

THE HERALD

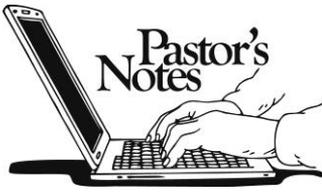


June 2018

**Sunday School at 9:00AM
Sunday Worship Services at 9:30AM
Saturday Vesper Service at 6:00PM**

Business Manager Hours: Mon–Fri 9:00AM-2:00PM

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“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three persons, blessed Trinity.” (Stanza 4 ELW #413, LBW#165)

The last Sunday in May we celebrated Holy Trinity Sunday and sang the above stanza as our recessional hymn. We also used the third Ecumenical Creed as we affirm in our Confession of Faith as Christians and Lutherans when we used the Athanasian Creed. When we combine the Creed and the Hymn, we boldly lay claim to our belief that God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit should be praised, confessed ‘in earth, and sky and sea’. For God not only created the world, but also the universe and wants us to believe and understand our faith is His gift to us through His Son and our Savior, Jesus Christ.

We are enabled to share this truth and proclaim to the world not only what we believe but in Whom we believe. For our confession of faith is clear and certain and we can boldly enter into the Non-Festival time of the Church Year on the high, knowing our faith has been strengthened by God.

For it is when we lay claim to our confession of faith and believe with our hearts that God has redeemed us and we share that with one another we can clearly demonstrate the love of God in our world! This is our calling and our opportunity and it is my prayer that we will embrace this opportunity and joy this summer as we come and hear God’s Word, share the gift of grace and mercy from God found in Holy Communion and the fellowship we can enjoy together.

This is why in July and August we will be having four different activities to deepen our relationship with one another and invite others to be a part of our family of faith. Please invite others to come with you and enjoy the food, fun and fellowship we have in store here at Emmanuel.

I look forward to seeing how God can use each of us and how we can celebrate the truth we Confess on Sunday as we take this love out to our world which is in desperate need of hearing what Jesus Christ offers us! Let’s embrace this and join in the joy of God’s gift of grace for us and for all of mankind out of His great love for each and every one of us.

Yours In Christ, Pastor Darian L. Hybl

JUNE

Lessons for Worship



6/3/18 2nd Sunday after Pentecost

Hosea 2:14-20; Psalm 103:1-13; Acts 2:14, 36-47; Mark 2:13-22

6/10/18 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Genesis 3:8-15; Psalm 130; 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35

6/17/18 4th Sunday after Pentecost

Ezekiel 17:22-24; Psalm 1; 2 Corinth. 5:1-17; Mark 4:26-34

6/24/18 5th Sunday after Pentecost

Job 38:1-11; Psalm 124; 2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41



Praying for YOU...

We continue to pray for several Emmanuel members each weekend at the Saturday and Sunday worship services. As of May 19/20 we begin our 6th rotation of members. Please keep these members in your prayers throughout the week. The members being prayed for this month are:



- † **June 2 & 3:** Lou & Jan Fiorina; Matthew & Amanda Webster; Jim & Leslie Hood; and Steven & Amy Foust
- † **June 9 & 10:** John & Judy Sieg; Thomas & Berith Jensen; Dave & Mary Whipkey; and James & Wendy Zimmerman
- † **June 16 & 17:** James & Janet Troxell; Howard & Debbie Weigold; Norm VonAllmen; and Stan & Linda Casper
- † **June 23 & 24:** Roger & Pat Byford; June Ugen; Edward & Nancy Zimmerman; and Oliver & Terri Lewis

June Anniversaries!!!

6/05 Joseph & Donna Ugen, Jr. (19 yrs.)
6/05 Douglas & Valerie Frick (43 yrs.)
6/06 Donald & Louise Pugh (54 yrs.)
6/07 Tom & Kim Dean (34 yrs.)
6/14 James & Wendy Zimmerman (32 yrs.)
6/19 Lou & Janice Fiorina (42 yrs.)
6/21 Scott & Karen Duff (23 yrs.)
6/23 Robert & Charlotte McCabe (56 yrs.)
6/28 Ed & Twyla Wiernicki (61 yrs.)
6/28 Scott & Carol Wilson (43 yrs.)
6/29 Terry & Bethia Schulz (49 yrs.)



June Birthdays!!!

6/02 Luke Jones	6/22 Lexy Dean
6/09 June Ugen	6/22 John Kolonay
6/12 Annaliese Piraino	6/23 Karla Gustafson
6/13 Rosemarie Maholage	6/24 Karen Peterson
6/18 Kim Dean	6/25 Rosemary Palmer
6/18 Amy Foust	6/27 Chase Pelusi
6/18 David Weihe	6/28 Mack Flood



If we have missed anyone or have incorrect information, please let the office know so the correction can be made.

NO VBS . . . OH NO?!?!?!?

We will not be having our typical VBS this summer. We are going to try something new. **Family Fun Fest** will be the replacement. It will be an event held on four consecutive Tuesday evenings in late July and early August:

- **Tuesday, July 24th** – Carnival Night
- **Tuesday, July 31st** – Game Show Night
- **Tuesday, August 7th** – TBD
- **Tuesday, August 14th** – BINGO Night

EVERYONE from ages 3 to 93 is invited! These events will be family friendly and great fun. Each event is unique and independent so please plan to join us for one or all. The time is from 6:00PM-8:00PM and a lite dinner will be available to make it easy for everyone to attend without worrying about dinner. More details will follow as the time draws near.

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ESCAPE ROOM

**Emmanuel Lutheran Church
5pm-7pm**

Come join the Junior/ Senior Youth Group of Emmanuel on our first ever Escape Room! Please RSVP to Dan 412-965-8904 or plance92@gmail.com by 6/8/18. Bring with you the completed puzzle along with your friend(s). We hope to see you there!

Congratulation to our 2018 High School Seniors

Jonathan Hiener

Jonathan is a 2018 graduate of Plum Senior High School. He has played clarinet in the symphonic band, in the orchestral pit for musicals, and in Plum's marching band since his Freshman year. In addition, he served as Clarinet Section Leader his Junior year, as well as Drum Major of the marching band during his Senior year. Jonathan also is involved in multiple extracurricular activities and clubs including the Horizons African drumming club, chess club, and the gifted program. Scouting has also been a large part of Jonathan's high school career, culminating in his achieving the rank of Eagle Scout in January.



This fall, Jonathan plans to study Mechanical Engineering at the University of Pittsburgh. This summer he plans to spend time with his close friends, seek employment, bicycle, and enjoy music.

Having many great memories from Emmanuel Lutheran, some of the Jonathan's best include attending Remnant Confirmation camp (where he and fellow campers challenged Pastor Held to many heated rounds of Four Square and Ga-Ga ball), playing GROK at youth events, and watching movies at church sleepovers.

Jonathan is grateful for the ladies who created his special quilt, and wishes to thank his confirmation sponsor, Mr. Verner, and all who have made his time at Emmanuel meaningful, through friendship, mentoring, and teaching, all of which has brought him closer to God.



University of Pittsburgh

Joshua Salava

Josh is a 2018 graduate from Franklin Regional High School. Highlights of his high school years include participating for four years in the marching band where he played the alto saxophone. He was also a member of the Wind Ensemble his Senior year. He was a member of the Chorus (Men's Ensemble and Show Choir) from his Sophomore through Senior years. His participation in the band and chorus enabled him to go on many trips to perform, including the Rose Parade, Disney, and Nashville. Josh participated in the high school musicals all four years. He played JV soccer his Freshman year and was a member of the Operation Smile club. Josh was also a Team Captain for Relay for Life his Sophomore through Senior years.



Following graduation, Josh will be attending the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown (UPJ) in the fall where he plans to major in Mechanical Engineering. His plans for the summer include working at Greensburg Country Club, taking a Senior trip to the beach with his friends, and getting ready for college.

Special memories of Emmanuel for Josh were attending Camp Lutherlyn where he met a lot of friends from other churches with whom he still keeps in touch and playing GROK at Emmanuel.

Josh would like to thank all of his Sunday School and Confirmation teachers who taught him over the years; his Confirmation Sponsor, Mr. Hunter; his parents and family for encouraging his faith; and the ladies who took the time to make his awesome quilt.



University of Pittsburgh
Johnstown

College or Other Post-High School Graduates

Recently finished with your schooling? We would love to hear what you are up to! Please keep Emmanuel updated on your career or other future plans. Parents, please fill free to send us the information if your child has finished school and moved forward on his/her career path by June 25th to be included in our July Herald. All info can be sent to Amy at elcnaic@gmail.com or dropped off at the church office. Thank you!



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Summer Worship & NO Sunday School

We have started observing our summer worship schedule with starting time of 9:30AM through and including September 3rd (Labor Day weekend). During this time there will also be NO Sunday School.

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Dick Lester has another grandchild

This is his fifth grandchild. Three girls followed by two boys. Calvin Lester Suss was born May 4th, weighs 7lb 2oz and was 20 in long.



Sight and Sound Theatre Outing This Fall

A block of 30 tickets has been purchased for the Lancaster Sight and Sound Theatre production of “Jesus” on **Thursday, September 27 at 7:00PM**. For those who have not been to the theatre, the performances there are absolutely



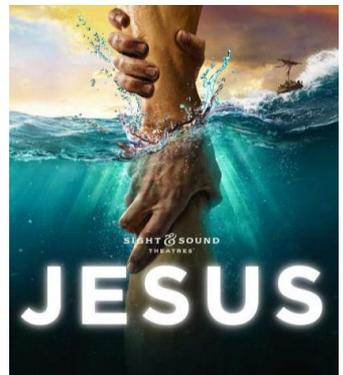
amazing! People come from far and wide to this 2000-seat theatre with a 300-foot panoramic stage and state-of-the-art technology with live animals. The production of “Jesus” is running for 9 months, and many of the performances are sold out.

The mission of the Sight & Sound Theatre is to present the Gospel of Jesus Christ by visualizing and dramatizing the scriptures. The production “Jesus” is an action-packed musical story of Jesus as he befriends outcasts, heals the hurting, challenges the social norms, confronts hypocrisy, sets sail with fishermen, and reasons with religious scholars. (The crucifixion is not shown for those who are concerned about it being too graphic.) The cost will be between \$54 and \$59 per seat depending on how many we have sign up. It’s about a 3 and ½ or 4-hour drive to Lancaster; carpooling may be available for those who would like a ride.

We have a really nice group rate of \$92.99/night for Thursday night--King rooms with pull-out sofas with free breakfast at the Country Inn & Suites by Radisson, Lancaster—just 3 miles from the theatre. A block is reserved for “Emmanuel Lutheran Church,” and as you sign up, you will be given a number to call to reserve your room.

We usually eat Thursday night dinner somewhere together (Hershey Farm Restaurant next to the theatre has been suggested for this year), and whoever wishes to do so gathers in the breakfast room of the hotel for wine and cheese or snacks after the performance.

We must give back any unsold tickets and unsold hotel rooms a month ahead of the show, so please sign up on the bulletin board as soon as you make your plans to attend as we have just 30 tickets and not sure if we will be able to get more. For questions please contact Christian Life Ministry Team -- Julie Schamber at 724-325-3166. **Please mark your calendar, sign up, and save the date!**



Attention Married Couples:

Marriage is a journey! A Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekend can help you enrich your marriage and add some pizzazz to your journey. Sign up TODAY to be sure to get the Weekend of your choice.



Weekends scheduled this fall in Northeast US are:

- **September 14-16, 2018** at Spruce Lake Retreat in Canadensis, PA. A lovely hotel-style retreat center with many acres of woodlands in the heart of the Poconos, an hour north of Allentown, PA.
- **October 19-21, 2018** at Olmsted Retreat Center. A stunning, hotel-style retreat center adjacent to the Olmsted Mansion in the Allegheny National Forest, 2 hours north of Pittsburgh.
- **November 9-11, 2018** at Hampton Inn Berkshires in Lenox, Massachusetts. Situated on the edge of a nature preserve in the heart of the Berkshires, an hour northwest of Springfield MA.

Two nights lodging, 5 meals for each of you, and all supplies are included with your registration fee, plus toward the end of the weekend you will be given an opportunity to make a confidential contribution of whatever amount you wish toward the continuation of the program. For further information or to sign up, go to: www.GodLovesMarriage.org and pay the \$100 registration fee with your credit card, or mark the option to mail a check. For questions, or if you would like a brochure, contact Northeast US Directors of Lutheran Marriage Encounter, Fred & Julie Schamber, at 724-325-3166 or fjschamber@comcast.net.



HEALTH MINISTRY CORNER

“For my hand made all these things, thus all these things came into being”, declares the Lord (Isaiah 66:2)

4 things you should know about hand sanitizers

Curious about the hand-sanitizing products that are popping up in public places across the country? Here's what you should know about hand sanitizers and your health.

According to the Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC), **80 percent of common infections, including the H1N1 flu virus, can be spread through contaminated hands.** That's why the PHAC and the World Health Organization (WHO) are stressing proper hand hygiene as an important first-line defense against the spread of swine flu.

While proper handwashing technique is a vital part of keeping yourself healthy, **good old soap and water aren't always around when you need them** (say, when you get an unexpected hug from a runny-nosed preschooler on the playground). That's where alcohol-based sanitizers come to the rescue. The PHAC recommends hand sanitizers that contain between 60 and 80 percent alcohol as 'an excellent' way to clean your hands when you're not near a sink. Here's what you should know about them.

1. Hand sanitizers are effective

If your hands aren't actually grimy, **the best way to clean them is to use hand sanitizer**, says James Scott, a microbiologist at the University of Toronto's Dalla Lana School of Public Health. '[A sanitizer] cleans your hands much better than soap and water, so it reduces the bacterial burden to a much greater extent than soap and water,' he says. 'And your hands tend to stay cleaner longer than if you were to use soap and water.'

Not convinced that a bottle of gel can really get your paws squeaky clean? Scott was also doubtful. 'For a long time, I was a skeptic about them, but as evidence started to emerge on the effectiveness of these alcohol-based hand sanitizers, I'm sold on them,' he says. Take the 1991 study cited by the WHO in their guidelines on hand hygiene in health care that found that **alcohol-based hand sanitizer was more effective than plain soap and water in preventing the transmission of bacteria from the hands of healthcare workers to patients' catheters.**

2. Hand sanitizers don't cause super-bacteria

The idea that frequent use of alcohol-based hand sanitizers will make bacteria resistant to treatment is bogus, Scott stresses. 'The [way sanitizers work] is based on cell-membrane disruption by the alcohol, and **that's not something that bacterium can acquire resistance to.** It's not physically possible,' he says.

3. Hand sanitizers are easier on your skin than soap and water

'Most of the modern hand sanitizers have emollients in them that will actually improve skin condition,' says Scott. While that may seem counterintuitive because effective sanitizers contain so much alcohol, **several studies have proven that these formulas are actually better for skin than soap.** For instance, a 2004 study compared the effectiveness of alcohol-based hand sanitizers and antibacterial soap for nurses who worked in neonatal intensive care units in New York. The study found that while nurses were using the hand sanitizer, their skin condition was much better than when they used the antibacterial soap to clean their hands.

4. There's a correct way to use hand sanitizers

To use a hand sanitizer effectively, **make sure your hands are free of visible grime and dirt before applying the product.** Then, apply a palm-full of product and rub vigorously for 20 to 30 seconds, making sure to distribute the sanitizer between your fingers, under your nails and jewelry, on your wrists and on the backs of each hand. When your hands are dry, you're good to go.

Never rinse your hands with water or wipe them with a towel after using a hand sanitizer - this will counteract the effect of the product.



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June 2018 Schedules

*If you are unable to serve, please find a substitute and notify the office.
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DATE	SERVICE	ASSISTING MINISTER	ACOLYTES	GREETERS	USHERS	NURSERY
6/3/2018	Sunday	Dave Whipkey	Joey Borgia	Bob Jordan & MaryAnn Sinwell	Mack & Karen Flood	Fred & Julie Schamber
6/10/2018	Sunday	Kathy Gustafson	Josh Salava	Fred & Julie Schamber	Dave Yargar & John Jacob	John & Leanne Salava
6/17/2018	Sunday	Scott Duff	Ebbie Borgia	Ed & Dorothy Datemasch	Mack & Karen Flood	Gene & Sally Seidling
6/24/2018	Sunday	Holly Pelusi	Josh Pelusi	Denny & Kathy Potter	Howard & Debbie Weigold	Debbie Weigold

DATE	SE RVICE	ALTAR GUILD	COUNTER TEAM	COMMUNION BREAD		
6/3/2018	Sunday	Maryann Sinwell	Donna Berardinelli	Stan Casper	Bill Lavallee	Karla Gustafson
6/10/2018	Sunday	Maryann Sinwell	Volunteer Needed	Stan Casper	Bill Lavallee	Sarah Borgia
6/17/2018	Sunday	Judy Sieg	John Sieg	John Verner	Scott Wilson	Sarah Borgia
6/24/2018	Sunday	Danette Hunter	Dan Hunter	John Verner	Dick Lester	Sarah Borgia

Thank you to all who serve!

FISCAL YTD FINANCIAL INFORMATION as of APRIL 30, 2018

Contributions \$121,434 vs. Budget \$130,909 . . . -\$9,475 Funding Gap

Funding Gap – Contrasts the Congregation's giving with annual Pledges and Budget.

Contributions \$121,434 vs. Expenses \$129,554 . . . -\$8,120 Cash Flow

Cash Flow – Contrasts actual spending with General Fund contributions received.

The deadline for the July Herald will be

JUNE 25th ~ Thank you ~

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- Altar Guild: Donna Berardinelli
- Assisting Minister: **Volunteer Needed**
- Festive Bells: Homer Adams
- Memorials: Dana Fetter
- Nursery: **Volunteer Needed**
- Ushers: Dave & Mary Whipkey
- Wedding Coordinator: Donna Berardinelli

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