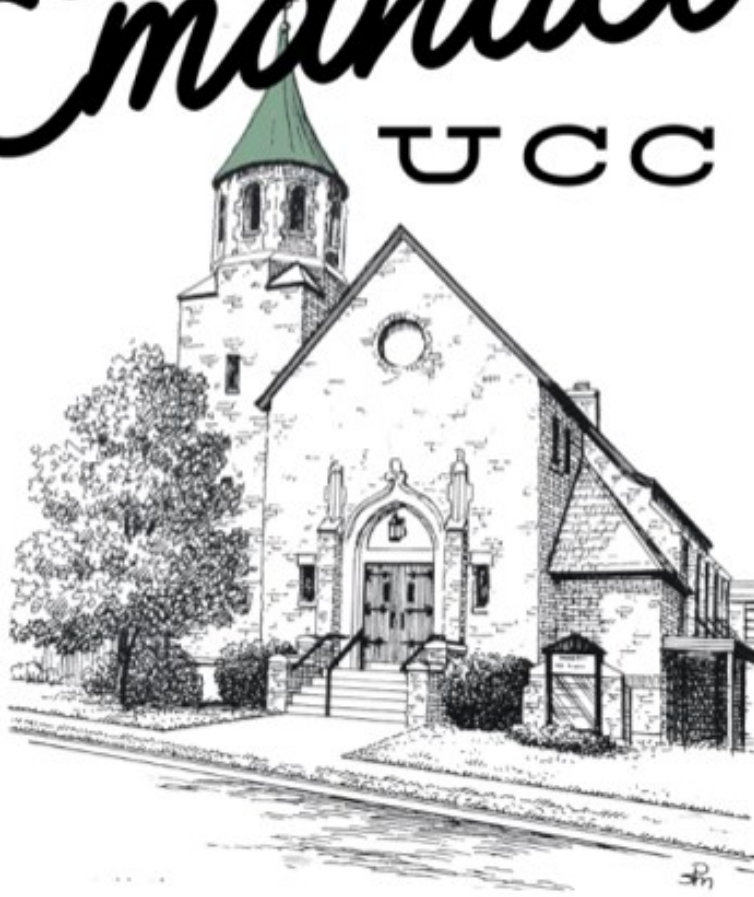


Emanuel

UCC



Good News!

October 2025

Welcoming. Witnessing. Worshiping... through Christ.

Our Staff

Pastor: Joshua W. Rau
Choir Director: Kelly Crawford
Organist: Christy Shinn
Administrative Assistant: Debra Hoffmann
Office Assistant: Alyssa Rau

Our Leadership

President: Jimmy McCormack
Vice President: Katie Beardslee
Treasurer: Pat Holley
Secretary: Geoff Shinn
Buildings and Grounds: Matt Roethemeyer
Worship Coordinator: Kelly Crawford
Lay Services Director: Matt Zschille
Head Usher: Layton Beggs

*Church Council Meetings are the 2nd Sunday at 8:00 am.
All members are welcome to attend council meetings.*



Visitor Info



Ways to Give

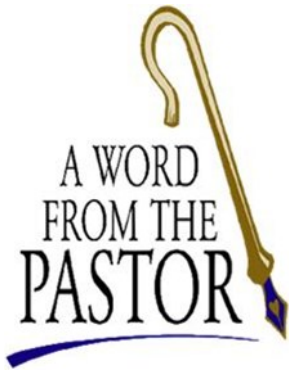
Pastor: Cell: 715-294-0157 ~ **Email:** pastorjoshuarau@gmail.com

Office: 573-243-3323 ~ **Email:** office@euccjackson.org

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9am-3pm

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"I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord!'" (Psalm 122:1)

Dear Friends in Christ,

As we turn the page to October, my heart is full of gratitude for the vibrant worship life we share here at Emanuel. Each week, whether in the beauty of our traditional worship or the Spirit-filled joy of Ignite, we gather as one people. Worship is at the very center of who we are, shaping us and sending us forth to live out the love of Christ. I am so honored that I get to lead you each week as we seek God moving in us.

I am continually blessed by the pastoral care I share with you, walking together through moments of joy, of sorrow, of new beginnings and quiet endings. These holy moments remind me daily of God's faithfulness and the strength of the community we have in one another.

We are also deeply blessed by the leadership God has provided for Emanuel. From our staff to our council, from our musicians to the many who serve behind the scenes, I see the Spirit at work in the gifts you share so generously. Your dedication strengthens our worship, enriches our ministries, and allows Emanuel to continue being a beacon of Christ's love in our community.

Looking ahead, I am filled with hope and excitement for the amazing things God is doing among us. With the addition of new music leadership in Ignite worship, the continued faithfulness of our choir and organist, and the many ministries that flow from this place, I believe God is preparing us for a season of growth, joy, and renewed purpose.

Let us continue to be a people rooted in worship, strengthened by care for one another, and open to the Spirit's leading. May we, together, keep our eyes fixed on the One who is always making all things new.

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Josh

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JACKSON, MO 64201
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Pastoral Care

If you or someone you know is in need of a pastoral visit or would like home communion. Please reach out to Pastor Josh. He is available to the needs of Emanuel at any time, day or night

Pastor Josh ~ 715-294-0157



“And I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will feed you with knowledge and understanding.” – Jeremiah 3:15

October is Pastor Appreciation Month, a time set aside to give thanks for those whom God has called to lead, teach, and shepherd His people. Pastors walk alongside us in times of joy and sorrow, pointing us always to Christ and His unending grace. Their ministry is not simply a role but a calling—an expression of God’s care for the church.



At Emanuel, we are especially grateful for the ministry of Pastor Josh. His dedication is evident in the way he leads worship with joy, preaches God’s Word with clarity and compassion, and walks with us in moments of celebration and in times of grief.

He has a heart for pastoral care—visiting the sick, comforting the grieving, and encouraging each of us in our daily walk with Christ. His leadership has helped us grow in both our traditional and contemporary worship life, and his vision for Emanuel continues to guide us as we seek to be a place of welcome, grace, and love for our community.

On **Sunday, October 19**, we will observe **Pastor Appreciation Sunday**. This will be a special opportunity to recognize Pastor Josh, share our gratitude, and lift him up in prayer for his continued ministry among us. Pastor Josh became our full-time pastor on July 24, 2024.



We also want to extend heartfelt appreciation to Rev. Sam Roethemeyer, our Pastor Emeritus, whose ongoing support, encouragement, and love for Emanuel’s mission continue to strengthen our church family. His presence and faith-filled guidance remind us of the legacy of pastoral leadership that has helped shape Emanuel into the vibrant community of faith we are today. We celebrated Rev. Sam’s 50 years of ordained ministry on June 8, 2025

Finally, we give thanks to all the pastors who have faithfully served Emanuel throughout the years. Each has left a lasting impact on our life together, and we remember with gratitude the ways they nurtured our congregation in Christ’s love.

Let us join together this October to celebrate and honor those who have answered God’s call to shepherd our community of faith.

Worship Life at Emanuel: Rooted in Tradition, Growing in Spirit



At Emanuel, worship is at the very heart of our life together. We are blessed with a vibrant worship life that offers both strong traditional worship and the energy of our new Ignite contemporary service. We gather as a family of faith, united around the Sacrament of Holy Communion monthly at both services. It is here, at the Lord's Table, that we are reminded of God's unending grace and the gift of Christ's presence among us.

Our traditional worship is filled with the rich sounds of the organ and the inspiring voices of the choir, led by our dedicated and gifted musicians. Week after week, this music uplifts our hearts and draws us deeper into the presence of God. We worship with liturgy rooted in the traditions of the church. Our readings, sermons and music fill us as we gaze at the wonder and awe of our beautiful sanctuary.

At the same time, our Ignite service continues to grow in spirit and energy. Ignite offers a fresh, contemporary style of worship that connects with people in new and meaningful ways. And now, thanks to the generosity of one of our members, we are excited to add a praise team to most Ignite services. This gift will further

strengthen the musical leadership of Ignite, helping us continue to grow in creativity, passion, and faith.

No matter which service you attend, you will find Emanuel's worship life to be strong, vibrant, and centered in Christ. We give thanks for all the ways God is blessing our congregation through word, song, sacrament, and community. Truly, worship at Emanuel is a place where grace is present, faith is nurtured, and Christ is proclaimed.

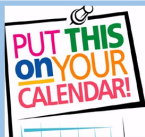
See you in church!



Recognizing the need to find innovative ways to reach new and existing members, the council has approved a twice-weekly radio advertisement for the ministries of Emanuel to air on local radio station, **KHIS**.

This decision marks a fresh chapter in outreach and community building, forging a path for the ministries of Emanuel to touch lives far beyond the congregation's walls.

Sponsorship of this monthly advertising is available. For more information contact the church office.



Upcoming Events

Wed.	Oct. 1	Choir Practice 6:00 pm
Thurs.	Oct. 2	Bethany Circle in church parlor 2:00 pm
Sat.	Oct. 4	Ignite Worship 5:30 pm in Fellowship Hall
Sun.	Oct. 5	- Faith & Fellowship 9:00 am - Traditional Worship 10:10 am - Eastern Association Meeting-Washington, MO
Tues.	Oct. 7	Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 6:30 pm
Sat.	Oct. 11	- Clothing Closet open 9-11 am - Ignite Worship 5:30 pm in Fellowship Hall
Sun.	Oct. 12	- Church Council 8:00 am - Faith & Fellowship 9:00 am - Traditional Worship 10:10 am - Fellowship Hall reserved after church
Tues.	Oct. 14	Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 6:30 pm
Wed.	Oct. 15	Choir Practice 6:00 pm
Sat.	Oct. 18	- Conference Annual Gathering-Fulton, MO 9 am-4 pm - NO IGNITE WORSHIP—please join us for traditional worship on Sun., Oct. 5 at 10:10 am
Sun.	Oct. 19	- Faith & Fellowship 9:00 am - Traditional Worship 10:10 am <i>Pastor Appreciation Sunday</i> - CBE after worship
Tues.	Oct. 21	Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 6:30 pm
Sat.	Oct. 25	Ignite Worship 5:30 pm in Fellowship Hall
Sun.	Oct. 26	- Faith & Fellowship 9:00 am - Traditional Worship 10:10 am ♦ Congregational Meeting after worship - Fall Festival 4-6 pm
Tues.	Oct. 28	Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 6:30 pm
Wed.	Oct. 29	- Choir Practice 6:00 pm - Fellowship Hall reserved—Women's Fellowship will be serving the Jackson Noon Optimist Lunch
Sat.	Nov. 1	Sausage Supper - No IGNITE WORSHIP—please join us for traditional worship on Sun., Nov 2 at 10:10 am
Sun.	Nov. 2	- Faith & Fellowship 9:00 am - Traditional Worship 10:10 am ♦ All Saints Day—Memorial Sunday
Thurs.	Nov. 6	Bethany Circle in church parlor 2:00 pm

Weekly Use of Church Facilities

Every Monday	TOPS 11am
Every Tuesday	Guitar Lessons 3:30-6:30 pm

Greeters-October

Oct. 5	Ann Fields Stephania Doggett
Oct. 12	Roxie Davis Joy Kessler
Oct. 19	Shawn, Jodi & Parker Peetz
Oct. 26	Brenda Pender Mark Statler

Altar Flowers-October

Oct. 5	Pat Holley
Oct. 12	Debra Hoffmann
Oct. 19	Shirley McCormack
Oct. 26	Brenda Pender

Readers-October

Oct. 5	Earlene Sokolowski
Oct. 12	Chris Crawford
Oct. 19	Cathy Sievers
Oct. 26	Catheryn Hartle

EMANUEL UCC INVITES YOU

BIBLE STUDY

Every Tuesday

6:30
PM

Starting
September 8, 2025

MEETING GOD

When you meet God, you will be changed. This bible study will engage your heart and mind. And enlarge your vision of the God you worship and serve.

Emanuel UCC
314 E. ADAMS ST.
JACKSON, MO 64205
573-343-3323
Joshua W. Rine, Pastor

October 5, 2025



Neighbors in Need Special Mission Offering

Gifts to Neighbors in Need support the United Church of Christ's ministries of justice and compassion throughout the United States. One-third of NIN funds support the Council for American Indian Ministry (CAIM). The other two-thirds of the offering support a variety of justice initiatives, advocacy efforts, direct service projects, and grants.

Donation Envelopes are available in the pews.
Please make checks payable to EUCC and write NIN in the memo line.

October 26, 2025

Tentative Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Opening Prayer
3. Elections:
 - Church Council Nominees-3 positions
Matt Roethemeyer—run for 2nd term
Pat Holley—run for 2nd term
Ann Fields
 - CBE Nominees-3 positions
Morgan Hoffman
Amber McCormack
Lydia Shinn
 - Conference Delegates
Alyssa Rau
4. Budget/Financial report
5. Buildings & Grounds report
6. Business from the floor
7. Adjourn

A copy of the budget is attached to the newsletter email. Printed copies are available in the vestibule or church office.



Fall Festival-Trunk Hosts Needed!

Our annual Fall Festival is right around the corner, and we need your help to make it a wonderful evening for our children, families and community!

The highlight of the event is our **Trunk-Or-Treat**, where kids enjoy visiting decorated trunks to collect candy, play games and see all the fun displays.

We're inviting church members, families and groups to volunteer to host a trunk. It's simple:

- Decorate your car trunk in a fun, family-friendly theme
- Bring candy or small prizes to share with children
- Enjoy an evening of fellowship, fun, and outreach!

Whether you go all-out with a big display or keep it simple, your participation will help create special memories for kids in our church and community. Contact a member of the JOY class to reserve your spot.

Let's join together to make this Fall Festival a joyful time of celebration and welcome for ALL!



EMANUEL UCC'S ANNUAL

Sausage SUPPER

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1
4PM-7PM**

\$15 TICKETS

COME ENJOY SOME AMAZING
SAUSAGE WITH ALL THE FIXINGS!

Dine In or Carry Out Available

Questions/Sausage Sales Contact
Geoff Shinn 573-979-4428

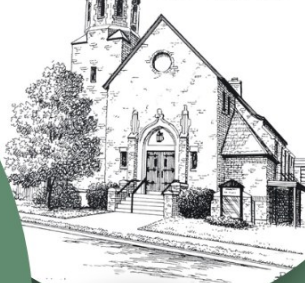
Raw and Cooked Sausage Available

**304 E. ADAMS ST
JACKSON, MO**



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November 1

Sausage Supper Reminders:

- We will get started early that morning. This year the committee will provide breakfast for those volunteering that morning.
- Contact Catheryn to sign up to volunteer and/or to bring a dessert.
- Contact Jimmy to help set up the fry shack - tentatively set up on Wednesday, October 29, backup date is the next day on Thursday the 30th.
- Sausage Sales:
 - Raw \$5 per pound
 - Cooked \$7 per pound

Operation Christmas Child



Emanuel will be participating in the Operation Christmas Child project again this year. Samaritan's Purse sends gift-filled Christmas Child shoeboxes to children in need around the world together with the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

As you begin your Christmas shopping, include this important project on your list. The list of gift suggestions will help you as you plan your box.

Boxes must be brought to the church by Sunday, November 16. Pastor Josh will bless them during worship.

If you are unable to prepare a box, monetary donations can be made to help cover the cost of shipping the boxes. Make checks payable to EUCC and write Operation Christmas Child in the memo line.

EUCC Project Leaders: *Heather Beggs, Clara Beggs and Morgan Hoffman.*



Gift Suggestions

A "WOW" Item Small backpack Soccer ball and pump Stuffed animal Toy Hobby kit	Personal Care Items Toothbrush Washcloth Comb and brush Nail clipper and file Water bottle Flashlight
Games & Activities Puzzles Coloring books Dry watercolor set Binoculars and compass Jump rope Stickers Games	Toys Small ball Building blocks or Legos Slinky or yo-yo Toy cars Plastic animals Interactive toys Other small toys & figures
School Supplies Pencils, erasers, pens Crayons Colored pencils Markers Notebooks Index cards Scissors Ruler Glue Stick Drawstring Bag	DO NOT INCLUDE Soap Food, candy or gum Toothpaste Used or damaged items Scary or war-related items Wearable camouflage Seeds or organic matter Liquids Medication Money Breakable items Matches, aerosols Knives or razor blades
Clothing & Accessories Flip-flops or shoes Sunglasses Hat Clothing & undergarments Winter cap, scarf, mittens	Box Dimensions: <i>Cardboard</i> 12x7x4.38 inches <i>Plastic</i> 13x7.5x4.7 inches

A full printed list of Gift Suggestions is available in the vestibule.



Stewardship Corner

Dime-a-Day

At the present time we have a balance of \$1421.00. We are still seeking a goal of \$5000.00. If you have not participated yet, please donate \$36.50 for this year for each member of your family. You can use the envelope provided in the pew, or mark dime a day on your check, and you can donate online. You can donate 70 cents a week or any amount you wish. We are collecting this money for **special projects**. Things are needed throughout the year and there is no monies allocated for them, but with this collection, there is no stress involved.

Thanks to all who have already donated.

Food Pantry

The food pantry is one of our church's missions. It is our way of helping those in need in our community. There is a collection barrel in the back of the church by the bell. There is a list of items frequently needed, but it is not a definitive list. Think of your own family, if you are out of tuna, buy an extra and donate. If you are running low on flour, maybe someone else is too. It is nice to provide complete meals, like stews, spaghetti and spaghetti sauce, soups, etc. It is also nice to provide cookie mixes or cake mixes occasionally for treats. You have the option to donate money as well. This is a very successful mission and you are faithfully contributing to it.

Thank you for your giving hearts.

Things To Look Forward To

You will receive additional information in the future, but just a few things to put on your calendars and anticipate.

- November 1st—Sausage Supper. Volunteer to help or bring a friend to share this delicious meal
- November 8th and 9th—Invite a friend to church. Share our fellowship.
- November 30th—Advent Sing hosted by our church
- December 6th—Holiday Market. Bring your relatives and neighbors to look at the beautiful things and buy some last minute gifts
- Christmas Shoe box mission and the Gifts for Baby Jesus (*see page 9 for shoebox info and below for Gifts for Baby Jesus info*)
- February 22, 2026—Auction—Check with your employer to see if they would like to donate any items. Plan on participating.

Unleashing Potential Outreach Mission

One of Emanuel's other mission projects is done through the Gifts for Baby Jesus (*also known as Birthday Presents for the Birthday Child*) which began in 1989. This project supports Unleashing Potential (the former Caroline Mission). UP is a part of an after school programming and tutoring service that is in over 50 schools in the St. Louis Metro area. Some of the impact of UP can be seen in the preschool program where all the students meet or exceed standards for kindergarten readiness. High school students are graduating from high school and many are attending some form of continuing education. They are providing them an opportunity for jobs that will provide a livable income and lead them to becoming productive members of the community.

UP truly appreciates our support. Your tangible gifts are important to those they serve.

Emanuel United Church of Christ is an active thriving congregation.

Thanks to everyone!

Stewardship Committee

*****Special Note: Church T-Shirts are Here—**If you ordered a shirt(s) please pick them up in the Conference Room located across from the church office.

Women's Ministries



Bethany Circle

Eight members of Bethany Circle gathered in the church parlor for the September 4, 2025 meeting. Joys and concerns were shared followed by prayer. Debra Hoffman and Cathy Sievers shared a devotion on "Friendship".

President Debra reported a balance of \$710.33 in the treasury.

New Business

- Annual Women's prison kit project is to continue until September 21, 2025. Donations will be collected and delivered to the CWU festival of sharing on October 3, 2025.
- A report was heard on the Ignite Worship Service.
- The Women's Fellowship will be selling Butter Braids before Thanksgiving.
- A Bible Study will begin on September 9, 2025 at 6:30 in the Ignite Worship center.
- A report was heard on the Clothing Closet. Nice winter coats, sweats, etc., are needed.
- Update on the Noon Optimist club using Emanuel Fellowship Hall for meetings was given by Alyssa Rau and Debra Hoffmann.
- Upcoming fundraiser was discussed. More to follow on that project.
- Members voted to change regular meeting times to **1st Thursday at 2pm.**

Business meeting was adjourned. Refreshments were served by hostess Susan Brown.

The next meeting will be October 2 @ 2pm. Pam Brown will be providing the devotion and Dorothy Rowley will be serving as hostess.

Respectfully submitted,

Secretary Cathy Sievers

Bethany Circle Outreach Project Missouri Women's Prison Packs



Thanks to all who made a donation to the Missouri Women's Prison Packs project. Bethany Circle will present a check for \$250.00 at the Festival of Sharing this month.



Women's Fellowship

Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 5—Band Bags will be packed immediately after worship.

Wednesday, October 29—We will be catering a Noon Optimist meal. Please contact Catheryn if you would be able to help that day.

Saturday, November 1—Sausage Supper. See the information on page 8.

Sunday, November 9—Women's Fellowship quarterly meeting following worship.

**BETHANY CIRCLE
NEW MEETING TIME
2 P.M.**

Meetings for October, November and December 2025 will begin at 2 p.m.

All women of the church are invited to join us.



Clothing Closet

Emanuel UCC is pleased to offer free clothing to anyone in need through our Clothing Closet Ministry

**2nd Saturday of each month
9:00 am-11:00 am**

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320A East Adams St.  
Jackson, MO 63755

(white house on the corner of E Adams & Georgia St)

**Donations of winter clothing being accepted**

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

573-243-3323

We will be open on **Saturday, October 11**. We need only winter items at this time.

- Clean, gently used coats, hoodies, sweatshirts are needed for this winter. Children's and adult sizes are needed.

# Church Council Minutes

Below are the unapproved minutes from the September 14, 2025 Church Council Meeting. Minutes will be approved at the next council meeting.

## **EUCC Council Meeting Agenda 9/14/25**

Meeting Members: Kelly Crawford, Geoff Shinn, Katie Beardslee, Pat Holley, Jimmy McCormack, Layton Beggs

Members absent: Matt Roethemeyer, Matt Zschille

The meeting was called to order at 8:08 with an opening prayer by Pastor Josh.

Previous minutes were available for review. Motion for approval of previous minutes made by Kelly and seconded by Geoff. Council approved.

Treasurer and Financial reports given by Pat Holley. Will file for audit.

## **Report of Committees**

Buildings and grounds report: None except sanctuary A/C is not working today

Audit committee report: Earlene & Jordan will meet Wed 9/17 to audit the first half of the year.

Rental property: All is well

Clothing Closet: They had 11 people come on 9/13

Stewardship Committee: Met and had general conversation about fundraisers for the church.

CBE report: Will meet next week

Lay Service/ Member Care report: None

Worship report: All is well

Head Usher report: All is well

Pastor Report with notes from Pastor Joshua Rau

1. Presented a proposal from Shivelbine's for a keyboard, stand and bag. Katy motioned to accept the proposal for the keyboard to be paid for with Memorial Fund money. Second by Layton. Motion passed
2. Ordination process will continue with an online class through Feb. '25
3. Yoking with another congregation.
  - a. Abby Road may be interested. Josh doesn't want to continue if the main focus is fiscal. The first focus should be ministry.

## **Old Business**

Facility Use Agreement final version

- a. Facility Use Fee Schedule approval - Geoff motioned to approve the Facility Use Agreement and Fee Schedule. Kelly second. Motion passed

Church Mutual Insurance Quote - Tabled

Membership Committee report & list - Handed out for Council review

Member Directory update - Tabled

## **New Business**

1. Staff Evaluations - PSRC representative Chris Crawford. At 8:45 Katy motioned to enter Executive Session. Geoff seconded. Motion passed. After returning from Executive Session, Kelly moved to amend the call agreement to "Vacation: The pastor will receive four (4) weeks of vacation including four (4) Sundays and four (4) Saturdays off during each 12 months of service." due to the new Saturday night Ignite service. Pat second. Motion passed.
2. Donation to the church - Susan Loenneke and Steve Zschille donated \$50,000 to a relief fund for the church in memory of their parents, Herman (Jr.) and Joyce Zschille. They also designated Matthew Roethemeyer to be the overseer of the donation. The Council decided to establish a separate account and also require Council approval to spend funds from that account.

# Church Council Minutes

## 3. Congregational Meeting Agenda - Tabled

Call to Order

Opening Prayer

Election

Council Nominees

Matt Roethemeyer - 2nd term

Pat Holley - 2nd term

Ann Fields

??looking for 2 more individuals

CBE Nominees

Morgan Hoffman

Amber McCormack

Lydia Shinn

Conference Delegate

Alyssa Rau

Budget/Financial

Buildings & Grounds

Business from the floor

Adjourn

Next meeting: October 12, 2025

Meeting adjourned at 9:44 with motion by Kelly, seconded by Pat with the Lord's prayer led by Jimmy.

Submitted by: Geoff Shinn, Church Council Secretary

# FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Pat Holley, Treasurer

## August 2025 BUDGET COMPARISON

| 2025 BUDGET   |                                                  |                                                                                    |
|---------------|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Annual Budget | Budgeted Contributions<br>Monthly Average        | 2025 YTD Annual Budget<br>thru August '25 (1 Mo)                                   |
| \$235,086.00  | \$19,590.50                                      | \$156,724.00                                                                       |
|               | August '25 MTD Contribu-<br>tions & Other Income | August '25 YTD Contribu-<br>tions & Other Income                                   |
|               | \$9,691.70                                       | \$95,514.50                                                                        |
|               | 2025 August Excess<br>(Shortfall)                | Projected EOY 2025 Annu-<br>al Budget Shortfall based<br>on Income Thru August '25 |
|               | (\$9,898.80)                                     | (\$91,814.25)                                                                      |

| CONTRIBUTIONS TO SPECIAL OFFERINGS & DEDICATED FUNDS NOT<br>AVAILABLE TO FUND CHURCH BUDGET |                                |                        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
|                                                                                             | Contributions in August<br>'25 | Contributions YTD 2025 |
| UC Funds                                                                                    | \$150.00                       | \$1,500.68             |
| Dime-A-Day                                                                                  | \$0.00                         | \$523.34               |
| CWS Blankets                                                                                | \$0.00                         | \$370.00               |
| California Disaster<br>Relief                                                               | \$0.00                         | \$595.00               |
| FMSC                                                                                        | \$0.00                         | \$910.14               |
| Food Pantry                                                                                 | \$0.00                         | \$190.00               |
| One Gt Hr Sharing                                                                           | \$0.00                         | \$245.00               |
| Strengthen the<br>Church                                                                    | \$0.00                         | \$415.00               |
| Women's Prison<br>Kits                                                                      | \$75.00                        | \$75.00                |

| Ignite Worship<br>August 23-September 27 |            |          |
|------------------------------------------|------------|----------|
| Date                                     | Attendance | Offering |
| 8/23                                     | 23         | \$77.00  |
| 8/30                                     | 7          | \$22.66  |
| 9/6                                      | 19         | \$58.00  |
| 9/13                                     | 4          | \$8.00   |
| 9/20                                     | 15         | \$31.00  |
| 9/27                                     | 6          | \$30.50  |
| Radio Spot Donations: \$220.00           |            |          |

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

## October

|    |                    |
|----|--------------------|
| 1  | Shawn Peetz        |
| 4  | Tyler Lutes        |
| 6  | Linda Kremer       |
| 7  | Larry Meier        |
| 11 | Lori Martin        |
| 12 | Heinz Brown        |
| 14 | Katherine St. John |
| 17 | Carla Quigley      |
| 22 | Judy Peetz         |
| 23 | Kathy Prokopf      |
| 25 | Madilyn Mouser     |
| 26 | Doug Voshage       |
| 28 | Beckett Brown      |
| 28 | Rhett McCormack    |
| 28 | Lance Trankler     |
| 29 | Mark Statler       |
| 30 | Elsie Peetz        |
| 30 | Louise St. John    |
| 31 | Larry Borgfield    |



## October Anniversaries



|   |                                       |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| 4 | Christy & Mark Bock, 21 <sup>th</sup> |
|---|---------------------------------------|

## Recommended Scripture for October

|            |                                                                   |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| October 5  | Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4<br>2 Timothy 1:1-14<br>Luke 17:5-10         |
| October 12 | Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7<br>2 Timothy 2:8-15<br>Luke 17:11-19           |
| October 19 | Genesis 32:22-31<br>2 Timothy 3:14—4:5<br>Luke 18:1-8             |
| October 26 | Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22<br>2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18<br>Luke 18:9-14 |

## We Keep in Prayer

*Please keep in your prayers those who are in need of healing and our shut-ins and homebound members. May God's grace surround them with comfort and care.*

Mary Lou Abernathy, Pat Abernathy, LaDonia Beggs, June Borgfield, Larry Brockmire, Alice Koeppel, Robert Loos, Junior Peetz, Marvin Peetz, Terri Pensel, Helen Poston, Alice Quigley, Cindy Smith and the Family of Betty Hoffmeister as they mourn her passing.

**The due date for submissions for the November newsletter is October 27, 2025. Please send submissions to: [office@euccjackson.org](mailto:office@euccjackson.org) or call 573.243.3323.**

Emanuel United Church of Christ  
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Jackson, Missouri 63755  
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# Worship With Us!

|                                                               |                                                              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Ignite Worship</b><br>A Contemporary Worship<br>Experience | <b>Traditional Worship</b><br>Liturgical Worship Celebration |
| <b>Saturday</b><br>5:30 p.m   Fellowship Hall                 | <b>Sunday</b><br>10:10 a.m.   Sancturary                     |
| Holy Communion~ Monthly 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday and Sunday   |                                                              |
| Faith and Fellowship ~Sunday School   9:00 a.m.               |                                                              |