



Emmanuel Faith Community Church  
Sunday, October 1, 2023

## CHURCH LIFE | Announcements for October 1, 2023

**Prayer Night** | This Wednesday, October 4 | 6:30-8pm | Chapel  
Do you love to come together with others in our church family for prayer and worship? If so, you won't want to miss our next evening together. Come and join us to pray for our church, community, and the world. You'll be refreshed and renewed spiritually as we seek the Lord together.

**Global Sunday** | Next Sunday, October 8 | During all services  
Courtyard & Family Center  
Sharing the love of Jesus around the world has always been a priority here at Emmanuel Faith, and we'd like you to see and experience the impact we're able to make through our Global Outreach Ministry. Join us next Sunday, when you'll hear a special message from Pastor Luke in all services. Then come on out to the courtyard after services, where you'll experience the sights and tastes of some of the countries we partner in, and hear from some of our global missionaries.

**Cookies for Donovan Prison Ministry** | Bring in by Sunday, October 8  
If you'd like to be a part of this loving ministry, please bring cookies to the church office on or before October 8. They must be in clear ziplock-style bags with one dozen cookies in each quart or gallon bag. Please no tinfoil or wire twist ties so that the bags will pass inspection by prison staff.

**Membership Class** | Sunday, October 15 | 9am | Chapel downstairs  
Are you ready to take the next step in connecting at Emmanuel Faith? This class will walk you through our Statement of Faith and Membership Covenant so that you will be ready to officially apply for membership. Register online at [efcc.org/events](https://efcc.org/events) or contact us via email at [welcome@efcc.org](mailto:welcome@efcc.org) or call (760) 781-2161.

**Parent Dedication Class** | Sunday, October 15 | 9am | Children's Center  
Parent dedications are an incredible opportunity for parents to stand before God and our church family as they dedicate themselves to raising their kids in the ways of the Lord. Visit [efcc.org/events](https://efcc.org/events) to sign up for our informative class on October 15 in preparation for dedications in all services on Sunday, October 22.

**Man Camp** | Friday, October 20 - Sunday, October 22 | Hurkey Creek  
Men, if you're looking for a great way to spend some quality time with your son or with your friends, then join us for Man Camp at Hurkey Creek. It'll be a time to gather with the guys, enjoy some great food, and relax as we focus on our identity in Christ. The cost is \$50 for men 15 years and up, or \$25 for 10-14 years. We even have a family plan and scholarships available. Visit [efcc.org/events](https://efcc.org/events) to learn more and sign up.

**Israel Trip Informational Meeting** | Sunday, October 15 | 12:15-12:45pm  
Chapel downstairs  
Are you ready to walk the land of the Bible? Join us for an all-inclusive tour with Pastor Ryan and GTI Study Tours, July 1-12, 2024. We'll have an informational meeting on *Sunday, October 15* at 12:15pm, where you can learn all you need to know, or visit [efcc.org/events](https://efcc.org/events) to learn more and register.

*Announcements continue on the next pages, see our App, or visit [efcc.org/events](https://efcc.org/events).*

**ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED ...**

**Harvest Party** | Saturday, October 28 | 5:30-9pm

The Harvest Party is back for another great year of candy, games, rides, food, slides, and more! Tickets are now available for kids 2 years through 6th grade at [efcc.org/hp](http://efcc.org/hp) or in the Children's Center during program times.

Want to be a part of the fun and help us create a night to remember? You're invited to join the fun with one of our many teams that set up, sell tickets, run games and rides, serve food, and more. Sign up at [efcc.org/hp](http://efcc.org/hp). You can also bring bags of wrapped candy to the Children's Center to help us make this a sweet night for the kids!

**CAIN in Concert** | Friday, November 10 | 7pm | Worship Center

Do you love music that gets you on your feet and singing? Then you won't want to miss CAIN in concert, right here at Emmanuel Faith! This will be a great night of fun for the whole family, so be sure to buy your tickets today at [efcc.org/events](http://efcc.org/events)

**NEW TO EFCC? Start Here!**

**We'd Love to Get to Know You!** | [efcc.org/connection](http://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](http://efcc.org/connect).

**EFCC Care & Counseling Ministry** | [efcc.org/help](http://efcc.org/help)  
**Support Groups & Other Classes**



**Have a Need? We're Here to Help!**

Life can be hard at times. Please don't feel like you 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.

**Living Grace**

*Weekly on Mondays, 7pm, Education Center, Room 20 (upstairs)  
Contact: Adaly Tapia, [care@efcc.org](mailto:care@efcc.org), (760) 781-2108*

If you're experiencing depression, anxiety, panic, and negative, racing thoughts, this class will help you discover simple ways to improve daily life, maintain mental and mood stability, and renew faith and community.



**October 1, 2023**  
**LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS**  
***The Good Shepherd***  
John 10:1-21  
Ryan Paulson, Lead Pastor

The voice you're \_\_\_\_\_

determines your \_\_\_\_\_.

*The Good Shepherd:*

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The \_\_\_\_\_

prove that Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_.

*See more on back ...*

Pastor Ryan will be leading a trip to Israel in the summer of 2024.  
Please visit [www.efcc.org/Israel](http://www.efcc.org/Israel) for more information.

## 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](mailto: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](https://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](mailto:prayer@efcc.org).



### Give to EFCC | [efcc.org/give](https://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](https://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](https://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.



## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### Check Out Our Event Highlights Page

Visit [efcc.org/events](https://efcc.org/events)

To view upcoming events at Emmanuel Faith, visit our Events page to see highlighted events of interest to all ages. In addition, our website Calendar page (visit [efcc.org/allevents](https://efcc.org/allevents)) is frequently updated and lists various events for all



## CHILDREN'S, YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

### FaithKids | [efcc.org/kids](https://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](https://efcc.org/jh) | [efcc.org/hsm](https://efcc.org/hsm)

**Sundays** | 10:45am (Youth Center)

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

### Young Adults | [efcc.org/ya](https://efcc.org/ya)

**Tuesdays** (ages 18-25) | 7pm, 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)

# Global Sunday

*Next Sunday / October 8*

## ACTS 29: THE STORY CONTINUES

In the Courtyard Following Each Service

- Explore the Global Bazaar in the courtyard
- Learn about people groups of focus, upcoming mission trips, and sample favorite flavors and snacks from around the world
- Global Faces Story Gallery - Walk through the Story Gallery and meet individuals from different people groups.

## FOCUS ON UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS

Family Center | 10:45am

Learn more about the strategic focus of Emmanuel Faith in bringing the Gospel to the hardest-to-reach places.

**Special programming for FaithKids too!**



# EFCC Family News Update

*Sharing our family passings and prayer needs*

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## Pray for Our Church Family

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

Kim Elliott, Janet Johnston, and Jean Slaughter

### Recovering at Home or in Extended Care

Doris Bajema, Bruce Gephart, Dewayne Hudson, Betty Jensen, Teresa Macias, Phyllis Malone, Kathy Moratto, George Ward and John Weatherell

### 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, Kim Elliott, 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.