

All Community Worship Service November 20, 2022 10:30am

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As a church community, we gratefully acknowledge that we are beneficiaries of Treaty 6 and that we gather on the traditional homeland of diverse Indigenous Peoples and the Métis Nation.

THIS WEEK		
Monday	Jr Youth (Grade 7&8)	7:00pm
Tuesday	Heart Matters Ladies Bible Study Sr Youth (Grade 9-12)	9:30am 7:00pm
Wednesday	Forever InMotion	9:30am
Thursday	The Sanctuary Course	6:30pm
Friday	Community Prayer Forever InMotion Youth Event (Grade 7-12)	7:30am 9:30am
Saturday		
Sunday (Advent 1)	ESL (Zoom) All Community Gathering (Advent Wreaths)	8:30am 10:30am

## COMING UP ...

Event Calendar for Nov/Dec is available at the Welcome Desk.

**MUSE for Youth (Grade 7-12)** is on the 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month. **Next MUSE November 20.** Contact Rachel at rachel@ebap.ca for details.

**The Season of Advent begins November 27.** Please check out *Advent Happenings at Emmanuel* for details. ebap.ca/advent-2022

**Christmas Hampers** - Across our city the need for food supports has increased sharply this year. For 2022, we are primarily focusing our Advent giving on our Christmas Hamper program to address some of this need in our community & beyond. If you or someone you know would benefit from a hamper, please let Kari (kari@ebap.ca) know by **December 11th**. You can contribute by designating your donation to "hampers" under the Care Fund.

**Worship Collective - Sunday, Dec 4 at 10:30am.** Rehearsals on Wed, Nov 30 & Sat, Dec 3. Contact Rob at heypriest@gmail.com for more information.

**Seniors Dessert Afternoon - Thursday, Dec 8 from 2-3:30pm.** A Christmas gathering for seniors including dessert, devotion & carols. Contact info@ebap.ca if you have any questions.

**Children's Presentation - Sunday, Dec 11 at 10:30am.** Rehearsal on Sat, Dec 10. Contact Rachel at rachel@ebap.ca for more information.

JR Youth (Grade 7&8) Christmas Party - Monday, Dec 12 at 7pm. SR Youth (Grade 9-12) Christmas Party - Tuesday, Dec 13 at 7pm. Contact Rachel at rachel@ebap.ca for details.

# Information For Your First Time At Emmanuel

**Children's Ministry** - Our in-person programming for children is as follows: **The Nursery** (Room 118) is open but unsupervised for children aged 0-2. A **Preschool Class** (Room 120) is available for children aged 2-5. **Gradeschool Children** taking part in Sunday School will start in the sanctuary for a couple of songs before being invited to their class (Grade 1-3, Room 122 & Grade 4-6, Room 124). Please accompany them to meet their leaders if it is their first time. **All children will need to be picked up & signed out by their parents/guardians.** 

**Hearing Assistance** - Devices are available at the Welcome Desk. Ask an usher for instructions.

**Communion** - We celebrate communion each week by coming forward to the table. If mobility is an issue for you, please use the yellow card you'll find near your seat to indicate that you'd like someone to bring communion to you.

**Visitors** – Please do not feel obligated to participate in the Offering – We invite you to fill out a WelcomeCard and place it in the Offering Box. Information about our regular programs can be found in the Welcome Brochure under *Resources* at the Information Centre in the foyer.

For more information on our programs and our church community, check out www.ebap.ca

Our Vision: God-Dependent, Jesus-Rooted, Spirit-Led

Our Mission: To fully love God and all people for God's Kingdom, pleasure and glory.

Our Values: Scripture, Prayer, Generosity, Diversity, Community, Creativity, Outreach, Justice, Love

### **NEWS & NOTES**

**ESL** is looking for volunteers to join our online Sunday morning class. We meet from 8:30-10am, spend part of the time in a large group, & the rest of the time in smaller groups with 2 or more native English speakers & several ESL participants. We explore a Bible passage each week along with riddles, English idioms & aspects of Canadian culture. If you are interested in finding out more about this ministry, please contact Cam Milner (306-249-0957 or cmilner@shaw.ca).

MCC CONNECTS: Warm up for the winter & help support MCC's relief, development, & peace work by participating in our quilt sale! Each of these beautiful quilts have been sewn by generous donors & you can explore the collection of quilts at this link:

https://mcccanada.ca/mcc-saskatchewan-quilt-sale.

**PRAY FOR UKRAINE/CBM EMERGENCY RESPONSE:** Prayer requests from Ukraine & an opportunity to support the emergency relief effort are available here. <a href="mailto:cbmin.org/product/ukraine-emergency-relief/#">cbmin.org/product/ukraine-emergency-relief/#</a>

#### Some agencies in Saskatoon that are looking for help:

**The Bridge on 20th** - <u>TODAY'S</u> needs: men's underwear, boots, winter jackets, hygiene items. <u>Sorry, but we are short of space so if not listed above, we are not able to accept those donations at this time. Kitchen: coffee whitener, napkins, kleenex, toilet paper.</u>

Staff Positions Available: Donor Relations & Women's Ministry - Are you interested in joining our team, but not sure what role is the right fit for you? We'd love to hear from you! Contact office@thebridgesaskatoon.com

**Canadian Blood Services** - Donors are needed every day. Blood, plasma, platelets, stem cells, organs & tissues are a critical part of everyday medical care including major surgeries, medical procedures, cancer treatments & managing diseases. Every donation you make matters. Join Emmanuel's Group Donation Team and help us reach our goal of 40 units of blood donated this year by visiting blood.ca and adding your name to group number **EMMA272215**.

Saskatoon Food Bank - We appreciate all food donations. Our most wanted items are: baby food & formula, whole grain pastas & cereals, canned fruits & vegetables, canned protein, 100% fruit juice, peanut butter, hearty soups & stews. Food donations can be taken to most grocery stores or directly to the Food Bank at 202 Avenue C South. Cash donations are also accepted. Donate today at: <a href="mailto:saskatoonfoodbank.org">saskatoonfoodbank.org</a> or learn more at <a href="mailto:facebook.com/yxefoodbank/">facebook.com/yxefoodbank/</a>

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love.
Where there is injury, pardon
Where there is doubt, faith
Where there is despair, hope
Where there is darkness, light
Where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, let me not seek as much to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

#### PRAISE & PRAYER

If you would like prayer for yourself or someone you know, please contact the church office with your concerns. "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." ~ Phil 4:6

- 1. Pray for **Bill Elliott** as he is at home recovering from back surgery.
- 2. Pray for people in our community who have recently lost their jobs & are looking for work.
- 3. Pray for our Emmanuel community; for continued progress as we move forward in our journey together; for our finances, our programming, & for our mutual encouragement in faith.
- 4. Pray for those in our church family who are grieving the loss of family & friends.
- 5. Pray for **Reg Peachey** as he recovers from radiation & discusses the next steps of treatment with his medical team.
- 6. There are several other people in our church family who need continued prayer for health concerns. Please remember **Leonard Leapard, Emily Zacharias (Block), Fiona Reid-Anekie, Sadie Robson, Jennifer Reimer & Scott Fitzsimmons.** Also, please pray for those who care for them during this season of their ongoing health requirements.

#### Pray for our partners at home and abroad:

#### Overseas:

• Rev. Andre, Rev. Gato (Rwanda)

#### Close to Home:

- The Quest at Christopher Lake
- The Bridge on 20th, Saskatoon (Linda Walker)
- IVCF-International Students, Saskatoon (Gerry & Shirley Falk)
- Hope Restored, Saskatoon (Joeline Magill)
- Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre, Saskatoon (Dee Cook)
- LeaderImpact (Arlene Jorgenson)
- Canadian Baptist Ministries (CBM)
- Canadian Baptists of Western Canada (CBWC)
- Carey Theological College

# Donations to the following can be made through EBC: (please designate on your offering envelope)

- The Bridge on 20th, Saskatoon (Linda Walker)
- The Quest at Christopher Lake
- Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre, Saskatoon (Dee Cook)
- Hope Restored, Saskatoon (Joeline Magill)
- Canadian Baptist Ministries

#### **DONATE TO EBC:**

#### THROUGH INTERNET BANKING

We now offer e-Transfers to bookkeeper@ebap.ca.
Or contact Jan at 306-477-1234, ext 126
or bookkeeper@ebap.ca for an identifier code
& create EBC as a Payee under your Bill Payments option.

#### **ON-LINE GIVING**

www.emmanuelbaptist.ca/giving

#### **ON SUNDAY MORNINGS**

If you've come with an offering or you're prompted to give during worship, you're invited to take it to one of the two *Offering Boxes* located in the foyer near the exit doors.