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**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

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**Emmanuel Baptist Church**

July 2, 2023

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**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**

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*“Moreover whom he did predestinate, them he also called: and whom he called, them he also justified: and whom he justified, them he also glorified.”*

*Romans 8:30*

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**TODAY'S MESSAGE:** Welcome to Emmanuel; where our delight is in the law of the Lord! The Bible says the tribulation before Christ's coming will be the worst in history. Among other dangers, will be false hope. Phoney's, fakes, and frauds will take advantage of people's misery to sell them false christs and false prophets, just as in the days before the temple's destruction. The enemy will try to deceive even the elect, but the golden chain of Romans 8:30 will hold strong. Jesus' words of preparation for that generation to come remind us of the importance of committing Scripture to memory.

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

#### WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

**HYMN NO. 338** "At Calvary"  
**HYMN NO. 574** "If My People's Hearts Are Humbled"

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### PRAISE & PRAYER

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

**SCRIPTURE READING** Romans 8:26-39

**HYMN NO. 576** "The Star-Spangled Banner"

**MESSAGE** Mark 13:21-23  
*"Answering The End Of The Age Question, Part 3"*

**HYMN NO. 231** "Jesus Shall Reign"

#### CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION

**NEXT WEEK'S TEXT:** Mark 13:24-27

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Nights	6:00-7:00pm	Community Choir
Sun. 7/9	After service	Annual Business Mtg.
Sun. 7/9	After service	Potluck.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Grand Portage Missions Trip: July 23-27! We will be visiting Missionary/Pastor Jake McCormick at Mt. Rose Church on the Grand Portage Reservation. More details TBA!

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

Would you like a yard sign to let passers by know about our church? Please leave your name on the sign-up in back.

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

Please sign up for after-service snacks at the back bulletin board!

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.