



**OCTOBER
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SUNDAY WORSHIP

You're invited to worship at Emmanuel!

Sunday worship service begins at 10am.

PLEASE NOTE:

Proof of vaccination is no longer required for in-person worship; however, masks are strongly encouraged.

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.

2025 CHURCH THEME

The church theme for 2025 is
"The Legacy Continues"

MONTHLY SERMON SERIES

The Sermon Series for October is
"The Legacy Continues"

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.

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	Mario Brown
Jerrell Watkins	Sonya Williams	Sylvester McGuire	Rose Williams
Deacon Larry Agbulos	Rev. Wayne Jackson		Margo Dillon

BEREAVEMENT

The Family of Nolan E Suber

Zellee Kay Coleman and Family

Family of LaBesse Rose

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](#)
Meeting ID: 960 0417 4237

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.

WOMEN EVERYWHERE (WE) BIBLE STUDY

Join WE for Bible study on the first Saturday of each month from 10am to noon in the UPPER ROOM (Room 215) of the Family Life Center.

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.

October 2025 Bible Study Theme: The Greatest Truths of All Time

October 5	“The Greatest Command”	Mark 12:28-34
October 12	“The Greatest Return”	Thessalonians 4:16-18; 5:1-8

How To Handle Life’s Interruptions

October 19	“When God Interrupts Your Life”	Hebrews 11:8-19
October 26	“When Life Goes Terribly Wrong”	Genesis 39:21-23; 40:4-8; 41:10-14

EMBARK NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION CLASSES

Date	Time	Class	Teacher
October 5	1:00pm	Church	Sister Betty Kelly
October 12		NO CLASS ~ EBC 60 th CHURCH ANNIVERSARY~	
October 19		Faith	Deacon Andrei Anderson
October 26		Salvation	Minister Virginia Roberts

OPEN POSITION

EMMANUEL IS HIRING!

The position of **Assistant Pastor** is open.
Contact hr@emmanuelbc.org for more information.

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.

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

CTY MINISTRY

Hey Parents! Are you looking for the monthly information about the Children, Teen, and Youth 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 & 4th Tuesdays.

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

GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY



The Grief Support Ministry is in its third cohort! This cohort began in February 2025 and will continue through December 2025. We are grateful to Pastor and Rev. Rae for their continued dedication to the ministry.

We invite you to join us on the third Thursday of each month at 6pm. If you or someone you know would benefit from this group, please [CLICK HERE](#) to register. If you registered previously, you should have received an email with dates for 2025.

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#

WEEKLY PRAYER THEMES

Week of	Prayer Theme
October 5	The Greatest Command (Mark 12:28-34) Our obedience to God is seen in our love for Him and others. We pray and ask God to help us put his command to memory, letting it rule our thoughts, decisions and actions.
October 12	The Greatest Return (1 Thessalonians 4:16-5:8) Now is the time for all of God's children to pray a prayer of repentance for our sins. Jesus will return one day and we must be ready for His return.
October 19	When God Interrupts Your Life (Hebrews 11:8-19) As Believers, the Lord may cause interruptions in our lives; sometimes He is seeking a coast correction in the direction we are heading. Life's best interruptions will always comes from God Almighty himself.
October 26	When Life Goes Terribly Wrong (Genesis 39:21-23; 40:5-8; 41:10-14) When interruptions and hardships enter our lives, as Believers, we know we have a God who knows every situation we will ever face. Life hardships and interruptions places us in a position where God can use us.
November 2	When Your Actions Causes an Interruption (Exodus 2:11-22; 3:5-10) Only God can redeem our mistakes. We pray and ask God to help us see His hand at work, even in our lowest moments.

CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

Business meeting will be held on Thursday October 23rd 2025 @ 7pm.

Check your email for the Zoom link to register for the meeting

FINANCIAL LITERACY COURSE

Emmanuel is offering a **free** six-week Financial Literacy Course! This course meets in person from 10am to 11:30am in Room 115 on the following Saturdays:

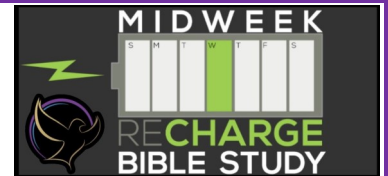
- ◇ October 4
- ◇ October 18
- ◇ October 25

To give us an accurate headcount for planning purposes, please complete the survey form by clicking [here](#) or scanning the QR code.



MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY

It's back! Join us every Wednesday at 7pm for the **RECHARGE** Bible Study, from September 3 to November 26. This series meets in person in Room 113 (Agape Hall) and on Zoom.



To add RECHARGE sessions to your personal calendar, click [here](#) to download & import the ICS file.

To join via Zoom, click [here](#) and, if requested, use Meeting ID 881 5912 9509 and Passcode 503211

To join via One tap mobile, dial +16699009128,,88159129509# (US - San Jose) or +16694449171,,88159129509# (US) or click [here](#) to find your local number.

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60TH ANNIVERSARY



60^{years} EMMANUEL ANNIVERSARY Celebration



Rev. Dr. Willie Francisco, III
GUEST SPEAKER
OCTOBER 9, 2025



Rev. Tisha Dixon-Williams
GUEST SPEAKER
OCTOBER 12, 2025 - 10AM



Rev. Dr. Jacqueline Thompson
GUEST SPEAKER
OCTOBER 12, 2025 - 3PM



Rev. Eugene Gibson, PhD
GUEST SPEAKER
OCTOBER 19, 2025



Rev. Kalenna Smith
GUEST SPEAKER
OCTOBER 26, 2025

FRIDAY

Sankofa: Emmanuel Forever

Paradise Ballrooms, Banquet Hall & Event Center
4100 Paralta Boulevard Fremont, CA 94536
October 10, 2025 - 4 PM - 12 AM

Gala



CTY CARNIVAL

Emmanuel Gym
October 11, 2025
10 AM - 3PM

SATURDAY

Reunion Choir Rehearsal
Sanctuary - 3 PM

E60 UNPLUGGED

Sanctuary - 5 PM

THE WALLS GROUP

SUNDAY - 3 PM



WWW.EMMANUELBC.ORG

60TH ANNIVERSARY CTY CARNIVAL

OCTOBER 11, 2025 10 AM - 2PM

KIDS COOL GAMETRUCK



- GAMES
- FOOD
- POPCORN
- AND MORE...

MORE
INFORMATION

TO RSVP CALL 408.272.1360

VOTER REGISTRATION



REMINDER: **2025 Statewide Special Election**

- The last day to register to vote for the **November 4, 2025**, Statewide Special Election is October 20, 2025.
- All California active registered voters will receive a vote-by-mail ballot for the November 4, 2025, Statewide Special Election.
- Your county elections office will begin mailing ballots by October 6, 2025.
- Ballot drop-off locations open on October 7, 2025.
- Vote-by-mail ballots can be returned by mail, at a drop-off location, or your county elections office.
- Vote centers open for early in-person voting in all Voter's Choice Act counties beginning on October 25, 2025.
- Vote-by-mail ballots must be postmarked on or before Election Day and received by November 12, 2025.

Voter Information table is available in the church vestibule, immediately following 10:00 am church service.

For more information or to verify your voter registration status, click here: <https://rovservices.sccgov.org/Home/IndexPost?selected=vr>

*For questions, contact
Minister Virginia Roberts @408-272-1360*

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 cleared through the office of the Pastor. Contact Sis. Kissoon at assistant.emmanuelbc@gmail.com for more information.

FACILITY INFORMATION

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