

EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

June 16, 2024



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News & Notes

SATURDAY EVENING - 5:00 p.m. Worship in the Sanctuary
DIVINE WORSHIP SERVICES EACH SUNDAY - 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary
THE GATHERING – Every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in Central Lutheran’s Auxiliary Gym.

MISSION STATEMENT

Emanuel Lutheran Church furthers God’s Kingdom by connecting people, strengthening families, and proclaiming God’s Word.

CLS SEEKING TEACHER: Debbie Schmidt has announced her retirement from Central Lutheran School. Congratulations to Debbie on her 28 years of ministry! CLS is now seeking a 5th grade teacher for the 2024-2025 school year. If you would like to submit a name for consideration, please email David Van Spankeren at dvanspankeren@cluth.org.

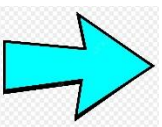
CENTRAL LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL is looking to hire a PreK 4’s teacher for the 2024-25 school year. This position is part-time. Salary is dependent on experience and education. Our mission is to be a caring, loving sharing family of Christians dedicated to a Christ centered education, cultivating lifelong learning for joyful service to the church, community, and the world. If interested, please email – Amanda Vaudt at avaudt@cluth.org



IF YOU GROCERY SHOP AT MEIJER, please consider bringing your groceries home in paper bags. The Rummage Sale Committee has requested donations of Meijer paper bags to be used for future sales. Folded up paper bags can be placed in the Fellowship Hall kitchen. *Thanks!*

A LIFE THOUGHT IN THE CHURCH YEAR FOR JUNE 16:

Fathers embody how much difference the little things make. What seems just a personal choice at first quickly affects everyone around with its repercussions. The devil uses privacy and independence as deceptions. But salvation also only starts small (Mark 4:30-32). An embryo soon grows into the Savior of the universe, and one word spoken in courage and compassion changes untold hearts and saves countless lives.



THE JULY/AUGUST NEWSLETTER will be mailed out at the end of this month. Please have all articles to the Church Office by Monday, June 24.

EMANUEL’S BUDGET SNAPSHOT

Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ~ 2 Corinthians 9:7

As of April 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Actual vs. Budget
Receipts	\$319,200	\$333,333	\$(14,133)
Expenses	294,379	332,344	(37,965)
Surplus (Deficit)	\$ 24,821	\$ 989	\$ 23,832

RESPONSE TO HIS LOVE (attendance last week)

Saturday = 65 Sunday = 165 Gathering = 50
 Visitors = 16

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

TODAY

Worship.....8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.
 The Gathering.....9:30 a.m.

MONDAY

Bible Study.....6:45 a.m.

TUESDAY

Food Bank.....9:00-11:45 a.m.
 Board of Finance.....9:00 a.m.
 Grief Support.....6:00 p.m.
 Church Council.....7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Ladies Morning Bible Study.....9:30 a.m.

THURSDAY ~ No events scheduled.

FRIDAY ~ No events scheduled.

SATURDAY

Saturday Evening Service.....5:00 p.m.
 Private Party in FLR.....1:00-4:00 p.m.

SUNDAY

Worship.....8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.
 The Gathering.....9:30 a.m.
 VBS.....5:30-7:45 p.m.

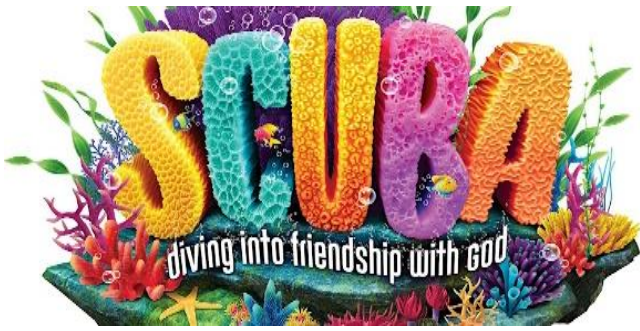


IN OUR PRAYERS

- † LWML delegates gathering in convention this week
- † Marlene Poling, Lucille Meyer, Lowell Brueck (health concerns)
- † Brenda David having surgery this week
- † Ryan Meyer as he considers the call to be the Director of Parish Music at Emanuel

BIBLE CLASSES

United & Growing: 2nd Saturday of each month from 8-Noon
Monday Morning Bible Study: Conference Room at 6:45
Women’s Bible Study: Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the FLR
Monday Night Bible Study will resume in the Fall
Sunday Mornings from 9:15-10:15 a.m. Will resume in the Fall
Adult Bible Class in Fellowship Hall
Sunday School for 3 years – 7th grade begins in the sanctuary, then heads downstairs to classrooms.
Confirmation Class for 8th graders & their parents in FLR



SCUBA: Diving into Friendship with God

****VBS IS NEXT WEEK!****

VBS REGISTRATION is now open for both participants and volunteers at <https://www.myvbs.org/emanuelnh>. SCUBA: Diving into Friendship with God takes place Sunday, June 23 - Wednesday, June 26 from 5:30-7:45 pm and is open to children who are ages 3 years* - 4th grade (current school year). We need lots of adult volunteers but also welcome youth who are in 5th grade and older! *Registered children must be out of diapers and able to use the toilet independently or a parent must stay with the child.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SIGN UP TO DONATE SNACKS for VBS, here is a link where you can do just that: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0B45AAAE23A0F49-50002405-vbs2024>

EMANUEL IS NOT COLLECTING bottle caps. A class at Central was collecting them a couple months ago, but that project has ended. Please donate your bottle caps elsewhere.

EMANUEL'S ENDOWMENT FUND: Since its inception, the Endowment Fund has provided more than \$1,373,721 from its earnings to enhance Emanuel's ministry. Contributions to the Fund are legacy gifts. Pamphlets explaining this opportunity are available in the narthex hallway. DID YOU KNOW? During 2023, the Endowment Fund provided \$2,569.00 to remove the entry door #13 step and install a barrier-free entrance.

A LIFE QUOTE FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 16: "I can finally perceive that God put some of the most difficult neighbors in my life at some of the most difficult times in order to bring me to the end of myself. Jesus didn't say that what God asks us to do would be easy. What God asks is impossibly difficult if God were not actually alongside us, helping us every step of the way. But the good news is that He is alongside us, helping us every step of the way." *Donna Harrison, M.D., American Association of Pro-Life Obstetricians and Gynecologists*

LIFECARE CONNECTIONS

ELC'S GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP will continue meeting on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. Our next meeting will be June 18 at 6pm downstairs in the Life Care Director's office.

DAILY LECTIONARY FOR THIS WEEK

- June 16: Prov. 16:1-24 / John 16:1-16
- June 17: Prov. 17:1-28 / John 16:17-33
- June 18: Prov. 20:5-25 / John 17:1-26
- June 19: Prov. 22:1-21 / John 18:1-14
- June 20: Prov. 22:22-23:12 / John 18:15-40
- June 21: Prov. 24:1-22 / John 19:1-22
- June 22: Prov. 25:1-22 / John 19:23-42



IF YOU SPONSOR A CHILD A POINT OF GRACE: Cheryl Brockmann will be leaving on July 1 for Point of Grace for 2 weeks. If you would like to send a letter to your child, please get the letters to her or the Church Office by June 30. You can also email a letter to her at 4kenyaskids@gmail.com and it will be delivered to your child.

LWML

The ladies of the Indiana District LWML will be gathering in convention in Danville, Indiana beginning Friday, June 21 through Sunday, June 23. The theme "Rooted in Christ" is based on Ephesians 3:17 which states "so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power together with all the saints to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ."

Our congregation has two delegates that will represent the ladies of Emanuel, Faye Roemke and Rita Wissman. Being members of the Board of Directors, Renee Schuller and Karen Fuelling also will be voting delegates of the convention. The highlight for the delegates is approving the submitted Mission Grant requests for the next biennium of approximately \$135,000.

The banner displayed in our church this morning, along with the banners of the other 21 District Zones will be part of the procession on Friday night at the beginning of the Divine worship service. Our banner shows that not only are we rooted in Christ, but we are also to be rooted in Scripture.

We in the Fort Wayne East Zone thank God for the talent of the ladies who were inspired to design, paint and create this beautiful hanging - Paula Schmidt and Laura Hargens.

Please remember our delegates in your prayers as they represent you at convention and all the others who will travel to the Indianapolis area to complete the faithful work of the LWML- Indiana District

Karen Fuelling

President Fort Wayne East Zone Indiana District

SERVING AT EMANUEL NEXT WEEK

June 22:

Elder: Mike Sweet

Ushers: Group S2 (Gary Nahrwold)

Communion Assistant: Gary Nahrwold

June 23:

Elder: David Herman

Ushers: Group 5 (Mike Schultz) (8:00)

Group 6 (Greg Peters) (9:30)

Communion Assistant: Ryan Abbott (8:00)

Brian Lepper (9:30)

Gathering: Steve Poling

YOUTH GROUP

Call or text 260-222-1434 Youth Director Andrea Hoover with questions.

Follow us on Instagram at [lyfe_ejy/](https://www.instagram.com/lyfe_ejy/)

& Facebook under Emanuel Youth Group

EJY = Emanuel Junior Youth (Grades 6-8)

LYFE = Lutheran Youth Fellowship at Emanuel (High School)

CAFE = College Aged Fellowship of Emanuel

LYFE & EJY COMBINED EVENT:

Deep River Waterpark

Tuesday, July 9

Details coming next week

