



Emmanuel Baptist Church

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**SEPTEMBER
2023**

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

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

Worship services is held every Sunday @10am.

PLEASE NOTE:

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

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

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

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---through our giving.
2. Increase in membership---grow our church in order to support the work we want to do for the church's focus 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!**

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

God still loves a cheerful giver!

[Online giving](#) is available and encouraged,
and mail-in giving is also available.

For the church mailing address, [click here](#).

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!

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.

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

BEREAVEMENT

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Family of Judy Rucker | Deacon Greg Hill and Family | Family of Joyce Frierson |
| Lillian Jones and Family | Nelevyn "Nel" Redondo and Family | Family of Anita Jones |
| Ed Butler and Family | | Family of David Chambers |

EBC USHER'S DAY

48th Annual Usher's Day
September 17, 2023 at 3pm

Scripture: Matthew 5:14-16

Theme: "When your light shines, others
will see it"

Guest Speaker: Minister Terry Brown

Guest Choir: Northern California Chapter of the
Gospel Music Workshop of America (GMWA)

SENIOR BIBLE STUDY

Join the Golden Harvesters as we read through
the Bible. We meet every Wednesday from
10:30am to 12 noon.

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

REMINDER

Senior Recognition Sunday
September 10, 2023 during Worship Service

OPERATION SHARE

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

Volunteers are needed! Please join us!

Contact the church office at (408) 272-1360 for
more information.

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

DITW BIBLE STUDY



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

Sunday Morning Bible Study at 9am

Wednesday Night Class @ 6pm (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.

September 2023 Bible Study Theme: Staying True In A World Far From God

September 3 “Developing Strong Convictions” Daniel 1:3-13, 17-10

September 10 “Pray With Passion” Daniel 2:13-23, 27-28a

September 17 “Speak Truth Boldly” Daniel 5:13-17, 22-28

September 24 “Live Courageously” Daniel 6:6-13, 16-17, 21-23

EMBARK NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION CLASSES

| Date | Time | Class | Teacher |
|--------------|---------|-------------|------------------------|
| September 3 | 1:00 pm | Church | Sis. Betty Kelly |
| September 10 | | Faith | Deacon Andrei Anderson |
| September 17 | | Salvation | Min. Virginia Roberts |
| September 24 | | Stewardship | Sis. Willye McCoy |

HANDS ONLY CPR (HOCp)

"Tick, Tick, Tick... “ Every second counts!

Have recent headlines of seemingly healthy athletes experiencing a sudden cardiac emergency caught your attention? These individuals survived only because there were people there who could administer immediate life-saving CPR.

What if you found yourself confronted with someone having a similar emergency? What if it was one of your parents, children, sibling, friend, neighbor or even a complete stranger - would you know what to do? Statistics show that often these emergencies occur out of a hospital environment during typical daily activities.

Coming soon to EBC: Training for Hands Only CPR. More information to come!

LEGACY PREP ACADEMY



Registration for Legacy Prep's upcoming school year, 2023-2024, is
NOW OPEN!

We are seeking students from 4th to 8th grades to join us for a year of interactive learning and personal development.

Classes will be held on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays from 3pm to 6pm.

We are thrilled to offer a variety of enrichment classes that will introduce students to new interests and skills.

Our **Coding** program, in partnership with Code Ninjas, will teach students the basics of computer programming and introduce them to the world of technology.

Our **NEW IMPACT** program, which includes **Robotics**, Minecraft, and more, is also being introduced this year!

For those interested in sports, our **Ultimate Basketball Skills** class will help students improve their basketball skills and teamwork.

Additionally, our **Communications and Public Speaking** class will help students develop their public speaking skills, which are essential for success in all areas of life.

But Wait... There's More!

We will offer a range of **Wisdom Workshops** to help students develop important life skills.

Our **Leadership** workshop, taught by members of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., will focus on developing valuable leadership skills that can be used throughout life.

Our **Safety and Cadet Training** workshop, in partnership with the SJPd, will teach students important safety skills and help them develop a sense of civic duty.

Finally, our **STEM activities**, in partnership with the PM Group and the San Jose Public Library, will help students explore the world of science, technology, engineering, and math in a fun and engaging way.

This year's program will be our best yet! We can't wait to welcome new and returning students to Legacy Prep School. Classes start September 11, 2023, so register today to secure your spot!

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT PROJECT

The first month of our special three-month project was a success! If you would like to help prepare food and serve guests at the Homeless Shelter in San Jose as part of Emmanuel's Engagement Team / Special Projects Ministry, there are two more dates available:
September 10 and October 8 at 1pm

To participate in this special project, contact the church office at (408) 272-1360.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRY

Dear EBC Trusted Adults, We are excited to share some important announcements and updates with you. Please read on for important information.



September Series: We are thrilled to introduce two new series for our students: "Stuck Together" for Middle School and High School students, and "Harmony" for Elementary students. These series explore various family dynamics that God has blessed us with, highlighting the beauty of togetherness.



Promotion: On September 15, 2023, we will be welcoming new Kindergarteners to our Elementary class, and promoting 4th graders to our Middle School class. Additionally, we are actively seeking teachers for a potential High School class. If you're interested, please reach out to Ms. Courtney via email at cenglish@emmanuelbc.org.

Sunday Schedule: Kindly remember that our church services commence promptly at 10am every Sunday. We encourage you to arrive a few minutes early, especially considering our new 12:1 ratio and the upcoming check-in process starting on the 15th of September. On the 1st Sunday, we meet after Communion, and on the 4th Sunday, the Middle and High schoolers will be situated and working asynchronously on the balcony.

Snack Donations: We humbly ask for the support in providing snacks for our Sunday gatherings. If you'd like to contribute, please bring snacks to Room 120 when you attend the Sunday service. Your generosity will be greatly cherished!

We firmly believe that these upcoming series will offer enriching and inspiring experiences for our children and youth. Thank you for your continued dedication and support

SENIOR WELLNESS FAIR

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Join us for this enriching and interactive experience tailored to our cherished senior community's diverse interests and needs.

During our fair, we will cover the following topics:

- How to Stay Socially Connected To Your Community
- How to Safely Use Technology
- The Benefits of Physical Activity
- Healthcare Access & Resources

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



**SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 16**



**OPEN FROM
10 AM TO 12 PM**

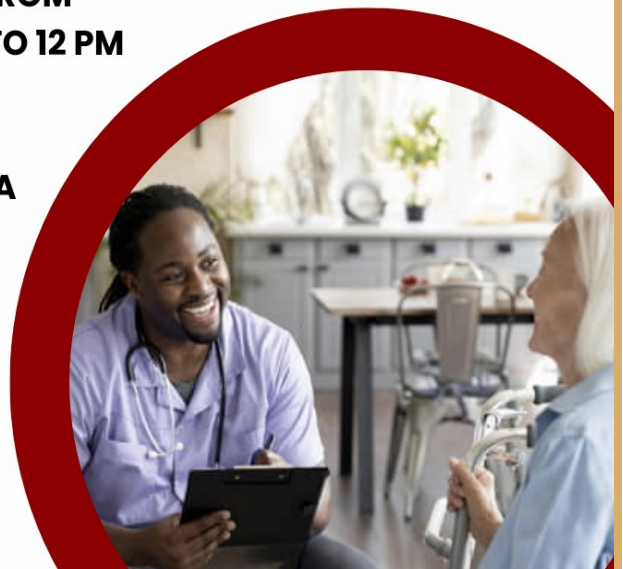


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SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA**



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](#)

PRAYER GROUP INFORMATION

| Day & Time <i>(Pacific Time except where noted)</i> | 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

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| Sept 3 - 9 | As Christians, we rely on our faith & our convictions; we are not defined by our circumstances. We pray we will all "Develop Strong Christian Convictions" and remain ardent followers of Christ. |
| Sept 10 - 16 | The prayers we send up to God are our pillars of strength. When we send our prayers to God, they do make a difference! God will always hear our prayers! It is our prayer that you will "Pray with Godly Passion" as you lift your prayers up daily to Him. |
| Sept 17 - 23 | Our Faith in God allows us to "Speak His Truths Boldly". We pray, when we are called to speak for Him, that we will humble ourselves to the Holy Spirit, so that He can use us. |
| Sept 24 - 30 | As children of God, we pray that our faith will allow us to "Live Courageously" daily for Him; even when we are confronted with worldly or cultural differences that are contrary to our own beliefs. |

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.

FACILITY INFORMATION

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Announcements Submission Process

Submit announcements to announcements.emmanuelbc@gmail.com.
The deadline to submit all announcements requests is the 22nd of each month.