

EMMANUEL EPISCOPAL CHURCH



The PEW Parish Events Weekly

July 31–August 7, 2015

This Sunday at Emmanuel–August 2, 2015 Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 am—*Lector:* John Harty

10:30 am—*Lector:* David Taverner

Eucharistic Ministers: Walt Bressler and David Taverner

Ushers: Lee Wampler and Barbara Walling

From the Rector

We are baptized into a community of faith, God's one holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. We are also baptized into a local faith community, a congregation of believers who promise to do all in our power to support new Christians in their lives in Christ.

As most of you know, early last Friday evening my wife was leaving the marina at South Holston Lake when she was involved in an accident. She is already well on her way to a complete recovery for which we are thankful. As I write this, her plan is to preside and preach at St. Thomas Sunday morning. We are also thankful for the many expressions of support, food, and especially your prayers during Kathy's hospitalization and after she went home.

That is one important aspect of being a member of the body of Christ. When one is hurting, we all hurt. And, when one is joyful and thankful, we all share that joy.

When we are baptized, by faith we are born again into the family of God. We are christened (which means anointed) by the Holy Spirit and become spiritual sisters and brothers. This Sunday we will renew our own baptismal vows and remember the covenant into which we are joined when his parents and godparents present Frank Goodpasture, V, for the sacrament of Holy Baptism and take the vows of new Christians on his behalf, promising to raise him in the spiritual family of Jesus Christ, to teach him the language of faith and prayer, and to equip him for ministry in the Kingdom of God.

See you Sunday if not before!

Upcoming Events

Supper Club

Our next Supper Club will be **Sunday, August 16, 6:00 p.m.** and will be hosted by The Harty's at their home. Contact Harriett or John to coordinate your dish, 423-764-2248. Everyone is welcome!

Thursday Morning Lectionary Study

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

Sunday Afternoon Service

Join us at Brookdale Assisted Living (formerly Grand Court) for Holy Eucharist **Sunday afternoon August 9**, at **two o'clock**.

Miscellaneous Notices

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 **5:00 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,

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.

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, Jim Barber, Ruby Barber, Sue Brickey, Barbara Bunn, Winifred Campbell, Ivy Daniels, Kathy Dunagan, 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

August Birthdays

2 Elizabeth Conwell
6 Jan Bruce
7 Bill Hagey, Tariq Zaidi, Tucker Couch

August Wedding Anniversaries

5 Jan and Leno Rainero

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 am. 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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The Rev. Craig R. Wylie, D. Min.
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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, 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

The PEW is emailed each Friday to all parishioners with a valid email address in the Parish Office. If you have any items you would like included in the update, please submit them to emmanuelbristol@gmail.com before noon each Monday.