 2 The Last Sunday after Epiphany

Exodus 24:12-18 2 Peter 1:16-21 Matthew 17:1-9 Psalm 2 or Psalm 99