

EMMANUEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH



The PEW Parish Events Weekly

July 17–July 24, 2015

This Sunday at Emmanuel–July 19, 2015 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am—*Lector:* David Taverner

10:30 am—*Lector:* Tom Rogers *Intercessor:* Janet Jayne

Eucharistic Minister: Tom Rogers *Ushers:* Lisa and Doug Mitchell

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Supper Club Tonight

Jane Bachman's Home at Six O'clock

From the Rector

One of my earliest memories of Emmanuel was Supper Club. It had been a wonderful evening starting with gathering conversations and, when everyone was present, our host asked me to bless our meal. I remember watching the group who had eaten their meal around the dining room table lingering there long after they had finished deserts. They were laughing and talking and enjoying being together. I remember how the house was filled with laughter. I was reminded of what I was told during the interview process before you called me to be your rector: *We like each other!* Join us Sunday evening when our only agenda is to have enjoy our spiritual family.

See you Sunday if not before.

Welcome

Emmanuel welcomes Steven Wagner by transfer from St. Thomas, Elizabethton.

Upcoming Events

Supper Club

July Supper Club will be **Sunday, July 19, 6:00 p.m.** and will be hosted by Jane Bachman at her home. Contact Jane to coordinate your dish, 423-968-7678. Everyone is welcome!

Mark your calendars for next month's Supper Club. The Harty's will host on **Sunday, August 16 at 6:00 p.m.** at their home.

Thursday Morning Bible Study

Join us on **Thursday mornings** at **10:00 a.m.** for Bible study in the Conference Room.

Family Promise

Family Promise has been selected by Food City as the sole recipient of proceeds from Race Night, **Thursday, August 20th**. This is contingent on Family Promise helping to staff the event with volunteer shifts between **8:00 a.m.** and **9:00 p.m.** Emmanuel is one of the host congregations for Family Promise which helps families transition from homelessness to a permanent residence. As the families work and save toward their new housing, Family Promise provides meals, counseling, and a safe places to sleep in area churches.

If you would like to help on Food City Race Night, you will need to complete a Volunteer Information Form. Return the form to Family Promise directly or to Emmanuel Parish Administrator, not to Food City.

Assisted Living Service

This month Emmanuel will be providing Holy Eucharist Rite I at Grand Court at **2:00 p.m.** on **Sundays July 12** and **July 26**. Members of the church are invited to come and worship with our friends at the home.

Day in the Park

Come and celebrate with Bristolians at the 30th annual *Day in the Park* on **Saturday August 1** from **12-6:00 p.m.** at Breedlove Park behind the old Douglass School. Volunteers are needed to help with games and refreshments at the Park. This is part of Emmanuel's missional activity for the year. If you are interested in helping with the event one hour, two

hours, or all afternoon please see the deacon, Preston Mitchell. The event's organizer, Harry Anderson needs a list of volunteers by Monday July 27.

Organizers collect backpacks and fill the packs with school supplies for any child that comes to the event. The rector's discretionary fund and the deacon's discretionary fund for July (the second and third Sundays) will be used to purchase the backpacks. If you would like to purchase supplies yourself please leave them in the Parish Office by Friday July 26.

Miscellaneous Notices

Large Print Copies of the BCP

Large print copies of the Book of Common Prayer are available in the back of the church. Ask the usher's for assistance.

AED (automated external defibrillator)

In the event of a cardiac emergency an AED is mounted on the wall in the chair lift alcove (2nd floor, just outside the Nave).

Prayer Requests

Jerry Allen, Sue Brickey, Barbara Bunn, Winifred Campbell, Ivy Daniels, Alva, Emma, Kathy Frey, Ann Gillenwater, Annette, Anina Haqq, Sharon Hatcher, Emily Hubbard, Tom Hurt, Annie Jackson, Michael Johnston, Chris Mallin, Gayle Mallin, Tineke Marburg, Louise Medley, Jill Mendiljian, Claire Miller, Dan Morgan, Rachael Morgan, Mildred Murphy, Kitty Pitini, Joyce Rodgers, Robert Rodgers, Denise Rowe, Rosemary, Katy Sikorski, Sharon Slaughter, Cody Snyder, Anna Stuart, Jody Talbert, Nikki Guest Thomas, Lamont Tidwell, Sarah Young, Carla

Vaughn, Charlotte Vaughn, Reilly Vaughn, Vicki Ward, and the families in Family Promise

July Birthdays

21 Nell Bieger, Candie Horner,
Janice Kiser

23 Susan Tanner, Gabriell Tidwell

25 Margaret Kearfott, Mary Glen
Tidwell

July Wedding Anniversaries

24 Maggie and Steve Green

Notes of Interest

Parish Office

If you need to reach the rector whenever the office is closed, call him directly on his cell phone. You may contact the Parish Office by calling (276) 669-9488 or emailing emmanuelbristol@gmail.com. Office hours are Monday–Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Nursery

The Emmanuel Nursery will be open 9:00 a.m. to noon each Sunday. We ask that there be no new checks-ins after 10:45 a.m. If no children are checked in prior to 10:45 a.m., the nursery will close.

Supper Club

Supper Club is the 3rd Sunday of each month (except November and December) with locations and cuisine varying. If you are interested in hosting Supper Club, please contact Senior Warden, Denise Rowe (423-652-2324) or ny.citigirl@yahoo.com. Please consider joining us for Supper Club. The more the merrier!

Altar Flowers

Do you need a way to recognize a birthday, or anniversary? Would you like to give a memorial, recognize a special occasion, or give thanks to God for His blessings? Why not do so by sponsoring altar flowers? The cost is \$50 per Sunday and after Sunday services you may share the flowers with a friend, a sick or shut-in parishioner, or enjoy them in your home. The sign-up sheet is in the Parish Hall on the red information station. Please note that flowers are NOT available during Lent. For more information, contact Ann Martin-Thomas (423-878-5522).

Needlepoint Kneelers

Please be aware of the potential damage caused to our beautiful kneelers when used as foot rests. If you would like to have one of the kneelers designated in memory or honor of a loved one, please contact Ann Fleming (423-652-7674) and she will show you the kneelers that are available. A donation of \$150 per kneeler is appreciated.

Pastoral Support

If you are in need of pastoral support, please contact the rector directly or by calling the Parish Office.

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Rector

The Rev. Craig R. Wylie, D. Min.
Assisting Priest

The Rev. Preston Mitchell
Deacon

Stephanie Yoder
Organist & Choir Director

Kristie Faylor
Parish Administrator

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY SERVICES

8:00 a.m. Rite I
10:30 a.m. Rite II

SUNDAY MORNING FAITH FORMATION

Catechesis resumes in Sept.
9:15 a.m. Adult Study

WEDNESDAY SERVICE

12:15 p.m.—Bledsoe Chapel
Holy Eucharist with
Prayers for Healing

CHOIR

Wednesday
Choir (resumes in Sept.)

BIBLE STUDY

10:00 a.m., Thursday
2nd Floor Conference Room

VESTRY

2013-2015

Dan Bieger
Frank Goodpasture, III
Denise Rowe, Sr. *Warden*
David Taverner

2014-2016

Fred Knickerbocker
Doug Mitchell
Debbie Tidwell

2015-2017

Barbara Sue Kurre, *Secretary*
Jeremy McLaughlin,
Jr. Warden
Greg Oakley
Barbara Walling

Bob Bruce, *Treasurer*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, July 19, 6:00 p.m. Supper Club (Jane Bachman, Host)
Sunday, August 16, 6:00 p.m. Supper Club (The Harty's, Host)
Sunday, August 30 Rally Day
Friday, September 18–Sunday, September 20 Bristol Rhythm and Roots
Reunion Weekend
Sunday, October 18 after 10:30 a.m. service Sandwiches and Sundaes
Sunday, November 1 All Saints “Feast on the Feast” Brunch
Sunday, November 8, 9:45 a.m. Annual Meeting
Sunday, December 20, 9:45 a.m. Christmas Pageant Brunch
Sunday, December 20 during 10:30 a.m. service Christmas Pageant

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