

EMMANUEL NEWS BULLETIN

March 9, 2025

Weekly Bible Classes—

SUNDAYS after the Divine Service in Memorial Hall.

THURSDAYS at 9 a.m. in Memorial Hall.

Midweek Services—

WEDNESDAYS at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

THURSDAYS at 8:45 a.m. in the chapel.

Our two Missions this Month are *Concordia Seminary in St. Louis* and *Seminarian Luke Konkel*. For more than 175 years, the seminary in St. Louis has existed to prepare men for the holy ministry of Word and Sacraments in The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Half of your gifts on your mission line this month go to the seminary and the other half will be given to the seminarian we support. Any gift on the mission line of your weekly envelopes for March goes to supporting the work of the church and the training of her pastors.



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Sunday School—The children will study “*Babylonian Captivity*” today in Sunday School. Parents must pick up their children in the chapel at 11:30 a.m. The snack for March 16: *Fischer*.

Sunday Bible Class meets in Memorial Hall after the Divine Service. Aaron Buchholz is leading a study with the theme of **Church History**.

Lent is upon us and we begin this penitential season in preparation for the reality of Christ’s sacrifice on Good Friday and the joy of His resurrection on Easter Sunday. We gather for worship in the sanctuary each Wednesday in Lent at 6:30 p.m. Meals will precede each of the Lenten services, at 5:15 p.m. The sign-up sheet for bringing a dish and/or helping at the Lenten meals is in the narthex.

Greeters—We would love to have greeters to welcome both our members and visitors alike each Sunday. Please review the sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex and consider signing up to be a greeter for a Sunday in April.

Thursday Morning Bible Study will continue to focus on the Book of Acts. Fellowship at 9:00 a.m. Study begins at 9:15 a.m.

A Lenten Devotional titled *The Hand of the Lord* is available in the narthex and in the church office. Please take one for your family and engage in home devotions during the season of Lent. This devotional also follows the theme of our midweek Lenten services.

Camperships are available to help with the cost of attending an LCMS camp this summer. Forms are available in the narthex or by contacting Pastor and must be submitted by May 4, 2025 to be reviewed by the Christian Education Committee.

Begin collecting items for our **Rummage Sale** to be held on April 25th & 26th. All donations will benefit the congregation. More information will be available soon. A Planning Meeting has been scheduled for March 16th at 11:30 a.m.

Emmanuel members aim to provide scholarships to those children attending an LCMS school. A tuition scholarship is granted to students in a 4K program or above. We look forward to many children of our parish participating this year. If you desire a scholarship for the 2025-26 school year, you must complete the application (available in the narthex) and return it as indicted by June 1. We thank all congregational members for their gifts on the “Christian Ed.” line of their weekly envelope that goes toward this endeavor.

Emmanuel Women’s Book Club will not meet in March or April.

Are you a Thrivent Member? You may have *Choice Dollars* that will expire at the end of March. These funds can be directed to Emmanuel to help support our ministry. Speak with Pastor if you’re unsure of how this benefit works.

Brat Fry at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 917 Mead Ave., Sheboygan on March 16th from 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Brats, hamburgers, potato salad, baked beans, assorted desserts and beverages will be offered. Proceeds to help offset the cost for the new main entrance doors scheduled to be replaced this year.

Lutheran Schools Night, Saturday, April 5th at 6:10 p.m. Join us for a night of family fun as the Milwaukee Brewers take on the Cincinnati Reds. Purchase your tickets online at <https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/Lutheranschools25>.

Life Quotes—"Brothers and sisters, in Christ you are God's masterpiece. You were created for a purpose. You are the hands and feet of Christ demonstrating His love in a world that desperately needs it. Live out that purpose in the strength that comes from Him and wait joyfully for the day where we get to see His finished product." *Rev. Adam Osier, Dean, Free Lutheran Bible College, Plymouth, Minnesota – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

THIS WEEK AT EMMANUEL

SUNDAY	LENT 1 (March 9, 2025) Divine Service Sunday School/Bible Class	9:00 a.m. 10:15 a.m.
TUESDAY	American Heritage Girls Trail Life @ St. John, Sherman Center	6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	Confirmation II & III Lenten Dinner—Sloppy Joes Midweek Lenten Service	5:00 p.m. 5:15 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
THURSDAY	Morning Worship Bible Class Dartball @ Bethany, Kohler	8:45 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
SUNDAY	LENT 2 (March 16, 2025) Divine Service Sunday School/Bible Class Rummage/Bake Sale Planning Meeting	9:00 a.m. 10:15 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

Bulletin submissions: email secretary@emmanueladell.org OR call the church office 920.994.9005. Submissions run for two weeks. Our secretary, Suzanne Ponath, holds office hours on Wednesday and Thursday mornings.