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**The  
EMPHASIS**

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# The EMPHASIS

**a Monthly Newsletter from Emmanuel Lutheran Church**

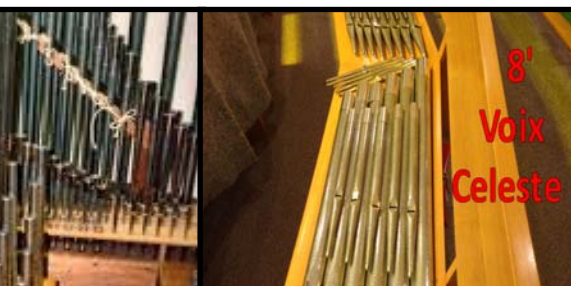
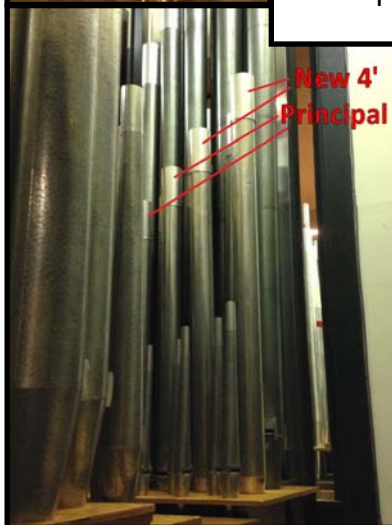
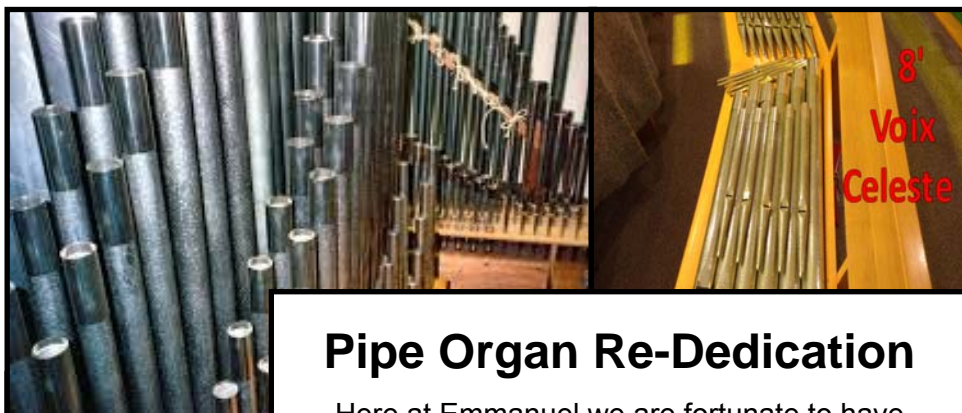
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The Merriam-Webster Dictionary defines **EMPHASIS** as:

*Noun:* em·pha·sis *plural:* em(p)-fə-səs

- a forceful quality in the way something is said or written
- special importance or attention given to something

*Other meanings: importance, weight, accent, prominence, highlighting*



## Pipe Organ Re-Dedication

Here at Emmanuel we are fortunate to have one of the best pipe organs on the Palouse! Recently, we have been enhancing this organ with new stops and new hardware. Now it is time to have a re-dedication of the organ! This re-dedication will occur on Sunday, June 4, 2017 during the morning service. We will have special guests to help show off the organ and serve the congregation in music. Please join us for this special service.



## Welcome to Emmanuel!

Emmanuel Lutheran Church and Preschool  
is located at:  
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#### CindyMarie Polley

#### Administrative Assistant, Office Manager

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Visit our google calendar at  
<http://www.emmanuelmoscow.org/calendar/index.html>... scroll down to the ELC Youth calendar  
listed to see all youth information.

#### Janet McIntosh, Music Director/Organist

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Office Hours: By appointment.

#### Nikki Cox, Preschool Director

208.882.1463 or 208.310.6106  
emmanuelutheranpreschool@gmail.com  
Office Hours: M, W, Th, 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM



## Ed Opps i.e. Christian Education Opportunities

### Adult Sunday School in the Fellowship Hall at 8 AM.



Adult Sunday School will begin a pericope study of the Sunday scripture readings. Join **Pastor Daug**, 8 AM, Fellowship Hall, for an in-depth look at the lessons for the day.

### Prayer Pieces in The Gallery at 8:30 AM.



Join us in prayer, fellowship, and conversation, while we knit, crochet, and cross-stitch. Contact **Gretchen Isakson** ([gretchenisakson@yahoo.com](mailto:gretchenisakson@yahoo.com)) or **Robbie Giles** ([robbiegiles@roadrunner.com](mailto:robbiegiles@roadrunner.com)) with questions.

### J.A.M. - Jesus and Me! for children through age 12.



Following the Children's Sermon, J.A.M. leaders will escort the kiddos down to the Fellowship Hall for crafts, games, songs, and a snack. Children will return to the Sanctuary just prior to Holy Communion.

### The "Old Dudes!" Wednesdays at 7 AM.



This is a group of Emmanuel Men that meet weekly on Wednesdays and would love it if you joined them! On the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, 7 AM, meet at the Breakfast Club for breakfast and devotions. Following breakfast, the men will head to church for a work day! On all the other Wednesdays, 7 AM, meet for coffee at the Moscow Co-op. Questions? Contact CindyMarie in the Church Office. 208.882.3915

(Note: Men's Breakfast will meet on 5/10 & 5/24 then break for summer.)

### Theology on Tap! 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays at 5:15 PM.



Join us in the backroom of One World Cafe (corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and Main, Moscow) the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of each month at 5:15 PM. Our May meetings are on 5/4 & 5/18. Come join the conversation! Questions? Contact **Walter Hesford**. [hesford@uidaho.edu](mailto:hesford@uidaho.edu)

### MARY Circle! 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month, 1:30 PM at Good Sam.



The group will meet on Monday, May 1, 2017 at 1:30 PM, at Good Samaritan Village Community Room. Questions? Contact **Shelley Dale** (882.9555 or [sdale@turbonet.com](mailto:sdale@turbonet.com))





### LEAH Circle! 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month at 11:30 AM



All women are warmly invited to meet for devotions and a potluck lunch on Tuesday, May 2, 2017, 11:30 AM, at **Martha Hunts** home. (1227 Larson Rd., Moscow). Bible Study Leader: **Janice Brandal**. Questions? **Jeanette Johnston** 208.892.9549, or **Charlene Olsson** 208.882.1028.

All are welcome!

## Emmanuel Event Calendar for

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> <i>Pastor Off</i> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i> 9:00am Preschool Music 9:00am Quilt Packing 1:00pm Preschool Music 1:30pm MARY Circle (Good Sam) 7:00pm Hog Heaven Band	<b>2</b> 11:30am LEAH Circle (Martha Hunt's Home) 5:30pm <i>Church Cleaning Scheduled</i>	<b>3</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i> 6:00am Weekly Pub. Deadline 10:00am ELC Staff Meeting 4:00pm Executive Council Meeting 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Adult Bells	<b>4</b> 9:00am Preschool Field Trip to WSU Raptor Center 5:15pm Theology on Tap! (One World Café, Moscow)	<b>5</b> 5:30pm <i>Church Cleaning Scheduled</i> <i>CindyMarie Out of the Office</i>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> 8:00am Adult Christian Education (Hall) 8:30am Prayer Pieces (Gallery) 9:30am Worship Service 11:00am Children's Choir 11:00am Fellowship (Hall)	<b>8</b> <i>Pastor Off</i>	<b>9</b> 5:30pm <i>Church Cleaning Scheduled</i> 6:00pm <b>Preschool Graduation</b>	<b>10</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i> 6:00am Weekly Pub. Deadline 7:00am Men's Breakfast (The Breakfast Club) CANCELLED: Piecemakers 10:00am ELC Staff Meeting 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 6:00pm <b>Preschool Graduation</b> 7:00pm Adult Bells	<b>11</b> <b>Preschool Last Day</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i>	<b>12</b> <b>Preschool Last Day</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i> <i>CindyMarie Out of the Office</i> 5:30pm <i>Church Cleaning Scheduled</i>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> <b>Mother's Day</b> 8:00am Adult Christian Education (Hall) 8:30am Prayer Pieces (Gallery) 9:30am Worship Service 11:00am Children's Choir 11:00am Fellowship (Hall) 	<b>15</b> <i>Pastor Off</i> 7:00pm Hog Heaven Band	<b>16</b> 5:30pm Church Council Meeting (Hall)	<b>17</b> 6:00am June Emphasis <b>Deadline</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i> 6:00am Weekly Pub. Deadline 10:00am ELC Staff Meeting 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Adult Bells	<b>18</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i> 5:15pm Theology on Tap! (One World Café, Moscow)	<b>19</b> <i>Youth Director Office Hours</i>  Synod Assembly Spokane, WA 5/19-5/21	<b>20</b>
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<b>28</b> <b>7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b> 8:00am Adult Christian Education (Hall) 8:30am Prayer Pieces (Gallery) 9:30am Worship Service 11:00am Children's Choir 11:00am Fellowship (Hall)	<b>29</b> <b>Memorial Day</b> <i>Church Office Closed</i> 	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> 6:00am Weekly Pub. Deadline 10:00am ELC Staff Meeting 5:30pm Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Adult Bells  3	<b>NOTES:</b> 		



## May 2017 Servant Schedule

*If you can fill in where servant volunteers are still needed, please contact the Church Office at 208.882.3915 or emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com. Thanks!*

<u>Serving on:</u>	May 7, 2017	May 14, 2017	May 21, 2017	May 28, 2017
<u>Ministers:</u>	The Congregation	The Congregation	The Congregation	The Congregation
<u>Presiding:</u>	Pastor Daus	Pastor Daus	Pastor Daus	Pastor Daus
<u>Dir. Of Music/Organist:</u>	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh
<u>Altar Guild / Bread:</u>	Julie Spangler	Julie Spangler	Julie Spangler	Julie Spangler
<u>Acolyte:</u>	Monroe Mastro	Jack Allen	Connor Perry	Monroe Mastro
<u>Altar Flowers:</u>	Noell Swearingen	Jackie Greenwalt	Noell Swearingen	Becky Brenner & Sharon Carr
<u>Assisting Minister:</u>	Ben Beard	Kathy Kwiatkowski	Debbie Stone	<b>SERVANT NEEDED</b>
<u>Communion Assistants:</u>	Deb Dumroese	Tara Roberts	Anne Peterson	Deb Dumroese
	Gwen Sullivan	Ron Landeck	Ron Landeck	<b>SERVANT NEEDED</b>
<u>Counters:</u>	Helen Joyner	Heidi Bitterwolf	Helen Joyner	Carolyn Todd
	Deb Dumroese	<b>SERVANT NEEDED</b>	Chris Watts	Julie Spangler
<u>Fellowship:</u>	Garth & Nancy Sasser	Debbie Stone	Carolyn Todd	Craig & Lisa Allen
	Carmen Savage	Janet & Mandy Strey	Dean & Phyllis Vettrus	Kathy Anderson
	Mark & Marijka Schwarzlaender	Gwen Sullivan	Harry & Sharon Wells	Don & Lisa Bender
	Julie Spangler	Liz & Tom Brandt	Leah & Randy Wendt	Pat Blaufuss
<u>Greeters:</u>	Steve & Andrea Fountain	Kathy & Paul Kwiatkowski	Blake Paris, Jack & Karen Kelly	Garth & Nancy Sasser
<u>J.A.M. Leader:</u>	Lisa Bender	Deb Marsh	Chie Baker	Carolyn Todd
<u>J.A.M. Assistant:</u>	Gretchen Isakson	Janet Williams	Deb Wyatt	Julie Spangler
<u>Quiet Room Attendant:</u>	Elaina Perry	<b>SERVANT NEEDED</b>	Chie Baker	<b>SERVANT NEEDED</b>
<u>Reader:</u>	Martha Hunt	Deb Dumroese	Craig Allen	Jon Kimberling
<u>Ushers:</u>	Vern Kinnison	Vern Kinnison	Vern Kinnison	Vern Kinnison
	Noell Swearingen	Tim Roberts	Noell Swearingen	<b>SERVANT NEEDED</b>
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- May 2 - **Karla Neumann Smiley**  
**Kaylee Wood**
- May 5 - **Lauren Bender**
- May 6 - **Elaina Perry**
- May 10 - **Sarah Brooker**  
**Lynsie Clott**
- May 14 - **Taylor Kimbrel**
- May 17 - **Louise Mowrer**  
**Lis Shepard**
- May 18 - **Zach Lichte**
- May 20 - **Gwen Mitchell**
- May 22 - **Joshua Weller**  
**Marilyn Mastro**
- May 23 - **Jerry Jackle**
- May 25 - **Tammy Greenwalt**
- May 26 - **Joshua Cox**
- May 28 - **Allie McIntosh**
- May 29 - **Jan Martin**



**Matt & Jolene Halladay**  
May 6, 2006

**Jeff & Karen Hill**  
May 28, 1988

**Bob & Nel Carver**  
May 30, 1964

## Meet our Members!

### Moscow Businesswoman, Alum Named UI 'Mom of the Year'

*Although Mirinda (Mindy) Davis is not an "official" Emmanuel Member, she is an important part of our Emmanuel Family, serving as our bookkeeper for our church and preschool for over 20 years.*

### Congratulations Mindy!

The University of Idaho's Student Alumni Relations Board (SARB) is pleased to announce that Mirinda Davis has been named the Mom of the Year for 2017.

A 1993 graduate of the College of Business and Economics (CBE), Davis is the mother of UI senior Brittnay and junior Danica, who are both studying accounting in CBE. Davis owns Davis Bookkeeping and is active in the Moscow community, including serving on the Chamber of Commerce's auction committee for the past 10 years, donating the Vandal Scholarship Fund and showing her Vandal pride at UI athletic, alumni and CBE events.

While at UI, Davis was a member of Pi Beta Phi. Her daughters continued the Greek tradition, joining Kappa Alpha Theta and being active participants in homecoming activities each year.

"Not only has our mother been there, she has helped brainstorm, build the float, create ideas, and give us resources if we ever need them. This could range from a coffee to get us through the day or building a float until 2 or 3 in the morning. She supports us no matter what even if it means putting her life on pause," the sisters wrote in their nomination letter. "She pushes this community to its highest potential, helping all of us climb a ladder, but holding the bottom to make sure we don't fall."

The Mom of the Year is announced each year during Moms' Weekend, which is sponsored by SARB. Congratulations to Davis for her dedication to her family and the Moscow community and for being a great example of what it means to be a Vandal Mom.

# EASTER GREETINGS

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am Ben Beard, the new Council President. First I want to thank last year's Executive Committee for their service - Kim Campbell - President, Chris Watt - V.P., Robbie Giles - Secretary, and Gwen Mitchell and Jon Kimberling - CoTreasurers, for all their hard work in leading Emmanuel's ministries. When you see these servants, please be sure to stop and thank them for their service.



The new Executive Committee members are myself, Martha Hunt - V.P., Liz Brandt - Secretary, and Gwen and Jon - CoTreasurers. I am excited to serve with such thoughtful and faithful people. We have already seen the amazing people God has given our congregation handle a major water leak at the end of March. On March 27 the City made the first actual reading of our water meter and realized we have been high. The next day there was a shutdown and an excavator came in and a section of our water main was replaced outside the pre-school rooms. Thanks to **K & K Excavating, McCoy Plumbing, CindyMarie Polley, Craig Greenwalt, Vern Kinnison, Kevin Peterson, all our Preschool Staff and families** who dealt with school being cancelled while the repairs were being done, **the Staff** who DID come to work to assist the contractors and dealt with spending the day without water or heat, **our cleaning service** for cleaning up the muddy mess when the job was complete, **Gretchen Isakson** for providing cookies for the contractors and **Anne Peterson, Jon Kimberling and Gwen Mitchell** who dealt with all the paperwork involved. Anne Peterson has shepherded through City channels, our request for some forgiveness of the large water and sewer bill that resulted. All in all this leak has resulted in almost \$3400 in repair bills for the water main leading into the church, and almost \$4700 for our latest water and sewer bill from the City. As noted, we are working to obtain some amount of forgiveness from the City on that bill. In the end God was indeed watching over this congregation, as the damage (and expense) could have been *much* worse.

By the time you read this your Council will have met for its annual retreat. We will have discussed the Mission and Ministries God has laid before us, and considered how best we can fulfill God's will for our Congregation. We will have considered what you, the people of Emmanuel, consider to be our most important missions and ministries, and we will have discussed the options and resources available to God's people Emmanuel to fulfill those ministries. We will also have **set a date for a Congregational Meeting - likely in May** - when we can share with you our thoughts going forward. So PLEASE PLAN TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS TO ATTEND THAT CONGREGATIONAL MEETING WHEN THE NOTICE COMES OUT.



Our congregation is blessed to have such abundant talents and treasures in our midst. We saw those talents come forward in dealing with the water leak emergency. We are blessed by the prayerful giving of our members. I would like to close this May Letter with two requests. First, as you see above we had an extraordinary expense hit the Church with this water leak. I ask that you prayerfully consider whether you might be able to add a little to your regular offering. Second, please consider joining the Church's automatic giving plan. Summer is upon us and many of us will be enjoying travel and time out of town. The Church's expenses do not stop, but often it is easy to miss a pledge when you are not in church. With automatic withdrawals through Simply Giving, your pledge is kept current and the Church can continue our ministries uninterrupted.

Welcome to Easter! Rejoice in the grace and redemption of Easter, and all that means for each of us.

Blessings,

Ben Beard, Council President







## Letter from the EDITOR

Isn't Easter fantastic!

It just seems to bring so much... **NEW!**

**New** growth, **new** attitude, **new** opportunities, **new** ways to look at things...

I am hoping to incorporate all the above "**new**" in my service to you here at Emmanuel.

While researching ways I can do more for you through my work for the congregation,

I learned of how the "church secretary" position has evolved with the **new** ways people interact with each other.

The church secretary's **new** title is "Church Communicator."

Jenn Eickman of Concordia Technology Solutions defines the role of a Church Communicator like this:

*"Defining the church communicator role is easier said than done. There doesn't appear to be a standard definition for what a church communicator should be. The people who coordinate communications at churches come with many different skill sets and gifts, offering a diverse range of contributions to ministry."*

*All church communicators are facilitators, project managers, organizers, and leaders with creative souls, but that creativity can take many different forms. Some of us are writers, marketers, problem solvers, or big-picture type of folk. Some are graphic artists. Some photographers or videographers. Others are website builders and coders. The honest truth is that we are each uniquely distinct.*

*Despite the diversity, we all have one common element at our core—we love Jesus Christ. Therefore, church communicators look for ways to assist and guide the congregations where we work to help communicate the Good News within the church community and the outside world."*

Jenn goes on in another article to list three big reasons why churches need a trained Church Communicator. I wish to discuss one of those today:

- **Reason #1: To Manage Your Church's Other Front Door** (a.k.a. our church website and social media).

Back in the day, it was important to have the church building open and staffed during typical business hours to meet new folks who were interested in learning more about our ministry. Demographics have changed. Business hours are no longer "typical." Even with our Emmanuel Family Members, I have found there is more people stopping by the church or calling with questions during the week in the early morning from 6:30 - 8:30 AM, or during their lunch time between 11 AM - 1 PM, then any other time during the day. It also is evident that the majority of people don't call and talk on their phones... they text or email.

Here at ELC we have some fantastic, tech-savvy volunteers. **Chie Baker**, serves as our website coordinator and TV slide show creator. **Kas** and **Deb Dumroese**, **Lisa Allen**, and a half-dozen others routinely post Emmanuel happenings and events on our Facebook page (*which I give huge thanks to because that is where I find all the fantastic pictures to add to the monthly newsletter and weekly announcements!*). With these great volunteers doing such a fantastic job I haven't had to invest the time to learn how to manage our digital thumbprint here at Emmanuel. Since this is a main doorway to new members, I plan to make it a priority to change that. The **ELCW** gave me the great gift of a year subscription to online continuing education this year. This online program has many courses available that address the areas of study I will need to become expert in and develop those new skills.

Personally, I'm still pretty "old-school" in my communication preferences. I'd rather call and talk to someone than email or text them. I know there are quite a few here at Emmanuel who share the same feelings. For that reason, I want to make sure everyone who calls the church knows that if you need to speak with me, my personal cell phone number is listed on our voicemail message when you call the church office. Feel free to call or text me at that number anytime! I also receive church email at home and check and respond to email requests as I see them. I'm here to serve!

*Cindy Marie*

## A BATCH of OODLES

(i.e. a little of everything!)

### CANNOLI!

Moscow Ecumenical Outreach is again participating at the Renaissance Fair in East City Park on Saturday, May 6 and Sunday, May 7. We will be selling cannoli and other treats raising money for the Moscow Food Bank and Heifer International. Both organizations fight to alleviate hunger. If you would like to help at the booth either day, talk to Nancy Ruth Peterson. Everyone...Come and see us in the park!



### NAMI IDAHO SPRING CONFERENCE

National Alliance on Mental Illness  
University of Idaho - Pitman Center,  
Vandal Ballroom

Focus on Mental Health Awareness and Recovery.

Connect with the community to find  
hope...healing...and health.

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Rand Walker, Ph.D.

Let's come together to improve the lives  
of people with mental illness.

### A NEW HOME FOR THE LLOYDS!

The public is welcome to join Palouse Habitat for Humanity as they welcome Jonathan and Christy Lloyd and their three children into their new home.



**The Dedication Celebration is Sunday, April 30 at 2 PM at 415 Greensides Place.** Bishop Matt Zollinger with The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will officiate with Jonathan Lloyd, and representatives from the community will provide gifts and share their experiences from this build.

It's a celebration for Jonathan and Christy Lloyd, who have put in over 400 hours of hard work on the home, saved a down payment, and attended homeownership classes. Along the way they have learned new construction skills and built wonderful relationships with volunteers from around the community.

**For more information on Palouse Habitat for Humanity visit [www.palousehabitat.org](http://www.palousehabitat.org) or contact Jennifer Wallace at 208.883.8502 or [habitat@palousehabitat.org](mailto:habitat@palousehabitat.org).**

Palouse Habitat for Humanity  
PO Box 3054  
Moscow, Idaho 83843

## Women of the ELCA

Emmanuel Lutheran Church Women (ELCW) encompass a huge part of our ministries here at Emmanuel. This group of strong Christian women have a continuing emphasis on Evangelical Outreach, Global Mission, World Hunger, Bible Study, Justice, Worship, and Prayer. Circles meet once or twice a month at varying times and locations. Stop by the Church Office and pick up an ELCW Directory which gives information about the circles.

## Don't be a ! Join a !



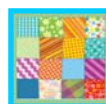
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**Leah**



### ELCW PIECEMAKERS QUILTING GROUP

Help us quilt! Bring a friend! Have some lunch!

We **USUALLY** meet on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays.

**Due to Preschool Graduation,  
we will only meet once this month.**

Join us on **May 24, at 9 AM**,  
to help tie quilts,  
then share a potluck lunch.

Contact **Gretchen Isakson** (882.7289 or  
[gretchenisakson@yahoo.com](mailto:gretchenisakson@yahoo.com))  
with questions.

"Whatever your hands find to do, do it with all your might."  
Ecclesiastes 9:10



## P!A!T! - PRAISE! Awesome! Thanks!

*P!A!T! Someone!*

*Do you have a PRAISE you would like everyone to know about?*

*A bit of news you would like to share with your Emmanuel Family that you think is just AWESOME?*

*Someone you would like to give a big THANKS to?*

*Let us know! Call 208.882.3915 or email [emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com)*

Thank you all for your prayers, care, concern and love during Dwaine's lengthy illness.

A special thank you to **Gen Long** and **Gretchen Isakson** for organizing the luncheon after Dwaine's memorial service. Also, a big thanks to **all who brought food** and to **those who worked** at the luncheon.

I know it entails a lot of work by many.

**Pastor Daugs**, thank you for your end of life care and ministry. **CindyMarie**, thank you for handling the memorials and for preparing such a nice bulletin.

And, last but not least, there is **Vern Kinnison** who is always there to usher and help.

In Christ, **Maureen Marten and Family**

Thank you to **everyone** for all your prayers, donations and support for **our granddaughter Sophie**. The auction was a great success and we have raised all the funds that she needs to obtain her service dog plus the extra expenses needed for training for the family. We could not have done it without the **family of Emmanuel** and sincerely appreciate your prayers and generosity.

**Steve and Carol Nelson and Joanie and Rawley Maag on behalf of Sophie.**

**Henry Roberts** was chosen by the Moscow Pleiades Club as a Star Poet for the 2017 Poetry Celebration. Poets and their families were honored at a reception on Sunday, April 23 and had their poems read by Tiffany Midge, Moscow's Poet Laureate.

**Congratulations to Henry!**

We want to thank **CindyMarie** for singing at Edna Holbrook's Memorial Service.

It was so beautiful and appropriate.

How many of us knew that

CindyMarie was so

multi-talented?

In appreciation,

**Jeanette and Cam Johnston**



Here at Emmanuel we are fortunate to have one of the best pipe organs on the Palouse! Recently, we have been enhancing this organ with new stops and new hardware. Now it is time to have a re-dedication of the organ! This re-dedication will occur on Sunday, June 4 during the morning service. We will have special guests to help show off the organ and serve the congregation in music. Please join us for this special service.

**Thank you! Everyone!**

For the 60th Surprise! Cake! Cards!

I was unaware of my children's visit to Moscow!

Thank you for all of your cards, prayers, and thoughts!

**My favorite card:**

**"Happy 60 Birthday pastor. You look pretty good. Not too old. You are funny and mischievous."**

**Cooper Cox (age 10)**

And, thanks to **Jeanette Johnston** for the 60 Birthday Cookies!

**Pastor Daugs**

A big thank you to **Kathy Henson** for serving as Volunteer Office Staff. What a huge help you are!

With sincere appreciation, **CindyMarie**

A new addition is on the way! **Leanna and Julia Keleher** are expecting their first child in late May. Let's help them set up their nursery and welcome this new family to our congregation! Visit their Amazon baby registry under "Leanna Keleher," or visit

<http://a.co/38N6ZNY>, to see what they still need.

Help share in the joy of welcoming our new child of God! Thank you! Questions? Contact **Carolyn Todd**, [carolynwtodd@gmail.com](mailto:carolynwtodd@gmail.com), or talk to **Julia** or **Leanna**.



## Easter Thank You

A tradition at Emmanuel is for members to purchase Easter Lilies in memory of, in honor of, or in thanksgiving for important people in our lives. Thanks to the following for their contributions:

**Jack & Marilyn Mastro,**  
*in memory of their parents, Nick & Rose Mastro,  
and David & Natalie Deckert.*

**Ben & Katy Beard,**  
*in memory of their parents, in honor of their children,  
and in thanksgiving for their grandchildren.*

**Verla Olson Clauss,**  
*in memory of Clancy Olson and Pat Clauss.*

**Janice & Irv Johnson,**  
*in memory of their parents Maude & Henry Vowels,  
and Jenny & Henry Johnson.*

**Neil & Jan Martin,**  
*in memory of Dayton & Dan Chisholm, and Everett &  
Stella Martin, and in thanksgiving for  
Lois Chisholm Michael.*

**Julia & Leanna Keleher,**  
*in memory of Susan Vaughn.*

**Kevin & Anne Peterson,**  
*in memory of our grandparents and Kevin's dad, Floyd,  
and in thanksgiving for our parents,  
children, & granddaughter.*

**The Wood Family,**  
*in memory of Larry Wood, and their grandparents,  
O'Neil, Marquardt & Mael, in honor of their parents,  
step-parents, & children, and in thanksgiving for their  
family & friends.*

**Miranda Strey,**  
*in memory of Janice Rounsevel.*

**Jeanette & Cameron Johnston,**  
*in memory of Eric Cameron Johnston.*

**Don & Lisa Bender,**  
*in honor of Gretchen Isakson.*

**Tom & Liz Brandt,**  
*in memory of Tom's dad,  
Ray Brandt, in honor of Tom's mom,  
Marilyn Brandt and Liz's parents Wilson & Florence  
Barker, and in thanksgiving for their children,  
Carolyn & Christian Brandt.*

Thank you to all the **MANY Emmanuel Members** that helped in planning, set-up, serving, clean-up, donations, and participation, to make our Easter Worship Celebration and Easter Brunch such a wonderful experience!

Thank you all for your part in shaping and making Easter Sunrise Worship at Cordelia happen once again. Around 50 gathered, the weather rather pleasant, the worship rich and full.

Thank you:

**Ben Beard,** music

**Larry and Carol Lass,** Saturday spring cleanup,  
Sunday welcome

**Deb Dumroese,** flowers

**UI students, WSU students**

the leader and readers and pray-ers and communion assistants

**Karla Neumann Smiley**

**Nick Nicolai**

What a glorious day!

Thank you for the surprise Easter Basket that was left on my office door, and all the many wonderful birthday cards and gifts from **my dear Emmanuel friends!**  
You all helped to make this a fantastic birthday!  
Thank you! - CindyMarie



## **P!A!T! - PRAISE! Awesome! Thanks!**

*Pastor Gordon Braun served as Senior Pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran Church from 1981 - 1995.*

*In 1988 he put together a "Worship Guide" for the members of Emmanuel which explains many aspects of how Lutherans worship. Here is a segment of this Worship Guide. In our April issue, we continued with an explanation of our Worship service. We move forward with a few more aspects of this. This is shared in hopes that it may enhance your worship life.*

In the creed we affirm our faith. We respond to the meeting with God in His Word (the reading and preaching) by saying "I believe." Either the Nicene or Apostles' Creed will be used. Occasionally the Athanasian Creed will be used. These three ecumenical creeds are accepted by all Christians. They are like a loyalty statement affirming our united faith with God and with each other.

The prayer of the church includes our common concerns. Specific and personal concerns are included when you request them. You are encouraged to do so whether it be sharing your joy or expressing your sorrow. We share the peace of God as an expression of our peace in Christ (John 14:27)

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. - John 14:27

An offering is received in the service because it is an act of worship. We bring a portion of our blessings as an acknowledgement that what we have is a gift from God. Gifts are given in a spirit of thankfulness, faith and trust. The offertory is sung to express these concepts and then a prayer is offered reflecting our sense of stewardship.

The Great Thanksgiving begins the liturgy leading up to receiving communion. We greet each other in mutual prayer "The Lord be with you / And also with you!" You are invited to "lift up your heart." In other words, look up to God. Take your mind off yourself and be thankful. If there is thankfulness in your heart there is no room for bitterness. A proper preface for the season is sung or said and then we are ready for the elements of bread and wine to be consecrated with the words Jesus used when He instituted the sacrament (Matthew 26:26-29).

<sup>26</sup>While they were eating, Jesus took a loaf of bread, and after blessing it he broke it, gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is my body." <sup>27</sup>Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; <sup>28</sup>for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. <sup>29</sup>I tell you, I will never again drink of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom." - Matthew 26:26-29

We pray the Lord's Prayer (Matthew 6:9-13) and then are ready to receive the Holy Eucharist.

<sup>9</sup>"Pray then in this way:

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.

<sup>10</sup>Your kingdom come.

Your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

<sup>11</sup>Give us this day our daily bread.

<sup>12</sup>And forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup>And do not bring us to the time of trial,  
but rescue us from the evil one. - Matthew 6:9-13

"The body of Christ given for you. The blood of Christ shed for you." The words "for you" make it personal.

It is also a corporate matter for there is union in communion, union with each other as we kneel together at the rail. While you are waiting before and when you return to your pew make use of this time for meditation. You may use your Bible or Evangelical Lutheran Worship Hymnal (ELW) as an aid in your quiet time.

*Check in with us again next month as Pastor Braun, in this "Worship Guide", continues to explain special segments of our worship service.*



## **Adult Sunday School**

*at Emmanuel Lutheran Church*

**Join Pastor Daug's at 8 AM each Sunday morning in the Fellowship Hall for a pericope study!**

Pericope, which means "passage from the Bible," looks like a three-syllable word (like periscope without the 's'), but it has four syllables and rhymes with *calliope*.

In the upcoming pericope study, Pastor Daug's will focus on the lessons of the day each Sunday.

Please notice the lessons for May, listed below. Each Sunday's pericope will focus on the scripture address listed under the Sermon Title.

**Make sure and join in this informative study! Sunday mornings, 8 AM, in the Fellowship Hall with Pastor Daug's.**

## **LOOK** ing ahead... ...Upcoming Sermon Topics!

*May 7, 2017 - 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter*

**Sermon Title: *I am a door.***

(John 10:1-10)

Readings: Acts 2:42-47; Psalm 23;  
1 Peter 2:19-25; John 10:1-10

*May 14, 2017 - 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter*

**Sermon Title: *I am Jane, John, Dave, Alice...***

(John 14:1-14)

Readings: Acts 7:55-60; Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16;  
1 Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14

*May 21, 2017 - 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter*

**Sermon Title: *We were a new congregation once.***

(Acts 17:22-31)

Readings: Acts 17:22-31; Psalm 66:8-20;  
1 Peter 3:13-22; John 14:15-21

*May 28, 2017 - 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter*

**Sermon Title: *Jesus prays for us. That's right... us.***

(John 17:1-11)

Readings: Acts 1:6-14; Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35;  
1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11 John 17:1-11

**Carol Nelson** sent a card to Pastor following the Good Friday service. Pastor was touched by what she wrote. Carol gave permission for us share it with you.

*Pastor,*

*After Good Friday service I was so moved by the service I wrote this piece about the service and wanted to share it with you.*

*Thank you for being our shepherd.*

*Carol*

## **Most Holy of Days**

Service begins in silence,  
Darkened sanctuary,  
Black cloths drape the altar.  
We confess; we are forgiven,  
We worship using Holden Evening  
Prayer Service  
"Jesus Christ, you are the light of the world"  
We sing the hymn "Joyous Light"  
We hear Psalm 141.  
We listen to the Passion Narrative,  
Candles are extinguished.  
Choir sings "O Love"  
Pastor shares Jesus as the "I am".  
We pray...  
We receive the blessing...  
We remember the cross...  
We sing and weep "Were You There?"  
And we leave in silence.  
~CNJ



## *In Our Thoughts & Prayers*



- **The churches' ongoing ministries of care** for the hungry and neglected, especially in Zimbabwe, China, Darfur, Ethiopia.
- **Military service people from our families serving:** Steven Kwiatkowski, serving in Okinawa Japan; John M. Swanson & Evan B. Marten, grandsons of Maureen Marten; Jaren Doherty Jr., Clara Dockter's grandson; serving with the Marines in Afghanistan.
- **Victims of war, oppression, injustice, and cruelty.**
- **People and organizations working for justice and peace.**
- **Any people we have come to see as our enemies.**
- **All those living in fearful homes and circumstances.**
- **All those who are victims of natural disasters.**
- **Students and members abroad.**
- **Our sister churches:** Grace Lutheran Church - New Orleans; Ulanga-Kilombero Synod - Tanzania.
- **Those who've lost loved ones.**
- **Prayers of Thanksgiving.**

### Those with special needs:

- **Brien Golis and Family**, cousin of the Streys, whose son is battling a horrible disease.
- **Mark Strey**, Mandy's dad, who is struggling with health issues and alcohol.
- **Jean Langeman**, Debbie Stone's mom, dealing with the loss of her husband Hank on 12/27/16
- **Sue**, Julia Keleher's mother, in hospice care.
- **Carl Hunt**, suffering from cluster headaches.
- **Doris Edgar**, Julie Spangler's mother, suffering from Lewy body dementia.
- **Debbie Stone's Family**, as there are many concerns with health issues.
- **Neil Martin.**
- **Gwen Sullivan's son and his family.**
- **Douglas Dion**, Edith's son, suffering from congestive heart failure.
- **Randy Dion**, Edith's son, recovering from a paralyzing stroke.

### Those, dealing with cancer:

- **Janet Williams sister's stepdaughter**, dealing with aggressive breast cancer; **Lillian**, Vern Kinnison's sister, under chemo treatment for cancer, post surgery.; **Landon Hill and family**, friends of Phyllis Vettrus; 2 1/2 year old Landon has been diagnosed with cancer; **Paul Osterberg**, friend of Charlene Olsson; **Betty Keene**, friend of Louise Mowrer, fighting pancreatic cancer; **Richard Woock**, Jessie Weller's uncle suffering with bone cancer;

## Those who have requested our continued prayers:

- **Matt Foss.**
- **Dean Vettrus.**
- **Andy Fountain.**
- **Sandra Lytle.**
- **Theo**, Shirley Engerbretson's grand-nephew.
- **Fukuko Garrett**, Janet Williams' mother.
- **Mike Voegtle**, Katy Beard's cousin.
- **Rosanne Manley.**
- **Yolanda Wyatt.**
- **Mike Sprenger.**
- **Dorothy Schnaible.**
- **Devin Revard**, Clara Dockter's grandson.
- **Carol Nelson's Aunt Dorothy.**
- **Clara Dockter**, continued strength.
- **Sara Kimberling**, continued healing.
- **Bob Bennett.** Prayers for healing.
- **Lynda & Cari**, sister and niece to Shirley Engerbretson.
- **Janet Strey's father**, that he finds Jesus in his life.
- **Grace Lyon**, living at Whitman Senior Care in Pullman.
- **Ken Strassburg**, Kathy Kwiatkowski's brother.
- **Elanor Vanderbeek**, Shirley Engerbretson's granddaughter.



- For strong community & welcoming in the **Lutheran Campus Ministry.**
- **Patients of the Lugala Hospital** in Tanzania.
- **Residents of Good Samaritan Nursing and Special Care units.**

## Notes:

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The Prayers & Concerns Sheet is updated every few months by church staff. If a prayer request has been removed and you wish to keep it on the list please contact us with an update! If you wish to make a prayer request or update an existing one, please call the church office at 208.882.3915, or email [emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com). Thank you.



# Exploring Emmanuel Lutheran Preschool

**Please join us for our  
Spaghetti Feed/Silent Auction  
on Thursday, April 27  
from 5-7:30 PM.**

It will be a fun-filled evening with dinner and a silent auction. All of the money raised will contribute to our scholarship fund that supports tuition costs for preschool families. An average year of preschool costs \$1500, and an average scholarship will cover \$600/per year. In the last couple of years, we have been fortunate enough to provide scholarships for about 10 families. You can buy discounted tickets ahead of time or full price at the door. Thank you so much to those who signed up to bring a dessert! Our silent auction has some amazing items such as:

- Silverwood Tickets
- Dutch Brother's Basket
- John Deere Dump Truck
- Gretchen's Gingersnaps
- Baby Crib Quilts
- Baby Baskets
- Kids Baskets
- Much, Much, More!

You can get a preview of the auction and even place some starting bids beginning Sunday, April 23. You will not need to be present to win.

## Upcoming Events

- April 27<sup>th</sup> - Spaghetti Feed/Silent Auction
- May 9<sup>th</sup>/May 10<sup>th</sup> - Preschool Graduation
- May 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> - Last Day of School

**Nikki Cox** - Preschool Director



The children made colorful print art using recycled materials.



During Earth Week the children learned about reduce, reuse, and recycle, made paper, did print art, and enjoyed playing with these instruments repurposed from what would otherwise be thrown away.



James the Recycled Instrument Man visits school.



Reading with Pastor.



Make this craft to display a bit of springtime year-round!

### What you need:

- An old shirt
- Tempura paint (brown, dark pink, light pink and white)
- Paintbrush
- Light blue or white construction paper
- A paper plate
- Q-tips
- Paper towels



### What you do:

1. Roll up one sleeve and paint your arm and the palm of your hand brown.
2. Lengthwise on the paper, carefully place your painted arm and hand, with fingers spread apart. (This is the tree trunk and branches.)
3. Place the other paint colors on the plate.
4. Using Q-tips, place dots of paint (blossoms!) all over the branches.
5. When dry, display your tree — or give it as a Mother's Day gift.



For the KID in ALL OF US !

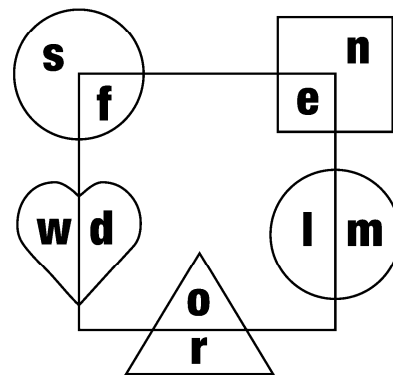


## GOD CARES FOR YOU!

Jesus tells his followers not to worry about their daily needs. What example does he give of God's care for his creation?

### Directions:

To complete Luke 12:27 (NIV), match the shapes under each blank with the letter shapes shown to the right.



"Consider how the wild

grow. They do not labor or spin.

Yet I tell you, not even

in all his splendor was

like one of these." Luke 12:27, NIV



# LUTH Youth

Our Incredible

Emmanuel



The Luth Youth started out the month during a Friday where there was no school. We spent the morning learning about the meaning of Holy Week and Easter, and finished with a kids potluck lunch!

Easter Sunday was enjoyed by all! Youth of all ages embarked on an egg hunt, finding candy filled eggs that the middle and high schoolers hid throughout the playground. Thankfully the sunshine made an appearance, allowing the kids to have an outside egg hunt this year!

The Mighty Youth met a couple of times during April, and continued playing games in spirit of the egg hunt. One can never hide and re-hide eggs too many times!



Looking ahead, the last Sunday of the month will be a Youth Led church service! Kids will be involved with readings as well as singing and sharing of other musical talents. During the month of May, the youth will enjoy going to places such as the indoor pool or finding adventures outside if the weather cooperates!



## Coming Up in May!

**Mighty Youth PLAY DAY**  
Thursday May 11, 12:30-2:30 PM  
at Emmanuel Lutheran.

Luth Youth get your swim suits and towels!  
We're going to the pool!!  
Friday, May 12, 5-8 PM.  
Meet at Emmanuel and we'll carpool to Pullman Aquatic Center.

**Check out our Weekly Announcements for upcoming youth events in May!**  
**Questions about Emmanuel's Youth Program?**  
**Contact our Youth Director, Lisa Allen. 208.882.3915 or [emmanuel.luthyouth@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuel.luthyouth@gmail.com)**

**Camp Lutherhaven has programs available throughout the summer for kids 1<sup>st</sup> grade through high school.**

**Emmanuel Youth mark your calendar for the week of June 25-30, and we'll go to camp together!**

**Adults you can sign up too - volunteers are always welcome!**  
**Contact Lisa Allen for questions and to help get registered for camp! [emmanuel.luthyouth@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuel.luthyouth@gmail.com)**



**Emmanuel's VBS/Day Camp is June 12-16, 2017! Find out more about this awesome fun on page 18!**

**Pre-register Today! Registration forms can be found beginning on page 23 of the May Emphasis.**  
**You may also get forms online at [www.emmanuelmoscow.org](http://www.emmanuelmoscow.org) or pick them up at church.**



# Do you remember last year's VBS/Day Camp???

# Remember how much FUN we had???



## Well, get ready to be a **Masterpiece!**

Ephesians 2:10

## VBS / Day Camp - June 12-16, 2017

Our theme for this week is **'Masterpiece!'**  
based on Ephesians 2:10,

*'We are God's masterpiece.  
He has created us anew in Christ Jesus,  
so we can do the good things  
He planned for us long ago.'*

sponsored by

**Emmanuel Lutheran Church and Lutherhaven Ministries**

We start each day at 9 AM and end the sessions at either 11:30 AM for the younger group (4 year olds to those entering kindergarten) or 3 PM for the older group (those entering 1st grade through 5th grade) in the sanctuary (upper level) at Emmanuel Lutheran Church (1036 W A St, Moscow, ID).

- Monday — Wear an outfit that says something about you!
- Tuesday — Crazy hair day! The crazier, the better!
- Wednesday — Inside out, backwards, mismatched clothes day!
- Thursday — Wear one color day!
- Friday — Aloha/water day (1-5th grades should bring a swim suit and beach towel—for the afternoon,—wear sunscreen too!)

We will be having a **family BBQ / potluck on Thursday** evening from 6 PM - 7:30 PM. We hope you and your family (and friends) will be able to join us. We will provide hot dogs, buns and beverages. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. We will be sharing songs that we have learned during the week and maybe a skit or two. The **Lutherhaven Trading Post** will also be open that evening if you are interested in purchasing a Lutherhaven T-shirt, water bottle, etc.

**Pre-Register Today! Find everything you need beginning on pg. 23 of the May Emphasis!**

# Looking for Something to Do? We Can Help!

There are many ways to be involved in the missions and ministries at Emmanuel. All you have to do is let us know what you hold interest in, what your gifts are, what you like to do! Call the Church Office at 208-882-3915 or email at [emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com). *Help is always needed in the following areas! What would YOU like to do?*



## • Sunday Morning Ministry Servant?

Our worship at Emmanuel is enriched when a variety of members participate. There are many areas of help need on Sundays. Have you ever wanted to learn more about being an Assisting Minister, Communion Assistant, Greeter & Thanker, on Altar Guild, an Acolyte, a Counter, a Scripture Reader, an Usher, make Communion Bread, lead a Sunday School class, co-lead our J.A.M. - Jesus and Me children's class? Contact the Church Office and we can tell you more about these worship areas! These activities do not require any special skills, just a desire to participate. Training sessions are available.



## • Love kids?

Doesn't matter what age, we have opportunities for working with every age! Let us know!



## • Women's Ministry?

ELCW (Emmanuel Lutheran Church Women) have monthly circle meetings and quilting twice a month, plus many other opportunities to make a difference.



## • Are you an "Old Dude"?

Our men's group, the "Old Dudes," meet every Wednesday morning at 7 AM for breakfast & devotions or coffee & Fellowship.



## • How about photographs?

Do you like taking pictures? Hanging pictures? Looking at and organizing pictures? There are many areas where "camera savvy" folks are needed!



## • Altar Flowers?

Sign up to bring Flowers for the Altar on a Sunday morning. It couldn't get simpler than this... sign up,

CindyMarie will email you the preceding Monday to remind you. Bring your arrangement before church, take it home after church, and enjoy it at home!



## • Fellowship Host?

Each Emmanuel family helps out with Sunday morning fellowship privileges on a rotating basis once every few months. A letter with the schedule and instructions is sent to each family as well as a reminder postcard sent a few days before your scheduled Sunday. *If you have not been asked to serve yet, please let us know.*



## • Are you Musical?

Be a part of the Adult Choir, Emmanuel Bells or other musical offering. We also have a Children's Choir and Children's Chime Choir.



## • Do you like to write?

Are you good with pen and paper? Do you like to write articles? We are looking for ways to make the "Emphasis" more interesting. Share your ideas! Contact CindyMarie in the office!



## • Can you cook?

You don't even have to know how to cook... just how to buy food... or drive food! At times, members of our church family find themselves in temporarily stressful situations and could use a meal provided to them (due to sickness, accident, etc.). If you know of a member who might benefit from this gesture, or would like to be on the list to provide a meal or deliver a prepared meal, please contact us.



## • Is working outside "your thing"?

Spring is coming. Adopt an Emmanuel flower bed! There will be lots of yard work, clean up, and "deep cleaning" in the church building. Let us know if you can help!



## • Office Work?

We are looking for regular volunteer help in the church office, answering phones, greeting visitors, assembling bulletins, etc. If you can help out a few hours a week, please contact CindyMarie!

Call the Church Office at 208.882.3915 or email us at [emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com) if you can help out!



## Send A Kid to Camp Lutherhaven!

The Dave Isakson memorial Scholarship Fund was established by Gretchen Isakson and her family in 2013. The purpose of this scholarship fund is to champion sending children to Camp Lutherhaven.

In the past years, that fund has sent numerous children to Camp Lutherhaven.

Lutherhaven offers many Christian based camping opportunities for children, grades one through high school.

If you would like to contribute to this great cause, as a memorial... a gift... in celebration of... please note on your offering, "Dave Isakson Memorial Scholarship Fund." You can put your contribution in the offering plate on Sunday morning, drop it by the Church Office, or mail it to:  
Emmanuel Lutheran Church,  
1036 W A Street,  
Moscow, ID 83843.

Thank you for helping our youth make special relationships, have exciting experiences and make lasting memories!

**Dave Isakson  
Scholarship Fund:  
Sending Kids  
To Camp!**

## Emmanuel Stewardship



## Fellowship and Stewardship go Hand-in-Hand!

Invite a friend or family member to lunch!  
Save and turn in your receipts from *Seasons Public House* to the Emmanuel office and the church can receive 10% back in a cash donation.

### **Please note these guidelines regarding this program:**

- Receipts should be turned in monthly.
- The receipts turned in should not be more than 3 months old.
- **Please submit the original receipt.** Credit Card receipts are not accepted.
- Reimbursement is for the amount of food only. Beverage, tax and gratuity are not included in the reimbursement amount.

For more information on this program, please call the Church Office at 882.3915.

## Help Our Kids!

Here is a win-win way to help support our Emmanuel Lutheran Preschool and finally make some free space in your garage!

We are accepting donations of your RV, Car, Pickup, or ATV to raise funds so our Emmanuel Preschool kids can experience a bright educational beginning in a loving Christian environment!

### **If you have:**

- ➔ an old car taking up space in your driveway,
- ➔ or an old truck that is taking up valuable "shop" space,
- ➔ or an ATV that is in the way of the new planter box you want to build,
- ➔ **ANY** vehicle you wish to donate all or part of its sale,

### **let us sell it for you!**

Help provide a safe fun place for our kids to learn, play, and grow. Please contact **Steve Fountain, Craig Greenwalt, Pastor Daugs**, or the Church Office (882.3915).

**We would love  
to hear from you!**

## Why Donate?

- You can avoid the hassles of selling a car
- No need to pay hefty repair bills
- Free up space in your garage
- 100% tax deductible



## Donating is Easy!



## Pastor's Discretionary Fund

The Pastor's Discretionary Fund is used by the Pastor to assist individuals and families that are in need. Most often it is used to assist people who stop by the church office and request assistance for basic needs. Community organizations may also refer to Pastor, persons who need assistance. Pastor investigates each case by checking in with the Sheriff's Office and or Latah County Social Services both of which share a common data base that can spot repeating requests and persons to keep an eye on. These requests to the Pastor's Discretionary fund may be:



- ♦ They are homeless and need a place to stay for a night or two. *The fund can provide temporary hotel housing for up to 3 nights while other arrangements are being made. Pastor will assist these people in connecting with local resources. Most people may receive housing assistance up to 2 times per year, however circumstances and situations may direct more assistance... especially when there are children involved.*

- ♦ They may need assistance with utilities that are about to be denied. *Pastor calls the utility provider and helps to set up a payment plan that includes an initial payment from the Discretionary Fund.*



- ♦ They are traveling through town and need gasoline or vehicle repairs so they can continue to their destination. *Their personal resources are depleted. Pastor assists them in purchasing fuel or finding a mechanic who can repair their vehicle for a reasonable rate.*

- ♦ People need to see a doctor or need medicine. *Pastor uses the Moscow Clinic to provide these services. They may need a prescription filled and this is done through Rosauers Pharmacy.*



- ♦ People may need food. *They are connected with our local food bank and/or food is given from our ELC kitchen surplus or is purchased by Pastor.*

- ♦ Preschool families sometimes need assistance with, rent, utilities, food, medicine, clothing or tuition.



ELC has the gracious ministry of "loaves and fishes," assisting people with their most basic needs. This is a very "hands on" ministry through our Pastor.

**The Pastor's Discretionary Fund is in need of your financial support.**

Could your support for the Pastor's Discretionary Fund be above and beyond your usual gracious giving? If you are able to, please give a separate offering ear marked for the Pastor's Discretionary Fund.

*(Our Church Treasurer and our Pastor administrate the Pastor's Discretionary Fund.)*



## Camp Corner

Lutherhaven Ministries is your congregation's year-round outdoor ministry. We're Camp Lutherhaven on Lake Coeur d'Alene, Shoshone Mountain Retreat & Ranch up the North Fork of the Coeur d'Alene River, Idaho Servant Adventures, and week-long Lutherhaven Day Camps held in communities around the Northwest. The Camp Corner features news and happenings at Lutherhaven.

***Did you know? 2017 marked our 71th year offering quality, safe, Christ-centered programs for campers of every age!***

### Here are a few things coming up at camp:

#### **Spring Men's Retreat at Shoshone - May 19-21**

- No other weekend like it! Bunch o'guys... weekend away in the mountains... bacon... Jesus!
- Spend time in the wood shop, participate in fun competition shoots, climb the rock wall, spend time in word and worship and meet our speaker, Dick Hardel.
- Bring a youth age 12-18 for a reduced cost!

#### **Family Camp at Lutherhaven - July 14-16**

- Bring your family, friends and neighbors and leave the rest to us!
- Build life-long memories, life-renewing relationships and life-changing faith.
- Bring your boat or jet-ski to us from Lutherhaven's fabulous waterfront!

#### **Cabernet, Canvas & Camp up the Creek! - July 28-30**

- A retreat at Shoshone for adventurous women!
- Wine tasting, painting lessons, gentle horses and more!
- The perfect weekend for a great mid-summer get-away with friends.

#### **Kindercamp at Lutherhaven - August 4-6**

- 4&5 year old campers bring a big person to share all the fun of camp!
- Swimming, sand castles, art & crafts, Bible study, campfire with s'mores plus so much more!
- Meet new friends and make great family memories.

#### **Shoshone Family Camp - August 11-13**

- Choose your own adventures during this brand new weekend!
- The perfect age-appropriate mix of active, outdoor camp fun & quality time as a family.
- Choices include horseback riding, dutch oven cooking lessons, mountain biking & trail riding, climbing wall, zip-line, Giant's swing & more!

#### **Questions?**

**Call:** 208-667-3459 x 113

**Email:** [registrar@lutherhaven.com](mailto:registrar@lutherhaven.com)  
[www.lutherhaven.com/events](http://www.lutherhaven.com/events)

## Spring Men's Retreat

**May 19 - May 21**



### **Choose Your Own Adventure!**

No other weekend like it: bunch o'guys...weekend away in the mountains... bacon...Jesus! It doesn't get any better!

### **New for 2017!**

**This year's men's retreat has a special emphasis on bringing *generations of guys* together: dads and sons, grampas and grandsons, uncles and nephews, big brothers with younger bros! Or how about a trifecta: grampa, sons, and grandsons!**



Our speaker, Dick Hardel, is a nationally recognized leader in inter-generational ministry, and will speak to faith formation from generation to generation.

"Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations." Psalm 90:1

*Don't forget! We have special reduced rates for young men aged 12-18.*

### **Two Options This Year:**

- **Play all weekend, or**
- **Serve at camp part of the weekend, play the rest!**  
(at a reduced rate! See all the details for each option at [www.lutherhaven.com/events](http://www.lutherhaven.com/events).)

### **Activities**

- The Shoshone **wood shop** is open for any sort of log furniture or other woodworking projects.
- **Mountain bike** shuttles up towards Little Guard Lookout to bike back to camp (bring your own bike).
- Saturday clay pigeon, 22's and pistol fun **competition shoots and sporting clays**.
- Shoshone's **Rock Wall, Zip-line and Giant's Swing** are open throughout the day Saturday.

Toll Free 1.866.729.8372 ext. 119

Local 667.3459 ext. 119

Email: [registrar@lutherhaven.com](mailto:registrar@lutherhaven.com)



April 16, 2017

Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s),



Welcome to Lutherhaven Day Camp/ Vacation Bible School (VBS) sponsored by Lutherhaven Ministries and Emmanuel Lutheran Church, June 12-16, 2017. Our theme for this week is "Masterpiece!" based on Ephesians 2:10, "We are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things He planned for us long ago." We are looking forward to a great week filled with Bible encounters, games, arts and crafts, singing and worship. To help things go smoothly here are a few reminders:

- We will be **starting the day at 9:00 a.m.** and ending the sessions at either 11:30 a.m. for the younger group (4 year olds to those entering kindergarten) or 3:00 p.m. for the older group (those entering 1st grade through 5<sup>th</sup> grade) **in the sanctuary (upper level)** at Emmanuel Lutheran Church (1036 West A St., Moscow, ID).

*Monday—Wear an outfit that says something about you!*

*Tuesday—Crazy hair day! The crazier, the better!*

*Wednesday—Inside out, backwards, mismatched clothes day!*

*Thursday—Wear one color day!*

*Friday—Aloha/water day (1-5<sup>th</sup> grades should bring a swim suit and beach towel—for the afternoon,—wear sunscreen too!)*

- **Check-in begins at 8:30am daily!** All youth will need to be checked in and/or registered, and signed out at pick up time at the end of the day **in the narthex area** (entry area of the church on the upper level). This is very important so we may ensure the safety of all the participants. Parents are responsible for filling out a name tag for each child using the template provided (the bordered name tag keys us that the child has an allergy or intolerance; this difference should be inconspicuous to the children at large).

- You are invited to stay as long as you would like and are encouraged to join us for Opening Worship at 9:00 a.m. each morning and Closing Worship at around 2:30 p.m. if you are able.

- A mid-morning snack\* will be provided for all ages. The snack menu/schedule is:

*Monday—Gorp! (raisins, popcorn, gluten free marshmallows, M&M's)*

*Tuesday—Apple Slices & Veggie Straws! (apple slices, gluten free veggie straws)*

*Wednesday—String Cheese & Tortilla Chips! (string cheese and gluten free tortilla chips)*

*Thursday—Bananas & Cereal/CheX Mix! (bananas and gluten free cereal mix)*

*Friday—Cookie Power! (Chocolate covered marshmallow cookies, and other assorted sandwich cookies)*

**\*IMPORTANT:** If your child has food allergies or intolerances and you have any doubt regarding the snack items that we provide (described above), please send a separate 'bagged' snack for your child for that day, clearly labelled with your child's name as well as the grade they are entering. You must give the snack bag to a camp adult leader at registration. **Do not include this snack in their lunch bag;** their lunch bags are stowed elsewhere until lunch time.

- If your child is in the older group (those entering 1st through 5th grade), please provide them with a sack lunch—LABELLED with your child's name. If your child(ren)'s lunch needs to stay cool, please use a cold pack or some other means to keep their lunch cool. We will have plenty of water coolers around in which the children may freely get drinks throughout the day (disposable paper drinking cups).

- We will also be spending a lot of time outdoors so please make sure they dress appropriately, wear shoes that they can be active in (like for running), and use sun block or some other sun protection.

- We will be having a **family BBQ / potluck on Thursday** evening from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. We hope you and your family (and friends) will be able to join us. We will provide hot dogs, buns and beverages. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. We will be sharing songs that we have learned during the week and maybe a skit or two. The Lutherhaven Trading Post will also be open that evening if you are interested in purchasing a Lutherhaven T-shirt, water bottle, etc.

We are excited about this week and looking forward to seeing you at this year's VBS/Day Camp! Blessings on your day!

Janet Williams, Deb Marsh and Lisa Allen

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Please mail , fax or scan/email registration in advance when possible:

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Lutherhaven Ministries and Emmanuel Lutheran Church  
June 12-16, 2017 Day Camp/VBS Registration

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Grade Entering \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Boy Girl

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street State Zip

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

In case of an emergency and Parent/Guardian cannot be reached, please contact:

_____	_____
Name	Phone
_____	_____
Name	Phone

People other than Parent/Guardian who are authorized to pick up camper:

_____	_____
Name	Phone

People who are NOT authorized to pick up camper:

_____	_____
Name	Phone

Please tell us how we can help your child have a successful week at camp:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_

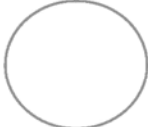
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**Name Tag (send this page in with your registration—do not cut):**

*use large print, and a sharpie if possible ☺*

If your child does **NOT** have a food or medical concern, please use this name tag:  
*Print your child's First and Last name in the left box, and number of entering grade in circle*

	
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**If your child DOES have a food or medical concern**, please fill out this name tag:  
*Print your child's First and Last name in left box, and number of entering grade in circle*  
*Check all that apply in the box on the right (this will be folded to the back of the name tag).*

	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Gluten Free Diet</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Dairy Free Diet</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Nut Allergy</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (we'll check the registration)</p>
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**REMINDER:** If your child has food allergies or intolerances and you have any doubt regarding the snack items that we provide (described in the parent letter), please send a separate bagged snack for your child for that day, clearly marked with your child's name as well as the grade they are entering. You must give the snack bag to a camp adult leader at registration. **Do not include this snack in their lunch bag;** their lunch bags are stowed elsewhere until lunch time.

*Thank you for allowing us this attempt to effectively distinguish at a glance where there are such concerns, but please know we will also gather this information from registration.*

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## Medical Information

The following information is provided for any licensed physician, dentist, or hospital not having access to our (my) child's/ward's medical history

Medication, Food, & Other Allergies

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Medication(s) currently being taken \_\_\_\_\_

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Epi-Pen (Circle one): Y/N

Description of any limitations or restrictions on camp activities

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Medical Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance ID number \_\_\_\_\_

## Permissions & Liability Release

I have requested that Lutherhaven Ministries and Emmanuel Lutheran Church enroll my child/ward, as named above, as a participant in an activity-based camp, program or activity sponsored by Lutherhaven Ministries and Emmanuel Lutheran Church at one of its camps or sites. As a condition of participating in this camp, program or activity, I, the undersigned, do hereby agree on behalf of my child/ward, as named above, to the following:

### Known & Unknown Risks

I understand that my child's/ward's presence at and participation in this camp, program or activity presents varying degrees of certain risks—some of which are unknown—which may arise from a condition of the premises at which the camp, program or activity is held; from an action of any person in connection with the conduct of any planned or unplanned activity; or from other unforeseen elements.

While it is understood that camp programs and activities are fully supervised by qualified staff whose goal it is to make every camp experience as safe as possible, I acknowledge that such known and unknown risks exist, I understand that my child/ward may incur personal injury or property damage while attending this camp, program or activity, and I fully and willingly agree to assume all risks associated with these activities on behalf of my child/ward.

### Medical Release

I consent to first aid and emergency medical care for my child/ward and authorize, if necessary, admission to a hospital for treatment of injuries that my child/ward could sustain while participating in this program.

I understand that I am responsible for any and all medical expenses that may be incurred by my child/ward, including emergency medical transport, as a result of any accident or illness while participating in the program.

I give permission for Lutherhaven Ministries and Emmanuel Lutheran Church to provide transportation or arrange for transportation through Emergency Medical Services, if needed, for my child/ward for medical care.

### Publicity Release

I agree to allow the use of my child's/ward's photos, quotes and/or likeness' in brochures, ads, web pages, video tape and other media as deemed useful by the camp for marketing purposes. I waive rights to any royalty or fees that might be applicable for the use of such images, quotes or likeness'.

Camper Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_



## ELCA Good Gifts

As members of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), we believe that God is calling us into the world - together. And with generous, loving hands, we can make a difference.

ELCA Good Gifts go beyond your regular congregational offering to support the ministries of the ELCA that mean the most to you and your loved ones. Together, we can do more than we ever could alone. Making a huge collective impact on the needs of our church and the world.

### THERE ARE THREE WAYS TO GIVE:

ONLINE: [www.ELCA.org/goodgifts](http://www.ELCA.org/goodgifts)  
PHONE: 800-638-3522  
MAIL: Send an order form to:  
ELCA, P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009

### FRUIT TREE SEEDLINGS \$40

Fruit trees don't just flower. They provide income, shade and biodiversity. For a farmer struggling to make ends meet in Bolivia, Nepal or the Philippines, a grove of fruit trees can mean better food for the family and more income. Help a farmer bloom this year.



### PIGLET \$45

Little pigs grow into big pigs fast. With only a small investment, a woman in Nepal can raise piglets into hogs and support her family with the income. Give the gift of a Piglet today and a woman in need will earn a good price when her little piggy goes to market.



### PLAYGROUND TOYS \$48

For children, play can be a much needed escape from the harsh realities of life. All too often, parents struggling to make ends meet have to make tough choices. Food takes priority over toys. Give refugee children in Kenya an avenue into their imaginations and an outlet to play out their hopes and dreams.



## WATER HARVESTING PITS/ FARM TOOLS

Dymi Moon (left) shows off the tools he received during the training on Zai and Half-Moon irrigation techniques.

Also pictured are Lankwande Diye, chairperson of women's group in village of Piaga (right) and Noali Timbende, representative of women's group (center).





# Welcome!

## Emmanuel Lutheran Church



**Evangelical Lutheran  
Church in America**  
God's work. Our hands.



## Join us!

**Sunday mornings:**

**Parish Education - 8:00 AM**

**Worship Service - 9:30 AM**

**and Fellowship - 11:00 AM**

**Emmanuel is a community of faith** celebrating the life of Jesus Christ in, among and for us all. Our mission is to proclaim God's loving care through ministries of worship, serving, learning and compassionate living for others.

**Music** is integral to Emmanuel's life and worship. There are adult and children choirs, adult and children bell choirs, guitarists, cellists and ensembles involved in our life together.

**Emmanuel highlights and celebrates** seasons and commemorations throughout the year with children's programs, special services, music, soup and bread meals, potlucks, coffee hours, outings, etc.

**Companionship** is central to our life together here and with people far and near whose lives are connected to ours through Christ's call and leading. Many hundreds of quilts have been sewn and sent abroad, and many thousands of dollars have been given for food, books, scholarships, medical supplies and many other needed items.

**Emmanuel Lutheran Church Women (ELCW)** encompasses women of the congregation and friends, meeting in groups monthly for Christian education, prayer, companionship, service to missions and to host joint annual gatherings.

**Youth groups** including confirmation classes, camps and family outings provide fun and fellowship for Emmanuel's children.

### **Emmanuel Ministers to the Community**

**Emmanuel Lutheran Preschool** serves children from 3-6 years old. Morning and afternoon classes are available. Families select the schedule of days. Email: [emmanuelutheranpreschool@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelutheranpreschool@gmail.com)

**Lutheran Campus Ministry at the U of I** is housed in The Center. Karla Newmann-Smiley, Lutheran Campus Minister, provides programs and services to college students. Email: [lcm@uidaho.edu](mailto:lcm@uidaho.edu)

**Cordelia Lutheran Church** is maintained by Emmanuel. Historic Cordelia Lutheran Church is Idaho's oldest and smallest Lutheran church. Cordelia is available for concerts, weddings, visits, and mediation. Email: [cordeliachurch@gmail.com](mailto:cordeliachurch@gmail.com)

### **For Your Convenience:**

- Parking is available near both levels of the church. Upper level parking is on the north side and lower level is on the south side.
- Main restrooms are located on the lower level.
- An elevator is located near the sanctuary entrance.
- There is a child care room adjacent to the sanctuary and includes a restroom.
- Hearing devices, reading glasses, large print bulletins and children's worship activity bags are available at the upper entrance.

*Come serve along side us.*

*Come study, learn, discuss and  
grow with us.*

