

SERMON NOTES

Emmanuel Baptist Church

May 14h, 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



PRAYER REQUESTS:

"Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her."

Proverbs 31:28

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

TODAY'S MESSAGE: Welcome to Emmanuel; we are here to make a joyful noise to the Rock of our Salvation! Sometimes God answers the 'how long until' question with a chronological period of time, as He did with Jeremiah and Daniel. Other times, God answers with indicators or signs, as Jesus did with the question of the temple's destruction. It may be Spring on March 20th, but it is not really Spring until you see the first robin, first green grass, first dandelion, first loon, and swat the first mosquito! One of the signs the temple was going to come down was the proliferation of false christs. This meant the early church had to exercise discernment. And this is a very big need for us as Christians today.

PASTOR: John Lawrey
PIANIST: Diane Lindstrom
VIOLINIST: Mike Nelson

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

HYMN NO. 585 "Brethren, we Have Met To Worship!"
HYMN NO. 306 "Jesus Saves!!"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDRENS CHURCH DISMISSED

PRAISE & PRAYER

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

SCRIPTURE READING 1 John 4:1-10

HYMN NO. 536 "Happy the Home When God Is There"

MESSAGE Mark 13:5-6
"Answering the Temple Question, Part 1"

HYMN NO. 435 "What a Friend We Have In Jesus"

CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION

NEXT WEEK'S TEXT: Mark 13:5-6

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Nights	6:00-7:00pm	Community Choir
Sat. 5/20	8:30-4:00	Common Slaves Spring Conference
Thurs. 6/29	9:00-2:00	Paddle Workshop 2023

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

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

Sign up for after service snacks has a sheet on the rear bulletin board.

The Hope Center is looking for volunteers from 10am-1pm on Thursdays. 218-464-0220.

Common Slaves Spring Conference, May 20th, 8:30am-4pm, LifeSpring Church, Crosby, MN, admission free. "Think and Act Christianly: The Supremacy of the Creator God in a Woke World."

Leadership Team Meeting, June 7th, 6:30pm.
4 Day Club, June 19th-22nd, Mornings
Annual Business Meeting, July 9th, after service.

MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH

Geoff and Michelle Coombe (Luke, Thomas, Samuel, Gabriel, Isaac, Tirzah). Geoff is with Converge International Ministries. He is involved in the "Great Sea Initiative." He travels to countries around the Mediterranean Sea helping to find leaders in these countries, teaching, encouraging persecuted brothers and sisters in Christ, and helping to strengthen local churches. Pray for his family while he is traveling.

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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.