

Our vision for ministry ... **“God calls us to reach out and to grow in Christ’s love”**

Today’s theme: Jesus does great deeds of power and gives his disciples authority over demons. Yet none of this power is unilateral; it all must be received by faith. Jesus asks his disciples to go out without money or supplies, so that they will be dependent on how others receive them. When we are sent from the assembly to witness and to heal, we are asked to be vulnerable, to be dependent on the reception of others. The Spirit always operates in the “between”: between Jesus and his Abba, between Jesus and us, between you and me, between us and those to whom we are sent.

Traditional Worship

Sanctuary 8:45 am

Altar Flowers – Presented to the Glory of God.

Bulletins – Presented to the Glory of God.

Helping Today

Altar Care: Sue Getz & Barbara Bennett

Ushers: Sue & David Getz

Communion Asst: Nancy Marsh

Reader: Nancy Marsh

Media: Karl Monroe

Celebration Worship

Fellowship Hall 10:00 am

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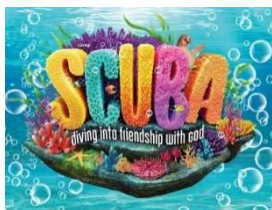
Altar Care: Bonnie Himmelwright

Greeter: Gloria Wallery

Communion Asst: Dan/Carey Ebersole, Kelly Cascario, & Kim Kratzer

Prayer Reader: Wendy Whiteash

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| Please pray for: | Sandy Long | Louise Miltenberger | Doris Engle | Keith Bird | Sue Theoret |
| Joanne Hower | Sheldon Mann | Sue Witmer | Rochelle Rinker | Thelma Silivius | Deb Fisher |
| June Myster | Delores Allogio | Larry Snyder | Grant & Joanne Wambold | Phyllis Palamaro | Clara & Bobby Miller |
| Bette & Ray Walker | Vernon Mann | Spencer Wisner | Susan walker | Joe Siekonic | Carol Farole |
| Dave Farber | Sue Lavenburg | Harriett Meckes | Dale Muffley | Al Miller | Ken Reeser |
| Robert Butz | Scott Nicholas | Carla Evans | Courtney Crout | Wayne Derhammer | Charlie Walker |



VBS 2024...Send your kids on an undersea adventure!

Monday, July 22 thru Thursday, July 25 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm



Take kids deep into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the ever-flowing, never ending love of God. At Scuba VBS, kids will be immersed in the Word and discover what living water is really all about! See the bulletin insert for more information and registration details. A light kid-friendly meal will be served each day at 5:30pm. Please let us know if you will be attending.

HELP! A list of supplies that are needed for VBS can be found on the tables in the upstairs Gathering Area and downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up if you can help. Thank you!

VBS students will be collecting items for The Bath Area Food Bank and Behavioral Health Associates in Lehighton. A list of items requested can be found in the Gathering Area and Fellowship Hall.

Family Game Night...Our next evening full of fun and games is scheduled for **Saturday, July 13 at 6:00pm**. Bring yourself, your favorite game, and a snack to share. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Bath Area Food Bank – July. We are collecting **Cleaning Supplies and Canned Vegetables.** The food bank has a special request for **canned corn, canned string beans, chicken noodle soup, and peanut butter.** There is always a need for **Ramen noodles.** Monetary donations are always gladly accepted.



Collections for BHA... Following our summer tradition, we will once again be collecting school supplies for Behavioral Health Associates in Lehigh. The items requested include **pencils, pens, glue sticks, highlighters, crayons, colored pencils, markers, 2 pocket folders, paper, and composition books.** Collection bins can be found in the Gathering Area and Fellowship Hall. Contact Cheryl Haas with any questions.

Do you have a green thumb? We are looking for volunteers to help care for the plants at the pavilion. Sign up sheets can be found in both the gathering area and the fellowship hall.

Mailing Preference Changes... If you contribute to the church through Vanco or our Website and are no longer in need of mailed envelopes, please contact the office so we can update your preferences. Also, if you no longer wish to receive a paper informer and would like to read it online through our website or E News, please let the office know.

Communion and Giving Record for 2024... To remain an active member on the church's rolls, a person must commune and give a contribution of record at least once in a calendar year. Please fill out a communion card for 2024 – you only need to fill out one per year. Also, when contributing to the church, please use your offering envelopes or write a check or place money in an envelope with your name and/or church envelope number on it.

Altar Flowers / Bulletin Sponsors... The on-line sign-ups for sponsoring weekly flowers and bulletins for 2024 are now "live" on Sign Up Genius. There are two separate sign-ups - one for the 8:45am Traditional Service and one for the 10:00am Celebration Service. The online addresses are long and cumbersome so the best way to access Sign Up Genius is by using the links that are listed in the weekly eNews or on our website (www.emmanuel.org). **If you don't have computer access or are uncomfortable using Sign Up Genius, please do not hesitate to call Janelle at the church office (610-837-1741) with your requests.** She will be more than happy to take your information and enter it into the online system.

This Week at Emmanuel's

Sunday 07/07/24:

7 Pentecost

Holy Communion is offered at all services.

8:45am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

10:00am Celebration Worship in the Fellowship Hall

Monday 7/08/24:

5:30pm Yoga

Tuesday 7/09/24:

6:00pm Boy Scouts

Thursday 7/11/24:

10:30am Ladies Bible Study-Zoom

7:00pm Council Meeting

Saturday 7/13/24:

6:00pm Game Night

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Troop 74 cordially invites you to attend the

EAGLE SCOUT
COURT OF HONOR
For

Aaron Louw
and
Christopher Walters

Holy Cross Evangelical Lutheran Church
696 Johnson Road, Nazareth, PA
3:00 pm - July 13, 2024
RSVP: 484-903-0220