



**MAY
2026**

Emmanuel Baptist Church

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

You're invited to worship at Emmanuel!

Sunday worship service begins at 10am.

PLEASE NOTE:

Masks are available upon request.

Can't come in person? No problem!
View the live-stream broadcast on [YouTube](#) or
[Facebook](#).

Have questions? Please contact the church office
at (408) 272-1360.

2026 CHURCH GOAL & THEMES

THE LEGACY CONTINUES

Year Theme: "Strength to Stretch"

Theme Sentence: Growth requires a stretch, and to stretch requires a different kind of strength—and God provides both the strength and the stamina.

May Theme: "Faith is a STRETCH"

Refined Theme: Faith grows not in comfort zones, but in trust zones.

COFFEE MINISTRY

The coffee ministry is open in Agape Hall both before and after worship service.

That's from 9am to 10am and from 11:30am to 12:30pm. Stop by for a pick-me-up!

PRAYER CONCERNS

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

Rebecca Austin	Willye McCoy	Alice Gaines	Delano Currington
Deacon M L & Loretta Dillon	Rebecca Blackmon	Rev. Annette Pitre	Dianne Armfield
Dr. Katherine Gooden	Elton Callender	Frances Jacobs	Annette Hart
Davida Robinson	Rebecca Arnold	Gwyndola Looney	Betty Ratchford
Sarah and Tommy Rice	Joseph Jefferson	Peggy Coleman	Joyce Tolbert
Deacon Claudette Lindsay	Stan Marshall	David Morrow	David Oliva
Deacon Marcia Mills	Letha Grant	Athalee Anderson	Louie & Rose Oliva
Hosea & Katie McMurtrey	Martin Hill	Arthur Garner	Sadie Lee Dalcourt
Juan & Jacqueline Currington	Ella Smith	Robin Davis	Heather Brown
Jerrell Watkins	Sonya Williams	Margo Dillon	Rose Williams
Linda Walker	Rev. Jeffry Martin	Sally Makonnen	Carolyn Walker
Harold (O.J.) Jones	Rev. Wayne Jackson	Debra Glassglow	Rhonda Wyman
Caroll "Flavor" Dyer			

BEREAVEMENT

Alfred Coleman and Family

The Family of Evelyn Miller

Family of Helen Stigars

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

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

To join, [CLICK HERE](#)

SENIOR BIBLE STUDY

Join the Golden Harvesters every Wednesday from 10:30am to noon as we read through the Bible.

To join, contact Lee Walker at (408) 274-7599.

CTY MINISTRY

Hey Parents! Are you looking for the monthly information about the Children, Teen, and Ministry?

Please check out the CTY Newsletter on the [church website](#) under Announcements.

OPERATION SHARE

The Operation Share Ministry takes place each month from 11am to 1pm on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays.

Volunteers are needed! Please join us!
Call the church office at (408) 272-1360 for more information.

DITW BIBLE STUDY



“Come — Go Deeper in God’s Word With Us”

Do you really want to know God’s purpose for your life?
Join us in Bible study, as we in DITW are on a spiritual learning journey.

Sunday Morning Bible Study at 9am
Wednesday Night Class at 5.30pm (on Zoom)

Contact your DITW teacher for instructions to join online classes,
or send an email to DITW Director April Lampkin, april.lampkin1@gmail.com.

May 2026 Bible Study Themes: Embracing A Mission With Purpose

May 3	A Mission Met with Courage	Acts 4:1-3, 8-12, 19-20
May 10	A Mission Soaked in Prayer	Acts 4:23-31
May 17	A Mission Outside Your Comfort Zone	Acts 8:26-38
May 24	A Mission Without Boundaries	Acts 13:1-3, 44-52

Don’t Forget To Remember

May 31	Don't Forget to Remember	Joshua 4:1-7, 20-24
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EMBARK NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION CLASSES

Date	Time	Class	Teacher
May 3	1:00pm	Prayer	Deacon Claudette Lindsay
May 10		NO CLASS	Happy Mother’s Day!
May 17		God	Pastor Jason C. Reynolds
May 24		Church	Sis. Betty Kelly
May 31		Faith	Minister Virginia Roberts

EMMANUEL IS HIRING!

We are looking for a Facilities / Maintenance Technician (Weekend).
Contact hr@emmanuelbc.org for more information.

ONLINE GIVING CHANGE

On Monday, May 4, we will be switching
to a new online giving platform called Pushpay.

More information will be sent out via email.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

God loves a cheerful giver!

We have several methods for completing your grace-inspired giving.

- ◆ **Online Giving:** Visit the [church's giving page](#)
- ◆ **Text-To-Give:** Text the word "GIVE" to (408) 722-3596 (will receive a link)
- ◆ **Credit Card/ACH:** <https://donate.overflow.co/emmanuelbc>
- ◆ **Stock:** <https://donate.overflow.co/emmanuelbc/stock>
- ◆ **Mail:** Send checks to the following address (do not mail checks to the church):
Emmanuel Baptist Church, PO Box 32238, San Jose, CA 95152

ANNUAL GIVING STATEMENTS

Here are instructions to access your 2025 Giving Statement on CCB:

1. Log onto your CCB account at <https://emmanuelbc.ccbchurch.com/goto/giving>.
2. Select **Giving Statement**. The Giving Statements window will appear.
 - a. For Type, select **Individual** or **Family**.
 - b. For Date Range, select **Quick Date Range**, then select **Last Year**.
 - c. Check the **Show pledges on giving statement** box.
3. Click **Run Report**.

Note: These steps are optimized for a computer and may differ slightly on a mobile device.

No computer access? Send email to sneeley@emmanuelbc.org to request your statement, or use the Giving Statement Request binder in the church office.

Thank you for your generosity and faithful service.
Sharon Neeley, Finance Manager, (408) 272-1360 ext.103

THE LEGACY CONTINUES (TLC)

If you have not made a commitment to “The Legacy Continues,” you still have an opportunity!

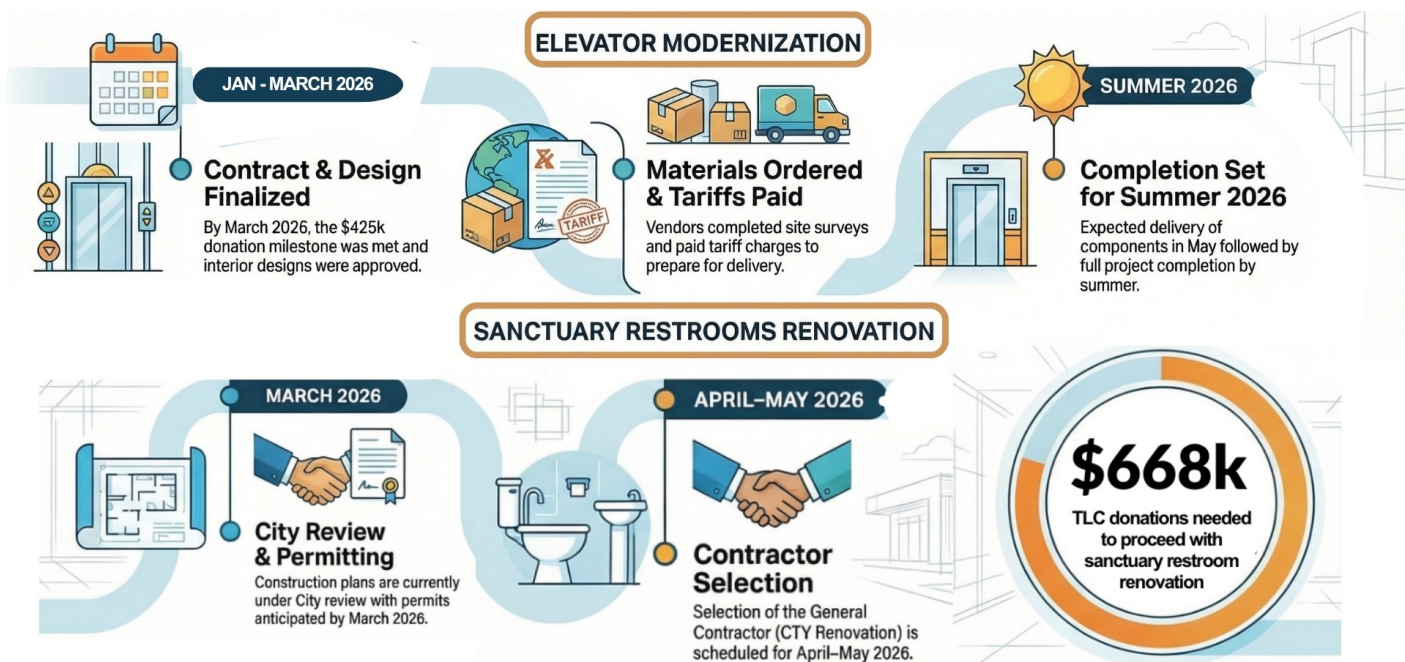
You can make your commitment on “[The Legacy Continues](#)” page of the church website.

Scroll down to the “Join the Legacy!” section, complete the commitment card, and click the “Thank You” button to submit.

TLC UPDATE

TLC CAMPAIGN PROJECT ROADMAP

Dec 2025- MAY 2026



We are grateful to share an update on our TLC building improvement projects. Since December 2025, we have made significant progress on both the Elevator Modernization and Sanctuary Restroom projects. We anticipate the Elevator Modernization will be completed by Summer 2026. Following that, we look forward to beginning renovations on the Sanctuary restrooms once city permits are secured and our donation milestone has been reached. Stay tuned during the 1ST Sunday of the month worship services for monthly TLC donation updates. Thank you for your continued support, encouragement, and prayers as we move forward with these important improvements.

Note: Timelines are subject to change based on lead times for elevator components and municipal permitting schedules. The two projects are managed as *independent tracks* with separate contractors, permits, and funding triggers.

MUFFINS FOR MOMS ON MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday, May 10, 2026

If you are a mom, ever had a mom, would like to be a mom, you're invited to stop by Holy Groundz, Coffee Ministry to enjoy muffins, take pictures, and even write a letter to your mom before & after service in Agape Hall.

SECOND SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP



CPR TRAINING IS COMING!

The American Heart Association is helping Emmanuel develop a Cardiac Emergency Response plan. Part of that plan will be to provide Hands-on Only CPR Training.

If you are currently CPR certified, please call the church office at (408) 272-1360 and give your name and contact information.

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH MAY 2026

Look out for helpful tips & resources
to support your mental & emotional well being
this month.

GRADUATE SALUTE: CLASS OF 2026

On Sunday June 28, Emmanuel will be recognizing all 2026 Graduates. Please submit the following information to hello@mediamedia.biz by Saturday, June 13, to be included in the salute. **No pictures will be accepted after Saturday, June 13, 2026.**

High School Seniors:

- A Graduation picture
- Your name
- Graduated from (High School)
- Plan to attend (College/University)
- Majoring in: _____

University / College Graduates:

- A Graduation picture
- Your name
- Graduated from (College/University)
- Degree: _____

All Other Graduates: Elementary, Middle school:

- A Graduation picture
- Your name
- Name of school

EMMANUEL GOLF TOURNAMENT

THE EMMANUEL GOLF Classic

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER

June 4th, 2026
Los Lagos Golf Course

2995 Tuers Rd. San Jose, CA 95121

Registration Opens: 06:45 AM
Tee Time: 07:45 AM
Lunch & Awards: 12:00 PM



Scramble format with a shotgun start

Entry Fee: \$165 per player

Entry fee includes:

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

Enter Early! Space is Limited!
Registration Starts May 8th



EMMANUEL
FAMILY LIFE CENTER

467 N. White Road
San Jose, CA 95127
408.272.1360

Check one: Individual - \$165 Foursome - \$600 Dinner Only - \$50 Vegetarian

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

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: _____

EMMANUEL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



Attention High School Seniors

EMMANUEL SCHOLARSHIP

PROGRAM 2026

TO APPLY:

- All applicants must be a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church
- Provide a completed application
- Provide two letters of recommendation from a ministry leader, teacher or employer.

DUE BY: MAY 31, 2026



Applications available in the church lobby or contact assistant.emmanuelbc@gmail.com or call the office @ (408)272-1360 ext. 1

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT OF THE MONTH



Deeper In The WORD Ministry

The Bible Teaching Ministry of Emmanuel

EMMANUEL

DIGGING DEEPER



IN THE WORD

This May, we're kicking off a new series - Ministry Highlight of the Month. This month, we're shining a light on DITW — Deeper in the Word, where Spiritual Formation happens at Emmanuel. This is where we grow deeper, stronger, and more rooted in God's Word together.

And this month, DITW is launching powerful new classes just for you:

- *Love on Purpose* for singles, taught by Judge Shelyna Brown
- *Women of the Bible*, taught by Rhonda Jacobs
- *S.H.A.P.E. — Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts*, taught by Michelle Regitto
- *There is A Balm: Journeying from Grief into the Healing of God*

No matter where you are in your journey, there is a space for you to grow.

For more information or to get connected, email April Lampkin at april.lampkin1@gmail.com.

Let's go deeper in the Word this May, Emmanuel!

PRIMARY ELECTION

Primary Election - June 2, 2026

- The last day to register to vote for the June 2, 2026, Primary Election is **May 18, 2026**.
- All California active registered voters will receive a ballot for the **June 2, 2026**, Primary Election.
- County elections officials will begin mailing ballots by **May 4, 2026**.
- Secure ballot drop-off locations open on **May 5, 2026**
- Ballots can be dropped off at a drop-off location, county elections office, or returned by mail.
- The first vote centers open for early in-person voting in all Voter's Choice Act counties on **May 23, 2026**.
- In person early voting locations throughout California will be open on **Saturday, May 30, 2026**.

June 2 is the last day to vote in-person or return a ballot by 8:00 p.m. Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Vote-by-mail ballots must be postmarked no later than June 2. If mailing on Elections Day, get a hand-stamped postmark from a postal employee inside a United States Post Office.

WEEKLY PRAYER THEMES

Authors: Deacon Claudette Lindsay, Deacon Ed King, Sis. Betty Kelly, Sis. Sandra Kissoon, Bro. Joe Reghitto, and Bro. Chet Hutchinson

Week of	Prayer Theme
May 3 - 9	<p>A Mission Met with Courage (Acts 4:1-3, 8-12, 19-20)</p> <p>"God gives us the courage and the strength to speak boldly about Christ, even in uncomfortable situations. When we refuse to use our God given strengths, are we serving God or pleasing mankind?"</p>
May 10 - 16	<p>A Mission Soaked in Prayer (Acts 4:23-31)</p> <p>"We must recognize the majesty and the power of God. God's power is not only overwhelming, but it is without limits. God empowers and emboldens us to share the "Good News" with others."</p>
May 17-23	<p>A Mission Outside Your Comfort Zone (Acts 8:26-38)</p> <p>The Gospel crosses all cultures - and so should we, as believers. What are some obstacles you have to overcome in crossing cultural boundaries? Are you willing to break through said boundaries for the sake of spreading the Gospel?"</p>
May 24 - 30	<p>A Mission Without Boundaries (Acts 13:1-3, 44-52)</p> <p>"God's Word has no boundaries. When the Jews rejected God's Word, Paul & Barnabas eagerly shared the Gospel with the Gentiles, who gladly received it. Sharing the message of Christ is a privilege that can take us anywhere."</p>
May 31 - June 6	<p>Don't Forget to Remember (Joshua 4:1-7, 20-24)</p> <p>"Heavenly Father thank you for Your goodness, mercy and faithfulness. Help us to remember to share your goodness and faithfulness with others."</p>

PRAYER GROUP MINISTRY

Date / Time	Group Leader	Group Administrator	Group Status	Phone Numbers	Passcode
Monday 6:00am	Dea Claudette Lindsay	Sis. Lauren McKee	Group Open	267-807-9495	397298595#
Monday 7:00am	Sis. Willye McCoy	Bro. Chet Hutchinson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Monday 8:00pm	Min. Katrina Barnes	Bro. Chet Hutchinson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Tuesday 7:00am	Dea Edward King	Sis. Lauren McKee	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Tuesday 12 Noon	Pastor Tony Williams (Dr. Dawson, Backup)	Bro. Chet Hutchinson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Tuesday 8:00pm	Dea Frank Ellis	Dea Andrei Anderson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Wednesday 6:00am	Rev. Larry Childress	Bro. Chet Hutchinson	Group Open	267-807-9495	397298595#
Wednesday 7:00am	Sis. Sandra Hayes	Sis. Lauren McKee	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Wednesday 8:00pm	Rev. Larry Childress	Bro. Chet Hutchinson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Thursday 6:30am	Sis. Sandra Kissoon	Sis. Adrienne Reed	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Thursday 8:00pm	Dea Andrew Williams	Dea Andrei Anderson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Friday 7:00am (EST)	Sis. Debrina Washington	Sis. Treasure Hutchinson	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Friday 7:00am	Dea Marcia Mills	Sis. Cynthia Williams	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Friday 8:00pm	Sis. Trudy Pitt (Min. Remy, Backup)	Sis. Sharon Watkins	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#
Saturday 9:00am	Sis. Taren Austin (1st) Sis. Daycha Ahumada (2nd / 4th) Sis. Mishua Hicks (3rd / 5th)	Sis. Sharon Watkins	Group Open	267-807-9605	654492#

EMMANUEL EVERYWHERE

Introducing the Emmanuel Everywhere Site and App for Access to All Things Emmanuel Online and Virtual all in one Place

Visit <https://emmanueleverywhere.online.church/> or simply go to your browser and type emmanueleverywhere.online.church



The Home screen will provide a countdown to the next Live Service that will be streamed on the platform. You can still view services on Facebook and YouTube. This application — if you choose to use it — simply bridges them all into a single place for easy access.

On the site / app, you will have access to all social media streams, online giving, Emmanuel's web site, and how to join Emmanuel Everywhere.

We still have the Emmanuel Everywhere Facebook page, but this site will assist those people who currently don't connect with us on social media.

ANNOUNCEMENT SUBMISSION PROCESS

Announcements for the bulletin must be submitted by the 22nd of each month and cleared through the office of Pastor Reynolds

Contact Sis. Kissoon at assistant.emmanuelbc@gmail.com for more information.

FACILITY INFORMATION

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Emmanuel Family Life Center
Legacy Prep Academy

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