

Resources

Luke 23 : 3 (NIV)

*So Pilate asked Jesus, "Are you the king of the Jews?"
"You have said so," Jesus replied.*

Student Ministries

Student Ministry information can be found at the Event Center or online at emmanuelcommunity.org.

Weekly Meetings...

- Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm - **Ignite Meeting** (6th-12th grade) in the FLC Gym through March (see special note inside bulletin).
- Sunday 6:00-7:30 pm – **Collide** (Middle School) and **Impact** (High School) meetings. Check-in inside door #3.
- Sunday 11:00 am - "Moving on from High School" class, for Seniors only.

Upcoming Events...

- Apr 28-29th – Middle School **Believe Conference** in Holland, MI. Brochures are available at the Event Center or on our website. Cost is \$95. Registration forms and \$25 deposit are due by April 9th.
- June 11 - 16 - Middle School Mission Trip to Milwaukee
- June 11 - 20 - High School Mission Trip to Nicaragua

Parents...

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

Worship Service Options



Saturday at 5:00 and 6:30 pm (FLC Gym)
Worship in a casual atmosphere and enjoy the same sermon that is shared on Sunday.



Sunday at 9:30 & 11:00 am (Worship Center)
Inspiring worship with worship team and band... great message!



Sunday at 9:30 & 11:00 am (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 joiquest.

Church Office Hours:
Mon-Thurs 8:30 am - 4:30 pm,
Fri 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

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Saturday, March 18, 2017 at 5:00 & 6:30 pm
Sunday, March 19, 2017 at 9:30 & 11:00 am



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.

Holy Week [April 8 - 16]

As Jesus' life ended, so many things began. During Holy Week 2017, we will look at "The End of the Beginning" of so many things in our lives. From remembering Jesus' death through Holy Communion, to His resurrection three days later, we will all experience our own end to His beginning.

Palm Sunday: Sat. 5:00 & 6:30 pm; Sun. 9:30 & 11:00 am. We will have Holy Communion in all services. Regular Children's Programming (Infant - 5th grade) will be available Saturday at 5:00 pm and Sunday at 9:30 & 11:00 am. ABLE Teens will meet on Sunday at 11:00 am.

Good Friday: 12:00 pm in both the Worship Center and Family Life Center (FLC). Full Children's Programming (Infant - 5th grade & ABLE Teens) will be available.

Easter Sunday: Sat. 5:00 & 6:30 pm; Sun. 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 am. Children's Programming (Infant - 5th grade) will be available Saturday at 5:00 pm and Sunday at 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am. ABLE Teens will meet on Sunday at 11:00 am.

Easter Generations Choir

We will be having a Generations Choir participate in our Easter services, April 15th and 16th. This is open to kids (5 yrs. old and older), Middle Schoolers, High Schoolers, and Adults. Rehearsals will be from 6:30 - 8:00 pm on the following Thursdays: March 23, March 30 and April 13. If you or your child would like to participate or if you would like additional information, please sign up on your eCard or contact **Jason Holliday** at jholliday@eccfw.org.

The Beginning of the End

The End of Fear

Luke 22:47-62

Todd Fetters

Today's Focus

We continue our series by watching the soldiers arrest Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane and walk Him to Caiaphas' house. Throughout the chaos, Jesus was under control... and in control. Peter, on the other hand, was controlled by fear. From the interactions between Jesus and Peter, we learn the good news that faith brings an end to fear.



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eConnect

New to ECC?

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

eConnect

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.

Join us the **first full weekend of each month** for this class on Saturday at 6:30pm and Sunday at 11:00am in Room 169. Please mark your **eCard** if you would like to attend.

Membership Class [TBD]

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

Women's Prayer Coffee [Apr. 20, 9:30 am]

Join us for a meaningful time of prayer at Sylvia Jacobson's house. Her address is 13519 Pebble Run Court, Fort Wayne, 46814. Call Sylvia at 413-7625 for directions.

Prayers for Our Nation [Mar. 22, 1:30 pm]

Join us in the Galatians room for prayer on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month. With the presence of the Holy Spirit, Galatians will become a "War Room" for God's glory!

Lunch & Learn [Apr. 10, The Commons, noon]

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.

Counseling Ministry

Integrate for Life Conference

[Saturday, April 22, 8:00 am - 3:15 pm, ECC]

The Integrate for Life Conference is designed to equip individuals, families, churches and professionals with insights and practical strategies to move them toward healing, wholeness, and a balanced life. To register and find more details about the conference and workshops, go to our website, click on "Events" then on "Integrate for Life". Early registration deadline is March 22nd.

Empowered to Connect Conference

[Friday, April 28 & Saturday, April 29, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, ECC]

Empowered to Connect is designed to help adoptive and foster parents, ministry leaders and professionals, or any parent looking to better understand how to connect with "children from hard places" to help them heal and become all that God desires for them to be! To register, go to our website and click on "Events" then scroll down and click on "Empowered to Connect".

Easter Breakfast Fundraiser

[April 16, 7:00 - 10:00 am, The Commons]

Come hungry Easter morning and enjoy a hot, home-cooked breakfast provided by the women who are traveling to Nicaragua in May to continue their sewing ministry. Breakfast & baked goods will be served in The Commons from 7:00 to 11:30 am. Baked goods will also be available on Saturday night to take and enjoy at home on Easter morning. Donations are welcome and appreciated.

Missions & Outreach

March Local Service Opportunity

This month's local service opportunity is with Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA). Their needs vary from help in the office (stuff mailings, file papers) to being a coach or "Huddle Leader" for their upcoming Power Camp which runs from June 12 - 16. If you feel God calling you to serve with FCA, go to: www.indianafca.org/volunteer.

Extravaganza Crafters

[Monday, March 27, 6:30 - 9:00 pm, Acts]

If you would like to share an evening with friends, please join us for a night of crafting. You may bring a project or just come help complete ongoing crafts. You don't have to be crafty, just have a willing heart and hands. All projects will be donated to the 2017 Extravaganza. To register sign up on your **eCard** or for questions, email Michelle Blocher at mblocher@eccfw.org.

2017 Golf League

This year's golf league will start on April 25th and run through August 29th. The league start time is 5:30 pm each Tuesday at Chestnut Hills Golf Course. The cost to participate is \$25 per person and \$22.50 weekly greens fees, which include a cart. You may sign-up as a two-person team or individually. To register, visit our website and click on "Events" then scroll down to "Golf League". For questions, contact **Pastor Craig** at cmickey@eccfw.org.

Exercise Classes

Sunday Night (6:15 pm): The Stretching and Toning Class will change slightly over the next few weeks. Katie Woolman will be teaching Pilates on March 26th, April 2nd, 23rd and 30th. The class will not meet on April 9th and 16th. All skill levels welcome.

Monday Morning (9:00 am): Katie Woolman will be leading a 4-week Pilates class for all levels starting Monday April 3rd. Please wear comfortable clothes and bring a towel and water. The class will be held at ECC in The Clubhouse. For more information or questions, contact katherinewoolman@gmail.com.

Student Ministry

Special Note:

March will be the last month of Ignite Meetings (Wednesday night) this school year. In April, our Sunday night meetings will begin to blend elements from Ignite and Collide/Impact.

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, hover over "Resources", then select the Counseling and Care page. Click the "request an appointment" button to submit a form. 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.

For more information contact **Sara Ward** at eccsara@mac.com.

Memory Cafe takes place the 3rd Monday of each month from 3:00 - 5:00 pm in the Acts room, and is a place where individuals with memory loss and their caregivers can get together in a safe, supportive and engaging environment. It is a time and a place where people can, laugh, cry, find support, share concerns and celebrate without feeling embarrassed or misunderstood. The Cafe will center around socializing and support. Contact **Sarah Gargac** at **937-684-7459** for more info.