



**MAY  
2023**

# Emmanuel Baptist Church

Where **GOD** is doing something *special...*

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## SUNDAY WORSHIP

**You're invited to worship at Emmanuel...  
in person!**

Worship services is held every Sunday @ 10 am.

### PLEASE NOTE:

Proof of vaccination is no longer required.  
Masks are strongly encouraged.

Can't come in person? No problem!  
Streaming will continue during this time.  
View the broadcast on [YouTube](#) or [Facebook](#).

For questions, call the church office at  
(408) 272-1360.

## WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

God still loves a cheerful giver!  
[Online giving](#) is available and encouraged, and mail-in giving is also available.

*The church mailing address is provided  
near end of this bulletin.*

## COFFEE MINISTRY

The coffee ministry is open before AND  
after service. That's from 9am to 10am  
and from 11:30am to 12:30pm.  
Stop by for a pick-me-up!

## CHURCH PRIORITIES FOR 2023

This year, the goal for our church is an  
**INCREASE**  
of 18% to 20% in three primary areas:

1. Increase in income---in our giving
2. Increase in membership----grow our church,  
to support the work we want to do for the  
church focusing on Evangelism
3. Increase in participation---involvement in our  
church growth through discipleship as we  
participate and look for opportunities to  
serve.

**Throughout this year,  
we will intentionally focus on  
INCREASE  
in these areas!**

## PRAYER CONCERNS

**At Emmanuel, we believe in the power of prayer. Send all prayer requests to [announcements.emmanuelbc@gmail.com](mailto:announcements.emmanuelbc@gmail.com) or contact the church office at (408) 272-1360.**

Rebecca Austin	Joyce Tolbert	Alice Gaines	Edna Jackson
Deacon M L & Loretta Dillon	Rebecca Blackmon	Rev. Annette Pitre	Ora Childress
Frances Jacobs	Elton Callender	Velma (Ginger) Mishima	Dianne Armfield
Rebecca Arnold	Phyllis Stanley-Garry	Quillie Gooden	Jean Suber
Davida Robinson	Joseph Jefferson	Gwyndola Looney	Annette Hart
Rev. Emma Robinson	Margie Conley	Peggy Coleman	Willie Dunbar
Henry & Debbie Jones	Stan Marshall	Evelyn Miller	Richard Chavez
Letha Grant	Albert & Sherry Shehee	Athalee Anderson	Anita Jones
June Davis	Martin Hill	Arthur Garner	LeBesse Rose
Robert Thomas	Sarah and Tommy Rice	Billie Reddrick	Robin Davis

## BEREAVEMENT

Chet Hutchinson and Family	Family of Ophelia Marion Jackson	Family of Gene Neeley
Annie Handy and Family	Reverend Larry Childress and Family	Naomi Taylor and Family
	Family of David Chambers	

## OPERATION SHARE

Operation Share takes place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays from 11am to 1pm.

Volunteers are needed!

Contact the church office at 408.272.1360 for more information. Please join us!

## MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Join the men of Emmanuel as they meet for Bible study every Monday at 7pm on Zoom.

To join, [CLICK HERE](#)  
Meeting ID: 960 0417 4237

## EMMANUEL'S EVANGELISM STRATEGY

The goal of our strategy is to create a culture of sharing the Gospel to impact the world.

Below are the four pillars of the strategy:

1. **Prayer (March):** A time of prayer and fasting to remember the goodness of God to us and prepare to share that goodness with others.
2. **Person Identification (April-May):** Develop a list of 6 to 12 people within your sphere of influence who may not know Christ as Lord and Savior with whom you will share the Gospel.
3. **Prepare to Share (June):** Evangelism training through the Tony Evans Training Center.
4. **Push to Mobilize (July 2023 and beyond):** Share the Gospel with those you identified. Aim to share with at least one person per month.

Check the church website for the link to access the full Evangelism Strategy!

## DITW BIBLE STUDY



Join us in Bible study, as we in DITW are on a spiritual learning journey.

**Sunday Morning Bible Study at 9 am**

**Wednesday Night Class @ 6 pm (Family Life Center Exercise Room)**

Contact your DITW teacher for instructions to join online classes, or send an email to the DITW Director, Sister April Lampkin, [april.lampkin1@gmail.com](mailto:april.lampkin1@gmail.com).

### **Bible Study Theme: Dealing With Temptation**

**May 7 "Recovering From A Fall" Psalm 32:1-7**

**May 14 "The Strength to Stand" Ephesians 6:10-18**

### **Bible Study Theme: Avoiding A Critical Spirit**

**May 21 "Avoiding A Critical Spirit" Numbers 12:1-15**

### **Bible Study Theme: Mentoring: Invest In Others**

**May 28 "Jethro & Moses" Exodus 18:9-11, 14-21**

## EMBARK NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION CLASSES

Date	Time	Class	Teacher
May 7	1:00 pm	Bible	Minister Katrina Barnes / Rev. Simeon Shigg
May 14		<b>MOTHERS DAY</b>	<b>NO CLASS</b>
May 21		Church	Sister Betty Kelly / Deacon Mike Hinton
May 28		Faith	Deacon Andrei Anderson

## 2022 GIVING STATEMENTS

Giving statements are available from CCB.

If you do not have access to a computer, call the church office to have it mailed to you.

To download or print your statement:

1. Go to [https://emmanuelbc.ccbchurch.com/give\\_detail.php](https://emmanuelbc.ccbchurch.com/give_detail.php) (CCB login required).
2. Click on **Giving Statement** in the upper right corner.
3. Select the giving statement options:
  - **Type:** Click on the arrow and select **Family** or **Individual**.
  - **Date Range:** Select **Quick Date Range**. Scroll down and select **Last Year**.
  - **Tax Deductible:** Click on the arrow and select **Deductible Only**.
4. Select **Run Report** and download or print the report as needed.

## CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRY

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### **ELEMENTARY**

We might try to base our confidence on what we do well, or what someone might say about us. But true confidence should be built on something different. We think it's found in understanding how God is both big enough to create the universe, but also close enough to be right here with us. We know that we can trust God no matter what.



This month our Elementary students will understand this truth, God is with you even when you have questions. We'll never know everything there is to know, especially when it comes to our faith in God. But in order to have confidence, sometimes we have to ask questions about what we don't know. We pray that our kids will discover people in their life who they can trust with their hard questions about life and faith.

### **MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL**



Our Middle and High School students are going to START THE PARTY! Our students will be joining a 9-week series about the promise Jesus made about getting the most out of life! "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full" (John 10:10 NIV)

The Summer 2023 season will take you from May 7th through July 9th. Our students will be learning about their relationship with God, Self, and Others. They will also discover and acknowledge their response to healthy relationships, serving others, and authentic faith.

## PRAYER MINISTRY

The Prayer Ministry is opening up two additional Prayer Groups beginning in June.

Starting on Tuesday, June 6, Pastor Tony Williams will lead a noon group from 12 noon to 12:30 pm (PST) The call in number for this group is: 267-807-9605, Pass code: 654492#.

Beginning on Friday, June 9, Sister Debrina Washington, who recently relocated from Northern California to North Carolina, will lead our second newest group. The group will serve our current and new prayer group members, who reside in the Eastern & Central time zones. The call in number is 267-807-9605, Pass code: 654492#.

## PRAYER GROUP INFORMATION

Date/Time*	Group Leaders	Group Administrators	Phone Number	Passcode
Monday 6:00am	Deacon Claudette Lindsay	Sis. Lauren McKee	267-807-9495	397298595#
Monday 7:00am	Sis. Willye McCoy	Brother Chet Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Monday 8:00pm	Min. Katrina Barnes	Brother Chet Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Tuesday 7:00am	Brother Ed King	Sis. Lauren McKee	267-807-9605	654492#
Tuesday 12 Noon	Pastor Tony Williams	Brother Chet Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Tuesday 8:00pm	Deacon Frank Ellis	Deacon Andrei Anderson	267-807-9605	654492#
Wednesday 6:00am	Rev. Larry Childress	Brother Chet Hutchinson	267-807-9495	397298595#
Wednesday 7:00am	Sis. Sandra Hayes	Sis. Lauren McKee	267-807-9605	654492#
Wednesday 8:00pm	Rev. Larry Childress	Brother Chet Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Thursday 6:30am	Sis. Sandra Kissoon	Sis. Treasure Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Thursday 8:00pm	Deacon Andrew Williams	Deacon Andrei Anderson	267-807-9605	654492#
Friday 7:00am (EST)	Sis. Debrina Washington	Sis. Treasure Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Friday 7:00am	Sis. Marcia Mills	Sis. Treasure Hutchinson	267-807-9605	654492#
Friday 8:00pm	Sis. Jeanette Crawford-McCuller	Sis Sharon Watkins	267-807-9605	654492#
Saturday 9:00am	Sis. Poch'e Reynolds	Sis. Sharon Watkins	267-807-9605	654492#

## WEEKLY PRAYER THEMES

May 7—May 13	We, during this upcoming Mother's Day Week, thank God for the lives of our Mothers who have passed and ask for God's Blessings on the lives of our Mothers who are yet with us.
May 14—May 20	We are praying for those persons, who are dealing with anxieties in their lives. We pray that they will release these anxieties to the Lord.
May 21—May 27	We are praying that God will bring order to our world of chaos and confusion. We pray that God will calm the raging seas & bring order to us during these times.
May 28—Jun 3	We are praying & asking the Lord for his protection for those working in government, the Armed Services and for those in authority in our churches and schools.



GRIEF SUPPORT



**EMMANUEL** presents

# ***Navigating the Journey - A Virtual Grief Support Group***

***Facilitated by  
Pastor Rae Karim,  
Certified Grief Coach***

***May to December 2023  
1st & 3rd Thursdays, 6p PST***

**TO REGISTER, [CLICK HERE](#)**

# EMMANUEL GOLF CLASSIC

## THE EMMANUEL GOLF Classic SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER

**June 9, 2023**  
**Los Lagos Golf Course**

2995 Tuers Rd. San Jose, CA 95121

Registration Opens: 07:00 AM  
Tee Time: 07:45 AM  
Lunch & Awards: 12:00 PM

Scramble format with a shotgun start

Entry Fee: \$150 per player

Entry fee includes:

- o 18 holes of golf with cart
- Snacks
- Golf goodies
- Lunch
- Prizes
- Awards presentation



**Enter Early! Space is Limited!**  
**Deadline: May 19, 2023**

**EMMANUEL**  
FAMILY LIFE CENTER  
467 N. White Road  
San Jose, CA 95127  
408.272.1360

Tear Here & Return

Check one: ☐ Individual - \$150 ☐ Foursome - \$600 ☐ Dinner Only - \$50

Send this completed form and payment for each player (payable to Emmanuel Family Life Center) to The Emmanuel Golf Classic Tournament Committee:  
5520 Almaden Expressway San Jose, CA 95118 - or - register on Eventbrite at: <https://tinyurl.com/yjrj5nnz>

Player 1

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 3

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Player 4

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## FACILITY INFORMATION

### Emmanuel Baptist Church

467 N. White Road, San Jose, CA 95127  
(408) 272-1360

### Announcements Submission Process

Submit announcements to [announcements.emmanuelbc@gmail.com](mailto:announcements.emmanuelbc@gmail.com).  
The deadline to submit all announcements requests is the 22nd of each month.