



This morning's clip was from **The Chosen**. Three seasons are available online on multiple streaming platforms and free at [www.angel.com/watch](http://www.angel.com/watch)

**CCMS The Anchor Food Pantry** 90 N. Main Street, Castleton, NY 12033  
**518-732-4120** Director – Paula Sancomb

Mon. 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm Tue. & Thu. 9:00 am – 1:30 pm  
 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. 10:00 am – 12:30 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:

Stevelina H. Wurster	May 22, 1981	Donald Platzer	May 22, 1971
Joseph O. Mayo, Jr.	May 22, 1992	Lewis M. Selkirk	May 23, 1907
Eleanor Bortle Phibbs	May 23, 1942	Trancy Giegengack	May 23, 1961
Catherine L. Drost	May 23, 1970	Mrs. William J. Masten	May 25, 1927
Grace Dickenson	May 25, 1996	Shirley Crandall	May 25, 2015
Evert Bolt	May 26, 1907		

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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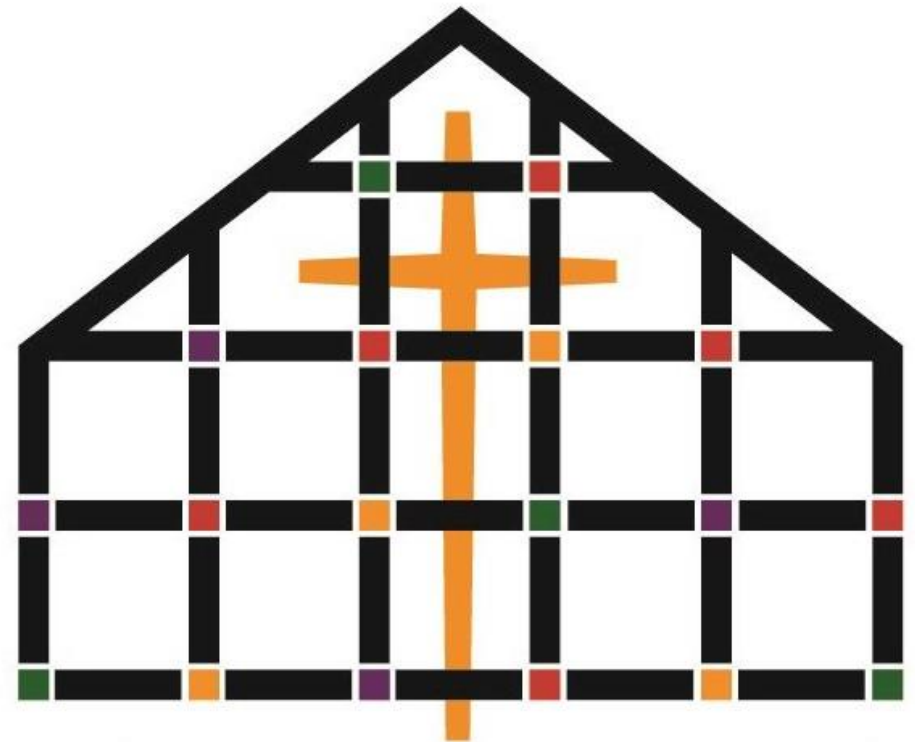
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**WORSHIP GOD ENGAGE PEOPLE FOLLOW JESUS**

**EMMANUEL  
 REFORMED  
 CHURCH**

# WORSHIP THE LORD!

MAY 21, 2023

## Welcome

*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name*

*Chain Breaker  
Break Every Chain*

## Confession & Assurance

*Jesus Messiah*

## Kids' Time

## Scripture

John 4:1-42

## Message

Breaking Barriers  
Pastor Dirk Gieser

## Engagement Opportunities

### Prayers of the People

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

*Living Hope*

## 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)

Today's flowers are in memory of  
Gini Grogan

## 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.

## NEXT WEEK

### Today

Mission Meeting 11:30

### Wednesday

Music Rehearsal 6pm

### Thursday

Bible Study 10am

### Saturday

Gieser Campfire 7pm

**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.

**GIESER CAMPFIRE** – 7pm Saturday, May 27 the Giesers invite you to come over to for a time of singing, prayer and fellowship around a campfire in their backyard (1500 S Schodack Rd.)

**MEMORIAL DAY FLOAT** – We are planning on having a float in the Castleton Parade on Monday, May 29. We will be building the Narnia themed float on Sunday afternoon, May 28. The parade starts 10am on Monday.

**PAVILION WORSHIP** – We will be moving our worship out to the Ministry Pavilion on June 11, and celebrating with a PICNIC after worship. Meat and drinks will be provided, please bring a side or dessert to share.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** – In June Mission Muffins will happen the first Sunday, and the last day of Sunday School classes will be June 25<sup>th</sup>. Kid's Connection will continue through the Summer.

**SUMMER VBS** – We are planning a week-long summer program for kids August 7-11. Interested in volunteering? Use the Engage Form

**MEMORIALS SERVICES** – A memorial service for Beverly Rogers who passed 3/15/23 will be held June 17, 2pm - reception following. A memorial for Beverly Relyea will be held here June 19, 11am.

**HIRING** – We have reworked the job description for support for the ministry of our church. A copy can be found as an insert, and is available online: [www.encounterERC.com/job-search](http://www.encounterERC.com/job-search)