

## Resources

### I Cor. 3:16-17 (NIV)

*Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit dwells in your midst? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy that person; for God's temple is sacred, and you together are that temple.*

## Student Ministries

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

### Weekly Meetings:

**The WAVE** - What's the WAVE? It's our weekly summertime youth meeting featuring teaching on essential theology, student-led worship, and fun competitions. Dive in to the WAVE this Sunday night from 6-7:30pm. Check-in inside door #3. Brochures containing all of our summer events are available at the Event Center & online.

**5th Element** - (a group for those who are transitioning into Middle School) meets every Sunday in July from 10:30-11:30am in the Crossing/Café (upstairs of the Family Life Center). On August 7th, these students are invited to their first student ministry meeting, The WAVE, on Sunday night!

### Upcoming stuff...

- July 27 – Coldstone Creamery
- July 28 – Story Celebration for Louisville and Memphis mission trips
- August 7 – 1st WAVE meeting for new 6th graders!
- August 27 – Movement Seminar for all adult Youth Leaders

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, July 23, 2016 at 6:30 pm  
Sunday, July 24, 2016 at 9:00 am & 10:30 am

Beth HaMikdosh  
House of Holiness

The Decline of the  
Temple

Various Scriptures

Dennis Miller



## Today's Focus

Today we see that the great Temple of Solomon becomes less important to the Jews as the world and its temptations become more attractive. People first lose the love for God's Word, and then they lose God's blessing. Finally, they even lose the Temple.



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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.

### Tickets for sale! Tin Caps Outing [August 28]

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. Stop by the Event Center today to purchase your tickets!

### Funeral Meal Team Coordinator

We are looking for a person or couple who would like to serve as Funeral Meal Team Coordinator. This person would be responsible for organizing and overseeing a meal for individuals who have had a death in their family. The meal is conducted at the church following a funeral. This would involve one or two meals a year. For more information or to volunteer, contact **Pastor Bob** at [bbruce@eccfw.org](mailto:bbruce@eccfw.org).

### Women's Ministry Volunteer Training [Aug 24, 7:00-8:30 pm, Mark/Luke]

If you would like to serve in women's ministries during the 2016/2017 year, please plan to attend our coffee and dessert volunteer training. Join us, whether you have served previously or are interested in being involved for the first time, and mark your **eCard** to RSVP your attendance. Email **Kim Fish** at [kfish@eccfw.org](mailto:kfish@eccfw.org) with questions or for more information.



### 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 [August 7, 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.

### Follow us!

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His Word

### OASIS Senior Ministries

**OASIS Women's Prayer Coffee [Thur, Aug 18, 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, July 27, 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, Aug 8, The Commons, 12:00 pm]

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

### Children's Ministry

#### Elementary Classroom Teachers and Assistants

We currently need a 4th grade assistant (this involves assisting the lead teacher in classroom activities) and will need a Kindergarten lead teacher and assistant for the month of August. If you would like to help, please mark your **eCard**.

#### Preschool Classroom Teachers and Assistants

We will need 4 or 5 teachers and 4 youth volunteers for the month of August. If you would like to help, please mark your **eCard**.

### Nursery

ECC is growing, as evidenced in our nurseries! Serving just once a month allows parents to worship, provides a child with the first impression of church, and volunteers have the opportunity to meet/greet so many families! If you would like to join the Nursery Team, please mark your **eCard**.

### Kids' Walk Welcome Team

We are looking for a few friendly people to assist with check-in on Sunday mornings in the Kid's Walk area. No experience necessary and you would not be committing to every Sunday. Mark your **eCard** if interested.

### Crafting Extravaganza [July 28th, 6:30-9pm]

Are you interested in learning a craft or hosting a table to share a talent? You are invited to join us on the 4th Thursday of each month through October to craft together from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. in Acts. All projects will be donated to the 2016 Extravaganza. This is also a great time of fellowship! Mark your **eCard** if you will be attending or contact **Pastor Michelle** at **mblocher@eccfw.org** for more details.

### Missions & Outreach

#### Serve at the Rescue Mission

The second Sunday of each month, we send volunteers to serve lunch at the Rescue Mission. If you're interested in serving there as a family or as a small group, please mark your **eCard**.

### 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.

### F4F Race to Rescue

We are gearing up for another Race to Rescue, as a part of the Fort 4 Fitness fall event. Race to Rescue is an opportunity for us to raise money to rescue children from the sex trade through the ministry of Destiny Rescue and make others aware of their ministry. There are a variety of race options and we want to encourage you to participate in one and choose DR as your charity partner on the F4F registration form. Or, if you won't be racing, we could use your help to promote DR on the race route. Please check out our website for more information: <http://emmanuelcommunity.org/raceto rescue>. We would love to have your support!

### UB Women's Conference [Sept 30-Oct 2]

Make plans to join hundreds of other women in Gettysburg for our denomination's bi-annual women's conference. Come enjoy fellowship, encouragement, and valuable teaching! We have 8 spots reserved at the Early Bird Price. Call Cathy at 260.356.2312 to register for one of ECC's discounted spots. Visit [ubwomen.org](http://ubwomen.org) for details and the schedule. To reserve a seat on the church bus go to the event page on ECC's website, find this event, and you will find the link to sign up. First come, first served.

### 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 Groups:

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**.

**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.

Our Walk