



## So easy a child can do it.

- **Breathing**
- **Talking**
- **Listening**
- **Reading**
- **Singing**
- **Eating**
- **Walking**
- **Remembering**

**This Lent practice simple actions which can have a very real spiritual impact.**

**CCMS The Anchor Food Pantry**  
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Director – Paula Sancomb

Mon. 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm  
1<sup>st</sup> Sat. 10:00 am – 12:30 pm

Tue. & Thu. 9:00 am – 1:30 pm

### Let us remember those at home, in nursing homes & hospitals:

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### "Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die"

The Golden Memory Book reflects these loved ones and friends:

William J. Masten	Apr. 2, 1907	Margaret L. Folmsbee	Apr. 2, 1991
Mildred M. Shill	Apr. 2, 1993	Beverly Ann Ferreira	Apr. 3, 2005
Ida Anna Folmsbee	Apr. 4, 1926	Charles I. Coleman	Apr. 4, 1974
Kathryn W. Morton	Apr. 5, 1932	Anna Selkirk Hudson	Apr. 5, 1953
John J. Van Hoesen	Apr. 6, 1908	Laura S. Ton	Apr. 6, 1927
John Frederick Mann	Apr. 6, 1941	Hendrieka C. Salisbury	Apr. 8, 1994

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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John Shortsleeve

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# Simple Spiritual Practices

# SUNDAY WORSHIP

APRIL 2, 2023

## Welcome

*Hosanna (Praise is Rising)  
All Glory, Laud and Honor #300  
King of Kings*

## Confession & Assurance

## Kids' Time

## Scripture

Acts 27:28-37

## Message

Trifles – At the Table  
Pastor Dirk Gieser

## Communion

*Behold the Lamb*

## Engagement Opportunities

### Prayers of the People

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

*O Sacred Head Now Wounded*

## Benediction

## OFFERINGS

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

or

Give online at:

[www.encounterERC.com/donate](http://www.encounterERC.com/donate)

## 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 8<sup>th</sup>  
grade.

## 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.

### This Week:

#### Wednesday

Music Rehearsal 6pm

#### Thursday

Bible Study 10am

Seder Dinner 5:30pm

#### Good Friday

CrossWalk noon

#### Saturday

Egg Hunt 10am

#### Easter Sunday

Sunrise Worship 6:30am

Breakfast

Easter Worship 9:30am

**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 reach out to Pastor Dirk.*

**ENGAGE FORM** Please fill out the Engage Form and place it in the collection plate on the way out. 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 actively engage in the life, joy and work of the church.

**PASSOVER SEDER DINNER** April 6, 5:30pm. A deeply meaningful tradition of Christianity's Jewish roots, this family meal connects Israel's history directly to the Last Supper. \$10/adult, \$5/kid (12+under) Reservations required, all ages are encouraged and welcome. **Engage**

**GOOD FRIDAY CROSSWALK** noon April 7 from Sacred Heart Catholic church to Sisters of the Resurrection Convent. Carrying the cross on Friday connects us to Christ and our community.

**EASTER EGG HUNT (&MORE)** April 8, Saturday at 10am. A fun time for kids from toddlers to teens. Not only is there a traditional egg hunt, there will be a scavenger hunt for older kids to discover more about Easter. Volunteers and candy are need for this event. **Engage**

**SUNRISE SERVICE & EASTER BREAKFAST** Worship at 6:30am as we celebrate the risen Son. Arrive a little early at Horizon View Cemetery (past Windy Hill Orchard). After worship all are welcome to have breakfast together in the ERC fellowship hall. **Engage** form

**YOUTH MISSION WORK** – Wednesday, April 12 at the Ronald McDonald House. Youth will be able to serve by doing work around the house - blessing families battling illness. Interested? **Engage** form Want more information? Talk with Carolyn Mattistke or Jashton.

**SPRING MISSION TRIP** – We have a team heading to Florida to help recovery work after hurricane Ian. April 10-15

**ENCOUNTER GROUPS** use the questions on the back of the sermon notes to go deeper. There is one after worship (in room off fellowship hall).

**CHURCH ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT** We are looking for just the right person to work in the office and further our ministry. Job description: [www.encounterERC.com/job-search](http://www.encounterERC.com/job-search)