

# **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

Below are just a few of our current opportunities. To find a full listing, go to our website, click on "Get Involved", then "Serve". You may sign up on your eCard.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

#### **Upward Concessions**

Volunteers are needed to serve the community through Upward Concessions. Please contact **Craig Mickey** at **cmickey@eccfw.org** if you are willing to serve any time during Saturdays January through March.

# WARMTH MINISTRIES

#### Welcome Center Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help at the Welcome Center primarily during second service on Sunday. Please email **Craig Mickey** at **cmickey@eccfw.org** if you would like more information about serving at the Welcome Center or if you have questions.

## **WORSHIP ARTS**

Are you a tech-savy person looking for a way to serve at Emmanuel? We are looking for volunteers to help with lighting, audio, and video production. Training will be provided. For more information or questions, please contact **Michala Brooks** at **mbrooks@eccfw.org**.

# **WAYS TO GIVE**



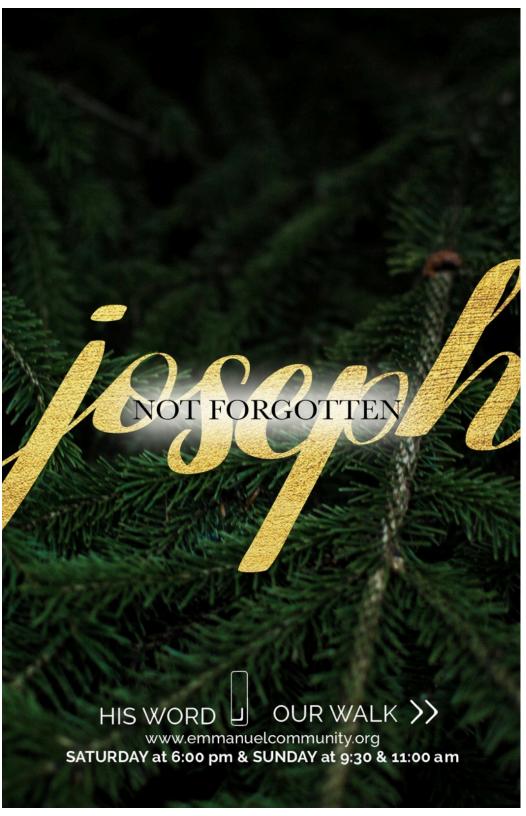
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# WELCOME TO ECC

Emmanuel is a community of people committed to giving Jesus Christ our worship through the careful study of His Word, the application in Our Walk, thus being disciples who share His warmth and do His work to reach our world.



# THINGS TO KNOW

eCard The eCard in your bulletin is the best way to connect with us and let us know you are here. You can also sign up for various ministry events or let us know your prayer requests and/or comments. Please fill out one per family each week and put it in the offering basket.

Welcome Center If you are new to Emmanuel, we have a Welcome Center to share information about the church as well as a small gift for you. It is located in the main lobby under the "Welcome" sign.

eConnect If you want to know more about ECC, this one-hour class will help you learn about the ministries of Emmanuel. eConnect is offered the first full weekend of the month on Sunday at 11:00 am in Room 169.

Get Involved For a complete listing of ways to get connected at ECC, visit our website at www.emmanuelcommunity.org.

The Commons

You are invited before each service on Sunday mornings to come to The Commons for coffee and donuts. It's a great place to meet new friends and see familiar faces. This room is located to the left when exiting the Worship Center.

## **FEATURED EVENTS**



#### **Christmas Services**

Please join us either on Saturday, December 23rd at 4:30 or 6:00 pm or on Sunday, December 24th at 9:30 or 11:00 am for Christmas Services. All services will be the same and full children's programming will be available at each service.



We all need people in our lives, but not just anybody. We need people willing to challenge us, grow with us, and pray for us. People who will help us as we apply God's Word to our every day. Are you looking for "your people"? We welcome you to join a Group at ECC. New Groups are forming this January. Stop by the Event Center or sign up online.

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## **ADULT MINISTRIES**

New Midweek Classes [begin Wednesday, January 10, 2018, 6:30 - 8:00 pm] To sign up for one of our new classes, go to our website, click on "Adults", then "Studies". The sign up deadline is January 7<sup>th</sup>.

**Christ-Centered Parenting** – Do you ever feel ill equipped to talk about the cultural issues of our day with your kids? This six-week study will help equip parents of preschool through college aged kids to navigate difficult and complex cultural issues that face our families today.

**Uninvited**– Living loved when you feel less than, left out, and lonely by Lysa Terkeurst. Serena Luithly will be leading this 6 week women's bible study. We will tenderly tackle the hard subject of rejection using biblical truths shifting our focus from hurt to hope using God's word.

**The Truth Project** – This six-week men's study is designed to equip believers with a comprehensive biblical worldview. Participants will be reintroduced to the truth claims of God, and will discuss God's design for living out the Christian worldview in daily life.

## GROW - Part 1 [begins Wednesday, January 10, 2018, 6:30 - 8:00 pm]

This 13 week study is part 1 of a 4-part series that begins to unpack the Old Testament by focusing on the story of the chosen people and their history which leads to Christ. To register, go to our website, click on "Adults", then "Studies". The sign up deadline is January 7<sup>th</sup>.

### **WOMEN'S MINISTRIES**

Refresh [Monday, December 4, 7:00 - 8:30 pm, The Commons]
Join us at this bi-monthly event to help women connect with Jesus and each other! Marcia Thompson will be speaking about "Dis"comfort and joy. Sign up online, on your eCard, or email women@eccfw.org.

#### **REACH MINISTRIES**

#### Bag the Bus [weekends of December 3 & 10]

It's time to bag the trailers with your donations of non-perishable food items, clothes and small household items! Bring your donations before and after services the weekends of December 3<sup>rd</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>.

Jewelry Sale [Saturday, December 9 & Sunday, December 10, REACH Central] Shop for a cause! You will have the opportunity to shop for beautiful, handmade jewelry made by girls rescued out of the sex-trafficking industry by Destiny Rescue. Come find that special gift for the ladies in your life!

#### **OASIS MINISTRIFS**

Christmas Dessert [Thursday, December 7, 7:00 - 8:30 pm, The Commons]
O'Come join us for some delicious desserts, carol singing, and fellowship. Invite a friend, reach out to someone new at church, or just come as you are. RSVP to Jennifer Smith at jsmith@eccfw.org or sign up on your eCard.

#### a.b.l.e. MINISTRIES

Night to Shine - Save the Date [Friday, February 9, 2018, 6:00 - 9:00 pm] Emmanuel is proud to be an official host church for the 2018 Night to Shine, sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation. Night to Shine is an unforgettable prom night experience, centered on God's love, for people with special needs, ages 14 and older. Attendee and volunteer registrations will be coming soon. For more information, please contact Quinn Fetters at gfetters@eccfw.org.

# STUDENT MINISTRIES

#### Weekly Meetings:

Sunday from 6:00 - 7:30 pm - Collide/Impact - Join us for games, food, and teaching as we discover the good news of Jesus and how He impacts our lives. Check in at Door #3.

**Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:00 pm - Ignite -** Join us in the FLC gym where students will participate in worship, prayer experiences, Bible teaching, and same grade/gender small groups.

#### Unbag the Bus [Saturday, December 16, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm]

Join us as we "unbag" all of our donations! We will meet at the church at 9:00 am and leave from there. We will stop at several locations and then enjoy lunch together before heading back to the church by 1:00 pm. Bring around \$10 for lunch. Parents are welcome to serve with their kids.

# CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Midweek Pajama Party [Wednesday, December 6, 6:30 - 8:00 pm]
Join us in Kids' Walk for Midweek Christmas Edition! Pick out your favorite
pajamas and get ready for our 2017 Christmas wrap up. Elementary kids will
have a special snack of donut holes and hot chocolate! Preschoolers will have
donut holes and milk! \*NOTE\* - For safety, kids must wear shoes. No bare feet!

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