



EMMANUEL'S CHURCH CALENDAR

This Week's Events

March 15 - 22, 2020

- Mar. 15 **THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT**
 8:30am Rite I Eucharist Service
 10:00am Rite II Eucharist Service with
 Nursery Provided
 11:30am Youth Choir Practice
- Mar. 16 11:00am Church Staff Mtg & Lunch
 1:00pm Emmanuel Bridge Club
 6:00pm ACA Mtg
 6:30pm Vestry Mtg
- Mar. 17
- Mar. 18 9:00am Wednesday Morning Bible Study
- Mar. 19 8:30am Mighty Men of Emmanuel
 Breakfast at The Bistro
 11:00am 1928 Eucharist Svc
 11:30am Lunch Ministry
 7:00pm Adult Choir
 8:00pm We Care Mtg
- Mar. 20 **FRI CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**
 12:00pm Harbinger – April Articles Due
 5:00pm Stations of the Cross
 7:00pm Delta College Chamber Choir
 & Jazz Singers Free Concert
- Mar. 21 **SAT CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**
- Mar. 22 **FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT**
 The Rev. Alan C. James Last Services
 8:30am Rite I Eucharist Service
 10:00am Rite II Eucharist Service with
 Nursery Provided
 11:30am Youth Choir Practice
 12:55pm Youth Group – Manna Service
 Project at the Warehouse

****PLEASE REMEMBER TO CHECK THE CHURCH CALENDAR ON OUR WEBSITE FOR THE MOST UP TO DATE INFORMATION.**

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

- 1 Samuel 16:1-13
- Ephesians 5:8-14
- John 9:1-41

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EMMANUEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH



SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 2020

8:30 & 10:00 a.m.

WELCOME TO EMMANUEL

Interim Rector: The Rev. Alan C. James

Director of Music Ministries: André Strydom

Office Manager: Leah Cell

Nursery Provider: Lindsey McVicker

Emmanuel Episcopal Church is fitted with a LOOP SYSTEM: Switch hearing aid to T-coil for hearing assistance.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S GATHERING THIS SUMMER

Starting Saturday, May 2, come together as women of faith to explore the nature of women's friendships through the study of women in Scripture. Based on the book, *"The Friendship of Women"* by Sr. Joan Chittister, OSB. The book has 12 chapters, we will use one chapter at a time to read the scripture reference, explore the woman and what we know of her, how she embodies a unique aspect of women's friendship and pray an icon of her.

We will meet Saturdays 9:00-10:15, except Memorial Day Weekend and 4th of July at Emmanuel Episcopal Church. Feel free to share this information with others. Betsy Lawrence of Emmanuel will facilitate time together. Please let her know if you are interested in this series at: blawrence0706@gmail.com. You can purchase a book at: [Christian Books](#) or [Amazon](#).

MINISTRY LENTEN
OUTREACH ENVIRONMENT
AWARENESS SUGGESTIONS:

Good Stewards of the Earth, for Lent we are urging all of us to be more aware of what we as individuals can do to help preserve our environment. These simple suggestions can make a huge difference. We are called to protect creation as one of the major tenets of our faith. Over the next five Sundays of Lent we will provide you five ways you can consider making a difference.



Week 1. Shop with re-useable or paper bags instead of plastic bags.

Week 2. Use cloth napkins and towels instead of paper.

Week 3: **Buy or make cotton linen bags to keep vegetables fresher.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross are 5:00 p.m. every Friday in Lent concluding on April 3rd. Through the Stations of the Cross, we are invited to journey with Jesus and to reflect on his suffering as it continues in the lives of his people. Come join us and experience this spiritual journey.

EARLY SERVICE TIME CHANGE

The time change for the Rite I early service will happen on **Palm Sunday, April 5th**. Beginning that day, the Rite I service will start at 8:00 a.m. and will continue at 8:00 a.m. until Sunday, November 1st when it will go back to 8:30 a.m. Please mark your calendars to reflect this time change.

FOND FAREWELL

Don't forget to join us on Sunday, March 22nd at the 8:30 a.m. and/or 10:00 a.m. Sunday services as we bid a fond farewell to our **FABULOUS INTERIM RECTOR**, The Reverend Alan C. James. March 22nd will be Fr. Alan's last Sunday here at EEC. Let's fill the church and send him off with a proper Emmanuel Farewell!!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY/SUPPORT GROUP

Next Meeting is **Thursday, March 26th at 12:15 p.m. in the Lottie Peterson Room at Emmanuel.** This monthly meeting is open to both Emmanuel men and men from outside the church. Attendees are invited to bring a brown bag lunch. See you there!

OUTREACH MINISTRY
LENTEN SHOWER FOR HARBOR HALL

There is a plastic bin out in the entranceway awaiting your donations of socks (white - any type), underwear (boxers 32/34), and basic jeans,(32 x 32 & 34 x 32 - straight or boot cut). Collection will go through April 10, 2020. Thank you.

DO YOU LOVE THE CHORAL MUSIC TRADITION OF THE GREAT ENGLISH PARISHES AND CATHEDRALS?

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Sing with us this Easter!

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Choral music by Flor Peeters and Robert Lau. Service music and great hymns of the faith like "Jesus Christ is Risen Today," "Crown Him with Many Crowns," and "Thine is the Glory" (Judas Maccabeus, G. F. Handel) all with choir, organ, and brass quintet.

Rehearsals on Thursday evenings from 7:45 until 8:30 p.m. Music and listening/learning CDs provided.

Interested? Call or email the Music Office at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Petoskey (231) 347-2350, Ext. 114 andre@eecpetoskey.org


Delta College
CHAMBER CHOIR
and JAZZ SINGERS

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.
FREE ADMISSION

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Pastor Al™



"Relax! I was just kidding! I'm not actually giving up short homilies for Lent this year."

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