

THE MESSENGER

APRIL

UPCOMING EVENTS EMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We hope you will mark your calendars and plan to join us for the following:

EPC Spring Work Day, Saturday, April 4, 8:00am - 1:00pm
(Cancelled)

Palm Sunday Service (ONLINE), Sunday, April 5, 10:00am

Children & Youth Service Project & Lunch, Sunday, April 5, 11:30am (Cancelled)

Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Sunrise Services (Cancelled), Study materials will be provided for Holy Week.

Easter Sunday Service (ONLINE), Sunday, April 12, 10:00am

Church Office Closed, Monday following Easter, April 13

Earth Day Event at The Dapper, Rescheduled to July 18

Earth Day, Wednesday, April 22

EPC Yard Sale, Saturday, April 25, 7:30am - 1:30pm

Men's Conference Mo Ranch, April 30 - May 3 (Cancelled)

April 2020

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Spring Sundays at EPC

8:45am Church School

10:00am Worship

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EPC Yard Sale 2020



Sale date: April 25 2020 (last Saturday in April) from **7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**

Free hotdogs, chips and water bottles will be distributed during lunch to all!

The 2020 plan details this year and how Y-O-U can help!

Details:

1. “Gracie” the large storage pod will be set in front parking lot and available for donations starting in April.

- **Drop-off options:** If you need assistance with unloading your vehicle, please stop by on Wednesday mornings or Sunday mornings (after church ser-

vice). Please have all items packed in closed boxes so we can stack them neatly and mark anything that is fragile. Plastic bags with blankets, towels and soft items are permitted

- If you need assistance with picking up **large items** (furniture, big boxes) please call or text: Jayne Johnson at 972.571.1134. Be sure to indicate in the subject line EPC Yard Sale and identify yourself with a call-back #.

2. **Items to donate this year:** furniture in good condition, lawn & garden items, plants (Yes, a plant-sale again this year! Start your pots, dirt and seeds now!), any household items, pictures, frames, inside/outside decorations, knick-knacks, jewelry, craft and office supplies, holiday items, books, movies, records, DVDs, electronics and computer items, TOYS, games etc. **NO clothes this time please.** P.S. Depending upon donations, a silent auction for ‘VERY Special’ items may occur.

3. Also start collecting grocery sacks, paper bags with handles for merchandise sales and wrapping.

4. **S-p-r-e-a-d the word:** We’re having a Yard sale this year and we need help! Check with your neighbors, friends, family and **EVERYONE** for donations too! Pick up *Help-Us-Help Others* flyer in the Narthex. As you drive around on errands especially on Thursday, Friday and Saturdays: notice who is having an Estate, Garage or Yard Sale. Stop by and say ‘hi!’ and Drop off the flyer with details. This flyer includes an offer for ‘free pickup’ of useable ‘left overs’ AFTER their sale too. A tax-donation receipt is available. Even if they don’t have anything to pick up, INVITE them to stop in and BUY THINGS on April 25th!



Esther Circle/Happy Hands along with Joyce and Kennard Britton have ordered a marker in memorial to Ruth Zavala to be placed at the church to go with her husband Richard's that is already in place.

A special Thanks to Kennard for ordering and it will be installed when it is delivered.

Fourever is spelled that way for the four things Ruth did daily.





Opportunities

Ruth Fellowship (Cancelled)

~~Monday, April 20, 7:00pm~~

~~The Londoner~~

~~5120 TX 121~~

~~Colleyville, TX 76034~~

~~For more information contact:~~

~~Tonia Thompson~~

~~817-996-2821~~

Lois Circle (Cancelled)

~~Thursday, April 2, 1:00pm~~

~~Highway 55~~

~~2113 Harwood Rd., #317~~

~~Bedford, TX 76021~~

~~For more information contact:~~

~~Cheryl Dale~~

~~817-223-6023~~

Men's Dinner (Cancelled)

~~Thursday, April 16, 2020~~

~~7:00pm~~

Board and Committee Reports

SESSION:

- ◇ Approved a recommendation from the Personnel Committee.
- ◇ Heard a report on the financial relationship between Emmanuel and Kids Kampus and plans for moving forward.
- ◇ Thanked all involved in setting up Emmanuel's online presence and those participating in worship during this time of having church in a different way.
- ◇ Learned that Worship Committee will hold an online meeting Tuesday night to discuss plans for Holy Week and Easter Sunday.
- ◇ Acknowledged receipt of the letter from Boy Scouts of America regarding the filing for Chapter 11 bankruptcy by the national organization, noting that Emmanuel has no debts owed to the church by BSA.
- ◇ Learned of reduced office hours for staff during this time and that Chuck is working mainly from home.
- ◇ Learned of ways to support NEED and The Presbyterian Night Shelter during this time of great need.
- ◇ Was encouraged to keep pledges current either by mailing checks to the church's PO address, or online using either PayPal or a credit card.
- ◇ Shared and prayed for the Emmanuel community and beyond.
- ◇ Appreciated receiving some IT tips from Ken Richardson for communicating virtually as committees and boards.

Finance:

February Income: \$29,790.89

February Expense: \$18,367.98

LECTIONARY		BIRTHDAYS	
04/05	Matt. 21:1-11; Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29, Isa. 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16; Phil. 2:5-11 Matt. 26:14-27:66 or Matt. 27:11-54	04/01	Melissa Durkee
		04/01	Nicholas Ferrandino
		04/03	Jim Mahon
04/12:	Acts 10:34-43 or Jer. 31:1-6; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; 1 Cor. 3:1-4 or Acts 10:34-43; John 20:1-18 or Matt. 28:1-10, Isa. 25:6-9; Psalm 114; 1 Cor. 5:6b-8; Luke 24:13-49	04/04	Marji Breault
		04/06	Helen Richardson
		04/06	Sheryl Taylor
		04/07	Laura Mahon
04/19:	Acts 2:14a, 22-32; Psalm 16; 1 Peter 1:3-9; John 20:19-31	04/08	Ema Fielder
		04/09	Becky Moriak
		04/10	Karen Thompson
04/26:	Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19; 1 Peter 1:17-23; Luke 24:13-35	04/16	Mike Hannasch
		04/20	Maurine LeCocq
		04/24	Dane Pranke
		04/25	Teresa White
		04/28	Connor Park

CIRCLES	
	Lois Circle will meet at 1:00pm on Thursday, April 2.
	Esther Circle will meet on April 14. (Second Tuesdays at 9:30am at the church.)
	Ruth Fellowship's meeting is at 7:00pm on Monday, April 20.