

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Shoe Box Supplies:** We are collecting school supplies for Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes. Please bring crayons, colored pencils, erasers & pencil sharpeners.

**Hearing Assistance Available:** If you need assistance in hearing any part of the worship service, please go to the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary where we have devices to assist you.

**Emmaus T-Shirts:** We still have Emmaus t-shirts available (\$10 each). If you need a size we don't have, please let April know in the office. We will place another order.

**Fall Children and Youth Programming:** Registration is now open for all families with children nursery through 12th grade. If you have any questions, please see Pastor Tim or Kari Engle, Sunday School Coordinator.

**Fabric Needed:** We are looking for cotton fabric to be used to make 100 small tote bags for Operation Christmas Child. The bags will be used for children to carry their bibles and bible study materials instead of the plastic bags they use now. A half yard of fabric will make one bag. Please bring your cotton fabric to the church office.

**Community Meal:** August 15th will be our first Community Meal of the new school year. Join us 5:30 to 6:30 pm for a free meal. Bring your friends and neighbors and a dish to share. We are also collecting school supplies for Greenvale, so bring your pencils, notebooks, crayons, markers, etc.

**Sweet Sunday:** Bring a sweet treat to share on Sunday, August 26 at our 9:00 Gathering Hour. Weather permitting, we may gather outside!

**Habitat for Humanity:** The first build day in Faribault is September 15. If you can help build or provide food for the crew, mark your calendar and watch for more details coming soon!

**Divorce Care:** Emmaus will host a Divorce Care class this fall. If you are divorced, separated, or thinking about Divorce, this is for you! Sessions run Thursdays, September 6 to December 13 (not Thanksgiving Day) 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$50 and covers the workbook materials and meal each week. To register or for more information, contact Pastor Susan Quinnell [squinnell@emmauschurch.org](mailto:squinnell@emmauschurch.org) or Rhonda Witmer [rhondapoint@charter.net](mailto:rhondapoint@charter.net).

**Membership Class:** If you are interested in membership at Emmaus, please attend our next class, Sunday, August 26 11:00 am—1:00 pm. Lunch included. Please RSVP to the church office if you will be attending.

**Northfield CROP Walk:** The CROP HungerWalk organizers are looking for an Emmaus person to lead fundraising efforts here at our church. If you are interested in helping with CROP Walk, please contact Sedge Freeman at [leif\\_sedgwick\\_f@mail.com](mailto:leif_sedgwick_f@mail.com)

**Schedule Change:** The outdoor movie scheduled for August 15 is cancelled, as is Campfire Worship on Sunday, August 19. Sorry for any inconvenience.

## From The Treasurer

We have completed seventeen weeks of the 2018-2019 fiscal year  
Offering Last Week: \$6,208 (\$5,565 below budget)  
Offering YTD: \$203,226 (\$20,472 below budget)

## This Week At Emmaus

**Today:** Coffee hour 9:00 am; Worship 10:00 am;  
**Monday:** HR Board Meeting 7:00 pm  
**Wednesday:** Men's Breakfast 6-8 am  
Community Meal 5:30-6:30 pm  
**Next Sunday:** Coffee Hour 9:00 am;  
Worship 10:00 am

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# EMMAUS CHURCH



Sunday August 12, 2018 | Life Together: Week 1

# TODAY

## Worshiping Together

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Prelude	<i>What A Friend</i>
Welcome	April Schweickert
Call To Worship	
Congregational Singing	<i>Joy of the Lord</i> <i>All Creatures of our God and King</i> <i>One Thing</i>
The Lord's Prayer	
Outreach Moment	The Mennings
Offering	
Message and Prayer	Pastor Abe Johnson
Hymn of Response	<i>All the Poor and Powerless</i>
Benediction	

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### Today's Worship Leaders

Matt Whited, Lisa Gillispie, Tim Drake, Tony Mathison, Alanah Barnes, Sam Hintz, Jason Ripley

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August 19, 2018  
Series: Life Together

Speaker: Pastor Abe Johnson  
Sermon: Sharing

## Welcome to Emmaus

Welcome to all who have joined us today. As we gather together let our hearts be filled with gratitude for all the things God has done. Let us accept and encourage one another with the same love and grace that God has extended to us through Jesus Christ. And let us honor God in our songs, our speech, our reflections and all that we do here today.



## Notes

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August 12, 2018

Teachings of the Apostles  
Acts 2:42-47

Pastor Abe Johnson

### Questions:

- Where did you sense God's presence today?
- What stood out to you from today's sermon?
- What stands out to you from this morning's scriptures?
- How can a person stay committed to the ways of Jesus?
- How have you grown in your faith over the past year?

## About Emmaus

We are a community of faith committed to growing in our love for God in worship and devotion; to cultivating a community characterized by love, grace and humility; and to loving our neighbors in service and hospitality. In all we are and in all we do we want to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ.