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AN EASTERTIDE SERIES
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We Are: God's Family

Sunday, May 17, 2020

EMMANUEL'S MISSION

"To serve God and share the message of Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit."

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ATTENTION: ALL CHURCH MINISTRY ACTIVITIES WILL BE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**Calendar***May 17 - May 23***Sunday, May 17, 2020**

Worship with us online! Go to our YouTube channel (<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC-5m5BSRT3x7g9Klf3c61jg>) and find the May 17 worship video.

Next Sunday, May 24

Worship with us online!

Announcements

Library When church services are back to in-person, be sure to check the library for a book written by Elaine Wiebenga. *My Three Names* is a book about her life. "Let's get better acquainted!" Thank you, Elaine, for sharing your talents with the church.

Thank You Thank you so much for your generous cash donation. A donation such as this allows us to purchase items we are running low on. Our shelves should look good for a while for those less fortunate and in need. You are a blessing. Stay safe and healthy.

-Bon Homme Food Pantry

Inspiration Hills Summer Camp-In-A-Box is available NOW! If your camper would like to receive a Camp-in-the-Box, you have until May 21st to register your camper for their desired camp for \$90. Visit <http://inspirationhills.org/camp-in-a-box> this week to register!

Generosity

Bon Homme Food Pantry The Food Pantry is in need of the following donations: canned pork & beans, pancake mix, syrup, canned and dried fruits, flour, sugars (white, powdered, brown), personal hygiene products (shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrush, etc.), paper towels, facial tissue, and toilet paper. **Thank you!**

Recent Offering Totals

4/19/2020	\$3,907.00
4/26/2020	\$4,355.00
5/03/2020	\$1,735.00
5/10/2020	\$755.00

When writing checks, please indicate the service date and fund you want your offering applied toward (General, Benevolent, Building). Offerings may be mailed in or brought to the church during office hours.

The church office will be open this week on Monday and Friday from 9AM to 12PM. Announcements for the bulletin can be called, texted, or emailed. Offerings may be brought to the office at that time for those who wish to give.

Please contact Tanya Krueger for assistance.

Prayer

Please pray for:

- **Yourself.** What do you need today? Ask for God to provide.
- **Our church family:**
 - ◆ **Those living in the Good Samaritan Society:** Myrann Ludens, Frank Odens, and Jappy Gosser.
 - ◆ **Those living in the Assisted Living Center:** Marcie Ludens, Jessie Heusinkveld, Bev Jelsma, Harriet Namminga, Marj Tjeerdsma, Ruth Tolsma, Clarence & Lila Vanderlei, and Pat Odens.
 - ◆ Parents. Children. Widows and widowers.
- **Our communities:**
 - ◆ **The graduating class of 2020.**
 - ◆ **Those in need of physical healing:** Mike Ludens, Ava Johnson, Elsie Namminga, and Donna Odens.
 - ◆ **Those in need of emotional, mental, and spiritual healing.**
 - ◆ **Those who mourn.**
 - ◆ **The Bon Homme County Food Pantry,** its administrators Gary and Connie Hawks, and all those who rely on their service.
 - ◆ **Dakota Senior Meals,** the volunteers, and all those who rely on their service.
- **Our sister churches in Classis of Dakota:** in particular, Community Reformed Church in Sioux Falls and their pastor, Clyde Teel.
- **Our mission partners:** especially: Inspiration Hills Summer Camp (Inwood, IA).
- **Our country:** both those who lead, and those who are least.

→ **Our world:** the hungry, the ill, the fearful, the vulnerable.

Wellness

Please take care of yourself while we are apart!

- **Fitness:** Do your workout outside, stretch.
- **Nutrition:** Eat a balanced lunch, avoid processed food for a day (anything from a box or can).
- **Well-Being:** Spend 20 minutes coloring or drawing, take 5 minutes to sit with the family pet and pet them.
- **Community:** Make a donation to a community project; have a conversation where your primary role is to listen and ask questions.

Scripture Reading

Here are some suggestions for Scripture passages to read that prepare us for next Sunday's sermon, "We Are: The Bride."

May 18

MONDAY Genesis 2:18-25

May 19

TUESDAY Hosea 2:14-23

May 20

WEDNESDAY Matthew 25:1-13

May 21

THURSDAY Song of Songs 8:6-7

May 22

FRIDAY Ephesians 5:21-33

May 23

SATURDAY Revelation 21:1-7