

## THIS WEEK AT EPLC

### Saturday, May 11, 2019

7:30a - Men's Breakfast at Jimmy's  
9:00a-1:00p - Mother's Loss Workshop  
5:00p - Worship

### Sunday, May 12, 2019

#### Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:00a - Bible Conversation & Prayer  
8:45 - 11:45a - Staffed Nursery  
9:00 and 10:30a - Worship  
1:00p - Hungarian Reformed

### Monday, May 13, 2019

7:00p - Boy Scouts  
7:00p - AA  
7:00p - Families Anonymous

### Tuesday, May 14, 2019

8:30a - Easy Exercise  
12:00p - Chicago Metro Study Group  
6:00p - Finance Committee  
6:30p - Rising Stars  
7:00p - Church Council  
7:00p - Gamblers Anonymous

### Wednesday, May 15, 2019

10:30a - Bible Study  
5:45p - Confirmation Rehearsal and Dinner  
7:00p - Sanctuary Choir

### Thursday, May 16, 2019

8:30a - Easy Exercise  
6:30p - Rising Stars  
8:00p - Al-Anon (Men)

### Friday, May 17, 2019

9:00a - Mission Quilt Makers  
6:30p - Rising Stars  
6:30p - Cub Scout Pack Night

### Saturday, May 18, 2019

5:00p - Worship  
6:30p - Movie Night

### Sunday, May 19, 2019

8:00a - Bible Conversation & Prayer  
8:45 - 11:45a - Staffed Nursery  
9:00 and 10:30a - Worship  
1:00p - Hungarian Reformed

The altar flowers are in memory of all mothers, mentors, and mother-figures

The flowers on the pulpit are in memory of all mothers, from Nancy Carlsen

### Public Prayer 5/12/19

A more extensive list of ongoing prayer requests is available at the Welcome Center.

- ◆ Brandon (Laura and Scott's son deployed to El Salvador)
- ◆ Diane Peters
- ◆ Karyl Dwyer
- ◆ Ralph Kudsk
- ◆ Arline Vullmahn
- ◆ Richard Witney
- ◆ Kelly Carey
- ◆ Marge Workman
- ◆ Ron Anderson
- ◆ The sympathy of the congregation to:  
Nina and Paul Geishecker and family on the death of her father, Irving Bernard. Services were held.

Karyl Dwyer and family on the death of her nephew and former member, Stephen J. Dwyer.

### Visitation and Memorial service at EPLC on Saturday 5/18

**Memorial visitation: 9:30-11:00a**  
**Memorial service: 11:00a**



6626 N. Oliphant Ave., Chicago, IL 60631  
[www.edisonparkchurch.com](http://www.edisonparkchurch.com) + 773-631-9131

## Fourth Week of Easter/Mother's Day

A very happy Mother's Day to all women at EPLC! Be sure to pick up a carnation before you leave if you didn't receive one from an usher.

### High School and College Graduates To Be Recognized June 9

Please let us know if your child will be graduating! If you'd like your child to be featured in the announcements, please send a headshot, your child's name, the school they're graduating from, the school they'll be attending (or their future plans), and their major (if known) to Alyson at [akristensen@edisonparkchurch.com](mailto:akristensen@edisonparkchurch.com).

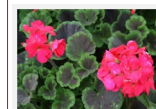


### EPLC Colorado Trip

There are still a few spots available for EPLC's youth and family summer trip. Join us for a 3-day back-packing excursion to connect with nature and experience God's creation firsthand. We'll be traveling to Sky Ranch Lutheran Camp near Fort Collins, CO from July 29th-Aug 4th. Talk to Phil if you're interested!

### Pentecost Sunday is June 9

To celebrate the power of the Holy Spirit alive and working in our lives, remember to **WEAR RED** to worship on **June 8/9**. **Why Red?** Red, as the color of fire, is used on this day when we remember the tongues of fire that descended on the crowd in Jerusalem.



Remember your loved ones with a red geranium! Pentecost geraniums can be ordered until June 2 using the included form. Forms are also available at the Welcome Center.

### Worship this weekend

Saturday: 5:00p  
Sunday: 9:00a and 10:30a  
Nursery - 8:45 - 11:45a

### Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 9:00a - 1:00p

*Hearing Devices are available at the Welcome Center*

## Itty Bitty Bible Camp

June 11, 12, 13 10:00a-12:00



EPLC is hosting an "Itty Bitty Bible Camp" for children ages 3-5. We will hear stories, sing songs and do crafts. The cost is \$30 per child (\$50/family if there are multiple children). Please contact Jennifer Williams (773-631-9131 x 229) or [jwilliams@edisonparkchurch.com](mailto:jwilliams@edisonparkchurch.com)

## GIRL POWER!

Calling all girls ages 6-10!

EPLC is hosting a summer camp for girls. We will study heroic woman of the Bible, make crafts, and tell stories all celebrating girls!

The cost is \$60 per camper and will include a copy of Grit and Grace by Caryn Rivadeneira. Payment and registration are due NO LATER THAN JUNE 21.

Jennifer Williams, Children's Ministry Director  
773-631-9131 x 229 or [jwilliams@edisonparkchurch.com](mailto:jwilliams@edisonparkchurch.com)

July 9,  
10, 11  
9 am -  
12 pm

Grit and Grace

## Join New Hope Community Food Pantry for a Fundraiser

Monday, May 13 from 11am - 10pm

The Harp & Fiddle  
110 Main Street Park Ridge

Please mention New Hope Community Food Pantry to the wait staff!



## McKenna's Bags Progress Update

Thanks to your generous donations, we've been able to give out 230 bags and 26 sleep mats! These bags contain personal care items and are given to the homeless. Each bag donated is one more smile, one more life that has been changed for the better. If you'd like to contribute to this important service project, a list of items for each bag is available at the Welcome Center. Thank you!



## New Mom Service Event

In May, we are collecting new and unopened items for **Welcome Home Baby Kits** for the Night Ministry. These items furnish new teen moms with basic supplies to provide good care for their babies. Please choose one or more items from the list under your last name initial.

Donations can be brought to the Welcome Center. Thank you to all who have already donated! We hope to receive many more donations before the month's end.

### Last name A-H

Nose syringes  
Baby wash cloths  
Baby powder  
Rattle  
Baby nail clippers  
Booties & Hats

### Last name I - P

Vaseline  
A & D Diaper Cream  
Disposable changing pads  
Baby bottle & cleaning brush  
Onesie  
Bib

### Last name Q - Z

Pacifier  
Baby shampoo  
Baby towels  
Baby books  
Baby oil  
Baby lotion

## An Update From the Call Committee

The call committee has been busy interviewing the last few weeks. We have talked to some very interesting candidates and will continue to keep you posted on our progress. Thank you for all of your prayers.

## Synod Assembly

Synod Assembly is June 7th and 8th in Tinley Park. If you are interested in attending as a delegate from EPLC please contact Deacon Carole at [cedwards@edisonparkchurch.com](mailto:cedwards@edisonparkchurch.com) or 773-580-3617.

## Military Chaplaincy Project

EPLC has been asked again to consider supporting the ELCA program for chaplains. The Veterans Task Force is moving forward and hopes to raise at least \$1,000 by July 4th weekend. There is currently a great need for chaplain support in the Armed Forces. Any donation would be appreciated. **If you would like to help, simply mark your gift "CHAPLAINS".** Thank you!