

## **EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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*SUNDAY SCHOOL & ADULT BIBLE STUDY 8:45 AM*

*DIVINE WORSHIP 10:00 AM*

*HOLY COMMUNION 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAYS*

*VISION STATEMENT.....“The Mission of Emmanuel Lutheran Church is to be a mission-station to equip the diverse people in our area with the love and power of Jesus.*

### **March 2019**

Grace, mercy, and peace be unto you from Christ Jesus, our Lord. It is in this month of March that we see a transition, the one we always look forward to every year. It is the shift from the season of Epiphany to the Time of Easter. This subtle change is one that should be marked by those who follow the Church Year and appreciate the hymns and lectionary that go along with it. For us at Emmanuel, this day is notably marked by the “burying of the alleluias” or the putting away for a time the singing of hymns that contain such rejoicing. Why? Because just as much as Transfiguration Day marks the close of the season of light, so Ash Wednesday will mark the season of penitence and reflection in Lent.

Yes, March 6<sup>th</sup> we will receive our ashes in the sign of the cross as Lent begins. I will be available from 7:30am – 8:00am in the sanctuary to offer you ashes at the beginning of the day. We will also have a service of Prayer at Noon, if you would like to receive your ashes then. And we look forward to our time of fellowship at 5:30pm, sponsored by Sunday School, for a pasta dinner and freewill offering, in preparation for our 6:30pm Ash Wednesday service. Prepare your hearts and minds, dear people of God, to worship the Lord in sincerity and truth. These forty days of Lent focus our thoughts and prayers on the grave reality that we are doomed by sin and in need of a Savior. Only the Son of God can pay the price and set His people free. May the season of Lent draw you closer to the One who now saves you, Christ Jesus our Lord.

God's peace,

*Pastor Gadbow*



## MARCH WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Date	Service	Scripture Lessons (Three-Year Lectionary Series C)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	LSB DS4 — Transfig. of Our Lord	Deuteronomy 34:1–12; Hebrews 3:1–6; Luke 9:28–36
6 <sup>th</sup>	LSB DS4 — Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:1–19; 2 Corinthians 5:20b–6:10; Matthew 6:1–6, 16–21
10 <sup>th</sup>	LSB DS1 — 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent	Deuteronomy 26:1–11; Romans 10:8b–13; Luke 4:1–13
17 <sup>th</sup>	LSB DS4 — 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent	Jeremiah 26:8–15 Philippians 3:17–4:1 Luke 13:31–35
24 <sup>th</sup>	LSB DS1 — 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent	Ezekiel 33:7–20; 1 Corinthians 10:1–13; Luke 13:1–9
24 <sup>th</sup>	LSB DS1 — 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent	Isaiah 12:1–6; 2 Corinthians 5:16–21; Luke 15:1–3, 11–32



- 3 *Patricia Case*
- 4 *Cody Brown*
- 8 *Cora Hulsman*
- 9 *Blake Edwards Jr.*
- 12 *Cindy Mulzer*
- 14 *Bryce Brown*  
*David Dome*
- 15 *Jack Mulzer*
- 16 *Bob Newton*

## MARCH BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES



- 17 *Amber Brumfield*
- 18 *Jeff Hinton*
- 19 *Robert Priebe Jr.*
- 20 *Anthony Roberts*
- 21 *Kyle Foertsch*
- 25 *Emerson Hoesli*  
*Elijah Knepper*
- 31 *David Foertsch*



## ALL CHILDREN INVITED TO JOIN IN SONG



The **children and the adult choir** will sing a song together during the Good Friday service. All children of the church are invited to practice with the adult choir to prepare this song. We are still working on details about when this will be. Please be on the lookout in the church bulletin for details about practice.

Pat Ebersberger and Renate Warner

## LITTLE LAMBS PRESCHOOL CLASS NEWS



The **Little Lambs Preschool Class** finished their quarterly lesson by watching their puppet, Buddy the Dog, receive a pretend phone call from God. We talked about how we are all "called" by God, but not by receiving a phone call. God calls us the moment we are made in Mommy's tummy. The Bible tells us this, and we talked about how prayer is how we talk to God; we don't need a phone! We talked about Jesus calling the original 12 disciples, and that each of us are called to love one another and tell others about Jesus. This quarter we will learn more about the fantastic things Jesus did while he was on this earth. We love each and every Little Lamb! Neal and Renate



We want to invite everyone to the **Ash Wednesday dinner**, March 6 at 5:30. We will be serving baked pasta dishes, salad and desserts. There will be a free will offering for the dinner. The youth appreciate your support. The children will bury the Alleluias on March 3 at the end of the worship service. We will continue with our Supper and Scripture each Wednesday as normal except for March 20 when we will not meet. We will not be serving desserts after the Lenten services this year.

Our **Sunday school classes** will be teaching many of the stories from Jesus' life here on earth. We will learn why this is important to each of us. Jesus came to teach us why we need a Savior. **WOW Kids** will be discussing the event of Holy Week. We encourage all our children to attend both Sunday School and WOW Kids.



Children Handchimes

The **Children's Chime Choir** will be meeting to prepare a song to be played on Sunday, March 31. Any child in kindergarten and up is welcome to join the Children's Chime Choir. Children must be available to practice immediately following church on March 3, 10, 17, and 24 and must be available to perform the song on Sunday, March 31. Practices will be brief, about 15 minutes. Contact Elizabeth G a d b a w at 260-609-7732 or egadbaw@gmail.com for more information.



Our **Food Pantry Donation Box** is located in the Narthex (right of the west exit door) for those wanting to help financially the local food bank in lieu of food items. The first Sunday of the month is designated "Food Pantry Sunday" for donated food items but the donation box now gives some flexibility to the process.



Kay, Verona, and Kelly met the 20th to discuss visits to the elderly and sick. Kelly is wanting ideas to coordinate a plan for those of spiritual need. No decisions were made with only two members present. Watch for a date for the March meeting.

If anyone is available for the March 23 Lenten breakfast to bring a breakfast item, please contact Kim. We need attendees.

We still meet on Monday to make quilts for World Relief. We have our goal of 100, and need more for distribution locally as needed. We would like to see new people to come join in this fun and fellowship group.



**Concordia Theological Seminary** has accepted my application for the Masters of Divinity program. I will begin in September or possibly June depending on schedules. I humbly ask for the prayers and support of the congregation as I start down this path. - Dan Warner



Our **2018 Annual Report/Directory** is in your mailboxes. The church directory is as up to date as we have information. If there are any additions or corrections, please contact the church office. We would like to have corrected information for our records. The church office phone number is (812) 547-4215 or email to emmanuel@psci.net.



To share in the joy of **greeting**, we need you! Please help us welcome everyone as they enter the church on Sunday morning by being a greeter. Talk with Randy or Pastor about how you can serve your congregation.



## LUTHERAN HOUR SCHEDULE

Evansville (WGBF) 1280AM 7:30 AM  
Boonville (WBNL) 1540AM 1:00 PM  
Online @ [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org) Anytime  
All Times are CST every Sunday



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### March 3 "Is God Everybody's Father?"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler  
A Christian can say, "I am not Jesus, but we have the same Father" (John 8)

### March 10 "Through Another's Eyes"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler  
Art helps us to better see the world. John's Gospel, which is both history and art, puts the world in proper focus. (John 9:1-41)

### March 17 "Ba-a-ah"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler  
Strikingly, Jesus refers to his people both as "sheep" and as "gods" (Psalm 82). How does that work? (John 10)

### March 24 "Death Doesn't End the Story"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler  
When you hear a person's story, it's hard not to like them. See what happens when you listen to the story of Jesus. (John 11)

### March 31 - TBA



A 30 minute Lutheran worship service for Shut-ins and others who are unable to get to church is broadcasted every Sunday **DirectTV Channel 377 at 10:30am or anytime at [www.worshipanew.org](http://www.worshipanew.org)**. Broadcasting now for 35 years this program is heard in 12 states with the potential of reaching 10 million people. Please share this information with those you know who might be blessed by viewing this service. The following is this month's sermon themes and related scripture.

### March 3 – "His Exodus"

On the Mount of Transfiguration Moses and Elijah spoke to Jesus about His departure. The word for "departure" is literally "exodus." Through Moses God led His Old Testament people in an extraordinary Exodus. Christ traveled an Exodus that brings His people into the "Promised Land" of heaven! (Luke 9:28-36)  
Rev. Dr. Daniel J. Brege, St. Paul Lutheran Church ~ Decatur, IN

### March 10 – "God Commands His Angels"

Psalms 91 contains one of the most treasured promises in all of Scripture. What does it mean that God commands His angels over us? How are we encouraged to live our Christian faith with this in mind? (Psalm 91:1-13)  
Rev. William Mueller, Suburban Bethlehem Lutheran Church ~ Fort Wayne, IN

### March 17 – "Where's Your Home?"

Citizens incur obligations and benefits. Through the life, death, and resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, we hold citizenship in heaven. Paul encourages the Philippians, and us, to live each day mindful of the obligations and benefits we possess by answering for us the question: Where's Your Home? (Philippians 3:20-21)  
Rev. Dr. Thomas R. Ahlersmeyer, Holy Cross Lutheran Church ~ Fort Wayne, IN

### March 24 – "Temptation"

We have been and will be tempted to sin. Who will help us in our time of need? Jesus – who was tempted in every way that we are, yet who never sinned. (1 Corinthians 10:1-13)  
Rev. Dr. Walter A. Maier III, Concordia Theological Seminary ~ Fort Wayne, IN

### March 31, 2019 – "The Prodigal Father"

This story in Luke 15 is often called the "Parable of the Prodigal Son." But the word prodigal is actually a much better description of the father. You see, "prodigal" means "reckless" or "extravagant" and it is in the father's unrestrained and overwhelming grace that we find the truth that changes our lives. (Luke 15:11)  
Rev. Thomas A. Eggold, Emmanuel Lutheran Church ~ Fort Wayne

# EVANSVILLE CIRCUIT, INDIANA DISTRICT, & SYNOD - WIDE EVENTS

## 44<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MEN'S LENTEN BREAKFAST



The 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Men's Lenten Breakfast will begin at St. John's United Church of Christ in Cannelton on March 9<sup>th</sup>. The breakfasts will continue each Saturday morning throughout the Lenten season beginning at 7:00 AM and ending by 7:50. Donations will be accepted to cover the cost of the food. The remaining Lenten breakfast schedule will be Saturdays, March 16<sup>th</sup>, Fourth Street Baptist Church, Cannelton; March 23<sup>rd</sup>, St. Paul's Catholic Church, Tell City; **March 30<sup>th</sup>, Emmanuel Lutheran**; April 6<sup>th</sup> First United Methodist Church, Tell City; April 13<sup>th</sup>, First Baptist Church, Tell City; April 20<sup>th</sup>, Evangelical United Church of Christ in Tell City. This is a Christian men's project. The annual breakfast started in 1976 and all men and boys are invited to attend.

## LADIES LENTEN PRAYER COFFEES

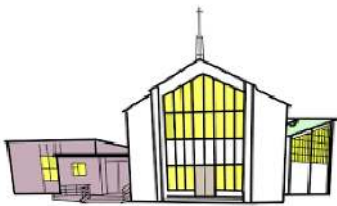


Ladies' Lenten Coffee

The 2019 Ladies Lenten Prayer Coffees will begin Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. The Coffees are open for all women and girls. The coffees begin at 9 AM and last for one hour. There will be refreshments served followed by a short program..an offering will be taken each morning and at the last Coffee, those attending will select a local charity to receive it.

The first coffee will be hosted by the Tell City First United Methodist Church. The schedule for the remaining Saturdays is: March 16<sup>th</sup>, Tell City First Baptist Church; March 23<sup>rd</sup>, Evangelical United Church of Christ of Tell City, hosting, with **Emmanuel Lutheran Church** co-hosting; March 30<sup>th</sup>, St. Michael Catholic Church of Cannelton hosting, with Gospel Tabernacle and St. John United Church of Christ co-hosting; April 6<sup>th</sup>, St. Paul Catholic Church hosting, with St. Pius Catholic Church & St. Mark's Catholic Church co-hosting; and April 13<sup>th</sup>, Cannelton United Methodist Church hosting with Cannelton First Baptist Church co-hosting. Any questions, contact Evelyn Adams at (812) 547-2919.

## TRINITY, DARMSTADT PLANS TO OPEN NEW PARISH HALL AND PRESCHOOL



Serving the Lord  
in Darmstadt

The Lord is doing great things at Trinity Lutheran Darmstadt in Evansville. By the end of the year, a new parish hall of the church will open, which includes a fellowship hall, kitchen, offices, restrooms, and classrooms. Next fall, they will open an early childhood ministry in their day school building.

Lutheran education has had a long tradition at Trinity. In 1853, the church opened a one-room Lutheran school, which expanded and continued for over 150 years. In 2010, the school closed due to funding issues. In 2017, Trinity voted to reopen the school as an early childhood ministry offering preschool and childcare.

Rev. Stan Temme noted that the *19:10 Project*, a revitalization process with the Transforming Churches Network, was an important part of creating an outward-focused mission and ministry for the church. In addition, the church completed the *Genesis Project* with the help of Dr. Jon Mielke, former executive counselor for Christian education, Mrs. Kathy Frank, early childhood consultant for the Indiana District, and LCMS consultant, Mr. Stu Tietz. Demographic studies from the project showed there were over 1700 children, ages 0-4, within a five-mile radius of the church. The congregation realized their vacant day school building could meet a vital need in the community, while providing a quality Lutheran education to young learners.

With assistance from the Indiana District Education Department, the church called Breenna Smith, an LCMS Commissioned Teacher, as the new director of the early childhood ministry. She was installed in September 2018. Rev. Temme said. "We're hoping to fill the halls with children, laughter, and the love of Jesus."

## 2019 LWML CONVENTION REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN



*Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Tell of his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations. (1 Chronicles 16:23–24a)*

Come to beautiful Mobile, Alabama June 20–23 for the 2019 LWML Convention, “In Praise to the LORD!” Celebrate our Lord’s victorious resurrection and tell of His glory and salvation in all the earth. The hosting LWML districts: Louisiana-Mississippi, Gulf States, and Florida-Georgia will welcome you with genuine southern hospitality. To register and to read about all the joyful events of convention, visit

[www.lwml.org/2019-convention](http://www.lwml.org/2019-convention).

Don’t miss it - Come to the LWML Convention early on Wednesday, June 19 to the picturesque Magnolia Grove – Crossings Golf Course on the Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail and join Past LWML Presidents Linda Reiser and Gloria Edwards, both avid golfers, for a fun morning of golf and fellowship in supporting missions.

The fifth biennial “Tee Up 4 Mites” golf outing is a great opportunity to play a round of golf on this prestigious course, to have a fun day of recreation and fellowship, and to make our LWML mission visible in the community as we raise funds for our mission goal. Golf club rentals are available with prior reservations. All net proceeds will be given to mites for the 2019–2021 Mission Goal. To register for the golf outing or support through sponsorship through a fillable online form, visit [www.lwml.org/2019-convention](http://www.lwml.org/2019-convention).

## DISTRICT LLL AND LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES SPONSOR OUTREACH CONFERENCE



The Indiana District of the Lutheran Laymen’s League and Lutheran Hour Ministries (LHM) are excited to announce the establishment of a one-day conference regarding LHM’s “**SENT INITIATIVE**” on Saturday, April 6, 2019 from 10:00 am-4:00 pm at Trinity, Lutheran Church, 8540 E. 16<sup>th</sup> St., Indianapolis.

This special day will focus on the **Lutheran Laymen’s League’s** number one desire; **to engage, energize and enlighten** lay leadership regarding personal witness and congregational outreach using the materials created by Lutheran Hour Ministries.

Break out session on “Lutheran Theology and Our Witness”, using Lutheran Hour print and video materials and training members to make their own witness are planned.

To answer questions and/or receive registration materials, contact LLL district president, Dan Johnson at [dcjsing@yahoo.com](mailto:dcjsing@yahoo.com).

## INDIANA DISTRICT LWML SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE



The **Indiana District LWML** will be awarding a limited number of \$500 scholarships for the 2019-2020 school year. These scholarships are available to students preparing to be servants of the church on a full-time basis (ministry, teaching, DCE, parish work, etc.) and are enrolled in an LCMS synodical university or seminary for next year.

Forms are available online at our district website: [www.lwmlindiana.org](http://www.lwmlindiana.org). for students who may qualify and are interested in receiving financial help. The completed application must be returned to me with a postmark no later than March 15, 2019.

It is important to emphasize that applicants must be a communicant member of an Indiana District LCMS congregation for at least 18 months.

The Scholarship Committee will be meeting in April to select this year’s recipients. Students will be notified shortly after as to whether or not they have been selected.

## CAMP LAKEVIEW NOW REGISTERING SUMMER CAMPERS



Camp Lakeview and Lakeview Villages (near Seymour, IN) are currently registering campers, grades K-12, for the 2019 summer season. What a great place to have fun and learn about God at the same time! To get more information, visit [www.lakeviewministries.com](http://www.lakeviewministries.com) or call the camp office at 812-342-

4815. Online registration for Lakeview Ministries opened on February 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:00 a.m. Last year, many programs were filled quickly, so register online today!





WOMEN'S  
+  
GUILD

COMMITTEES

2018 - 2019

**Adopt A Patient**

*Naomi Mulzer*

**Altar Flowers**

*Kim Staples*

**Campbell Labels**

*Erna McCallister*

**Cards for the Sick**

*Shirley LaGrange*

**Christian Growth**

*Sharon Warner*

**Communion Ware**

*Verona Mallory*

**Greeting Cards**

*Verona Mallory*

**Historian**

*Jean Hammack*

**Hospitality**

*Donna Jennings*

*Sharon Warner*

**Sales Receipts**

*Verona Mallory*

**Stamps**

*Faye Foertsch*

**Visiting**

*Doris Schauburger*



**Prayer Chain**

Co-chairpersons:

*Pastor Gadbow*

812-547-9967

*Faye Foertsch*

812-547-4242



- 1 *Irene Cole*
- 3 *Brittney Bond*  
*Pastor Gadbow*
- 8 *Alex Cole*
- 11 *Brett Mulzer*
- 13 *David Foertsch*
- 14 *Sarah Drake*  
*James Gadbow*  
*Renate Warner*
- 17 *Rhonda Hess*
- 18 *Camryn Peter*  
*Eric Stephens*
- 19 *Job Warner*  
*Jude Warner*
- 20 *Wayne Jennings*  
*Kathy Priebe*
- 21 *Joe Gladish*
- 22 *Tanner Staples*
- 24 *Joel Welsh*
- 25 *Will Mogan*
- 26 *Kim Staples*
- 30 *Chelsea Priebe*  
*Paisley Tudor*



- 2 *Ray & Kim Staples (21)*
- 7 *Jim & Joyce Mulzer (55)*



**MARCH 10<sup>th</sup>**



**Acolytes**

**MARCH ACOLYTES**

- 3 *Emma Baur*
- 6 *BrookLynn Brown*
- 10 *Trinity Brown*
- 13 *Peyton Hays*
- 17 *Emerson Hoesli*
- 20 *Noah Hoesli*
- 24 *Vanessa Hubert*
- 27 *Rose Marie Jacob*
- 31 *Eli Knepper*



**greeters**

**March 3**

*CIA Youth Group*

**March 10**

*FBI Youth Group*

**March 17**

*Gary & Cathy Greubel*

*Jim & Joyce Mulzer*

**March 24**

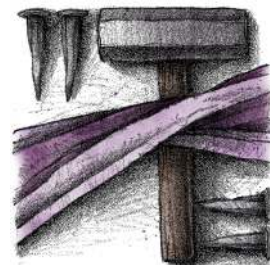
*Sid & Ethan Kruse*

*Kim & Ray Staples*

**March 31**

*Erna McCallister*

*Verona Mallory*



He was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities...

Isalah 53:5, NRSV



The following are members of our congregation who are not able to get to worship on a regular basis. A card from you or a phone call bringing Christian love and concern would be most welcome.

**Mrs. Eva Mae Powell**  
402 19th Street, Room 48  
Tell City, IN 47586

**Mr. Randall Sandage**  
%Evansville State Hospital, Ward C  
3400 Outer Lincoln Avenue  
Evansville, IN 47714

# Puzzle!

Search for these words that are all associated with the Lenten journey.

crown donkey hosanna penance Pilate sins  
colt crucifixion forsaken kiss prayer suffer  
confess death Gethsemane lots repent thorns  
cross denial Golgotha palms silver vigil

E N A M E S H T E G R L W Y  
C L E U X B M T H B U C W B  
N R I K Y P A T E T I Y X Y  
A V J G A L B R E Y A R P B  
N G N L I S N L A I N E D X  
E W M P R V R D H B N R D F  
P S O G O L G O T H A B S C  
D L N R O C O N F E S S I K  
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**Chris Seitz**  
February 13



Email: [tim@guineamission.com](mailto:tim@guineamission.com)  
Website: <http://guineamission.com>  
<http://globallutheranoutreach.com/blog/heiney>



Campbell.

"My whole family's giving up something for Lent. Mom's giving up cookies, Dad's giving up cake, and I'm giving up squash."



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*He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud  
overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said,  
"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased;  
listen to him." Matthew 17:5*



March 6<sup>th</sup>

Dinner Sponsored by  
Our Sunday School @ 5:30 PM  
Ash Wednesday Worship @ 6:30

SUNDAY SCHOOL 8:45 AM  
ADULT BIBLE STUDY 8:45 AM  
SUNDAY WORSHIP 10:00 AM  
COMMUNION 1<sup>ST</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAYS