

FEBRUARY 28, 2010

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

Worship Attendance: 2/21/10

Sunday 8:00 AM	75
Sunday 10:30 AM.....	221
Total.....	296
Holy Communion	48
2/24/10 Lenten Worship Services..... (77 & 47)	124
Bible Class	72
Sunday School.....	21
Youth Group	26

Offerings: 2/21/10

Sunday Envelopes.....	\$10,015.00
Ash Wednesday Offering.....	\$1,546.00
Almoners Fund.....	\$0.00
Sinking Fund.....	\$102.50
150th Anniversary Fund.....	\$30.00
Dr. K. Joseph Hines II Scholarship Fund	\$20.00
Operating Budget pledge funds given to date...	\$69,000.00
<i>Budgeted offerings needed per week.....</i>	<i>\$11,107.69</i>

We remember in our prayers:

Ernest Conrad, Richard Duzenbury, Cal Hildenbrand, The Tom Leitz Family, David Marchant and The Ted Reuschel Family

Requests for prayers may be made to the Church Office: 485-4118

This week at Emanuel Lutheran:

Today	8:00 & 10:30 AM Worship Services (8:00 Communion) 9:00 Jr. Choir 9:15 AM Sunday School, Youth Group & Bible Class 11:45 AM Jr. Confirmation
Tuesday	6:30 PM Elders 7:00 PM Missionary Society
Wednesday	3:15 & 7:00 PM Lenten Worship & Supper (see feature) 8:00 PM Sr. Choir
Friday	6:00 PM Friendship Group Night of Music (see feature)
Saturday	9:00 AM Prepared to Answer 6:30 PM Worship Service at Campus Ministry, East Lansing
Sunday	8:00 & 10:30 AM Worship Services (10:30 Communion) 9:00 Jr. Choir 9:15 AM German Worship Service 9:15 AM Sunday School, Youth Group & Bible Class 11:45 AM Jr. Confirmation

"THE EMANUEL HOUR OF WORSHIP" SUNDAYS AT 8:00 AM, 1240 ON THE DIAL, WJIM

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TODAY'S ORDER OF SERVICE:

"DIVINE SERVICE II "
WORSHIP FOLDER

TODAY'S HYMNS:

523
434
449
440

PSALM OF THE DAY:

PSALM 42-43
CW P. 82

COMMUNION HYMNS:
403; 402 v. 1-3;
402 v. 4

First Lesson: Jeremiah 26:8-15

But as soon as Jeremiah finished telling all the people everything the LORD had commanded him to say, the priests, the prophets and all the people seized him and said, "You must die! Why do you prophesy in the LORD's name that this house will be like Shiloh and this city will be desolate and deserted?" And all the people crowded around Jeremiah in the house of the LORD. When the officials of Judah heard about these things, they went up from the royal palace to the house of the LORD and took their places at the entrance of the New Gate of the LORD's house. Then the priests and the prophets said to the officials and all the people, "This man should be sentenced to death because he has prophesied against this city. You have heard it with your own ears!" Then Jeremiah said to all the officials and all the people: "The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and this city all the things you have heard. Now reform your ways and your actions and obey the LORD your God. Then the LORD will relent and not bring the disaster he has pronounced against you. As for me, I am in your hands; do with me whatever you think is good and right. Be assured, however, that if you put me to death, you will bring the guilt of innocent blood on yourselves and on this city and on those who live in it, for in truth the LORD has sent me to you to speak all these words in your hearing."

Psalm 42-43 (CW p. 82)

Second Lesson: Philippians 3:17-4:1

Join with others in following my example, brothers,

and take note of those who live according to the pattern we gave you. For, as I have often told you before and now say again even with tears, many live as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their destiny is destruction, their god is their stomach, and their glory is in their shame. Their mind is on earthly things. But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body. Therefore, my brothers, you whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, that is how you should stand firm in the Lord, dear friends!

Verse of the Day: Philippians 2:8b


Jesus humbled himself and became obedient to death, even death on a cross.

Gospel Lesson: Luke 13:31-35

Today's Sermon Theme:

"Our Savior's sacrifice is rejected by many."

At that time some Pharisees came to Jesus and said to him, "Leave this place and go somewhere else. Herod wants to kill you." He replied, "Go tell that fox, 'I will drive out demons and heal people today and tomorrow, and on the third day I will reach my goal.' In any case, I must keep going today and tomorrow and the next day—for surely no prophet can die outside Jerusalem! "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, you who kill the prophets and stone those sent to you, how often I have longed to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing! Look, your house is left to you desolate. I tell you, you will not see me again until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.'"



Lent 2010

*Services at 3:15 & 7:00 p.m.
Supper served between
worship services*

March 3, 2010 Menu:
lasagna, salad, bread, jell-o,
desserts and beverages

March 3
"More Precious Than Life"

March 10
"Peace With God Through Our
Lord Jesus Christ"

March 17
"The Reason To Endure"

March 24
"Justified By Grace Alone
Through Faith Alone"



Emanuel Lutheran School
**Preschool &
Kindergarten Round-up**

Preschool Round-up
Tuesday, March 16th
8:00-11:00 a.m.

Kindergarten Round-up
Monday, March 22nd
8:00-11:30 a.m.

2010/2011 preschoolers, kindergarteners and parents, we would like to introduce you to our daily classroom activities. Come and see what Emanuel Lutheran School is all about!

Please RSVP to Mrs. Lindloff at (517) 881-3212 to join us for round-up.

Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.
Proverbs 22:6



Announcements

- **Memorials & Gifts: General Fund**—\$100.00 given in loving memory of Genevieve Reed by friends and family, \$15.00 given in loving memory of Don Wordell by friends and family, \$107.87 from Meijer Community Rewards and \$1,000.00 from the estate of Frieda VanBlaricom. **Debt Retirement**—\$135.00 given in commemoration of their 35th wedding anniversary by M/M Tom & Kathy Leitz.
- **Mission Crafts "Rescheduled"** invites all ladies to come and learn how to make a "Crocheted Necklace." Please bring 1 crochet hook, size K, M, N or P, small scissors and a tape measure. Also bring a needle, white thread and a glue gun for a surprise craft project (material cost \$3.50 for this project). We will meet **Monday, March 8** in room 9 from 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. (please bring a sack lunch). Looking forward to seeing you!
- **WELS Singles Meet & Greet** Saturday, March 13 at 6:30 p.m. in room 9. Come alone or with a friend for food, fellowship and activities. Babysitting on-site for \$1 per hour per child. Contact Crystal Conklin at (517) 420-0316 for info or to help with food.
- **Forward in Christ Subscriptions**—for monthly delivery to your home, please submit \$16.00 payable to the church in the designated envelope in your offering envelope box, or contact the church office. Subscription/renewal deadline: **3/11/10**.
- Food bank: 51 items for a total of 3,885 this year. Thank you!

**Find information on these events
on our church bulletin board.....**



- Friendship Group outing "Dinner Theater, Turkeyville USA," on April 10. The show is a comedy titled *Church Basement Ladies, a Second Helping*. Please sign up by March 7.
- **I AM THE VINE**, the 2010 Women's Retreat, April 9-11.

New Bible Class Series:

**PORTRAITS OF
EASTER**

*a chronological study of the
Passion history.*

*Bible Class meets at 9:15 a.m. on
Sundays in room 9.*

**Emanuel Friendship Group's
"Evening of
Fellowship &
Music"**

March 5, 2010

**6:00 p.m. Waffle Supper
7:00 p.m.
Music Program**