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Jan. 21-28
Sunday
Special Coffee hour in dedication of Merl Brockway "Souperbowl" drive begins Hammering 4 Habitat begins
7 pm
Women's Reflection Group

Monday
12 Noon
Discussion Group

Thursday
7:30 pm
"Uncoupling Group"
ESL

Friday
6:30 pm
Reader's Choice

Sunday at Emmanuel

The Chapel is open for prayer and meditation before and after our Sunday service.

9:15-10:15 Adult Sunday School

10:30 am Family Worship with Pastor Gill preaching "The Great Wake Up Call"

Emmanuel welcomes Leah Hammer & Tom Hammer as our guest musicians.

Inspirational Quote: "Because of the incarnation, every human experience can be a means of grace."
Thomas Merton

The Men of Emmanuel will sponsor a coffee hour this Sunday, January 21, in celebration of the life of Merl Brockway. You are invited to share your memories of Merl.

Emmanuel Vision Statement

Emmanuel is a growing, welcoming, caring community, celebrating the rich diversity of God's Creation, treasuring our common humanity and following the way of Christ's love, justice and

Sunday

"Souperbowl"
drive
Hammering 4
Habitat ends last
day to sign
boards



Monthly Calendar

mercy in today's world.

Baptism

Any youth or adults who are interested in baptism should call the church office or Pastor Gill or Pastor Lewis. Youth can call Pastor Lewis directly at [201 995-7088](tel:2019957088), if you would like to speak to him about baptism or any other issues. A baptism class for youth will be offered based on your personal schedules.

Men's Fellowship:

The Men of Emmanuel will meet for breakfast on this Saturday, January 20, at 9 AM.

JOIN US ON MONDAY FOR A STIMULATING WEEK OF A SPRING WITHIN US WITH PASTOR KEN

*WEEK 12, January 15-21: **"Dualistic Thinking"**

*WEEK 13, January 22-28: **"Subverting the Honor/Shame System"**

*WEEK 14, January 29- Feb 4: **"The Path of Descent"**

Community Pasta Dinner:

Our next dinner will be on Tuesday February 20th, 6:00 pm. Please come and bring friends. It is nice to know attendance ahead of time in order to plan accordingly, so please call either the church office, [201-444-7300](tel:2014447300), or Marilyn, [201-391-4720](tel:2013914720).

Peace & Justice Forum:

Tuesday February 20th, 6:00 pm. "Race in Ridgewood" continues.

Missions:

We are still collecting canned soup (or monetary donations) for "SOUPER BOWL" this will continue till Sunday Feb. 5th. Box is located under the Mission Board.

"Hammering for Habitat", Please see Brent Sjaardema during Coffee hour if you wish to sign the boards. This is the last day, these will be placed in new homes in Paterson. Donations are

requested to fund homes.

Food collected in January will go to The Center for Food Action. Food box and list of needed items is in the hall outside the Sanctuary.

Emmanuel Website:

Check the Emmanuel Website for updates at www.emmanuelridgewood.org. Please let your friends and family know that they can submit Online Prayer Requests through the website. Those friends or family members who want to be added to our email list or want to obtain information about events at the church can fill out the Online Contact Us Request Form.

Follow the Emmanuel Facebook Page:

<https://facebook.com/EmmanuelRidgewood>

Upcoming events are on North Jersey event listing here: <http://www.northjersey.com/events>. If you happen to see any news articles pertaining to Emmanuel, could you please cut out and bring to Jessica's attention in the office for our media archives.

Please encourage your family and friends to follow and friend us on Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube.

Follow us on Facebook at

<https://www.facebook.com/EmmanuelRidgewood/>

Follow us on Twitter at

<https://twitter.com/Emmanuel07450>

Subscribe and watch our Service Live Stream at www.TinyURL.com/EmmanuelStream

Notes from the Treasurer

If you have any check request, please kindly place in mailbox outside church office, if the office is locked. Please do not hand it to me during coffee hour as it could get misplaced. Thank you for your understanding.

Google Reviews

Emmanuel needs to increase its visibility on Google. Would congregation members and friends of Emmanuel please write an online review of the church on Google?

Newsletter Due Dates

E-Happenings submissions are due to the Church office on Wednesdays by noon. **Expectations submissions are due Jan. 24th.** Please note in the future any submissions for Expectations and E-Happenings which are not received by the deadline will not be included until the following week/month.

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