



Emmanuel Faith Community Church
Sunday, July 2, 2023

CHURCH LIFE | Announcements for July 2, 2023

All-Church Beach Day | This Wednesday, July 5, Oceanside Harbor Beach
Contact: welcome@efcc.org or (760) 781-2161, or visit efcc.org/events
Hey, church family! Let's come together for an all-church beach day. Join us any time, all day on Wednesday, July 5, at Oceanside Harbor near lifeguard tower #16. We'll enjoy a BBQ dinner at 6pm and a time of prayer and worship at 7pm (and baptisms for anyone who wishes to be baptized). Contact us if you're interested in being baptized. *Hope to see you there!*

Chronic Illness Support Group Annual Picnic | Tues., July 11, 4:30pm
Dixon Lake Shore Picnic Area, Lilac Shelter #2
To RSVP/for more info, contact: Lynne Bechard, RNinpoway@cox.net
You're invited to come along with the Chronic Illness group for a time of fun and fellowship at the group's annual picnic on Tuesday, July 11. We'll gather at 4:30pm and stay to dusk. A picnic dinner will be available for all attendees to enjoy. Please bring a side dish or beverages to share.

Register Now for VBS: Camp Kilimanjaro | July 17-21, 9am-Noon
Cost is \$25 per student (or \$75 per family); register at efcc.org/vbs

This summer at Emmanuel Faith, kids going into kindergarten to 6th grade in the fall are invited to join us as we travel to Camp Kilimanjaro. Your kids will experience a life-changing, epic expedition through Proverbs. They will learn to have ears that hear and do God's Word, hearts that trust in the Lord, tongues that speak in a God-honoring way, hands that get to work, and feet that walk with the wise.



It's high adventure at its best! So, register online today at efcc.org/vbs to safari with us. You won't want to miss even one minute of our VBS.

VBS Volunteers & Snack Donations | Needed by Sunday, July 9
We're still seeking volunteers for our Camp Kilimanjaro week of VBS from July 17-21. Sign up to help be a small group leader or other role. Also, many snack donations also are needed. Visit efcc.org/vbs to sign up to help, or to view the snack wishlist (snacks can be brought Monday to Thursday to the main church office, or the Children's Center on Sundays).

Join the Sunday Services "Altar" Prayer Team | Training on Sun., August 20
10:30am, Education Center, Board Room
Please register for the training class by Sunday, July 9, at efcc.org/events

Do you have a heart to pray for others? If so, this summer we're forming new Sunday services prayer teams. After the services, team members gather near the stage to pray for those who come forward for prayer. Please apply for consideration by registering for the class which will be held on Sunday, August 20. Or contact Tara at treed@efcc.org, or call (760) 781-2178.

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

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!

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 support groups:



Living Grace | Weekly on Mondays, 7pm, Education Center, Room 20
Do you experience depression, anxiety, panic, and negative, racing thoughts? Come discover simple ways to improve your daily life, maintain mental and mood stability, and renew faith and community.

Family Grace | 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7pm, Education Center, Room 23
Find encouragement and support for family members with loved ones affected by mental health issues. Some areas addressed are depression, bipolar, schizophrenia, and OCD.

For more info on these, or all our support groups, scan the QR code above, visit our website at efcc.org/help. Or contact Intake Coordinator, Adaly Eurich, via email at care@efcc.org, or call (760) 781-2108.

Download Our Emmanuel Faith App!

Did you know we have a great app that's designed just for you? You'll love how easy it is to check your kids in to their Sunday and Wednesday programs, register for upcoming events, find and join a group, give, watch sermons, fill out the message outline, and more.



Scan the QR code, or visit efcc.org/app to find out more and download today, or search for "Emmanuel Faith" in the Apple or Google stores.

See more on back ...



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SIGNS OF LIFE
Amazed by Authority
John 5:18-29
Ryan Paulson, Lead Pastor

Being _____ by Jesus'

_____ should cause us to follow him

Jesus has authority to:

① _____

② _____

Since Jesus has _____, we

have _____.

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.



ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED ...

Online Resources Available | efcc.org/resources

You can refer to our online Resources page for topics like Apologetics, the EFCC Library, Biblical Citizenship, Bible Reading Plans, "How To" resources (How to Pray, How to Read the Bible, spiritual practices, and more), Men on a Mission, and much more.



Scan the QR code at right or use the website link above to access the page.

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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Monday-Friday, 7am-5pm (full & part day)

Outreach Update

Sending Chinese Missionaries to the Least Reached

Over the past four decades, Christianity has grown faster in China than anywhere else in the world. Chinese believers are now sending missionaries to spread the Gospel to unreached people groups.



Through a generous gift to the Outreach Fund, we sent 10 Chinese believers to a 6 month residential training program. They learned cross-cultural skills, language, and disciple-making strategies. We also sent 3 Chinese missionaries to serve in countries that we may not have otherwise had access to.



Supporting indigenous missionary movements is one way Emmanuel Faith joins God's mission around the world to bring news of the Kingdom to every tribe and nation.

New Global Missions Small Group

Wednesdays, starting July 12th, 6:45 pm

Join a community committed to praying for EFCC missionaries and learning about God's global work. If you love hearing updates from missionaries home on furlough this is the group for you.

For more information, please contact Sally Baker:
sbaker.sbca@gmail.com



Micro Grant Awarded



Love Esco awarded the very first micro grant to the 2022-2023 Student Council from Central Elementary. These grants are available to anyone in Escondido who has a project that will impact their community in a positive way.

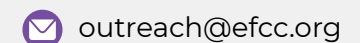
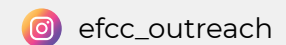
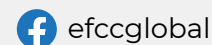
Under the direction of advisors Mrs. VonEsch and Mrs. Hutchinson, students wrote a grant to Love Esco for succulents for the school garden. These easy-care plants will be a great addition to the garden and will remind future students of the 2022-23 student council's contribution to Central School.



Do you have a service project idea to help spread love and kindness to our local neighbors and build community in Escondido? You are playing a crucial role in impacting our city in a positive way and we want to come alongside you to make it happen!

Apply for funds between \$250 and \$2,500 to complete your Love Esco service project at www.loveesco.org/fund.

Give to the Outreach Fund to grow EFCC's impact across the street and around the world.



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

Dorothy Jacobsen — A memorial service will be held for her on Monday, July 24, at 2pm in the Chapel.

Bill Seltmann — A memorial service will be held for him on Friday, July 28, at 10am in the Chapel.

Karen Bassett — A memorial service will be held for her on Saturday, July 29, at 2pm in the Chapel.



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

Kim Elliott.

Recovering at Home or in Extended Care

Kurt Ackerman, Carol Creamer, Brent Fredenburg, Jonathon Lanz, Kathy Moratto, Gary Morris, Virginia Sanderson, Pat Slaughter, 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, Cynthia Hoppas, 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.