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KEYS TO BIBLE CLASS

(in-person):

SUNDAY AT 11:15 AM

BIBLE STUDY (virtual):

TUESDAY AT 7:30 PM



A REFRESHING SUMMER AT EPC



Refresh Your Summer! VBS 2026 is coming!

We are so excited to get this year's Vacation Bible School underway!

When: Saturday, August 15, 2026 (*rescheduled date-one day only*)

Time: 9 am- 2 pm

Where: The Sanctuary

Who: All ages welcome! Bring the whole family! Participants under age 9 need an adult with them at VBS.

Come experience a truly Refreshing summer event. There will be Deep-dive Bible studies, Relaxing spa stations, Fun games, Creative art projects and more!

To register, go our website or click this link:

[Register for A Refreshing Summer Intergenerational VBS](https://www.emmanuelpc.org/vbs)

YOUR CALENDARS

(visit our website
www.emmanuelpc.org for
more calendar listing)

REPAIR CAFÉ

Saturday, August 8

9:30 am-11 am

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Sunday, August 9

During 10 am Worship
(Bring your backpacks/
workbags)

WHITE ELEPHANT BINGO AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL



Sunday, August 9

After Worship
(End of the Summer
celebration)

VBS

Saturday, August 15
(rescheduled date)

9am-2pm

SIPS 'N TIDBITS

EPC Building Maintenance Fund August 16

This offering provides funds for overall building maintenance, often which is more than our General Fund can cover. Your support of this offering helps meet this important need.

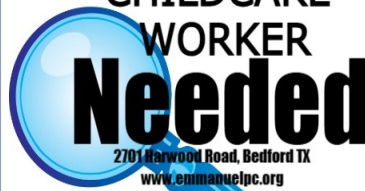
REPAIR CAFÉ

Do you have a precious item that requires some love? Repair Cafe is back on **Saturday, August 8** from **9:30 am-11 am** in **S o R e l l e H a l l**. Bring any torn jackets/clothing, tangled jewelry etc. and we will try to fix it for FREE.

Emmanuel Presbyterian Church
2701 Harwood Road, Bedford TX



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We are actively looking for a reliable, trustworthy Childcare Worker for our nursery. If you know of anyone who is currently looking for a position and will do amazing with infants and toddlers, please help spread the word out. Full job description can be viewed on our website:

<https://emmanuelpc.org/job-opening->

CONCERTS ON HARWOOD 2026

A Classical Music Concert Series
Sharing the Joy of Classical Music with our Neighbors

- **Piano Duet**

Michael Schneider and Tak Yan Yeung
Saturday, September 12 at 4 pm

- **Flute Recital**

Mary-Christine Stingley
Saturday, December 5 at 4 pm

These events will take place at 2701 Harwood Road, Bedford TX inside the sanctuary. Admission is free to the public. Donations are appreciated.

Visit our website for more information.

<https://emmanuelpc.org/concerts-on-harwood/>



Lois Circle

(1st Thursday of each month, 12 pm)

Thursday, August 6

Café Sicilia

*1548 Bedford Rd.
Bedford 76021*

For more information contact:

Donna R: xxx-xxx-5464 or

Denise K: xxx-xxx-8665



Ruth Fellowship

(3rd Monday of each month, 6:30 pm)

Monday, August 17

Molly P's house

*4314 Country Ln
Grapevine*

For more information contact:

Molly P.: xxx-xxx-8853

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To submit newsletter articles, events or any other information,
please email office@emmanuelpc.org
by the fourth Sunday of the month.

BIRTHDAYS



Carolyn C 8/4

Joyce M 8/4

Estella P 8/5

Angela K 8/9

Kennard B 8/10

Dina F 8/20

Helen S 8/23

John S 8/31

Sue P 8/31

LABOR DAY

SEPTEMBER 7, 2026

Church office will be closed on
Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

We will reopen on
Tuesday, September 8 at 8 am.



We offer three ways to submit prayer requests at this time. Please choose one.

- ♦ You may scan the QR code on the right or on the church bulletin
- ♦ Write your prayers on the slips of paper provided in church service
- ♦ Send via email to prayer@emmanuelpc.org.

Be sure to designate in the email/form if the request is for the pastors only or if it can also be shared with the congregation. All prayers received by Sunday evening will be included in the weekly prayer list. Prayers may be edited for clarity and brevity, but the essence will still be there.

****Prayer requests received through texts are not recommended. ****

Thank you for sharing prayer concerns and participating in the congregation's prayer life!

HOSPITALITY SUNDAYS

Do you have gifts for hospitality and welcoming people? Emmanuel's Deacons are looking for volunteers to host refreshments after worship on a Summer Sunday. Host by yourself or partner with a friend or family member, whatever works for you. Sunday Hospitality hosting involves about 20 minutes of setup before worship, then serving food after worship and cleaning up. We have some treats on-hand in the fellowship hall freezer and funds are available to reimburse you for food purchased.

To sign up, contact B. Edwards or write your name on the Sunday Hospitality schedule in the narthex. Thank you for considering it!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

The Christian Education is asking for people to volunteer occasionally in the Nursery on Sundays. Our Child Protection Policy requires no less than 2 adults in the nursery with the children. This does not have to be on a regular basis but will give most of you a chance to enjoy being with the children.

There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex and the CE committee would appreciate the extra help. What a wonderful way to use your talents at Emmanuel!

AUDIO VISUAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Would you like to help with the sound system and video streaming in worship? If so, please contact Ken R. to participate in a training session.

SUNDAY OFFERING COUNTERS NEEDED!

For Sunday Offering Counters, sign up at [Sign Up Genius](#). One of the counters should be an ELDER and the other person a Volunteer. Thank you for volunteering!!

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