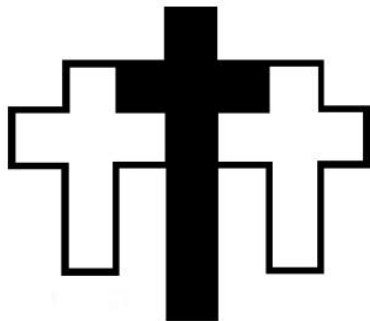


Emmanuel Lutheran Church



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Working to Care for ALL God's People

Worship Bulletin & Weekly Announcements June 2, 2024

WELCOME VISITORS!

Welcome to Emmanuel Lutheran Church! We are glad that you are worshiping with us. If you have no church home in this community, why not make Emmanuel your own? Please sign the guest book in the narthex. If you are interested in becoming a member of the congregation, please talk with Pastor JJ, who can be reached by phone at 412-600-6232, or via email at pastor@elcetna.org.

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WELCA Picnic

WELCA will have their annual end of year picnic on Thursday June 13, 2024 at 4:30pm at the home of Sally Palka. If you plan on attending please bring a covered dish, salad or dessert. Contact Edna Zimmerman for information at edna228@verizon.net.

What Does This Mean?

What does this mean? Will be a faith formation opportunity, for anyone and everyone, to study and discern together the themes of faith of the current liturgical season.

In the season of Pentecost we will explore the question, what does it mean to live guided by the Spirit?

1pm-2:30pm in the Weisel Room

Pentecost Schedule

June 12

June 26

July 10

July 24

125th Anniversary

January 21, 2025 will be our 125th birthday as Emmanuel! Council has formed a team of people to plan, organize, and guide the events that will celebrate our next and past 125 years of service to the Gospel through worship, proclamation, baptism, service, nurture, and fellowship.

Thank you to Lynn Kania, Judy Erlen, and Tom Kleeb for volunteering. If you would like to join them, please let one of them know.

Etna: Dementia Friends

Join us this month for learning about dementia and how Etna's residents and organizations can better support those living with dementia.

We are hosting two sessions that are one-hour, interactive informational seminars which will cover five key messages about dementia and touch on what it is like to live with it. By attending, you can then turn your understanding into a practical action that can help someone with dementia living in Etna.

First session: Monday, June 3, 11am – 12pm at Etna Senior Center (18 Walnut St.)

Second session: Wednesday, June 12, 6:30 – 7:30pm at Emmanuel Lutheran Church (66 Grant Ave.)

These sessions are free and open to the public. All ages may attend, but the information is geared towards adults. Free food and drink - lunch will be provided on 6/3 and dinner will be provided on 6/12.

We look forward to seeing you there!

These sessions are facilitated by Dementia Friends Pennsylvania in partnership with the PA Dept. of Aging and statewide coordinators at the Jewish Healthcare Foundation. These events are co-hosted in Etna by Mayor Robert Tuñón, Borough of Etna, Etna Borough Police Department, Etna Community Organization, Emmanuel Lutheran Church, and Etna Senior Center.

Altar Flowers

June 2	IHO the Shaler High School Graduation of Victoria Scariot and Carissa O'Dell by their families
June 9	Altar: IMO Lois Kleeb's birthday by Tom, Lynne and Family Credence: IMO Don Broskey, by Karen and Vic Zacchero
June 16	IMO Earl Fugh by his family
June 23	IMO Jack and Jane Dellert by Son Jack and Family
June 30,	IMO Leo Henne by Leo, Linda and family
July 7	In Thanksgiving for Emmanuel's choir by Judy Erlen
July 14	IHO Rylee Pritchard's birthday by her family Credence IMO Jim Tyson. by Ingold family,
July 21	Available
July 28	IMO Fred and Anna Zimmerman, by Don and Edna Zimmerman
August 4	Available
August 11	Available
August 18	IMO Lois Mertens by John Mertens
August 25	IMO Dave Pilarski by Sue Spelic

If you would like to sponsor the altar flowers in memory or honor of a loved one, event, or time, please communicate with Edna Zimmerman edna228@verizon.net (412-487-3554)

Outside groups meeting at Emmanuel

Monday	6:30pm	Brownies
Tuesday	7:00pm	Boy Scouts
Wednesday	6:30pm	Girl Scouts
Thursday	Noon-3pm	Passages to Recovery
Friday		

OUR CONCERN LIST

Pastor Robert Strobel, one of our past interim pastors, passed away on May 14, 2024. Rest eternal grant him O Lord and let light perpetual shine upon him. Please keep his spouse Joyce and friends and family in your prayers. A memorial service will be held on June 7th at 7pm at St. John's Lutheran Church, Perrysville.

Members, and Family and friends, of congregation in need of prayer: Stephen Fleming, Merle Neumann (Pastor Neumann's brother), Family of Pastor Robert Strobel (former interim at Emmanuel), Jonah Soergel, mom Kayla and dad Chuck, Douglas E. Krachala and family, Jeanne Krachala, Sally Love, Dean Ingold, Susan Conrad and family, Joanne Walsh and family, Mara Comport, Rachel Coates, Gary Jurges, Kathleen McShane, Stephanie Hall and Joseph Oricko, Shirley Simon, Ray Suhadolnik.

Those serving in the military: Rob Umbaugh, Larry Baumiller, III, Dalton Bailey, Pat Sharkey, Evan Stitch.

[note: We ask the families and friends who have requested prayers to please give us a call when your loved one may be removed from our list.]

BULLETIN PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have a prayer request to be added to our concern list, for the prayer chain, or would like to receive prayer requests, please contact Edna Zimmerman (412-487-3554); edna228@verizon.net; or Rachel Coates (412-486-0830). You can also add names to the bulletin prayer list by calling or sending an email to Pastor JJ. Thank you for your prayerful concern and care about our neighbors and friends!

Pastoral Care Needs

When you, members of your family, or friends in the congregation, are in need of pastoral care due to illness, hospitalization or life events, please call Pastor J.J. at 412-600-6232.

Serving Today June 2, 2024

Pastor	Pastor J. J. Lynn
Communion Assistant	Roland Kania
Live Stream	Tom Hough
Greeters/Ushers	John Mertens
	Karen Krenn
Reader	Edna Zimmerman
Altar Guild	Edna Zimmerman
Counters	Edna Zimmerman
	Jaime Renda

Serving next week June 9, 2024

Pastor	Pastor J. J. Lynn
Communion Assistant	Stan Grubisa
Live Stream	
Greeters/Ushers	Shari Heller
	Sue Spelic
Reader	Tom Kleeb
Altar Guild	Linda Henne
Counters	Roland Kania
	John Mertens

Emmanuel's Congregational Councilpersons

Tom Hough, President	
Sue Spelic, Vice-President	
Edna Zimmerman, Secretary	
Roland Kania, Treasurer	
Dean Ingold	Kathy Suhadolnik
Danielle Barr	Stan Grubisa
Jack Dellert	John Mertens
Jaime Renda	

Northside Ministry Pleasant Valley Men's Shelter

Gently used men's clothing is being collected for our ministry with the Pleasant Valley Men's Shelter. Items can be left in the hallway between the sanctuary and Sunday School rooms.

Drop off non-perishable food items for Bread of Life:

Monday 2-4 pm

Wednesday 6-8 pm

All Saints School Building – Dewey Street

(monetary donations will also be accepted)

Partners: All Saints Catholic Church, Borough of Etna, Bread of Life Food Pantry, Etna Community Organization, Emmanuel Lutheran Church

**Specific needs for Children Summer Food Bags,
Jelly**

Peanut Butter

Juice Boxes

Microwavable Mac and Cheese

Ramen Noodles

**Single Serving Snacks, e.g., applesauce, nuts, crackers,
fruit cups, etc...**

Bread of Life Food Pantry has a shortage of the following items and we are asking our friends and neighbors to help.

Toilet Paper

Paper Towels

Crackers

Mac and Cheese

Coffee (ground)

Thank You.

WELCA (Women of the ELCA) Items needed for the after school program at St.Peter's Lutheran Church, Evans City are: Snack donations, apple sauce, pretzels, vegie straws, any snack size bag of treats; paper products - paper towels, napkins, paper plates, etc; craft supplies - glue, scotch tape, beads, construction paper, permanent markers, and items for prizes (small dollar store items would be great). Please place items in red barrel at side entrance.

FREE SUMMER LUNCHES
AT THE ETNA PLAYGROUND

FREE SUMMER LUNCHES WILL BE
 DISTRIBUTED EVERY MONDAY-FRIDAY
 FROM 12:30-2PM TO KIDS 18 AND UNDER!

Contact megan@etnacomunity.org
 for more info!

**Beginning
 JUNE
 3rd!**

To volunteer to assist with Free Summer Lunches
https://signup.com/go/vEkxemg?fbclid=IwZXh0bgNhZW0CMTAAAR2YuwmK7mJus3RsV7HyxfmA8d88o0ES-gBSBOcd-6CNiYJ-IDt90NWXoW4_aem_AURK-yA7eW3sG__Z5FdE6IeHavEixbABo38yvvcgvs7TkDZcPMnNbcAPN5aKu-XP_pTsyvKbk4SiVtC_6WNXHZ0dv