

## Resources

### John 4 : 23 - 24 (NIV)

*"Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth."*

## Student Ministries

Student Ministry information can be found at the Event Center or online at [emmanuelcommunity.org](http://emmanuelcommunity.org).

### Weekly Meetings:

The WAVE meets Sundays from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Join us for our summer meeting inside door #3. Brochures containing all of our summer events are available at the Event Center and online.

### Upcoming Meetings and Events:

**5th Element** - Weekly Sunday morning meetings for those who have just finished 5th grade begin on June 5th, from 10:30-11:30am in the Crossing (upstairs in the Family Life Center).

### Deep River Water Park

It's summer and there's no better way to cool off than spending the day with friends at a waterpark! We'll leave ECC at 8:30 am and return by 9:00 pm. You'll need money for 2 fast food meals. Cost is \$30 and registration is due back by July 3. Pick up a brochure at the Event Center for more details!

**Wednesday Connections:** Meet at Indian trails park for a cookout and games Wednesday, July 13th from 12-2pm.

Parents: Want to keep current with what's happening in Student Ministries? Email Kay at [khupperts@eccfw.org](mailto:khupperts@eccfw.org) to be put on our "5 Things..." weekly email.

## Worship Service Options



### Saturday at 6:30 pm (FLC Gym)

*Worship in a casual atmosphere and enjoy the same sermon that is shared on Sunday.*



### Sunday at 9:00 & 10:30 (Worship Center)

*Inspiring worship with worship team and band... great message!*



### Sunday at 9:00 & 10:30 (FLC Gym)

*Relaxed, inviting worship... message via live video feed.*

## Did you know?

**Community Time:** Join us for coffee and donuts in The Commons or the FLC Gym between worship services.

### Alternative giving options:

Text an amount to 260-370-6556, for credit/debit card visit our website, and ECC Direct Give (EFT) forms are available at the Event Center.

**Lost and found** is located above the mailboxes in the mail area by the Family Life Center gym.

### Hearing Impaired Units

can be found at our sound booth or by asking an usher.

Our **Prayer Room** is open during normal business hours and accessible upstairs in the Galatians Room.

**Subscribe online:** You can mark the back of your eCard to request to receive electronic updates, such as eNotes and Daily Scripture. You can sign up to join a LifeGroup on our website.

### Download Sermon Notes

using Emmanuel Guest wifi network. The password is [joinguest](#).

### Church Office Hours:

**Mon-Thurs, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm,**

**Fri 8:00 am - 12:00 pm**

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Saturday, June 18, 2016 at 6:30 pm

Sunday, June 19, 2016 at 9:00 am & 10:30 am

Worship Arts Week

Good, Good Father

Ephesians 5 : 1 - 17

Steve Fish

# WORSHIP ARTS WEEK

## Today's Focus

Last week we focused on the Father who seeks worshipers who worship Him in spirit and truth. We found that our relationship to Him is the key. Today we will press into what it means to call God our Father. How do we as God's followers imitate Him, so that we show we are His 'really' children?



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## Welcome to ECC

We're glad you chose to worship with us today! If you are new, please stop by our Welcome Center to pick up a Welcome Packet and gift.

### Church Mailboxes

We are doing an inventory of our church mailboxes which are located at the far end of the Family Life Center past the gym. If you have a box and don't want it anymore simply take your magnet off and put it in the black box outside the church office. If you don't have a mailbox but would like one mark your **eCard**.

### Adult Baptism Class July 17, 11:45 am - 12:30 pm

Are you ready to be baptized? We will be holding an outdoor baptism service on Sunday, August 14. We invite you to attend a baptism preparation class on Sunday, July 17 from 11:45-12:15 pm in the John room (144.) During this time you meet with Pastor Denny and will learn what you will need to know for the August event. Please respond by marking your **eCard**.

### Tin Caps Outing August 28

Save the Date to join us at the TinCaps! We will be sitting in the HU Picnic Pavilion and will have a full buffet available starting at 2:05 pm. The game will start at 3:05 pm. Tickets cost \$15 for adults, \$10 for kids ages 2-7, free for kids under two, and will be available for purchase at the Event Center.

### Vacation Bible School [Jun 20 - 24, 9:00 - 11:30 am]

This Monday our VBS expedition begins! As your kids prepare to be submerged in God's Word, they will discover that Jesus saw people differently. Thank you all for registering in advance, this has helped us prepare for the week. For those of you who still want to sign up please do! Also, if you will be bringing guests, you will need to have parents register them prior to the start of VBS. Look for the registration link online at [www.emmanuelcommunity.org](http://www.emmanuelcommunity.org)



### New to ECC?

Stop by the Welcome Center in the main foyer outside of the Worship Center and someone will give you a tour of our facility and an overview of our church's programming.

### eConnect [July 3, Room 169, 10:30 am]

Whether you're new to ECC or you've been around a while, this one-hour session will help acquaint you with our ministry and is the first step to church membership.

### Membership Class [Sunday, Aug 21]

Prerequisite is eConnect. Please mark your **eCard** if you would like to attend.

### ECC Emergency Contacts:

If you have an emergency and need to reach a pastoral staff member outside of regular office hours, call 260-615-4602 or 260-494-8586.

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### OASIS Senior Ministries

**OASIS Women's Prayer Coffee [Thur, July 21, 9:30 am]** Join us for a meaningful time of prayer at 13519 Pebble Run Court, FW 46814. Call Sylvia at 260-616-0751 for directions.

### OASIS Prayers for Our Nation [Wed, June 22, 1:30-2:00 pm; Galatians Room]

Join us for prayer on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month, and with the presence of the Holy Spirit, our ECC Prayer Room will become a "War Room" for God's glory!

### OASIS Lunch & Learn [Mon, July 11, The Commons, 12:00 pm]

The OASIS Lunch and Learn is a monthly gathering where we eat, enjoy each other's company, and listen to a great speaker. Please join us in The Commons and bring a dish to share!

### Missions & Outreach

#### REACH Story Celebration Thursday, July 28, 2016 6:30 - 8:00 pm, The Commons

Join us in celebrating how God worked through our summer teams! This event is not just for team members, it is open to everyone. We will be hearing stories from our middle school and high school teams who served in-country, along with our team of mixed ages who served in Nicaragua. Dinner is included; please bring a dish to share. Sign up on your **eCard** to attend.

### Eat-n-Reach: Glunt Family July 31, 12:00 pm, Mark/Luke Rooms

Brian and Rachel Glunt will be moving to Thailand on August 10th to serve with Global Ministries. As their home church we want to take the opportunity to enjoy a meal together with them as we send them out. Join us for lunch as we hear about the ministry that awaits them. Please sign up on your **eCard** to attend.

### Worship Team Auditions [Jun 22 & 23 6:30 - 8 pm]

Dust off those vocal chords and instruments and sign up for our Worship Team Auditions! **Vocal** auditions will be held June 22; **band** auditions will be held June 23. Pick up your music at the Event Center. Contact **Dan** at [dfriend@eccfw.org](mailto:dfriend@eccfw.org) to sign up.

### Children's Ministry

#### Classroom Assistants and Subs Needed

We are looking for several assistants to help in the classrooms this summer. We are in need of a Kindergarten, 2nd grade and 4th grade assistant. This involves assisting the lead teacher in classroom activities. We would also love to build our substitute teacher team. You would be called on an "as-needed" basis when our regular teachers are unavailable. Please sign up on your **eCard** for either!

#### Summer Preschool Volunteers Needed

If you have the heart to serve with preschoolers, we are looking for your help! In the months of July and August, we are in need of youth volunteers and adult leaders for both the 9:00 and 10:30 am services. If you would like to help, please mark your **eCard**.

### Submerged is Here!

At this year's Vacation Bible School event called Submerged, kids will take an adventure like no other; deep within the mysterious sea. As kids submerge themselves in God's Word, they will discover that Jesus didn't just see what's on the outside of people. He looked deep down on the inside to find truth just below the surface!

We invite you to set aside some time each morning this week during June 20th-24th during the hours of 9-11:30am to commit to faithful prayer EVERYDAY to the Lord and ask Him to work in mighty ways. Our Children's Ministry is seeking to be dependent on God's power and presence to lead us and provide for us in every way. If you would like to join us with intentional prayer, use the following suggestions to help guide you.

**Monday:** Pray for the registration process, good attendance and the Leadership Team on Day One of Submerged, VBS 2016.

**Tuesday:** Pray for relationships to develop. Help everyone to be genuine, prayerful and open to the Spirit.

**Wednesday:** Pray for the children who do not know Jesus as their Savior and Lord. Ask that they can begin to believe God sent Jesus and they can accept God's gift of forgiveness. Ask that nothing would stop the Spirit from working. The Gospel will be shared with the children on this day. Pray for leaders to discern and join God where HE is working.

**Thursday:** Pray for patience, encouragement, and stamina for the leaders and volunteers. Pray that they would be able to enter the final 2 days with energy and be able to end the Submerged Expedition strong!

**Friday:** Ask the Spirit to continue working today as children ask questions about salvation and make eternal decisions. Pray that the children would continue applying what they learned throughout the week as they continue on their spiritual journeys. Pray that the learning won't stop after VBS!

**"For where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them." Matthew 18:20**

### Counseling Center

#### Interns:

Emmanuel has well trained, counseling interns who provide individual, family, or group counseling options. Instructions for scheduling your session with them can be found below.

#### Scheduling an Appointment:

Emmanuel provides several counseling options. To schedule an appointment with Bob Bruce, Kim Fish, or one of our interns, go to [www.emmanuelcommunity.org](http://www.emmanuelcommunity.org), select the Connect option, then the Counseling and Care page. Fill out the form located at the bottom of the page. If it is an emergency, call 260-615-4602.

#### Support Group:

Bimonthly **Adoption** support group. We support families with adopted children by connecting them to community, celebrating adoption, and offering support for the unique needs of adoptive families.

Future Dates:

September 18

November 20

Contact **Sara Ward** for more information at [eccsara@mac.com](mailto:eccsara@mac.com).

**Memory Cafe** takes place the 3rd Monday of each month, and is a place where individuals with memory loss and their care givers can get together in a safe, supportive and engaging environment. It is a time and a place where people can interact, laugh, cry, find support, share concerns and celebrate without feeling embarrassed or misunderstood. The Cafe will center around socializing and support.