Emmanuel's Emphasis

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Let's Go Swimming! Thursday, July 31!

Thursday, July 31, from 8-10PM, join your Emmanuel Family for a fun night of swimming! Emmanuel Family Swim Night will be at the Hamilton Lowe Aquatic Center; Admission free with swim pass or for kids age 3 and under; \$4.25 for Children (4-17) and Seniors (65+); \$5.50 for Adults (18-64). Let's go swimming!!!





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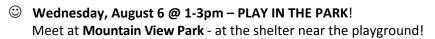
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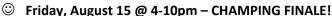
The Best of Emmanuel's Soup and Bread (and a few desserts)!

We really know how to cook (but some of us need recipes!).

We will have a beautiful cookbook ready for Christmas gift giving, but we need recipes from you! **Send your favorite soup and bread recipes** (with your name for proper credit) to Deb Dumroese (dumroese@moscow.com) or to Cindy Marie in the office **by August 15 for inclusion** in **The Best of Emmanuel Cookbook**. We'll also take a few of your favorite dessert recipes, so send those in as well! **Proceeds from the cookbook will be split between Pastor's discretionary fund and the general budget**.

August ELC Kids Calendar!







(church camping) at Emmanuel Lutheran Church. Learn how to set up a tent, play kick the can, enjoy a simple camp dinner, make a camp fire, sing some songs, watch the sun set, roast some marshmallows, play telephone, make some s'mores, sing some camp songs, (everything provided – even the tents!). This is not an overnight event.

Date TBD- Habitat Blitz Build - Little kids will set up a lemonade stand and others will be invited to participate by providing cookies, sandwiches, etc. for the workers.
Play in the Park, and Champing events will be arranged and supervised by our summer youth leaders,

Sarah Brooker (UI graduate student) and Lauretta Campbell (Hyperspud Sports, owner), both of who grew up at Emmanuel. **Parental supervision is encouraged, especially for the younger children.** For older children, parental release forms are available on the church website at http://www.emmanuelmoscow.org/ministries/youth.html.

'Like' the Youth Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/YouthELC
for reminders and updates to this calendar.

Bring Your Garden to Church

You bring your garden's harvest to church and we distribute it to the community members in need! **Emmanuel Pick-ups will be:**

August 10 & 24 and September 7 & 21. Contact info:

Leave a message at 208-669-2259 Email info@backyardharvest.org







From Pastor's Desk... "Lord, let my heart be good soil!"

"Lord, let my heart be good soil" ELW Hymn 512

So the hymn prays, "... Lord, let my heart be good soil." Lord help my soil! Lord be near my heart! Be in my heart/soil!

It takes time and planning to create or to keep great garden soil productive. You need to feed the soil compost, manure, peat moss, organic matter, the best ingredients. Soil needs nurturing to develop or ripen.

"Lord, let my heart be good soil."

We are called to invest in our heart/soil. We want to be spiritually productive and healthy. Jesus warns us that there is considerable competition for heart/soil investment:

- the hard path where soil is so compacted nothing penetrates;
- the thickly active weeds that get into our soil and out compete any spiritual investment we make in our soil;
- the rocky soil that does not allow any spiritual investment in the heart/soil to mature;
- and yet, there is also that soil which extravagantly produces a record crop of 100 fold. Matthew 13:1-9, 18-33

"That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat beside the sea. ²Such great crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat there, while the whole crowd stood on the beach. ³And he told them many things in parables, saying: "Listen! A sower went out to sow. ⁴And as he sowed, some seeds fell on the path, and the birds came and ate them up. ⁵Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and they sprang up quickly, since they had no depth of soil. ⁶But when the sun rose, they were scorched; and since they had no root, they withered away. ⁷Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. ⁸Other seeds fell on good soil and brought forth grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. ⁹Let anyone with ears listen!"

¹⁸Hear then the parable of the sower. ¹⁹When anyone hears the word of the kingdom and does not understand it, the evil one comes and snatches away what is sown in the heart; this is what was sown on the path. ²⁰As for what was sown on rocky ground, this is the one who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; ²¹yet such a person has no root, but endures only for a while, and when trouble or persecution arises on account of the word, that person immediately falls away. ²²As for what was sown among thorns, this is the one who hears the word, but the cares of the world and the lure of wealth choke the word, and it yields nothing. ²³But as for what was sown on good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty."

²⁴He put before them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to someone who sowed good seed in his field; ²⁵but while everybody was asleep, an enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and then went away. ²⁶So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared as well. ²⁷And the slaves of the householder came and said to him, 'Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? Where, then, did these weeds come from?' ²⁸He answered, 'An enemy has done this.' The slaves said to him, 'Then do you want us to go and gather them?' ²⁹But he replied, 'No; for in gathering the weeds you would uproot the wheat along with them. ³⁰Let both of them grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Collect the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.'"

³¹He put before them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; ³²it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the

birds of the air come and make nests in its branches."

33 He told them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened."- Matthew 13:1-9, 18-33 NRSV

And so we pray,

"Lord let my heart be good soil, open to the seed of your word. Lord, let my heart be good soil, where love can grow and peace is understood. When my heart is hard, break the stone away. When my heart is cold, warm it with the day. When my heart is lost, lead me on your way. Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart be good soil." Amen.

Shalom.
Pastor Daugs

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 incudes 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.)

June Treasurer's Report

Income and expenses this year need to average about \$26,200 per month to meet budget. Income for the general fund in June totaled about \$24,800, and expenses paid during the month were about \$27,000. June expenses included about \$2,000 for vacation bible school. As a result, the

general fund deficit for the year-to-date increased by about \$2,200, and is now about \$6,500.

Expenses for the year-to-date are somewhat below budget. With 50% of the year behind us (six months), we have spent about 48% of the annual budget.



WHAT WE OWE: The balance owed on our line of credit with Wells Fargo Bank is now about \$14,700. Interest charged for the past month at 5.75% was about \$70.

THANKS: We thank all of you for your participation, enthusiasm and generous support for Emmanuel's life and missions!

Bob Dwelle, Treasurer

Emmanuel Music Ministry

It is time to start thinking about which musical group you would like to join this Fall! Each of our groups is so much fun and it is a great time





Please consider joining one of the following groups this Fall:

- Adult Choir Meets on Wednesdays at 5:30 PM, anyone is welcome!
- Emmanuel Bells Meets on Wednesdays at 6:45 PM we need two new bell ringers this fall!
- Children's Choir Meets on Sundays after church we need ALL children!
- **Emmanuel Band** Plays for church-anyone's instrument is welcome!

The Adult Choir and Bells will start rehearsals on Wed., Aug. 27, 5:30 PM (choir) and 6:45 PM (bells). The Children's Choir will start rehearsals on Sunday, Sept. 7, following worship. The Band puts pieces together before church and has a great time playing together.

Please consider joining us and sharing Christ's love through music! - Janet McIntosh



Historic Cordelia Free Summer Concerts

August 17, Serendipity at 2PM - Trio Vocals

September 14, Border Highlanders at 2PM

An amazing group of pipers and drummers that blew us away with their outdoor concert in 2011, which brought a record 130+ people to Cordelia. The concert will start at 2PM and will again be outdoors, so bring chairs.

Friends of Cordelia invites you to enjoy the charms of a small country church. Visit us online at cordeliachurch.org.

Art in "The Gallery!"

"The Gallery," just outside the sanctuary entrance, features the artistic abilities, the God-given talents, of Emmanuel's members and friends. Currently, "The Gallery" showcases the work of Karen Larson Watts.



Your interest, activity, and support of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, and of its missions and ministries, is appreciated more than words can say! So many wonderful things are happening here... all the time! It is hard to keep up with all the good news of the "Good News" being shared!

With so much news to report to "Moscow, Idaho and Beyond" on how Emmanuel-ites are "Unleashing Our Passion for Compassion," we have moved to a digital format for our newsletter.

If you have indicated that you would like to receive a printed copy of our monthly newsletter, and you have been added to the distribution list, please contact the Church Office if you have not received your copy by the 5th of the month.

> I encourage you to visit our website, www.emmanuelmoscow.org. You will find a digital version of this newsletter (which is a lot prettier to look at online in color ©)

Our website will also have addendums to the monthly newsletter, as things occur, change, and move so quickly!

If you decide you would rather sign up for the digital copy sent via email, please let us know! Just email a message to emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com Thank you!

AUGUST 2014

Food Bank Donation Ideas!

We could use canned fruit of all varieties—applesauce, peaches, pears, fruit cocktail, etc., and canned "kids' meals" such as spaghetti-o's; mini ravioli, and so

on. School is out and not everyone is able to get to the free school lunches offered during the week. The third items you might consider are canned soups of any kind.

You continue to be superbly generous, and we all appreciate your help! Gretchen Isakson and Nancy Ruth Peterson **Food Bank Volunteers**





ELCA Youth Gathering July 15-19, 2015 Detroit, Michigan



RISE UP! ELCA Youth Gathering 2015!

The ELCA Youth Gathering for high school-age youth takes place every three years and is about faith formation, worship, study, fellowship, service and play.

It is an opportunity for youth to engage in worship and fellowship with peers from across the United States and the world who share a common commitment and faith in Christ. The next Youth Gathering will be held July 15-19, 2015, in Detroit, Mich.

Many ELCA congregations see their participation in the ministry of the ELCA Youth Gathering as one aspect of their work to fulfill the promise they made around the baptismal font to raise faithful young people who:

Live among God's faithful people,

- Hear the word of God and share in the Lord's supper,
- Proclaim the good news of God in Christ through their words and actions,
- Serve and love our neighbors, following the example of Jesus, and
- Pursue justice and peace in the world.

What happens during the **ELCA Youth Gathering?** The Youth Gathering is a five-day event that begins on a Wednesday evening and ends with a service of communion the following Sunday morning. The opening night sets the stage for the days ahead in which young people may have an encounter with Jesus that energizes their faith and helps them further discover their call to live and serve in the world — locally and globally.

On the days between Wednesday and Sunday, young people rotate through a variety of service learning experiences in the surrounding community. They explore and strengthen their faith by studying God's word, serving their neighbor, sharing bread and wine in worship, participating in lively faith discussions and broadening their experience of God's world and diverse communities through travel. For many young people, traveling to the ELCA Youth Gathering is the first time they have been out of their county or state.

When the question "Why work so hard to gather so many young people in one place?" pops up, the response is really quite simple.

We were meant to be together, and we are a church that believes God is calling us into the world together.

So every now and then, we gather young people and adults together to share their unique stories and to experience the larger story that makes up the ELCA; we gather to be inspired, encouraged, strengthened, connected and sent out to do God's work in the world — together!

For more information: Contact us!

Phone: 888-411-3522 Email: gathering@elca.org

Mail:

ELCA Youth Gathering 8765 W. Higgins Road Chicago, IL 60631

Thanks to our Youth & Family Mission Group and all who helped organize and participate in our Church-Wide Picnic on July 20, at Lena Whitmore Park!

Thank you, Jack Kelly, for leading us in worship July 27, and August 3.

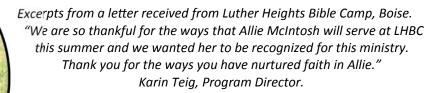
Thank you, Martin Rathbun, for installing the air conditioner in Pastor Daugs office.

You are "s-o c-o-o-!!"

Thank you to Youth & Family for organizing our July 31, Emmanuel Family Swim Night at Hamilton Lowe Aquatic Center!

Thank you, Craig Greenwalt and Martin Rathbun, who replaced the broken lock to our lawn mower shed. We REALLY appreciate all you do to keep our building and grounds in such great condition!

Thank you!



Thank you, to all the youth and their families who are participating in our "Let's Go Together to Camp Lutherhaven on the Lake" week, July 13-19. Also, a big thanks to Lisa Allen, our Emmanuel Chaperone!

In March, the ELCA welcomed 65 new Young Adults in Global Mission to participate in its 2013-2014 programs across the globe. One of its 10 country programs is located in the United Kingdom, and I will be one of 12 20-somethings sent into service in a UK community.

I don't know yet exactly where I'll be or what I'll be doing, but potentially somewhere in the countryside working with children or young people. I promise to keep you all updated on the process throughout this summer -- I'll be on the Palouse until early August, and in the States until August 20. During the year of service, I'll keep a blog and send regular newsletters. If you'd like to receive those electronically, I'd love to get you on my email list. Your support is huge as I take off for my first international experience. Emmanuel has become a home and a place of community during my time in Moscow, and I look forward to maintaining those connections in the future. I welcome your support -- in prayer, finances, and fellowship -- as I prepare for the experiences God has in store for me in the coming year.

Blessings, Vicky Hart

You can see more information about my upcoming trip. If you'd like to know more about Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) in general, here's the link to their website http://www.elca.org/Our-Work/Global-Mission/Young-Adults-in-Global-Mission/Young-Adults-in-Global-Mission/United-Kingdom.

Find out more about Vicky's Mission Trip, and how you can help her in this project, on page 10.

Do you have a Praise! Congrats! Yeah! or Thanks!
Would you like to share this great news with your Emmanuel Family?
Let us know! Call 882-3915 or email emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com

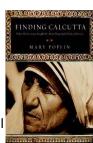
We have discovered our birthday and anniversary records are incomplete. So we can include you in our Birthdays and Anniversaries, please let the Church Office know the dates of your special events. Thanks!

Prayer Pieces - All Are Welcome!

Weather You Knit or Not!

Prayer Pieces are studying the book: "Finding Calcutta: What Mother Teresa Taught Me About Meaningful Work and Service" by Mary Poplin. Join us on Sunday mornings, 8:30 AM, in "The Gallery." Books can be ordered through Amazon for \$14 and it is also available for a Kindle

for \$9.99. Contact Carol Nelson at cinelson@ lcsc.edu or call 208-882-5217.

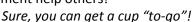


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Join us! All are welcome to come whether you knit or not!

Visit "Holy Groundz"

Enjoy a latte August 24, **every 4th Sunday** during Parish Education or after Worship. All proceeds go to helping ELC's Mission Endowment help others!





2014 Annual Meeting November 16

Church Council has set the
2014 Annual Meeting for November 16.
Our intention is to get the meeting back into
November, and to perhaps start a new tradition of
outgoing members and incoming members all
meeting together in December.
A passing of the torch, if you will.

This means that Annual Reports are due into CindyMarie by noon, Friday, October 10, 2014.



August Birthdays!

- Aug 2 Clara Dockter Kaleb Maxwell Shaun Hill
- Aug 3 Curt Flisher
- Aug 5 Maureen Marten
- Aug 6 Gen Long
- Aug 8 Elise Deringer Kendyl Landeck
- Aug 9 Garrett Stone
- Aug 10 Mitzi Houska Rachel Brooker Amy Brandal
- Aug 11 Jillian Swift
- Aug 12 Evan Brandal
- Aug 13 Tammy Hullin
- Aug 14 Tom Brandt Lori Maxwell
- Aug 15 DonaRae Lanham
- Aug 17 Matt Bayly Kim Sprenger Dana Mastro
- Aug 19 Diana Pals
- Aug 22 Scott Dockins
 - Macie Bakken
- Aug 23 Kerri Teisberg
- Aug 24 Meredith Stone
- Aug 25 Kevin Peterson George Paris Vicki Jahns
 - Sara Martin Lawrence
- Aug 26 Liz Brandt
- Aug 27 Cam Johnston
- Aug 28 Anne Peterson
- Aug 29 Bill Mock
 - Sherri Nelsor

August Anniversaries!

Debbie & Bryan Marsh - 08/11/1984

Bob & Debbie Stone - 08/11/1979

Chris & Janet McIntosh - 08/16/1980

Dean & Sally Rogers - 08/17/1974

Jon & Sharon Kimberling - 08/20/1983

Kris & Pastor Dave Daugs - 08/22/1981

Looking for Something to Do? We Can Help!

Emmanuel's Emphasis

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. 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, part of the Adult Choir, Emmanuel Bells or other musical offering, 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 working with kids?

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

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 in the Narthex to bring Flowers for the Altar on a Sunday morning. It couldn't get simpler than this... sign up, CindyMarie will call you the preceding Monday to remind you. Bring your arrangement (homemade or store bought) 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.

How about helping the folks in our community and the world?

Our Outreach Mission Group has great potential! Sojourners' Alliance and Moscow Food Bank are some of the areas we strive to support. Reach out with Outreach!

Ideas on helping new church family members feel more welcome?

Contact Pastor or CindyMarie if you have some ideas to share on ways we can better welcome new members!

•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 be on the list to provide a meal or deliver a prepared meal, please contact us.

Do you have interest in "all things digital?"

Ever been interested in running a website? Learning more about social media like Facebook and Twitter? We could use your help there too!

Women's Ministry? Men's Ministry?

Are you a Man? Woman? There is already a ministry group in place! We just need your participation!

Our Purpose:

We believe God's purpose for our church is to bring the light of God to all through the prism of Jesus.

Our Guiding Principles:

- 1. We place God above all, recognizing Jesus Christ as our Lord and
- 2. We proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ through words and deeds.
- 3. We invite, welcome and value everyone as a child of God.
- 4. We are instruments of God's love and grace, caring for and ministering to all.
- 5. We grow in faith through prayer, worship, bible study and fellowship.
- We are responsible stewards of God's creation.

Our Mission:

We, the body of Christ at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, proclaim the crucified and risen Christ. Our mission is to extend the Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ through worship, outreach, fellowship, teaching, and love to God's children locally and world wide.

Emmanuel Lutheran Preschool News!

The Preschool is closed for summer. Enrollment for next fall is full. Families sometimes have life changes over the summer which allows a spot to open up, so people on the wait list still have a chance to get in. School starts back up with our open house on September 2. Have a great summer.

- Terri & Marnie



Labels for Education



Please place labels from cans and jars of Campbell's, Prego, Swanson, V8, Franco American, and/or Pepperidge Farm (goldfish snacks) products, UPC codes and bottoms of boxes and lids from Pace products in the soup

bins located near both upper and lower entries. The important thing is to make sure the labels have the UPC codes on them. The labels are redeemed by Emmanuel Preschool for supplies and toys. Questions? Call Teacher Terri at 882-1463.

Men! Breakfast!

This is a great time when "the MEN" come together for a fantastic breakfast and devotional time, usually every 2nd & 4th Wednesday mornings at 6:30AM. Men's Breakfast is on break over the summer, and will reconvene in September. Stay tuned for details!



ELCW Piecemakers—Help us quilt! Bring a friend! Have some lunch!

Join us on August 13 & 27, at 9 a.m., then share a potluck lunch with us at noon. We usually meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. Contact Gretchen Isakson at 882-7289 or gretchenisakson @yahoo.com

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



Piecemakers are in need of some PIECES! Can you help?

ELCW Piecemakers have found they need to replace both of their sewing machines! If you have a working, used sewing machine you could donate, they promise to continue making beautiful quilts to glorify God and provide comfort to our brothers & sisters in Christ.

WANTED: ELCW SCHOOL KITS SUPPLIES!

It's that time of year for the back-to-school sales! We need help buying enough supplies for our school kits!

Watch the ads for sales! Office Depot and Staples have great weekly sales. There are often limits per customer, so it helps when several of us buy...

If you are in Walmart, swing by the school supplies isle and remember your church!

There will be a box in the bridge, or you can turn your supplies into the office, or even leave them in the closet near the kitchen.

Here is a list of what we need:

- Spiral notebooks (70 sheets) *Notebooks are the hardest to get enough of, since we need four per kit.
- Blunt-tipped scissors
- Rulers (inches & centimeters)
- Pencil sharpeners
- Pencils (#2 unsharpened)
- Pens (ballpoint, no gels)
- Crayons (24 count)
- Eraser approx. 2 1/2" long

Thank you for your help in this great cause!

Circle News





MARY Circle and LEAH Circle will break for the summer. Plan to meet again in September. Stay tuned for details.





HOPE Circle and JOY Circle are currently in an "inactive status." Do you want to start a **Circle? Let the Church** Office know! We will be happy to help!

YAGM - INFORMATION FOR CONTRIBUTORS



The ELCA Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) program invites ELCA young adults, ages 19-29, into a transformative, yearlong journey in international mission service. As they offer themselves in service, YAGM volunteers are shaped by the witness of our global neighbors. They return to the United States equipped with skills and stories that will impact the church and wider society for years to come. Your gift to the YAGM program is not just an investment in one young adult, it is an investment in the future of Christ's church.

Young adults in the program serve alongside global companions in churches, health and development projects, schools, and social service ministries. Currently the program is engaged in work in Argentina, Uruguay, Central Europe, Jerusalem/West Bank, Madagascar, Mexico, Rwanda, Southern Africa, and the United Kingdom.

The total annual cost to support one young adult in the program is \$11,000. This includes training and periodic retreats, roundtrip travel to and from the country of service, full room and board, a small monthly stipend, and basic medical insurance. Each volunteer commits to a minimum \$4,000 fundraising effort to help support in their year of service, which begins at the end of August. The ELCA provides the remaining amount needed for the volunteer's support. Any funds raised beyond the \$4,000 goal support the future development and expansion of the Young Adults in Global Mission program.

Please note the following guidelines which each young adult must follow when raising funds:

- 1. The young adult volunteer may raise money only for the Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) program. Volunteers are not permitted to accept donations as personal gifts.
- 2. Contributions made via the ELCA or via a local congregation are tax deductible.
- 3. The preferred deadline for receiving funds is August 1, but the YAGM program is glad to accept gifts throughout the volunteer's entire year of service.

To make a contribution:

- 1. Make your check payable to the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.
- 2. Fill out and include the bottom portion of this document with your check.
- Send your donation and completed form to: Evangelical Lutheran Church in America PO Box 71764

Chicago, IL 60694-1764









ELCA YOUNG ADULTS IN GLOBAL MISSION

- □ Enclosed is my gift of: \$_____
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Emmanuel Prayers & Concerns - Jesus Calls Us to a Life of Prayer

Please help us as we update our prayer list. 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. Thank you.

- •The churches' ongoing ministries of care for the hungry and neglected, especially in Zimbabwe, China, Darfur, Ethiopia.
- ·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: Lauren Erdman (British Columbia), Kendyl Landeck (Minnesota).
- •Our sister churches: Wilbur Lutheran Church WA, Grace Lutheran Church - New Orleans and Ulanga-Kilombero Synod - Tanzania.

•Military service people from our families serving abroad:

John M. Swanson & Evan B. Marten, grandsons of Maureen & Dwaine Marten;

Jaren Doherty Jr., Clara Dockter's grandson; Stephen Kwiatkowski, serving with the Marines in Afghanistan.

- •Those who've lost loved ones. Friends and Family of Vivian Deesten. Friends and Family of Mabel Thompson.
- ·Prayers of Thanksgiving.

Those with special needs:

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- . Karin Dwelle Jones and her growing baby.
- . *Doug & Diana Pals,* for safe packing, loading and travel as they prepare to move to Olympia, WA.
- . Tom Henderson, grandfather of Jessica Weller's friend.
- . Neil & Jan Martin, as Neil recovers from a Stroke.
- . David St. Germain's father who is dying, prayer for his comfort, experience of love and God's grace as he passes this life.
- . Vicky Hart, for peace & grace as she prepares to travel to the UK and live out God's mission there.
- Janet McIntosh's mother.
- . Jim Shelden & wife Pam, former members of Emmanuel, Jim, a former Lutheran Pastor, has been placed on the list for a heart transplant.
- . Jenna Jones, friend of Anne Peterson.
- . Fukuko Garrett, Janet Williams' mother.
- . Mike Voegtle, Katy Beard's cousin.
- . Shirley Engerbretson, continued healing from shoulder surgery.
- . *Sharall Kinnison,* hospitalized for kidney stone removal and heart issues.
- . Larry Clott, going through pain medication withdrawal.
- . Pam Palmer, friend of Ron Landeck and many in Moscow.
- . Rosanne Manley.
- . Sheila O'Rourke, friend of Charlene Olsson, suffering injuries from a car accident.
- . The Thane Family, Ann, Eddie, Clint, Christy, JP and Jasmine, sister of Robbie Giles.
- . Becky Bronner, daughter of Steve & Andrea Fountain, dealing with joint issues.

Those, and their loved ones, dealing with cancer:

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. Sandra Harder, friend of Anne Peterson's, fighting breast cancer; Mike Scoles, Irv Johnson's cousin; Norma Horn, friend of Janice Johnson; Erich Lear, friend of Carolyn Todd; George Morris, friends of the Holbrooks, fighting brain cancer; Ryan Ricks and Dave Blain, Anne & Kevin Peterson's friends; Nancy Dannettel, friend of the Beards, with Stage 3 Lung Cancer; Susan Knock, aunt of Jacy and Sabrina Knock, suffering from breast cancer; Harriet Heinen, aunt of the Kimberling family, recovering from surgery to remove colon cancer; LuAnn Bechtal, previous Emmanuel member and friend of Gwen Mitchell, diagnosed with liver cancer; Zella Wemple, sister in law of Mark & Carolyn Wemple, who will be undergoing chemo treatment after cancer surgery; Terrie Gilbert; Dean Rogers, dealing with prostate cancer and related back problems; Lori Blackmon, friend of Becky Branson; Dirk Binken, Yvonne Barkley's uncle; Debbie Stone; Debbie Deuser, Deb Wyatt's cousin; Pastor Carolyn Arness, dealing with breast cancer; Cheryl Jurgens, friends of Gwen Sullivan's sister.

Those with special needs (cont.):

- . Thelma Church, Shirley Engerbretson's sister, suffering with a non-malignant brain tumor.
- . Tina McClure, an Emmanuel Preschool teacher, recovering from breast cancer surgery.
- . Joseph Quirola & daughter Brooklyn, relations to Marilyn Mastro, recovering from a boating accident.
- . Ron Landeck, recovering from heart surgery.
- . Jean Langeman, Debbie Stone's mom.
- . Dorothy Schnaible.
- . Alene Orvik, Shelley Dales mother.
- . Douglas Dion, Edith's son, suffering from congestive heart failure.
- . Teresa Gunther Davidson, Tonya, Nausica & Kincaid Warner, family of Harlie & Shirley Gunther.
- . Mike Sprenger
- . Renee Vordahl, friend of Janice

- Johnson, dealing with challenges in her . Chris Beaver, friend of Eunice life now.
- . Davey Dean.
- . Janice Brandal, recovering from lung surgery.
- . Randy Dion, Edith's son, recovering from a paralyzing stroke.
- . Sally Rogers.
- . Carol Blom
- . The Allen family, Craig, Lisa, Grace, Sophie & Jack.
- Lynda Ballard, who had both knees replaced on 12/4/12.
- . Alisa Stone.
- . Marian Osterberg, Irv Johnson's sister.
- . Jean O'Donnell, Karon McDonough's sister, recovering from brain surgery in Kansas City.
- .Sandra Lytle.
- . Lynda & Cari, sister and niece to Shirley . Jerry Landeck Family Engerbretson.

- Kanuya, suffering multiple injuries from an auto accident.
- . Joel and Melissa, his ordination and their desire to have a child.
- . Bryan Hanson, diagnosed with Parkinson's.
- . Kirby Holbrook
- . Keith Carmody
- . Peggy Benson
- . Anne Erickson
- . Yvonne Barkley, who lives with chronic pain daily.
- . Sandra Weller, Jessie & Josh Weller's grandmother
- . Michael S., friend of Barbara & Chesley Taylor.
- . Mike Brinson, friend of Ralph Abbott.
- . Kerri, friend of Debby Wyatt.

Those who have requested our continued prayers:

- . Grace Lyon, living at Whitman Senior . Tucker, friend of Karen Ross, diagnosed Care in Pullman.
- . Carol Nelson's Aunt Dorothy, as she adjusts to her new life as a widow from the loss of her husband Carl.
- . Edna Holbrook, continued strength.
- . Steve Nelson, recovering from back surgery, and now dealing with a post surgical blood clot in his leg.
- . Casey Kinnison, son of Vern Kinnison.
- . Elaine Meyer
- . Dan Brown, Shelley McGuire's brother, who is still recovering from a snowmobile accident (Dec. 2010).
- . Clara Dockter, continued strength.

- with a tumor on his heart.
- . Sara Kimberling, continued healing
- . Pastor Shelley Wee
- . Helen Hill
- . For strong community & welcoming in the Lutheran Campus Ministry
- . Aidan Long, Ben and Karen's son.
- . Dean Vettrus
- . Andy Fountain
- . Yevette Murphy, cousin of Ivan Peterson
- .Jeremy Eaton and family
- . Steven Schott, Peggy Benson's Grandson
- .Suzie Wilson
- . Patients of the Lugala Hospital in Tanzania

- . Ken Strassburg, Kathy Kwiatkowski's brother
- . Elanor Vanderbeek, Shirley Engerbretson's granddaughter;
- . Ben Privratsky, Pete Lish's brother-
- . Richard Garling, Judy Fairweather's father, adjusting to life in a nursing home.
- . Devin Revard, Clara Dockter's grandson
- . Debby Wyatt's Grandma Mac
- Residents of Good Samaritan Nursing and Special Care units.

Our next Family Promise Host Week is Aug. 31– Sept.7!

Family Promise of the Palouse

Family Promise of the Palouse (FPP) is a non-profit organization that helps homeless families with children gain independence in both housing and life activities. Family Promise brings faith communities together to help families who are temporarily distressed due to various reasons such as job loss, unexpected health costs, domestic violence, or a car accident that eliminates transportation or access to a job. FPP supports homeless families with children who are facing short-term problems that would probably lead to longer-term poverty and more family dysfunction.

Family Promise of the Palouse has a network of 28 interfaith congregations that provide overnight shelter, meals and hospitality to families in need. This network is made up of approximately 700 volunteers. Congregations take turns hosting up to four families for one week at a time before they move on to the next congregation. During the day, families have access to a shower, laundry facilities, the internet and case management at our Day Center.

Family Promise of the Palouse 208-882-0165 www.familypromisepalouse.org info@familypromisepalouse.org





Be a part of this great program, and make a difference in our community!

Contact the church office today!

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or 208-882-3915

EMMANUEL IS SEEKING A NEW ORGANIST/PIANIST

Emmanuel Lutheran Church is seeking an organist for Sunday and seasonal worship services.

Salary commensurate with experience and number of services.

Please send Letter of Interest and Resume to 1036 W. A St., Moscow, ID, 83843.

Call church office for more information. 208-882-3915.

Position Description

This person will help create an environment that fosters meaningful worship during weekly and seasonal worship services through appropriate, inspirational music and accompaniment of hymns. This person will also accompany any musical ensembles and provide music during special worship services as required and/or as arranged.

Reports to: The Pastor and the Music Director

Required Qualifications and Skills

- 1. Working knowledge of church music and liturgy.
- 2. Ability to sight read music for accompaniment.
- 3. Ability to select and play appropriate preludes, postludes, offertories, and other selections when organ/piano music is required.
- 4. Ability to work harmoniously with the Pastor, Music Director, other musicians and members of the congregation.

Responsibilities

- 1.In cooperation with the Pastor and Music Director, select and play music for Sunday and mid-week seasonal worship services following the liturgies in the Evangelical Lutheran Worship and other appropriate liturgical sources.
- 2. Accompany weekly adult choir rehearsals.
- 3. Purchase and maintain church organ/piano music, as needed, within the limits of the availability of budgeted funds designated for this purpose.
- 4. Arrange for copyright clearances for music when necessary.
- 5. Arrange for maintenance, tuning, and repair of the organ as needed.
- 6.As needed and in conjunction with the Music Director, arrange for and approve substitute organists and instrumentalists.
- 7. Schedule the sanctuary for use of the organ for rehearsals and performances not related to Sunday or mid-week seasonal worship services; approve others wishing to use the organ.
- 8. Substitute for the choir director when requested.
- 9. Work with the secretary to include music in the bulletin.
- 10. Accompany special music as needed during church services.

Performance Review/Evaluation

Performance of this position will be evaluated in writing by the Pastor, a Church Council representative, the Music Director, and a member of the Personnel Committee. Evaluations will take place after the first ninety days and six months of employment and annually thereafter.



Thrivent Builds

with Habitat for Humanity®

PALOUSE HABITAT FOR HUMANITY NEEDS YOU!!!



Help build the Graves Family Home!

We've broken ground on Home #14, and the exciting news for Lutherans is that this is a THRIVENT BUILD! This means that Thrivent Financials is providing a grant to cover half the cost of the home build. We're reaching out to Lutheran Congregations around the Palouse region, encouraging them to join us swinging hammers on this home in Genesee for Amy and Sophia Graves, a single mother and her 12 year-old daughter. We expect to finish sometime around Thanksgiving. With the Thrivent 2014 grant, there is no requirement for fundraising from Lutheran Churches, but we would like to see as many Lutherans volunteer as possible.

Come out and join us! Go online www.palousehabitat.org to register to volunteer or call 883-8502. We're building Thursdays and Saturdays. Volunteers must be at least 16 (with a waiver signed by parents), but younger individuals or groups can help in other ways (offsite work, etc.).

WHEN: We are looking for Lutheran volunteers:

- •Thursday, August 14
- •Saturday, August 16
- •Thursday, August 21
- •Saturday, August 23
- Thursday, August 28 (no work day on August 30th of Labor Day weekend)
- •Thursday, September 4
- •Saturday, September 27



Amy & Sophia breaking ground with Habitat Construction Supervisor Bob Behal, June 2014

WHERE: 505 E. Sunset Drive, Genesee, ID.



To volunteer or for more information, contact: 208-883-8502 habitat@palousehabitat.org - ww.palousehabitat.org

Meet Amy and Sophia Graves!

Palouse Habitat For Humanity
Partner Family 2014
Genesee, Idaho

Palouse Habitat for Humanity just completed an extensive search for the Partner Family for our next home build. After careful consideration of over 15 applicants, Palouse HFH selected Amy and Sophia Graves to be our partners for the next Habitat Home.

Amy has lived in Moscow since attending first grade here. She works as the office manager at Northwest River Supplies, and enjoys reading and doing crafts such as crocheting, painting and beading. She also enjoys walking their dog, Bear, with her daughter, Sophia. Amy will tell you she is a little shy, but she's excited to have been chosen as our next Habitat Partner Family, and she thinks she's up to meeting all the people that work and volunteer with habitat.

Sophia is an outgoing 12-year-old who attends 6th grade at Palouse Prairie School. Her favorite subject is art, and she also does a variety of crafts at home. Sophia helps care for Bear, as well as her two guinea pigs, a hamster and a beta fish. She also enjoys playing outside. Sophia is ready for construction to start! She's seen the draft house plans and has already picked out her bedroom in the new house. Although her favorite color is yellow, Sophia is considering all her options before choosing the color of her room.

Amy's parents, Jill and Rick, are excited about this opportunity for their daughter and granddaughter. They have both already signed up as Palouse Habitat for Humanity volunteers to help build the Genesee home.



For the KID in ALL OF US!



In Matthew 5:3-10, Jesus begins his teaching with the Beatitudes. They give us many reasons to be happy. The Greek word for blessed, *makarios*, also means happy!

Directions: Complete the Beatitudes by matching the blanks in each "Happy" phrase on the left with the bold word(s) on the right.

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1. "Happy are the PODR IN SPIRITED	hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled."
2. "Happy are those who	pure in heart, for they will see God."
3. "Happy are the /	peacemakers, for they will be called the children of God."
4. "Happy are those who — — — — — — —	persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."
5. "Happy are the	poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."
6. "Happy are the	merciful, for they will be shown mercy.'
7. "Happy are the	meek, for they will inherit the earth."
8. "Happy are those who are	mourn, for they will be comforted."



"Blessed [or happy] are the people whose God is the LORD." Make these bright cupcakes to remember all the ways God makes you happy.



What you need:

- Adult help
- Cake mix
- Cupcake liners
- White frosting
- Yellow food coloring
- Black frosting or tube gel
- Candy corn

What you do:

- 1. Make cupcakes by following directions on the box. Let them cool completely.
- 2. Stir yellow food coloring into white frosting, making it as yellow as the sun. Frost the cupcakes.
- 3. Using black frosting, make a happy face on each cupcake.
- 4. Around each cupcake, place candy corn with points out to resemble sun rays. Enjoy!

August 2014 Servant Schedule

"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve..." Mark 10:45

There are still many spots left to fill in our August Servant Schedule! Please consider serving anywhere "TBD" is marked, and let us know in the church office!

whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant...

Thank you for your service!

Serving on:	August 3 August 10		August 17	August 24	August 31				
Ministers	The Congregation	The Congregation	The Congregation	The Congregation	The Congregation				
Presiding:	Jack Kelly	Pastor Daugs	Pastor Daugs	Pastor Daugs	Pastor Daugs				
Dir. Of Music:	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh	Janet McIntosh				
Organist:	Emmanuel is seeking a new Organist. Do you play? Do you know anyone who does? If you do, please see page 14 for more information								
Altar Guild:	No Communion	Norene Bennett	Norene Bennett	Norene Bennett	Norene Bennett				
Acolyte:	Derek Wendt	Derek Wendt	Monroe Mastro	Sarah Greenwalt	Derek Wendt				
Altar Flowers	TBD	TBD	TBD	Walter Hesford	Barbara Taylor				
Assisting Minister:	TBD	Debbie Stone	Janet Williams	Kris Daugs	Ben Beard				
Communion Assistant:	No Communion	TBD	TBD	Kas Dumroese	Janet Williams				
Communion Assistant:	No Communion	TBD	TBD	Deb Dumroese	Shirley Engerbretson				
Communion Bread:	No Communion	Helen Joyner	Helen Joyner	Helen Joyner	Helen Joyner				
Counter:	Heidi Bitterwolf	Heidi Bitterwolf	Helen Joyner	Deb Dumroese	Carolyn Todd				
Counter:	Vern Kinnison	Vern Kinnison	Heidi Bitterwolf	Helen Joyner	Julie Spangler				
Fellowship:	Heidi Bitterwolf	Greg & Virginia Colvig	Bob & Anne Dwelle	Craig & Tammy Greenwalt	Jeff & Karen Hill				
Fellowship:	Mark & JoDee Brooker	Nicki & Josh Cox	Shirley Engerbretson	Leo & Jackie Greenwalt	Gretchen Isakson				
Fellowship:	Tom & Kim Campbell	Pastor Dave & Kris Daugs		Matt & Jolene Halladay	Cam & Jeanette Johnston				
Fellowship:	Bob & Nel Carver	Kas & Deb Dumroese	Robbie Giles	Walter Hesford	Jack & Karen Kelly				
Greeter:	TBD	TBD	Cherilynne Camis	TBD	TBD				
Reader:	Robert Ramsay	Barbara Taylor	Nancy Sasser	Karen Kelly	Debbie Stone				
Usher:	Vern Kinnison, Walter Hesford	Vern Kinnison, Bender Family	Vern Kinnison	TBD	TBD				

Contact the Church Office! Let us know how you would like to help! emmanuelmoscowid@gmail.com or 208.882.3915

Emmanuel Calendar for august 2014

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Eighth Sunday after Pentecost	7:00 PM -Hog	6:00 PM-	8:00 AM-Weekly	Church Office		9	
Guest Leader - Jack Kelly	Heaven Band	Habitat	Publication	Closed	Church Office Closed		
8:30 AM-Sunday School	(Hall)	For	Deadline		(CindyMarie at		
9:30 AM-Worship Service	7:00 PM-	Humanity	1:00 PM-Play in the		Continuing Education)		
11:00 AM-Fellowship (Hall)	Youth &	Board	Park! (Mountain		Ludcation		
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Ninth Sunday after Pentecost		- -	8:00 AM-Weekly	Church Office	4:00 PM-		
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8:30 AM-Sunday School			Deadline		Finale (ELC)		
9:30 AM-Worship Service			9:00 AM-ELCW		Deadline		
11:00 AM-Fellowship (Hall)			Piecemakers (Hall)		for "The Best of		
			, ,		Emmanuel's Soup and Bread"		
					Submissions		
17	18	19	20	21 Church Office	22	23	
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost	Emphasis		8:00 AM-Weekly	Closed			
8:30 AM-Sunday School	Deadline		Publication Deadline				
9:30 AM-Worship Service 11:00 AM-Fellowship (Hall)	7:00 PM -Hog Heaven Band		Deadime				
2:00 PM- Cordelia Free Summer	(Hall)						
Concert - Serendipity (Cordelia)	(Hall)						
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost		Church Office	8:00 AM-Weekly	Church Office	Church Office		
Bring Your Garden to Church		Closed	Publication	Closed	Closed		
"Holy Groundz"		(CindyMarie at Continuing	Deadline				
8:30 AM-Sunday School		Education)	9:00 AM-ELCW				
9:30 AM-Worship Service		5:45 PM-	Piecemakers (Hall)				
11:00 AM-Fellowship (Hall)		Church	5:30 PM-				
		Council	Adult Choir				
		Meeting	6:45 PM-				
		(Hall)	Emmanuel Bells				
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