



CHURCH LIFE | Announcements for May 28, 2023

Special Memorial Day Event | Monday, May 29, 9am

Oak Hill Memorial Park, Escondido

The Emmanuel Faith Choir will sing at Escondido's Memorial Day ceremony this Monday, May 29, at Oak Hill Memorial Park to honor the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military. All are invited to attend.

EFCC Membership Class | Sunday, June 4, 9-10:30am, Chapel downstairs

Membership is a spiritual discipline of publicly committing to a local body of believers for the purpose of advancing the Kingdom of God together. This class will walk you through our Statement of Faith and Membership Covenant so that you will be ready to officially apply for membership at Emmanuel Faith. To attend the class, please RSVP online at efcc.org/events, or contact us via email at welcome@efcc.org or call (760) 781-2161.

Seminarian Weekend Is Almost Here | Sunday, June 4

Because Emmanuel Faith is committed to training men and women as spiritual leaders in the church, on Sunday, June 4, we'll present the names of our graduate students (EFCC members) who are currently attending seminary to the church. To help them financially, you can donate at the doors of each worship venue on June 4. You also may give to the Seminarian Fund through June 30, 2023, by check, online at efcc.org/give or via our App.

Enough: An Event for Women | Wednesday, June 7, 6:30-8pm, Chapel
Life can make us feel like we're not enough sometimes. If that's you, ladies, we invite you to an evening of music, prayer, and to remind you — **God Is Enough.**

Dads & Kids Games Night | Wednesday, June 7, 6:30-8pm at EFCC

While the women of EFCC are attending the women's worship night (*see listing above*), dads and kids are invited to enjoy some fun games on the field and in the Family Center (Gym). No registration is required.

Men's Breakfast | Saturday, June 10, 8-10am, Family Center (Gym)

Guys, come enjoy a morning of great food, some good connections with other dudes, and a time of learning with skateboarding legend and entrepreneur, Jamie Thomas. His message will encourage, inspire and challenge your walk with God. Breakfast cost is \$8 for adults before June 5 (or \$10 after), or \$5 for ages 15 and under. Register online at efcc.org/events.

Love Your Neighbor Conference | Saturday, June 10, 9am to 6pm at EFCC

Emmanuel Faith's Outreach ministry will be providing a one-day conference for Christians to learn how they can be mobilized to love their neighbors. This conference will provide a theology and basic practical steps with workshops, worship and site tours from our community partners. Suggested donation: \$15 (includes dinner). Learn more at efcc.org/events.

Summer Camp Season Is Here | *For students 4th grade through high school*

Summer is upon us and that means it's almost time for summer camps! We have three camp options to choose from (*in addition to VBS coming July 17-21 — more details to come, or see volunteer options on the next page*). For all the camp details, or to register your student, visit our website at efcc.org/events.

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Next Baptism Opportunity | Sunday, June 18

Our next opportunity to celebrate baptisms is coming soon, during all of our services. If you're interested in being baptized, please attend one of our informational meetings on Sunday, June 11, following each of our morning worship services in the Garden Room, located on the south side of the Worship Center near the Main Office front desk. You can also sign up for the baptism online at efcc.org/events.

Join the FaithKids Team for Summer Sundays and VBS!

Summer Sundays begin June 4 and VBS runs July 17-21 | Children's Center FaithKids' Sunday summer programming begins Sunday, June 4! Come join us at either 9 or 10:45am to help with our kids programs. We've split the summer weeks into two teams and invite you to join one or both.

Then, the week of July 17-21, VBS is back and we'll need hundreds of volunteers! Be part of the team and help us share the gospel with kids from our community? If you'd like to join either the summer or VBS volunteer teams, visit efcc.org/kids for more information and to sign up.

EFCC Care & Counseling Ministry | efcc.org/help

Support Groups & Other Classes

Have a Need? We're Here to Help!

Life can be hard at times, but you don't have to go through it alone. Whatever your need, we want to be there for you as your church family in order to assist, guide, encourage, and point you toward the love of Jesus. Consider these ongoing, once-a-month support groups:



Alzheimer's Support Group | This Sunday, May 28, 1-2pm
Ed. Center, Room 5 | Contact: alzefcc@gmail.com or (760) 781-2108

This support group meets on the 4th Sunday of the month and serves as a lifeline for families affected by Alzheimer's Disease, Dementia, Frontotemporal Dementia, and other neurodegenerative diseases. Come connect with other people going through the same daily struggles and learn from each other's experiences.

Parkinson's Support Group | First Monday, 10am, San Rafael Church
Contact: [Rick Ankrom, r_ankrom@cox.net](mailto:Rick_Ankrom@cox.net)

A place for fellowship and learning through informative talks and break-out groups for those with Parkinson's and their Care Partners. Meets the first Monday of every month from 10am-Noon at San Rafael Church in the Parish Hall, 17252 Bernardo Center Drive, Rancho Bernardo, CA 92128.

See more on back ...

Announcements continue on the next pages, see our App, or visit efcc.org/events.



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DISCOVERING JESUS
Assumptions
John 3:1-21
Esteban Tapia
Teaching Pastor

1 Without _____, we settle for assumptions.

2 _____ to other perspectives
_____ our assumptions.

3 Jesus has the _____ to dismantle
our assumptions.

4 _____ for the truth will force us to
_____ our assumptions.

→ If you want a " _____ " in your life,
put all your _____ to the side.

Have questions about the sermon, the Scriptures, or just life? Email them to Questions@efcc.org and we'll try to respond at our earliest convenience.

Helpful links: efcc.org/sermons | efcc.org/devos | efcc.org/podcasts

Take Your Next Step!

Thank you for joining us for worship and time in God's Word today! If we can be of further assistance, please contact us at welcome@efcc.org. To connect more, or to go deeper at Emmanuel Faith, here are some ways to take a next step ...

Need Prayer? | efcc.org/prayer

We'd love to pray for you! Do you have a specific request or need, or are you going through a tough time? Visit our prayer form online, scan the code at right, or email prayer@efcc.org.



Give to EFCC | efcc.org/give

Thank you for your generosity!

By joining our giving community you're becoming part of something bigger than yourself. Visit our giving page, scan the code to the right, or use an offering envelope at church.



Connect in a Group | efcc.org/groups

Go deeper with a community of people!

Build lasting relationships, learn about God's heart for you, and walk alongside others in every season of life. Scan the code at right or visit our groups page online.



Join a Team | efcc.org/teams

Helping others live in the way of Jesus with the heart of Jesus brings blessings and joy to everyone involved, you included. Don't believe us? Give it a shot. It might just change your life.



NEW TO EFCC? Start Here!

We'd Love to Get to Know You! | efcc.org/connection

Take a moment to tell us more about yourself. Scan the QR code at right, or fill out a Connection Card in the chair back. You also can visit our Welcome area in the Worship Center lobby, or go online to visit our website at efcc.org/connect.



At the Welcome area, you can learn more about Emmanuel Faith Community Church including our various ministries and programs for all ages. Thank you for visiting today!

CHILDREN'S, YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

FaithKids | efcc.org/kids

Sundays (Children's Center)

Infants to 6th Grade | 9 and 10:45am

Wednesdays (Children's Center)

Infants to 6th Grade | 6:30-8pm (September to May)

Junior High & High School

efcc.org/jh | efcc.org/hsm

Sundays | 10:45am (Youth Center)

Wednesdays | 6:30-8pm (Sept. to May, and summer camps/events)

Young Adults | efcc.org/ya

Tuesdays (ages 18-25) | 7pm, Young Adults Room (upstairs)

Thursdays (ages 25+) | 7:30pm, Young Adults Room (upstairs)

Week Night Small Groups | 7-9pm (off campus)

WEEKLY WORSHIP SERVICES

CLASSIC | Sundays, 9am, Worship Center

MODERN | Sundays, 9am, Chapel (video venue)

MODERN | Sundays, 10:45am, Worship Center, & 5pm, Chapel

EN ESPAÑOL | Sundays, 10:45am, Chapel



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EFCC Open Wi-Fi Password: John3:16



www.emmanuelfaithpreschool.org

(760) 781-2260 | preschool@efcc.org
639 E. 17th Ave., Escondido, CA 92025
Monday-Friday, 7am-5pm (full & part day)



Love Your Neighbor Conference

JUNE 10 AT EMMANUEL FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

theneighborconference.com

Love Your Neighbor Conference

JUNE 10, 9:00AM-6:00PM

EMMANUEL FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH (639 E. 17TH AVE, ESCONDIDO)

- Gain a new vision for how you can join God on mission right where you live, work and play.
- Learn from experienced practitioners how you can make a greater impact in your own neighborhood.
- Discover the needs and hopes shaping the neighborhoods in our city.
- Get practical ideas you can put into practice this summer.

For more info & to register today visit:

theneighborconference.com

*Suggested donation \$15
(includes dinner, snacks, and materials)
*Spanish translation available

Questions? Feedback?

outreach@efcc.org
(760) 745-2541



Your kingdom come, your will be done... **in my neighborhood** as it is in heaven.

EFCC Family News Update

Sharing our family passings and prayer needs

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Pray for Our Church Family

Home With the Lord

Upcoming Memorial Services & Homegoing Updates

Ed Lelek — Passed away recently in Texas. A graveside service will be held locally (*date and time to be announced*).

Jim Adair — Passed away recently. A memorial service was held for him on Thursday, May 25, at 10am in the Chapel.

Peggy Noland — A service will be held for her on Saturday, June 10, at 10am in the Chapel.

Violet Saffell — A memorial service will be held for her on Friday, June 16, at 2pm in the Chapel.

In the Hospital or Outpatient (at Present or Pending*)

Brent Fredenburg and Cynthia Hoppas.

Recovering at Home or in Extended Care

David Creamer, Sr., Paul Fleischmann, John Heusner, Mitzi (Jane) Kolar, Johnathon Lanz, Gary Morris, Virginia Sanderson, and George Ward.

In Hospice Care

Pam Munson and Jerold Schreiber.

Fighting Cancer

Bruce Bechard, Elizabeth Birch, Ginny Bowman, Teri Chalfant, Ruby Chan (child), Jody Dietel, Denise Dominguez, Bev Feiker, Wally Goff, Terry Haynes, Madison Jones (child), Dave Keller, Joseph Kelsch, Barbara Neely, Terry Ogden, Luanne Rishel, Debbie Roberts, Shirley Roireau, Virginia Sanderson, Dan Sandland, Connie Schacher, Ed Schacher, David Sebastian, Richard Sloan, Patrick Stoker, Isla Strobl (child), Pamela Thacker, Donna Vuckovich, Mike Walker, and Keith Zander.

