Bracelet Making Class at Emanuel



Thursday, July 28 at 7pm in the fellowship hall

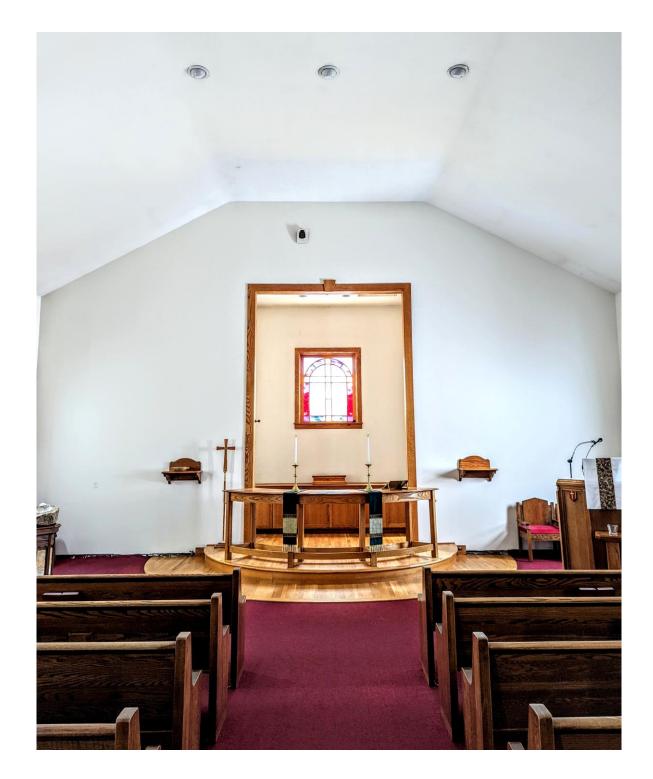
No experience necessary Cost is \$5 for materials.

Jenn Hadden will be leading the class.

Email Jenn to RSVP for the class or if you have questions. Thank you.

jenniferhadden8@gmail.com

New Front Sanctuary Wall



Emanuel has a new front wall in the sanctuary. Cracks caused by many years of bell ringing are no longer there for us to ponder over. Thank you to Myron Gadoury and all involved with the project.

Flower Arranging at Emanuel



Thank you to Sue Wieboldt and everyone who attended!

You can help make next year's annual congregational meeting better.

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Please call or email Pastor Todd

(401) 450-2836 cell

if you are interested in working on a special task force with the goal of making next year's annual congregational meeting better in terms of voting on the constitution changes - quicker, with more understanding, and a better constitution for Emanuel.

Emanuel Lutheran Church Council Meeting- June 14, 2022

Attendees: Bruce Johnson, Glenn Johnson, Myron Gadoury, Ray Nunez, Kathy Plante, Pastor Todd Stange, Ken Wieboldt, Sue Wieboldt Absent: Elaine Marsh, Walter Phaneuf

Opening Devotions

Accepted April and May with corrections of spelling of Wieboldt and Phaneuf.

Treasurer's report – Year to Date Expenses by Category: Outreach, Staffing, Programs, Facilities are up from last year. One of the things Finance has noted for a task for itself to do is to look to see projections for where we might finish the year, to be reviewed in August.

Council members noted that Insurance seemed high, Glenn noted that it is a quarterly payment. \$1883.80 in line 505, is this an expense we must pay out for JN? Yes, then we bill Joyful Noise. Joyful Noise paying Line 505 Utilities and Plowing, is that an expense? Was it the pump repair? We will be reimbursed from JN. Need to get clarification on what line 505 is. Line 405 represents Registration for Synod Assembly. Summer months are not as painful now that members are using electronic payment sources. For the monthly giving part, 2022, on the bar graph do we put the \$72,000, or the \$79,000 on the graph? We do put the \$79,000 on the graph with the lines, for the gray line, that's our year-to-date expenses, the bars are our income. The expenses are a little less than \$78,000.00.

Motion to accept the treasurer's report - approved

Committees:

Christian Education – Drama camp is coming up. Property Committee requests that efforts be made to protect the deck. Awning should be up by the start of Drama Camp. The dates are June 27th through July 1st. Are there children signed up, have we reached out to other Lutheran churches? Pilgrim and First Lutheran are doing their VBS that same week. Pastor has already reached out to Joyful Noise.

Finance – Discussed Emanuel building responsibilities regarding Joyful Noise: there was a discussion at Finance Committee, they were unanimous in their understanding that as landlords of JN, if it is a plumbing issue or anything else, we are responsible. How are we handling cosmetic issues that JN wishes us to do? In the current situation Finance Committee asked, "Who was the origin of the cosmetic need of power washing the building?"; JN wanted the building power washed. In examples provided, we paid for the fire alarms, they pay for the testing, same scenario for boiler issues. Is it a good idea to have more members being on JN board, we could use more representation? We would have to check with JN to see if there are openings on the board. Bob Maine is no longer serving. More Emanuel members would help increase communications. The estimate of the power washing is \$1069.00, it was noted that this will be what is known as a low pressure wash. Tile floor in the bathroom should be JN responsibility to pay for. Finance would take it case by case basis. Myron tells Carol when the bill is half and half, or full, either way. Myron communicates a lot with JN. Myron to discuss Kathy Plante being added to Joyful's board.

Property – see report as submitted. Additionally, JN wants to put a roof over the toddler playground. Council would like to see the plans, Property Committee would bring in a contractor. Estimated over \$20k. Must be sturdy enough to handle snow load and wind. Approved by council but they do want to see the plans.

Worship and Music – Pastor reports Sue will be doing her first deaconship on July 3rd. Recently the 8am service is up to 10 attendees. Pastor will be away Thursday and Friday, June 16 & 17th, July 4-10th,

August 1-6th, August 15-19th. Council members expressed some concern regarding that there was a portion of the June 12th 10:30a service that there was no music.

Endowment Committee – The Endowment Committee has been requested by the Finance Committee that they have recommendations prepared for endowment fund distribution by the end of this summer for planning purposes.

Roof Replacement – Phase 2 timing was discussed. Myron reminded the Council that the contractor said that the existing phase two portion of the roof (sanctuary roof) could last another two to five years. As Myron noted the price could increase in five years, however. The most recent quote for Phase 2 is \$29,000 as estimated now. In the fund from Jane Wahl, for building related issues there is \$19,000 remaining. We have at least two years left, hopefully before a new roof will be needed. We should try to come up with a target date for when to do the new roof. Ray quoted 8% increase is projected for roofing based on his internet research. Should we do some fundraising and play it by ear? Myron does not know how old the roof is, there were eight layers of shingles on the steeple. If it is more than two layers, there will be an additional fee. The Council thinks targeting Summer 2024 for the new roof. Try to raise \$15,000 by then, or once we raise the money move forward. It was noted however that we may have to take a loan if we have not reached the target date/money.

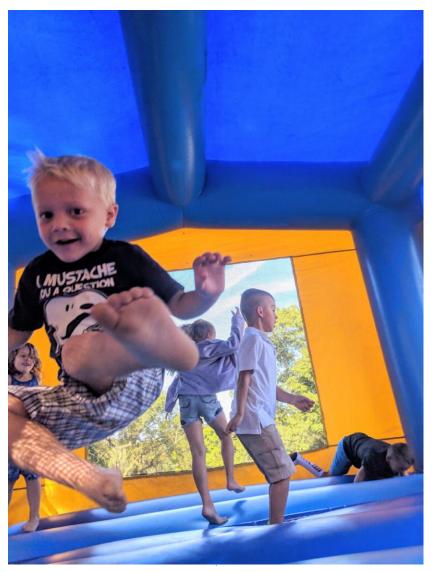
Status of Food Truck delivery – in talking with Emanuel food pantry patrons they are signing up for Tefap. We may not accept the truck if there is no need for weekly distribution; Tefap program is offered one time per month. Myron will talk with the RI Food Bank administration prior to anticipated delivery of the food truck which is expected to occur in August. Additionally, Myron is checking stores that he can rescue food from.

Anything else: Regarding the Emanuel web site, Jake Johnson has agreed to work on the website. Pastor to set up meeting with Jake. Perhaps we could give each representing body, i.e., Food Pantry, for updates, first, then go to Jake and get lessons on how to make changes. Should we send a general request of what changes could be made to the parishioners? It would be a good idea to get more feedback. Perhaps link to the Herald.

Building Use Form for wedding on September 10th. A custodian will be needed.

Next meeting July 14th @ 7:00pm Closing Prayer

Save the Date Sunday September 11th



Emanuel Church Picnic after worship at Emanuel food, fun, friends

You're Invited!



to Emanuel's Endowment

Reveal Party!

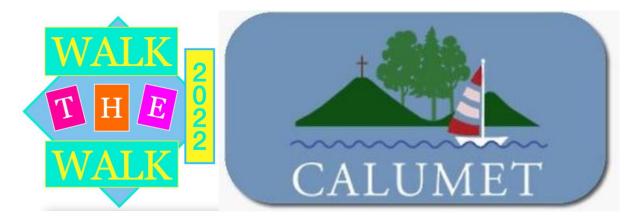
(revealing who is receiving distributions this year)

During coffee hour Sunday August 14th

at approx. 10:15am

Come and be surprised!

There's still time to Join Emanuel's Walking Team



Calumet Walk-the-Walk 2022

You are invited to be a part of Emanuel's walking team for Camp Calumet's Walk-the-Walk fundraiser.

The event runs until August 31st. Walk (or run) on your own or with others. The registration fee is \$25 to benefit Camp Calumet.

If you are interested:

(1.) Go to Calumet Walk the Walk 2022 website

https://www.calumet.org/giving/walkthewalk

Scroll down and click on "REGISTER HERE"

(2.) This will take you to the VANCO events website.

Click on "BOOK NOW" in the upper right corner

(3.) Select the number of people/tickets you are signing up. It's \$25 per person. You will also be asked if you want to donate an additional \$2 for processing fees.

Click "NEXT"

(4.) Enter registration info:

- Choose if you want to pay by check or not
- Select team type "CONGREGATION TEAM"
- Select team "Emanuel W. Warwick"
- Our team captain is Linda Nunez. There is no need for you to be a team captain.
- There is an option to make an "angel" donation if we collective reach our # of miles walked this summer.
- Enter name(s) of people walking

Click "NEXT"

(5.) Enter payment information

That's it for the registration.

Linda Nunez will email you periodically over the summer and ask you how many miles (or steps) you have walked.

Thank you!

NOTE - If you or someone you know would like to participate, but cost is holding you back, please let Pastor Todd know. Thank you.

Altar Flowers



Most Sundays the altar at Emanuel is adorned with beautiful flowers. They are a reminder of the beauty of life and of God's grace and love even during times of struggle.

If you would like to give altar flowers in memory of someone, please let Sue Wieboldt know. You can supply the altar flowers from your garden, or purchase them yourself, or donate money and have Sue get them. The cost is \$30.

(401) 397-9845 susieq3380@gmail.com

On-line Worship at Emanuel Sundays at 9:15AM



What to Do - if You would Like to Come to On-line Worship

To join us **on-line** click on the Zoom link below on Sunday at 9:15AM: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/93690864460?pwd=cHZ5RVNsdnFYcDhhNVdMKzA2VEN1QT09</u>

You can also join us by phone by calling (929) 205-6099 and entering Meeting ID: 936 9086 4460 and Password: 933328

A video of the service will be posted on Emanuel's website and Facebook group page later in the day.

Offerings to Emanuel



Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who has been mailing in their offering or giving through Simply Giving and Givelify.

Offerings can be mailed to:

Emanuel Lutheran Church 9 New London Avenue West Warwick, RI 02893

OR you can use either the Simply Giving program, which allows you to automate the giving of an offering from a checking account, or Givelify, which is online app that allows giving through a debit or credit card.

If you would like to find out more about either of these, please let Emanuel's Treasurer, Carol Johnson, or Pastor Todd know. Thank you.

You can give to Emanuel through Givelify by clicking on the DONATE button on Emanuel's website OR by clicking here: <u>Donate</u>

www.emanuelww.org

Summer Worship Schedule



One service at 9:15AM (Jun. 26 - Sep. 4)

Please keep these children of God in your prayers this week:

For Healing & Comfort: *Maria Stacy (Elaine's daughter), Kelly King (Craig Mock's friend)*

For Grieving: the family & friends of Olin Thompson III (friend of Pastor Todd's)

Worship Assistants

	Serving July 24:	Serving July 31:
Counter:	Glenn Johnson	Glenn Johnson
	9:15AM	9:15AM
Deacon:	Sue Wieboldt	Bruce Johnson
Anthem:	Nancy Kennedy	Jenn Hadden
Ushers	Ray & Linda Nunez	Joanne Powers & Pauline LaVallee
Lector:	Kathy Marco	TBD
Coffee Hour	Elaine Marsh & Carol Swanson	TBD

This Week at Emanuel			
Sunday, July 17		Worship IN Person & ONLINE Coffee Hour - in celebration of Sharon Daniel's 75 th birthday!	
Monday, July 18		Deliveries to Food Pantry 10AM - 1PM Al-Anon (Jacobs Hall)	
Tuesday, July 19	10:00am	Food Pantry 10AM - 12PM Pastor's office hours	
Wednesday, July 20		Ellie's Circle 10AM - 12PM (JH) Live, Laugh & Learn Lunch at the Cowesett Inn	
Thursday, July 21	10:00am	Al-Anon (Jacobs Hall)	
Friday, July 22			
Saturday, July 23			
Sunday, July 24		Worship IN Person & ONLINE Coffee Hour	

Next Week at Emanuel

Monday, July 25		Deliveries to Food Pantry 10AM - 1PM Al-Anon (Jacobs Hall)
Tuesday, July 26	10:00am	Food Pantry 10AM - 12PM Pastor's office hours
Wednesday, July 27	10:00am	Ellie's Circle 10AM - 12PM (JH)
Thursday, July 28		Al-Anon (Jacobs Hall) Bracelet Making Class (Fellowship Hall)
Friday, July 29		
Saturday, July 30		
Sunday, July 31	9:15am 10:15am 12:00pm	

Upcoming Commemorations

James, Apostle

Monday, July 25, 2022

James and his brother John were the sons of Zebedee, fishermen by trade before their call from Jesus. He was the first of the twelve apostles to be martyred, and his death is the only one recorded in scripture (Acts 12:1-2).

Johann Sebastian Bach, died 1750; Heinrich Schütz, died 1672; George Frederick Handel, died 1759; musicians

Thursday, July 28, 2022

These three German-born musicians have done much to enrich the life of the church. Schütz was an early master who focused on settings of biblical texts. Bach wrote over 300 cantatas along with works for organ and instrumental pieces, and has been called the "fifth evangelist" for the way he proclaimed the gospel in music. Handel's great work, Messiah, is a setting of scriptural texts.

Mary, Martha, and Lazarus of Bethany Friday, July 29, 2022

Friends of Jesus, Mary and Martha are remembered for the hospitality of their home that they offered him—Martha focused on serving their guest, and Mary on listening to him. Their brother Lazarus was raised from the dead as a sign of the greater resurrection to come.

Olaf, King of Norway, martyr, died 1030 Friday, July 29, 2022

Considered the patron saint of Norway, Olaf went from a life of piracy to becoming Christian and declaring himself king of Norway. He revised the laws and tried to administer them fairly. Driven from Norway in a rebellion, he was killed in battle trying to regain his kingdom.