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WELCOME

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Gather
at Emmanuel Online

WORSHIP SERVICE

Service Leader: Pastor John Klassen

Worship Leader: Janelle James

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 11: 23-34

Message: "Communion Stories"

Pastor John Klassen

THIS WEEK

Today (22)	10:15am	Gather @Emmanuel Online
	11:00am	Communion in the Zoom Room
	11:30am	Sharing & Prayer in the Zoom Room
Tues (24)	7:00pm	Enneagram Book Study In the Zoom Room
Wed (25)	10:00am	Coffee Time in the Zoom Room
	7:00pm	Church Council Meeting in the Zoom Room

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 4 **Jingle Jam** (stay tuned for more info)

OUR CHURCH

GPS – Emmanuel's version of Sunday School. Emmanuel uses a strategy for Family Ministry called **Orange**. Each week our families receive resources via email, subscription boxes and in person so that they and their children can continue to engage in whatever way is comfortable for their family.



firstlook Ages 3 to 4. The series for first look this month is called **"Singing in the Rain"**. Like us on Facebook at Emmanuel Firstlook or follow us on instagram @emmanuelfirstlook



252basics: For ages Kindergarten – Grade 8. **This month, in 252kids the series is called "Offstage"**. Like us on Facebook at Emmanuel 252basics or follow us on Instagram @emmanuel252basics

STUDENT MINISTRIES – If you're in grades 7-12, you're invited and encouraged to join us at Youth! **ALL SMALL GROUPS WILL TAKE PLACE ONLINE**. Follow us on Instagram @emmanuelchurchstudents or on twitter @emmanuel_xp3

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR HELPING OUR FRIENDS IN PAUINGASSI. We have been so very blessed by the great response for donations from so many generous people from Emmanuel. The community of Pauingassi will receive such a blessing from our church when they receive the many boxes of clothing and winter outerwear items you have generously donated. Winnie Fehr

CODE RED RESTRICTIONS—Due to the latest restrictions laid out by the provincial government there will be no in-person services at Emmanuel for the rest of 2020. We will, however, still be offering an online service every Sunday which will be sent out on Sunday mornings. We appreciate your patience and grace as we continue to flex in these difficult times.

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

MCC MANITOBA:

Join us for Saturday, November 21 at 7pm for our Centennial Celebration. An evening of music, storytelling and thanksgiving that you won't want to miss. RSVP at mcccanada.ca/centennial/celebration-rsvp. Missed the event on Saturday evening? Please email Events@mccmb.ca for the link to the recorded version.

Support for Central American hurricane recovery. Within two weeks, not one, but two hurricanes have caused extensive flooding in Honduras, Guatemala and Nicaragua. Hurricanes Eta and Iota have destroyed crops and forced people from their homes. MCC is working with churches and community organizations to provide emergency food, hygiene supplies and cleanup support. Join us as we help these communities recover. You can donate online at mcccanada.ca/eta-iota-relief or by calling 204-261-6381.

Give the perfect Christmas gift this season. Choose a goat, solar lanterns or a brood of chicks. Chickens provide eggs, meat and can boost income for families around the world. Purchase your Christmas Giving gift at mccmb.ca/Christmas or call 204-261-6381.

The Christmas Craft and Bake Sale has been cancelled due to COVID-19 limitations. If you have any questions about how you can support MCC's Material Resources work contact us at 204-261-6381 or MaterialResources@mccmb.ca.

CMU:

Prospective students, check out CMU's next Wednesday Webinar focused on Athletics and Student Life. Learn how participation on a varsity athletic team or involvement in diverse leadership opportunities can impact your learning, build new friendships and enrich your university experience. Wednesday, November 25, 6:00 PM (CST). For more information and to register go to www.cmu.ca/webinar.

During the pandemic CMU remains VIRTUALLY OPEN to all prospective students. Any student who applies by November 30 will have the \$80.00 application fee waived! CMU's next Virtual Campus Visit Day is on Friday, November 27 from 4:00-5:00 PM (CST). Register at www.cmu.ca/virtualopenhouse. Sign up for an Individual Virtual Visit at a time of your convenience, including a one-on-one conversation with an Admissions Counsellor. Register your interest at enrolment.cmu.ca/portal/virtual_visits.

MCI:

Mennonite Collegiate Institute Board Executive made the decision to postpone MCI's Annual General Meeting. The school chose to put its best energy into managing the response to the report of a COVID-19 case on campus and the move to remote learning. The event will now be held **Monday, November 23 at 7:00pm.** Please register in advance. If you've already registered, you will receive notification via email, if you have not registered, please use this link to do so: <https://bit.ly/3kEHDxQ>. You will receive an email with the Zoom link. 2020 has been a challenging year, but we have many encouraging developments to share. We hope you can join us. We value your support and input.

MCM:

Due to the latest provincial restrictions on COVID19, Camp Assiniboia will be closed until further notice. Sunday afternoon trail walks will resume when these restrictions are lifted. Thank you everyone and stay safe!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

SALEM FOUNDATION "ARMCHAIR" FUNDRAISER—You can help provide a new bedside table and dresser for Salem Home resident rooms by donating to the Salem Foundation during the month of November! Much of the furniture is 30 years old and needs to be replaced. The goal is to furnish 55 rooms, for a total cost of \$143,000. Ways you can donate include cheque, credit card or e-transfer. For more information contact Salem Foundation at 204-325-4316 or go online at www.salemhome.ca. It is through the continued generosity of our community that we can provide Salem Home residents with the best possible lived experience!

AMENDED—BOUNDARY TRAILS HEALTH CENTRE & CARMAN PALLIATIVE CARE PROGRAMS GRIEF SESSION CALLED "DEALING WITH THE HOLIDAYS" ~~The event has now been cancelled~~ because of increased restrictions. If people are looking for help processing grief, BTHC will be posting articles in local newspapers in the coming weeks as an alternative way of support. If you have any questions, please contact Jerri-Ann Froese (Recreation/Volunteer coordinator at BTHC) at 204-331-8815 or jefroese@southernhealth.ca.

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