

# **Summer Worship Schedule**



**Begins this Sunday June 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**One service at 9:15am**



# Summer Drama Camp at Emanuel



**June 24<sup>th</sup> – June 28<sup>th</sup> at Emanuel 8:30am to 12:30pm**  
**Ages 5 to 14**  
**friends are welcome!**

Cost - \$20 for first child, \$10 for second child, \$5 for additional children (\$35 max per family). Scholarships are available.

**Register at the door on Monday morning June 24<sup>th</sup> 8:00am - 8:30am**

Call or email for more information or to pre-register:

[pastor@emanuelww.org](mailto:pastor@emanuelww.org)

(401) 821-8888

# Live Laugh & Learn Lunch



The next lunch will be held:

**Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup> 1:30PM to 3PM**

## **Richard's Pub**

3347 South County Trail, East Greenwich, RI 02818

Estimated cost \$10 to \$25

If you would like to go, please email, text or call  
Michael Groleau at

Cell: 401-465-5021

Email: [MichaelKGroleau@gmail.com](mailto:MichaelKGroleau@gmail.com)

Friends welcome!

# **“Are We There Yet?”**

*The story of Moses and the Exodus*



**Drama Camp's Final Performance  
next Friday June 28<sup>th</sup> at 7PM  
at Emanuel**

**Come on out for a great evening!**



# Emanuel Church Cleanup



**Saturday July 13<sup>th</sup> 9AM**

**Please sign up on sheet in Narthex**

# Something New

**What is your story?**



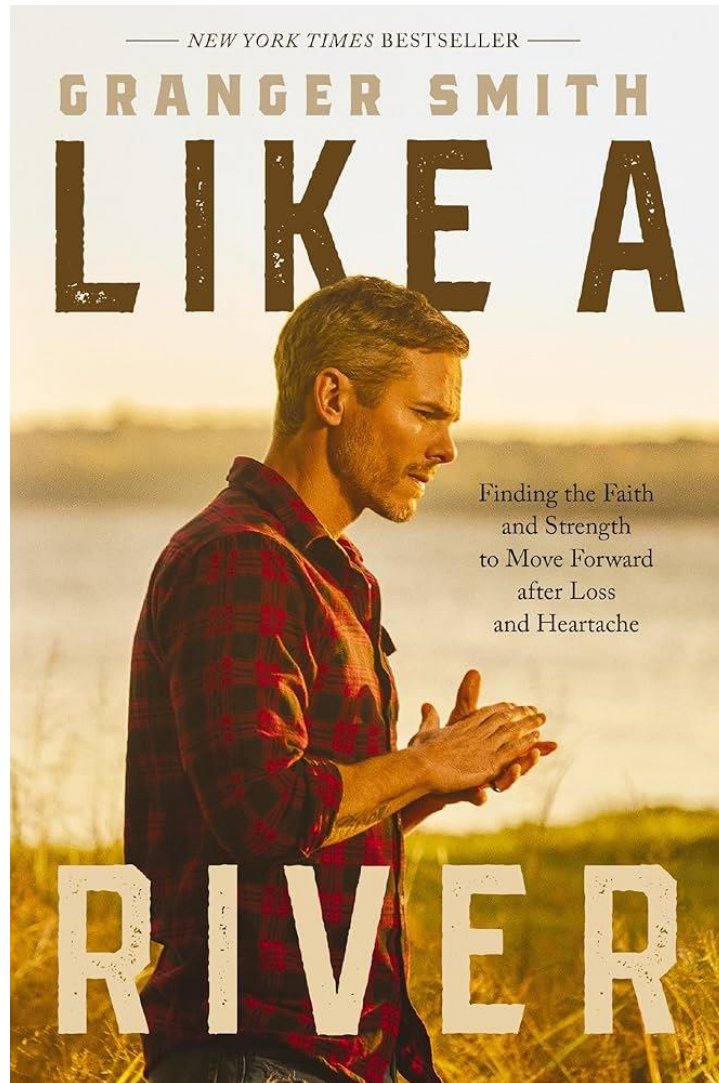
## Sharing Our Stories of God

We are inviting people to share stories of how God has shown up in their lives.

If you would be willing to share a story from your life, please let Pastor Todd know. Thank you.

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# Readers of Emanuel



## Next Gathering Sunday August 11<sup>th</sup>

The Readers of Emanuel book club is reading  
“Like a River” by Granger Smith.

New York Times bestseller “Like a River” is a triumphant story  
of new life birthed out of tragedy.

We will meet after worship on Sunday August 11<sup>th</sup>  
at ~10:30am in Jacobs Hall.

Everyone is invited for good fellowship and food.



**Please help. Emanuel's budget is stretched thin.**



The giving levels, via Sunday Offerings, the direct debit **Simply Giving** plan and the Givelify phone app have not kept up with our church expenses.

But you can help by giving a little bit extra.

Please bring your Offering to church on Sunday, or send it to Emanuel **by mail**. Or you can make a “one- time” donation to Emanuel, using the **Givelify** app on your computer or smart phone.

Thank You for helping.

Emanuel Lutheran Church  
Finance Committee



# Spring Bazaar Craft Nights

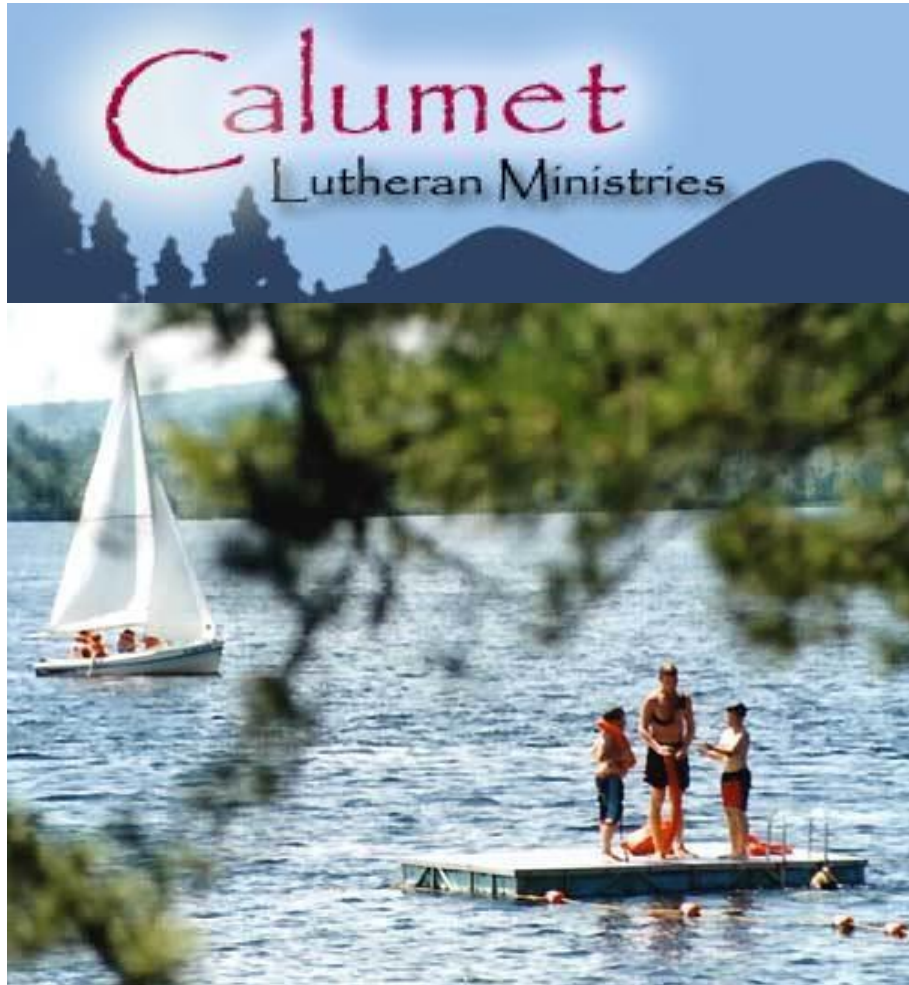


(orange peel crafts)

**Tuesday June 25**  
**6:30PM to 8PM at Emanuel**  
in the **Fellowship Hall**

Led by Marcia Melanson & Jo Ann Sargent  
All are welcome and supplies will be provided!  
Please come and join in the fun of fellowship  
and crafting.

# Emanuel Camp Scholarships



If you know a child 8 years old to 16 years old, we'd like to help send them for a week of camp. The Wallace Anderson & John Carlson Campership funds are being given away now for Camp Calumet.

Camp Calumet is in West Ossipee, New Hampshire and sits on beautiful Lake Ossipee. For over 50 years people have been making friends, getting closer to God, and having fun at Calumet.

[www.calumet.org](http://www.calumet.org)

For more information speak with Pastor Todd  
[pastor@emanuelww.org](mailto:pastor@emanuelww.org) (401) 821-8888

## **Tuesday Morning Bible Study**



**The Tuesday morning Bible study is going on hiatus for the summer. We'll be back in September!**



# Bible Readings for Sunday June 23<sup>rd</sup>

## First Reading

## Psalm 139:1-10

*God knows us in and out – our good parts, bad parts and even our secret parts. There is no where we can run away to, that God is not there with us.*

To the leader. Of David. A Psalm.

<sup>1</sup> O Lord, you have searched me and known me.

<sup>2</sup> You know when I sit down and when I rise up;  
you discern my thoughts from far away.

<sup>3</sup> You search out my path and my lying down,  
and are acquainted with all my ways.

<sup>4</sup> Even before a word is on my tongue,  
O Lord, you know it completely.

<sup>5</sup> You hem me in, behind and before,  
and lay your hand upon me.

<sup>6</sup> Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;  
it is so high that I cannot attain it.

<sup>7</sup> Where can I go from your spirit?  
Or where can I flee from your presence?

<sup>8</sup> If I ascend to heaven, you are there;  
if I make my bed in Sheol, you are there.

<sup>9</sup> If I take the wings of the morning  
and settle at the farthest limits of the sea,

<sup>10</sup> even there your hand shall lead me,  
and your right hand shall hold me fast.

## Second Reading

## Jonah 1

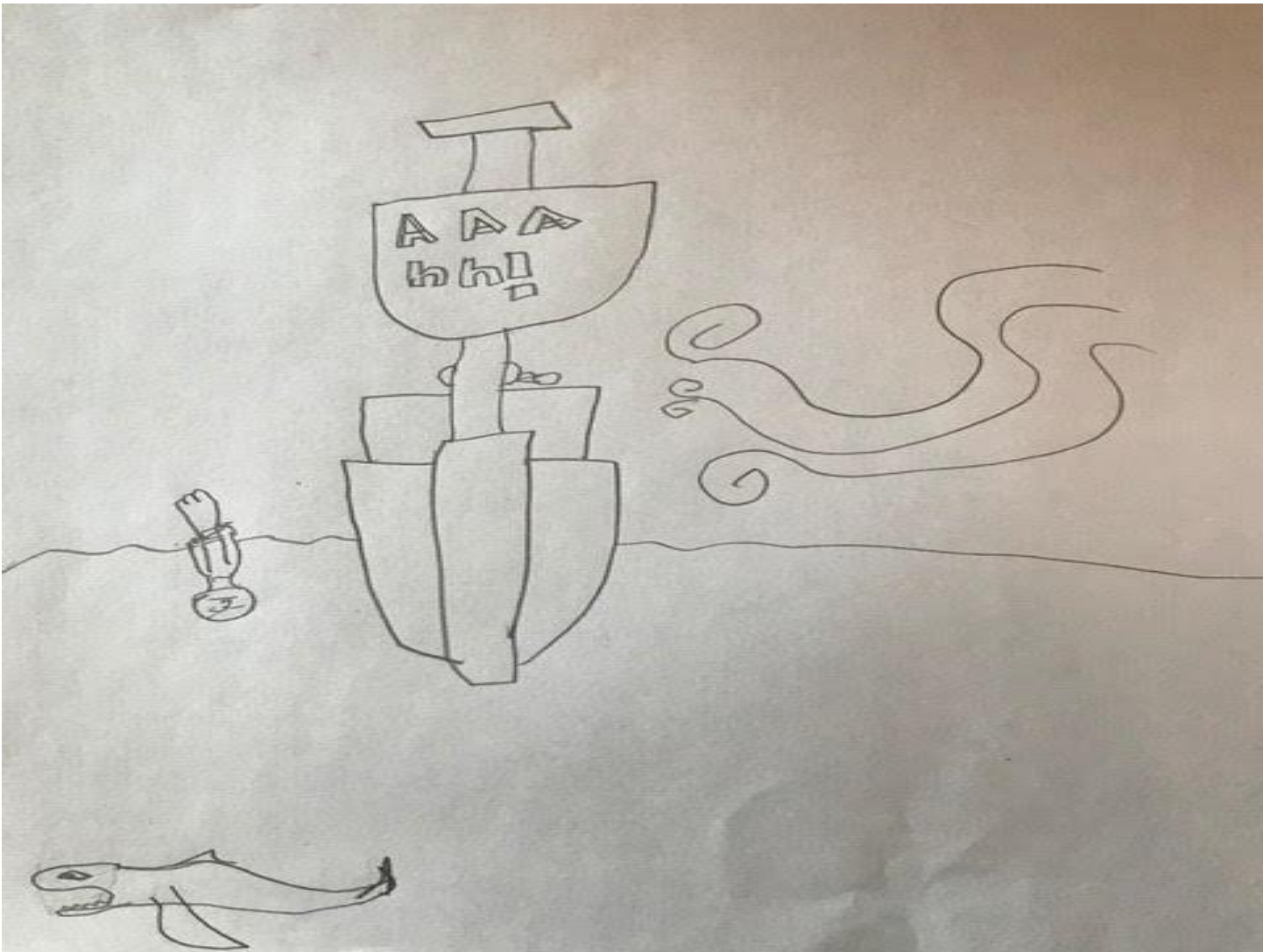
*God calls Jonah to go and prophecy to the people of Nineveh. Nineveh was the capital of the Assyrian Empire, the enemy of the Israelites. Jonah tries to run away to Tarshish - in the opposite direction of Nineveh. But God is still with Jonah.*

<sup>1</sup> Now the word of the Lord came to Jonah son of Amittai, saying, <sup>2</sup>'Go at once to Nineveh, that great city, and cry out against it; for their wickedness has come up before me.' <sup>3</sup>But Jonah set out to flee to Tarshish from the presence of the Lord. He went down to Joppa and found a ship going to Tarshish; so he paid his fare and went on board, to go with them to Tarshish, away from the presence of the Lord.

<sup>4</sup> But the Lord hurled a great wind upon the sea, and such a mighty storm came upon the sea that the ship threatened to break up. <sup>5</sup>Then the mariners were afraid, and each cried to his god. They threw the cargo that was in the ship into the sea, to lighten it for them. Jonah, meanwhile, had gone down into the hold of the ship and had lain down, and was fast asleep. <sup>6</sup>The captain came and said to him, 'What are you doing sound asleep? Get up, call on your god! Perhaps the god will spare us a thought so that we do not perish.'

<sup>7</sup> The sailors said to one another, 'Come, let us cast lots, so that we may know on whose account this calamity has come upon us.' So they cast lots, and the lot fell on Jonah. <sup>8</sup>Then they said to him, 'Tell us why this calamity has come upon us. What is your occupation?'

Where do you come from? What is your country? And of what people are you?' 9'I am a Hebrew,' he replied. 'I worship the Lord, the God of heaven, who made the sea and the dry land.' 10Then the men were even more afraid, and said to him, 'What is this that you have done!' For the men knew that he was fleeing from the presence of the Lord, because he had told them so.



11 Then they said to him, 'What shall we do to you, that the sea may quieten down for us?' For the sea was growing more and more tempestuous. 12He said to them, 'Pick me up and throw me into the sea; then the sea will quieten down for you; for I know it is because of me that this great storm has come upon you.' 13Nevertheless, the men rowed hard to bring the ship back to land, but they could not, for the sea grew more and more stormy against them. 14Then they cried out to the Lord, 'Please, O Lord, we pray, do not let us perish on account of this man's life. Do not make us guilty of innocent blood; for you, O Lord, have done as it pleased you.' 15So they picked Jonah up and threw him into the sea; and the sea ceased from its raging. 16Then the men feared the Lord even more, and they offered a sacrifice to the Lord and made vows.

17 But the Lord provided a large fish to swallow up Jonah; and Jonah was in the belly of the fish for three days and three nights.

**How do the Bible readings speak to you?**

## On-line Worship at Emanuel Sundays at 10:30AM



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

Just click on the Zoom link below on Sunday at 10:30AM:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/93690864460?pwd=CHZ5RVNsdnFYcDhhNVdMKzA2VEN1QT09>

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: [Donate](#)**

[www.emanuelww.org](http://www.emanuelww.org)

## How to get free money for Emanuel

Direct your  
**Thrivent Choice  
Dollars**  
Today!



### Do you have a Thrivent Financial account?

Please check your account to see if you have available **free Thrivent Choice** dollars. If so, you can direct Thrivent to donate them to help Emanuel.

There are thousands of dollars available each year. But you need to direct them to Emanuel, so they will benefit our church!

If you're not familiar with the **Thrivent Choice** program, just ask your Thrivent Representative. Or send an e mail to Pastor Todd, or Emanuel's Treasurer, Carol Johnson. They can help you.

Thank you to everyone who has already designated their Thrivent Choice dollars to help Emanuel.

Please direct your Thrivent Choice dollars today.

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

**For Healing & Comfort:** Joseph Roberts Jr. (friend of the food pantry), Jane Watson (Scott's mother)

**Worship Assistants**

	<i>Summer Schedule June 23</i>	<i>June 30</i>
<b>Counter:</b>	<b>Ken Wieboldt</b>	<b>Mary Schabek</b>
	<b>9:15AM</b>	<b>9:15AM</b>
<b>Lay Minister:</b>	<b>Donne Sennett</b>	<b>Bruce Johnson</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Ushers</b>	<b>Bruce Johnson &amp; Brandee Muncey</b>	<b>Mary Schabek</b>
<b>Lector:</b>	<b>Diane Gadoury</b>	<b>Jack Gibbs</b>
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	<b>Endowment Committee Reveal Celebration</b>	<b>Pam Beck</b>

**June's Memorial Candle**



The Memorial Candle for June is given by  
Margaret & Jack Teehan in loving memory  
of **Lilly Froiseth & John Teehan.**



### **This Week at Emanuel**

Monday, June 17	10:00am	Deliveries to food pantry (10AM – 1PM)
	7:00pm	Al-Anon (Jacobs Hall)
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Tuesday, June 18	9:00am	Bible Study (JH)
	10:00am	Food Pantry 10AM - 12PM
		Pastor's Office Hours 10AM to 2PM
	7:00pm	Nancy Johnson Memorial Service
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Wednesday, June 19	10:00am	Ellie's Circle (JH)
	3:00pm	Walking Bible Study (Goddard Park Boat Ramp parking lot)
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Thursday, June 20		SUMMER SOLSTICE
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Friday, June 21		Strawberry Moon
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Saturday, June 22		
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Sunday, June 23	9:15am	Worship in Person & Online
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost	10:15am	Coffee Hour
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### **Next Week at Emanuel**

Monday, June 24	8:00am	Drama Camp Registration
	8:30am	Drama Camp 8:30AM to 12:30PM
	10:00am	Deliveries to food pantry (10AM – 1PM)
	7:00pm	Al-Anon (Jacobs Hall)
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Tuesday, June 25	8:30am	Drama Camp 8:30AM to 12:30PM
	10:00am	Food Pantry 10AM - 12PM
	6:30pm	Bazaar Craft Night (FH)
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Wednesday, June 26	8:30am	Drama Camp 8:30AM to 12:30PM
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Thursday, June 27	8:30am	Drama Camp 8:30AM to 12:30PM
	1:30pm	Live, Laugh & Learn Lunch at Richard's Pub
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Friday, June 28	8:30am	Drama Camp 8:30AM to 12:30PM
	7:00pm	“Are We There Yet” Drama Camp Play
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Saturday, June 29		
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Sunday, June 30	9:15am	Worship in Person & Online
6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost	10:15am	Coffee Hour

## Upcoming Commemorations

### **Onesimos Nesib, translator, evangelist, died 1931**

**Friday, June 21, 2024**

Onesimos was born in Ethiopia. Captured, enslaved, and taken to Eritrea, he was there freed by Swedish missionaries. He translated the Bible into his native Oromo and returned to preach there.

### **John the Baptist**

**Monday, June 24, 2024**

John said, "[Jesus] must increase, but I must decrease." And so his birth is celebrated half a year before Jesus', just as the daylight in the northern hemisphere begins to wane. Jesus honored John as being the greatest prophet.

### **Presentation of the Augsburg Confession, 1530**

**Tuesday, June 25, 2024**

On this day in 1530 the German and Latin editions of the Augsburg Confession were presented to the Emperor Charles of the Holy Roman Empire. The Augsburg Confession was written by Philipp Melanchthon and endorsed by Martin Luther, and consists of a brief summary of points in which the reformers saw their teaching as either agreeing with or differing from that of the Roman Catholic Church of the time.

### **Philipp Melanchthon, renewer of the church, died 1560**

**Tuesday, June 25, 2024**

Though he died on April 19, Philipp Melanchthon is commemorated today because of his connection with the Augsburg Confession. Colleague and co-reformer with Martin Luther, Melanchthon was a brilliant scholar, known as "the teacher of Germany."

### **Cyril, Bishop of Alexandria, died 444**

**Thursday, June 27, 2024**

Cyril defended the orthodox teachings about the person of Christ. After a conflict involving all of the major Christian leaders of the time, it was decided that Cyril's interpretation, that Christ's person included both divine and human natures, was correct.

### **Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyons, died around 202**

**Friday, June 28, 2024**

This important early church leader tried very hard to hold to the faith handed down by the apostles. An opponent of the movement known as gnosticism, Irenaeus was one of the first to speak of the church as catholic, or linked together.

### **Peter and Paul, Apostles**

**Saturday, June 29, 2024**

These two strong-willed apostles are the pillars of the church in the first generation after Christ. Peter was one of the Twelve, one who both offered a glorious confession of faith and later denied knowing Jesus. Paul once led the persecution of Christians, then was converted and helped bring the faith to non-Jewish people.

Double click on link below to see Emanuel's online calendar:

**[Emanuel's Online Calendar](#)**

The calendar is on Emanuel's web site.