



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

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Sunday Schedule

9:30 a.m. – Worship Service

10:45am – Bible Classes

Supply Pastor in April:

Pastor Harrison – Sunday, April 13 and
Maundy Thursday, April 17

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Church Council members
on met Sunday, March 9

Short Summary:

Double Doors under bell tower have been removed and enclosed outside with siding and indise with drywall. Other repair work was discussed.

Lent Evening Offerings will be donated to the Uvalde Food Pantry. Pancake Breakfast will be on Easter morning before our worship service.

✻ *Serve the Lord* ✻

WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

Eight women of the Church met on March 12 for their monthly meeting.

A thank you note was received from Ada Ruth for her birthday donation to the church.

Donna Ede gave the financial report. We received donations of \$205 for the Pancake Supper.

Under Old Business we recorded that 45 attended the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper. 35 people attended the very successful baby shower we had for Missy Jones.

New Business included the report that we would have a pancake breakfast on Easter Sunday morning, April 20th.

We planned to host an Easter Egg Hunt for the children after church on Easter Sunday. Plastic eggs filled with goodies will be used. We will fill those eggs following the meeting on Wednesday, April 9.

We reviewed the Prayer list and deleted who are doing better and added new names.

We discussed the Knippa Senior Dinner scheduled for May 21. Additional plans will be made at the April meeting. The Community is invited to help with dessert and food donations.

To prepare for Easter church services we will polish brass altar fixtures on Wednesday, April 2 at 9:30am. Volunteers are needed. Most of these are sit-down jobs and usually we are finished after an hour and a half. Come for the fellowship while polishing.

The Women of the Church will have Bible Study on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 9:30am. We are studying Women of the Bible. Come join us.



Our Christian sympathy goes out to the family of **John Franklin (Frankie) Gray II** who passed away on Sunday, March 2. He is survived by his former spouse, Jamie Gray; his children, Emily (Seth) Chernak, John (Rebecca) Gray III, Joshua (Alissa) Gray, Jacob Gray, and Melody Gray; five grandchildren; his mother, Dolly Gray; and sister Lynda (Chris) Mhoon.

Our Christian sympathy goes out to the family of **Sandra Kay Decker** who passed away on Monday, March 3. She is survived by her daughters, Dee Ann Kincke and husband John and Cherie Cotsonas and husband Peter; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Our Christian sympathy goes out to the family of **Alicia Echeverria Ramos** who passed away on Thursday, March 13. She is survived by her children, Robert (Mary) Echeverria, Jorge (Esther) Echeverria, Harry (Shannon) Piles, Danuel (Veronica) Piles, Daniel (Anabel) Echeverria; fourteen grandchildren and twenty great-grandchildren; and her siblings.

Our Christian sympathy goes out to the family of **John Franklin (Frank) Gray** who passed away on Monday, March 24. He is survived by his wife, Dolly; daughter Lynda (Chris) Mhoon; daughter-in-law Jamie Gray; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

May God comfort their families and friends in their loss.

✻ Trust in the Lord ✻



Memorial Fund for Emily Fehlis by:

*Mark & Beverly Kelling, Michael & Donna Kelling,
Mark & Becky Landry, and Raymond & Elaine Brundrett*

Memorial Fund for Bonnie Caddel by:

*Mark & Beverly Kelling, Michael & Donna Kelling,
and Mark & Becky Landry*

Dornbusch Scholarship Fund in memory of

*Alvin & Elsie Dornbusch and Don & Jean Welch by:
William & Margaret Reus*



Saturday, April 5

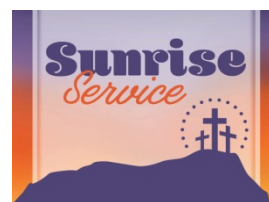
hosted by the

Knippa Volunteer Fire Department

7:00am to 11:00am

Emmanuel Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall

\$10.00 per plate – breakfast includes 2 pancakes, eggs, choice of sausage or bacon, and coffee or juice.



Easter Sunrise Service

Sunday, April 20

7:00am



Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, April 20

at 8:00am

Emmanuel Lutheran's Fellowship Hall



Easter Worship Service

Sunday, April 20

9:30am



Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 20

for children is after our worship service

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

A stylized illustration of a hand in a prayer position, with fingers together and palm facing up. The hand is rendered in shades of orange, yellow, and light green, with a soft, glowing effect. It is positioned on the left side of the page, partially overlapping the list of names.

Crystal Barrera – health
Lee Ann Collier – health
Family of Sandra Decker
Joe Diaz – health/spine surgery
Rudy Davila – health
Emma Dicke – cancer and
pray for her family
Tammy Dillon – health
Jackie Dyer – health
Shirley Elledge – health
Kelly Evans – drug addiction
Katie Fisher – health
Jerry Fortune – health/eye issues
Mary Anne Fortune – health
Delayne Givens – health
Halie Gonzales – guidance and health
Family of Frankie Gray
Family of John (Frank) Gray
Autumn Guerrero – health/stomach issues
Matthew Gugliotti – purpose in life
Tammy Harrison – health
Walter Hildebrandt – health
Family of Casey Hogan
Connor Janes – health
Sebastian Janes – guidance
Donna Kelling – needs to have foot reconstruction surgery
Michael Kelling – recovering from foot surgery
Thomas Kelling – heart surgery
Nancy Klaus – cancer
Amelia McElroy – health
Jonathan Nichols – health/heart issues
Judy Numayer – breast cancer
Jennifer Ramirez – health/autoimmune diseases
Family of Alicia Ramos
Barbara Reece – health
Margaret Reus – health issues
Donna Robertson – health
Mary Salas – recovering from shoulder surgery
Kamille Sanchez – health
Raymond Schwarzlose – health
Ruth Singleton – health/assisted living
Dee Ann Smith – health
Judy Stroud – health
JC White – injuries from car accident

**Pray for everyone affected by health issues,
all caregivers and health providers,
teachers, school staff and students**

Crystal Barrera – health





WORSHIP SCHEDULE and Bible Classes

- 6 – Sunday Worship Service – 9:30am
Bible Class – 10:45am
Lent Evening Bible Study– 6:30pm
- 13 – Palm Sunday Service – 9:30am
Bible Class – 10:45am
- 17 – Maundy Thursday Service–6:30pm
- 18 – Good Friday Service – 6:30pm
- 20 – Easter Sunrise Service – 7:00am
Easter Worship Service – 9:30am
- 27 – Sunday Worship Service – 9:30am
Bible Class – 10:45am

Services can be watched
on Emmanuel's Facebook page
on our website www.elcknipa.org



Easter Lily Plants
may be brought to the church
to adorn the sanctuary
for our Easter morning service.

Dates to Remember

Wednesday, April 2

Polish Brass – 9:30am

Saturday, April 5 – Pancake Breakfast

hosted by the

Knippa Volunteer Fire Department

7:00am to 11:00am

Sunday, April 6 – 5th Sunday in Lent

Soup 'n' Sandwich Supper – 6:00pm

Lent Evening Bible Study – 6:30pm

Wednesday, April 9

Women's Bible Study – 9:30am

Women of the Church Meeting – 10:30am

Sunday, April 13 – Palm Sunday

Church Council Meeting – 10:45am

Sunday, April 20 – Easter Sunday

Easter Sunrise Service – 7:00am

Pancake Breakfast – 8:00am

Easter Worship Service – 9:30am

Easter Egg Hunt – 10:45am

Wednesday, April 23

Women's Bible Study – 9:30am

Saturday, April 26

Articles/Information for May Newsletter due

Activity Nights

Wednesdays at 6:30pm



There will be no Bell Choir Practice in April



1 – Kelsey Ede

8 – Janet Davis

10 – Katie Fisher

25 – Mike Jett

27 – Hedwig Hardie

29 – Mary Ramirez

20 – Jovoni & Autumn Guerrero



Gloria Schwarzlose



Altar Flowers

6 – open

20 – open

13 – open

27 – open



Mother's Day – May 11

Memorial Day – Monday, May 26

Knippa ISD Graduations – May 30



April 2025



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Polish Brass -9:30am  6:30pm	3	4	5 Pancake Breakfast hosted by Knippa Fire Dept. 7:00am to 11:00am at Emmanuel
5th Sunday in Lent 6 9:30am -Worship Service <small>(can be watched on church's facebook)</small> 10:45am -Bible Classes 6:00pm -Lenten Meal 6:30pm -Bible Study	7	8	9 Women's Bible Study 10:30am Women's Mtg  6:30pm	10	11	12
Palm Sunday 13 9:30am -Worship Service <small>(can be watched on church's facebook)</small> 10:45am -Bible Classes 10:45am -Council Meeting	14	15	16	17  Service - 6:30pm	18  Service - 6:30pm	19
Easter Sunday 20 7:00am-Sunrise Service 8:00am-Pancake Breakfast 9:30am -Worship Service <small>(can be watched on church's facebook)</small> 10:45am -Easter Egg Hunt	21	22	23 Women's Bible Study 9:30am  6:30pm	24	25	26  for May
27 9:30am -Worship Service <small>(can be watched on church's facebook)</small> 10:45am -Bible Classes	28	29	30  6:30pm			