

SERMON NOTES

Emmanuel Baptist Church

July 16, 2023

EMMANUEL EXISTS AS A REACHING MINISTRY:
REACHING UP TO GOD IN WORSHIP, REACHING IN TO ONE
ANOTHER FOR EDIFICATION AND ENCOURAGEMENT,
REACHING OUT TO THE WORLD WITH CHRIST'S LOVE



*“For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as
in all churches of the saints. .”*

1 Corinthians 14:33

PRAYER REQUESTS

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SUNDAY 10:00AM WORSHIP • WEDNESDAY 9:30AM BIBLE STUDY

TODAY'S MESSAGE: Welcome to Emmanuel; where we worship the Author of peace! Paul wrote to the Corinthians that God is not the author of confusion. This is why we can expect to understand the words He wrote to us in His book. When God gave us doctrine He gave us words, and Scripture is insistent that we not merely study theology in an abstract way, but that we pay close attention to God's words. When we do, we find apparent confusion melts away, as it will from a verse in our text today that has often been misunderstood.

PASTOR: John Lawrey
VIOLINIST: Mike Nelson
ORGANIST: Larry Pearson

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

HYMN NO. 306 "Jesus Saves"
HYMN NO. 201 "Grace Greater Than Our Sin"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE & PRAYER

Our time as a church to share prayer requests, as well as praises and updates from answered prayers.

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 18:23-33

HYMN NO. 275 "How Firm a Foundation"

MESSAGE Mark 13:28-31
"Answering The End Of The Age Question, Part 5"

HYMN NO. 270 "Wonderful Words of Life"

CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION

NEXT WEEK'S TEXT: Mark 13:32-37

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Nights	6:00-7:00pm	Community Choir
Fri. 7/21	Time: TBA	Root Beer Float Party
Sun. 7/23 through Thurs. 7/27		Grand Portage Missions Trip

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Learn more about how you could help serve on our Missions Trip to Mt. Rose Church at the Grand Portage Reservation!

We are holding a special offering to support Pastor Joshua as he prepares to leave for Kenya to continue the work God has given him there! We'll be collecting this offering today, and next Sunday. Thank you!

Offering plate(s) are available at sanctuary entrance after the service.

Do you have an idea for a new logo for our church website? Please share a mock-up with Loren Kuhnly by August 15!

If you'd like an Emmanuel yard sign, see the sign-up in back!

Check us out on Facebook!

MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH

Bob and Lisa Schwartz are our missionaries for July. They work with MMS Aviation, preparing people and planes for Worldwide Mission Service. These planes have to be in top shape in order to bring people and supplies to some remote areas of the world. Pray as they train new pilots. Also as they teach God's Word in Bible studies. Some of them need to learn the English language as well. Lisa works with women as they pursue God.

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Please **email** all bulletin announcements by noon on Wednesday. *If you do not have email*, you may call the church office with your message.

A calendar is posted outside Pastor's office. Please record any planned meetings so there is no double-booking of events. Thank you.