

Ash Wednesday & Lent

February 14 is Ash Wednesday and
the start of the season of Lent
(the seven weeks leading up to Easter)

There will be a beautiful simple
Ash Wednesday Service
at 5:30pm

(with ashes from last Palm Sunday palms)



CCMS The Anchor Food Pantry
518-732-4120

Mon. 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm
1st Sat. 10:00 am – 12:30 pm

90 N. Main Street, Castleton, NY 12033
Manager – Paula Sancomb

Tue. & Thu. 9:00 am – 1:30 pm

Let us remember those at home, in nursing homes & hospitals:
Ginny Hempstead Red Unit Rm #445 180 Washington Ave Ext. Albany, NY 12203
Stan Hotaling 56 Scott Ave. Castleton, NY 12033
Nancy Wasson c/o Joy Dalaba 17 Cabot Way, Clifton Park, NY 12065

"Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die"

The Golden Memory Book reflects these loved ones and friends:

Richard E. Ostrander	Jan. 22, 2003	Marie Grooten Pincher	Jan. 22, 2013
Nicholas Bult	Jan. 23, 1922	John H. Folmsbee	Jan. 23, 1980
Arthur C. Van De Wal	Jan. 23, 2003	Christine Bolt	Jan. 24, 1953
Lavina Salisbury Drost	Jan. 24, 1976	Mrs. Henry Van De Wal	Jan. 25, 1932
Lillian M. Ennis	Jan. 25, 1970	William I. Nash	Jan. 25, 1981
Lillian E. Salisbury	Jan. 26, 1927	David Joseph Mayo	Jan. 26, 1982
Lorna Ann Van Ort	Jan. 26, 2007	John R. Camingo	Jan. 27, 1985
Helen Snack Camingo	Jan. 28, 1999		

A final witness to your faith can be found in your will.
Have you remembered your church in your estate planning?

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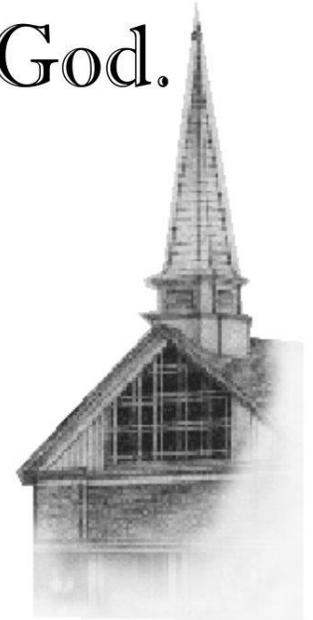
CONSISTORY MEMBERS

ELDERS	DEACONS
David Ewert	MaryLee Hedrick
Roland Ferris	Leah Hesch
Judy Rappold	John Shortsleeve
Rhonda Van De Wal	Candy Shyer
Wes Van Ort	David Spink
Zachary Warner	Scott Van Nederynen

Emmanuel Reformed Church
is a community of believers
called to
worship God.

We seek to
engage people
in the
LIFE
JOYS
and WORK

of the church,
serving, teaching and
inviting people to
follow Jesus Christ.



WORSHIP THE LORD!

JANUARY 21, 2024

Welcome

Psalms 9

Call to Worship

Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)
Tis So Sweet – My Jesus I Love Thee

Confession & Assurance

Kids' Time

Scripture

Matthew 5:3

Message

Kingdom Feast
Pastor David Ewert

Take My Life and Let It Be

Engagement Opportunities

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer - *Our Father* . . .

To God be the Glory

Benediction

OFFERINGS

Make your donation to ERC in the collection
plate at the back

or

Give online at:

www.encounterERC.com/donate

Flowers are in memory of
Ed & Deanne Newton by Lynn Donnelly

CHILD CARE

Nursery for infants – 3 yr.
is available downstairs in
our staffed nursery room.

KID'S CONNECTION

Children up through 3rd
grade are dismissed to the
Fellowship Hall after the
Kids' Time.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

is held for children after
worship, ages 3 to high
school.

THE LORD'S TABLE

Communion is served the
first Sunday of the month
and is open to everyone
who is seeking Jesus as
Lord and Savior. A gluten-
free option is available
and grape juice is served
so all may come to the
table.

UPCOMING

Wednesday

Music Rehearsal 6pm

Thursday

Bible Study 10am

WELCOME – *Emmanuel Reformed Church is a spiritual community where we invite everyone to focus their attention on God, engage in what God is doing in the world, and in every aspect of their life follow Jesus Christ. It is good that you are here today, and we hope you know that this is a place for you. If you have any questions or need help, ask a greeter or Pastor Dirk.*

ENGAGE FORM – Please fill out the Engage Form and place it in the collection plate after worship. If you are a visitor, we'd love to know how we can stay in touch. Prayer requests are collected and prayed over each week. On the back are ways you can engage.

WOMEN'S GROUP – At the fall Mug-n-Muffin the idea of having a monthly women's group was raised – and people loved the idea. If you can help coordinate it, please let us know on the Engage Form.

YOUTH NIGHT – God Squad Thursday, Feb 1 at 6:30pm. A fun time for kids of all ages.

10 YEAR RECOGNITION – This month marks the 10-year anniversary of Pastor Dirk serving at ERC. On February 11 there will be a special reception after worship to mark this anniversary. Watch for more information and ways you can help.

BOTTLE DRIVE FOR CHILE – Got cans and bottles from all the festivities? The Meinharts are coordinating a bottle drive to raise money to support our mission trip to Chile this spring (which Kyleigh is going on). Contact Carrie (518-727-0689) or Linda (518-732-7581)

CONSISTORY – On January 14, Jessica Mascolo was elected to the role of deacon and will be installed to this position on February 11.

SMALL GROUPS – Sermon based small groups (Encounter Groups) and the Thursday Bible Study will be starting again this week.