

Emmanuel Lutheran Church March 2020 Newsletter

Emmanuel Lutheran Church 1843 -2018

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Church Office: 724-865-2325

Interim Pastor: Margarethe Galbraith=Cordes – Pastoral needs 724-622-7123

Pastor Margarethe Galbraith -Cordes - Interim Minister

Happening at Emmanuel

- Weekly Sunday School
- Community Prayer Walks
- Dinner outing
- Worship Participant Schedules
- Birthdays
- Lent

Want to contribute to the Newsletter

Call: 412-614-9597 or

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Send a Card

The following church members and friends are not always able to attend church services. Take a minute and send a card or note to these individuals. They certainly will appreciate it.

Marlin D. Sarvey

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Box 255

Prospect, PA 16052

Mary Lou Hines

1011 Prospect Road

Evans City, PA 16033

Ruth Bortz

140 Schantz Road

Prospect, PA 16052

Edythe Burger

464 Stonecliff Way

Butler, PA 16001

Lent

church website:

www.emmanuelcprospects.org

tpa.org

FACEBOOK:

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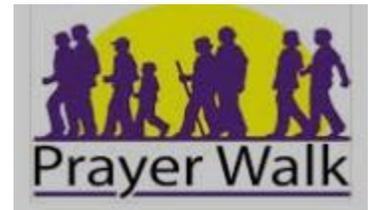
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Happy Birthday in March

13 Tyler Pritts

24 Marlin Sarvey

29 Leslie Mortimer



Community Prayer Walks

On the second Tuesday of every month members of our local churches gather for a community prayer event. Local churches host the event on a rotating basis. Watch for details in your Sunday bulletin.

March 2, 2020 at 6:30 pm here at Emmanuel

See Betsy Forrester with question

March Worship Participants

March 1 Dan Dillman	Jeanne Sarnese
March 8 Betsy Forrester	Rita Beaumont
March 15 Judy Campbell	Cheryl Vollnogle
March 22 Gordon Phetteplace	Pat Vagasky
March 29 Dan Dillman	Teddy Davis
Acolyte/Crucifer: Tyler Pritts, Evan Wolfe, Abby Bicker	Weekly ushers: volunteers

Healing Services 2020

Healing Services take place on the 5th Sunday of any month having 5 Sundays.
The schedule for 2020 is:

- Sunday March 29 2020
- Sunday May 31, 2020
- Sunday August 30, 2020
- Sunday November 29, 2020

EMMANUEL DINNER OUTINGS



Members of Emmanuel have been enjoying dinner together at various restaurants. We meet every other month usually on the second Wednesday of the month. Join us for at our next dinner for an enjoyable evening of dining and fellowship. Watch for details in the Sunday bulletin.

Sunday School

Sunday School: meets every Sunday after the church service.

Confirmation Class: Sundays after the service.

Looking Ahead

- **Wednesday March 25**
Mid week BALM Lenten Service here at Emmanuel at 7:00 pm
- **Maunder Thursday**
Service at St. John's 4/9/20 7:00pm
- **Easter:**
Sunday April 12, 2020
- **Pentecost:**
Sunday May 30, 2020

Butler Area Lutheran Ministries

**2020 LENT MIDWEEK WORSHIP
PRAYING THE PSALMS**

MARCH 4
FIRST ENGLISH | 241 N. MAIN ST., BUTLER
PREACHER: PR. PETER ASPLIN, ASSISTANT TO THE BISHOP

MARCH 11
TRINITY | 120 SUNSET DR., BUTLER
PREACHER: PR. JOEL BENSON

MARCH 18
CAMP LUTHERLYN WORSHIP AT FIRST ENGLISH | 241 N. MAIN ST., BUTLER
PREACHER: PR. KIMBERLY VAN DRIEL

MARCH 25
EMMANUEL | 143 CHURCH ST., PROSPECT
PREACHER: PR. MARGARETHE GALBRAITH-CORDES

APRIL 1
GRACE@CALVARY | 123 E. DIAMOND ST., BUTLER
PREACHER: PR. TARA LYNN

JOIN US!
EVENING PRAYER EACH WEEK AT 7 PM
RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

Church Council

- Council President* Teddy Davis.
Vice President: Betsy Forrester
Jenn Taylor.....
Gordon Phetteplace.....
Barry Nelson.....
Diane Pritts.....724-865-9548
Jack Rinker.....
Kalene Ireland.....724-234-2796
Lisa Sten.....724-865-2527

Lenten Challenge

Our Southwestern PA Synod Hunger Education and Advocacy Team is challenging you during Lent this year to think more about how we are taking care of "the least of these" by specifically focusing on the problem of hunger, how we contribute to it, and how we help to fight it. This is a Lenten discipline to take up which includes elements of the traditional Lenten disciplines: fasting, prayer, and almsgiving. Use these forty days to walk more closely with Jesus as we walk with our hungry neighbors.

Each week will have a new challenge (meat consumption, food waste, SNAP challenge, community gardens, and children's feeding programs) and related information to help us all reflect on several factors that contribute to the problem of hunger and actions we can take to help.

These can be done alongside of other hunger awareness or fundraising programs that you already engage in, such as the ELCA World Hunger 40 Days of Giving program. As you participate in these challenges, please share your experiences by posting on our Facebook Page (SWPA Synod Hunger Team) or emailing hunger@swpasynod.org.

Check your bulletin for each weekly challenge