

CHURCH LIFE | Announcements for August 13, 2023

Back to School Shoe Drive | Throughout the Month of August at EFCC Help students start the school year off on the right foot! We're partnering with our friends at Escondido's Project Success, a program that ensures the homeless and under-resourced students receive everything they need to succeed in school. Help us provide pairs of shoes and socks to Escondido students. Types of shoes to donate include sneakers (Vans, Converse, etc.) and tennis shoes. The following sizes are requested: kids sizes 3.5 to 7 and for middle schoolers, adult sizes for women, 4-8, and men, 6-10. Bring in to EFCC!

Final Join a Team Sunday | Today in the Courtyard | efcc.org/teams
Are you looking for meaningful ways to connect and use the gifts and abilities God has given you? Stop by one of the Join a Team tents this Sunday, or visit our Teams page online. On the Teams page, you can view the Volunteer Teams guide, or access an online sign-up form. Through one of these channels, you can view the many opportunities available to serve our church family and local communities in ways that will make a real impact.

Newcomers Lunch: *You're Invited* | Today, 12:15-1:30pm, Café If you're new to our church, consider attending our upcoming Newcomers Lunch. You'll enjoy a meal with some of the elders, pastors and staff. Also, you'll learn more about the church and ways you can connect here. We hope to see you there this Sunday at the Café in the Courtyard area.

Next All-Church Worship Night: "Come and See!" | Wed., Aug. 16, 6:30-8pm Students and school leaders, we'd love to come alongside you as a Church family to commission and encourage you into this next school year. We believe God has called you in this moment and in this place to do great things! All ages are welcome to attend. In addition, children in grades K-6th will have their own worship night in the Children's Center. See you there!

Return of FaithKids Wednesday Nights | August 23, 30 & September 6 As summer winds down, FaithKids is getting excited for the launch of our regular Wednesday night programs again on September 6 at 6:30pm in the Children's Center. After the August 16 kids' worship night, bring your kids back to join us on August 23 for an Open House in the Children's Center along with a games night on the Field with Play As One. Learn more about our KidsChurch and KidsClubs programs while checking out the Children's Center. Then on August 30, come enjoy an evening of wet and watery fun on the field with your kids. These family events start at 6:30pm.

Sunday Fun Day/Outdoor Baptisms | Sunday, August 27, 12:15pm, EFCC Field Join us on Sunday, August 27, right after the 10:45am service for fun games, great food, and outdoor baptisms in the pool! We'll have games for all ages on the field and a free BBQ lunch with indoor seating in the Gym to beat the heat. If you'd like to be baptized, come to the prep class in the Garden Room on the south side of the Worship Center following church services on Sunday, August 20. Bring your family and invite your friends as we come together to celebrate and connect.

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 this ongoing support group for those experiencing divorce or seeking to heal from a broken relationship.

Divorce Care | Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30pm, Ed. Center, Room 23 & 24 Contact: Michael McGinnis, hhleader@amail.com

Our Divorce Care support group is a safe place to process hurt, to heal and grow, from a broken relationship. Small group discussion follows evening video or speaker. Open to everyone. Meetings going on now, but a new series will begin for the fall on September 5.

For more info on this ministry, or all our support groups, scan the QR code above, visit our website at <u>efcc.org/help</u>.

Emmanuel Faith and Preschool Job Openings

Emmanuel Faith's **Discipleship Ministry** is seeking a full-time assistant to assist the department with various office responsibilities and assistance with ministry department events. Scan the QR code at right or visit <u>efcc.org/jobs</u> to apply.



In addition, the **Emmanuel Faith Preschool** is seeking a **Teacher's Aide** for their new Infant/Toddlers class for their new program which starts this fall. Scan the QR code at right or visit <u>efcc.org/jobs</u> to apply.



August 13, 2023 SIGNS OF LIFE Who Is This Man?

John 7:1-31 Ryan Paulson, Lead Pastor

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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, Family News access, Bible Reading Plans, "How To" resources (How to Pray, How to Read the Bible, spiritual practices, etc.), Men on a Mission, and more.



Scan the QR code above 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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www.emmanuelfaithpreschool.org

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



Are you looking for meaningful ways to connect and use the gifts and abilities God has given you? Use this guide to find many opportunities to serve our church family and local communities in ways that will make a real impact.

Find opportunities in this guide that you would like to explore, then scan the QR code to let us know about your interest. We'll contact you soon!



efcc.org/teams

ALL-CHURCH TEAMS

Be a part of the teams that help us create fun events and make an impact!

Disciple-Making Team, Events Team, Life Group Leaders, Online Ministry, Prayer Team

CAFE TEAM

Do you love our breakfast burritos on Sunday mornings? Looking for a place to serve on Wednesday nights? Join our cafe team as we reach others through food and fellowship in the Holy Grounds Cafe! Did we mention free food when you serve?

CAMPUS TEAMS

We love our beautiful church campus! Partner with us in keeping our facilities safe and maintained.

Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities, Security and Medical Teams, Tech Team (IT)

CARE AND COUNSELING MINISTRIES

Life can be hard at times. Help us come alongside our church family to help, quide, encourage, and point those in need toward the love of Jesus.

Marriage Mentors, Memorial Team, Ministry to Widows and Widowers, Visitation/Care Ministry Teams

COMMUNICATIONS TEAMS

You're invited to join one of our creative teams where we share the message of living in the way and with the heart of Jesus.

Photography and Video Teams

KIDS AND STUDENTS TEAMS

Emmanuel Faith Preschool

Come join our fun, amazing team to share the love of Jesus with our 2-to-5-year-olds. We have a developmentally-appropriate curriculum and a play-based learning environment that is ideal for anyone who has a passion for sharing the love of Jesus with children.

KIDS AND STUDENTS TEAMS (Cont.)

Children's Ministry (FaithKids)

Join us as we raise up a generation to know and love Jesus.

Sunday and Wednesday Positions Available for:

Nursery, Early Childhood, Elementary, Special Needs

Junior High Ministry

Discover how you can shepherd 7th and 8th grade students to walk with Jesus and help them learn who God created them to be.

Ministry Team Leader, Sunday Small Group Leader, Wednesday Leader

High School Ministry

Partnering with Jesus to come alongside students as examples of Christ and build relationships through discipleship.

Life Group Leader

OUTREACH TEAMS

Outreach has many opportunities during the year to make an impact in our local community and around the world. Learn about all our Outreach groups and events at efcc.org/serveoutreach.

Haven House Dinner Team, Homework Club Youth Tutoring, Host Families, Family Strong Care Communities, Global Worker Care Team

Love Esco

We are neighbors spreading love and kindness to every part of Escondido. Visit loveesco.org to see our latest opportunities to share hope through social impact and contagious generosity!

PRODUCTION TEAM

The Production Team utilizes technology to help foster engaging environments where people can encounter the Gospel. We have opportunities in:

Cameras, Lighting, Lyric/Presentation Slides, Sound, Video Switching

WELCOME TEAMS

Help us make everyone feel welcome and find ways to connect.

Campus Decorating Team, Greeting Teams, Membership and Newcomer Teams, Worship Service Usher Team

WOMEN'S MINISTRY TEAMS

Do you have a heart to see women connecting and growing deeper in their faith? Then this team is for you!

Administrative Team, Events Team, Social Media Team, Welcome and Connection Team

WORSHIP TEAMS

Classic Worship Team

The Classic Worship team desires to create worship experiences for participants by drawing from traditional hymns and newer songs.

Choir Member, Orchestra Member

Modern Worship Team

The Modern Worship Team exists to cultivate authentic, worshipful moments as we exalt Jesus together as a church family.

Instrumentalists (bass, keys/piano, electric guitar, acoustic guitar, drums), Vocalists

YOUNG ADULTS

We desire to see a movement of young adults living in the way of Jesus with the heart of Jesus. and in doing so, making disciples who make disciples.

Circle Mentor (leading a small group and raising up the next generation of leaders.)



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

Marcia Huls — A memorial service will be held for her on Friday, August 18, at 11am in the Chapel.

Nadine Ensey — A memorial service will be held for her on Saturday, August 19, at 10am in the Chapel.



Thomas Pool — A memorial service will be held for him on Saturday, September 2, at 10am in the Chapel.

Lee Pirlet — A memorial service will be held on Friday, September 8, in the Chapel. More details to come.

In the Hospital or Outpatient (at Present or Pending*)
Betty Jensen and Jen Smith.

Recovering at Home or in Extended Care

Sarah Bales, Sharon Chapman, Joe Heard, Mary Hoyt, Charli Ilingworth, Jonathon Lanz, Kathy Moratto, Jody Turnbull, and George Ward.

In Hospice Care

Pam Munson and Jerold Schreiber.

Fighting Cancer (*denotes a child or youth)

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