

Emmaus Church of Smithville
Drive-In Worship Service
September 27, 2020: Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

OPENING HYMN: To God Be the Glory

1. To God be the glory, great things he hath done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,
and opened the lifegate that all may go in.

Refrain:

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son,
and give him the glory, great things he hath done!

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
to every believer the promise of God;
the vilest offender who truly believes,
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.
(Refrain)

3. Great things he hath taught us, great things he hath done,
and great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son;
but purer, and higher, and greater will be
our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.
(Refrain)

NICENE CREED: (Unison)

We believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
begotten from the Father before all ages,
God from God,
Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made;
of the same essence as the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;
he became incarnate by the Holy Spirit

and the virgin Mary and was made human.
He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered and was buried.

The third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures.

He ascended to heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again with glory
to judge the living and the dead.
His kingdom will never end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life.

He proceeds from the Father and the Son,
and with the Father and the Son
is worshiped and glorified.

He spoke through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We affirm one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look forward to the resurrection of the dead,
and to life in the world to come. Amen.

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: John 14:5-21

MESSAGE: See & Know

CLOSING HYMN: Be Thou My Vision

1. Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art--
thou my best thought by day or by night,
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

2. Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word;
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord:
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart,
great God of heaven, my treasure Thou art.

3. Great God of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

CLOSING PRAYER & BENEDICTION

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Sundays 3:00 am and 9:30 am:
WJPG 88.1 Cape May Court House, WJPH 89.9 Woodbine

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MULTIPLE WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Starting October 4TH

Beginning on Sunday, October 4th, Emmaus will offer outdoor, indoor, and virtual worship services simultaneously. Drive-in Worship will continue at 10 AM. Everything will remain the same except the pastor will be in the sanctuary. At the same time, there will be worship in the sanctuary with masks and social distancing in effect. We will continue with the same worship format. Services will be live-streamed on both Facebook Live and Zoom. Zoom information will be provided so that those in the parking lot and those at home can see, hear, and participate in the sanctuary service.

New Testament Chronological Reading Plan

On Monday, October 5th, Emmaus Church will begin reading through the New Testament. Please join us as we grow in faith together. You can also do this online on the Emmaus Faithlife Group where there will be daily thoughts posted and shared.

Offering Counters Needed

We currently have a shortage of counters and could use your help counting the weekly offerings. If you can help, please contact Pastor Don, Hannah, or Terry.

Food Pantry Items of the Month:

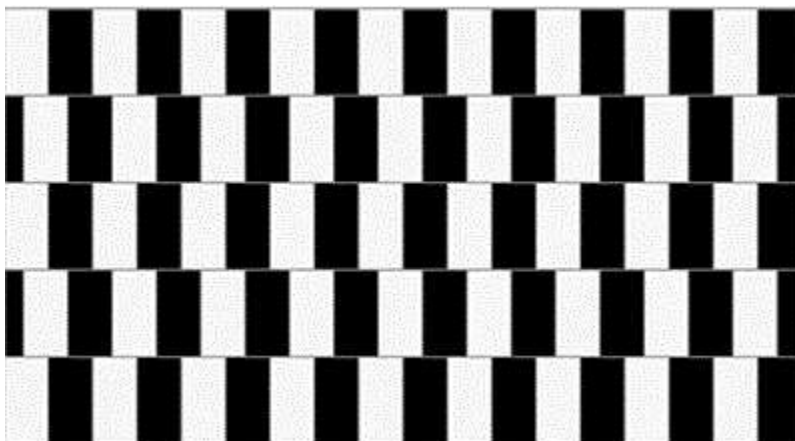
Canned Soups & Chili (Hearty Soups or Low Sodium are preferred)
Canned Ravioli & Pastas

Emmaus Food Pantry

If you would like to donate items to the Food Pantry, please drop off those items on *Sunday mornings or Tuesday afternoons ONLY*, so that a Food Pantry volunteer will be present. Please do not donate expired or damaged food items. If you have any Food Pantry questions or concerns, or know someone who has an emergency food need, please contact Lenore at 609-652-7123.

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- On your computer, go to <https://zoom.us/download>. Click on Zoom Client for Meetings blue download button.
- For your iPhone or iPad, go to your Apple Apps Store and download the Zoom Cloud Meeting app.
- For Android phones, you can go to Google Play (<https://play.google.com/store>) and download Zoom Cloud Meeting.



Are the horizontal lines sloping or straight?

September Birthdays & Anniversaries

Please contact the church office with changes!

9/ 8 Walter & Jimmie Pino
9/11 Joan Yowell
9/13 Lenore Duberson
9/14 Donald Higbee
9/15 Ron Lockhart
9/16 Percy Trease

9/16 Doug & Linda Baart
9/16 Cathy & Francis Nooney
9/19 Linda Baart
9/29 Kathie Heuer
9/30 Will McIntyre
9/30 Judy Beckley