

**Parish Announcements**  
**Sunday, November 4, 2018**

**Coffee Hour** – Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the 10:00 a.m. service. We'll gather on the lawn. Today's host is Susan Loan.

**Supply Organist** – Today we welcome Bob Phillips as our supply organist.

**Sunday Forum meets** in the parish hall at 9:00am.

**Today** – “God of Love? God of Violence? Looking at God in the Old Testament.”

Guest speaker Bill Vogel will lead a discussion on “Does the character of God in the Old Testament appear to differ from the character of God, as revealed through Jesus, fully God and fully human, in the New Testament? If “yes,” how do we reconcile this disparity? How do we see God as expressed in the O.T. through the lens of Christ? Bill is an ordained Elder in the Presbyterian Church U.S.A. and has been active in our Theology-on-Tap programs. Please give him a warm Emmanuel welcome.

**All Saints' Sunday:** We will remember our deceased loved ones today for All Saints' Sunday. Immediately after the 10:00 A.M. service, everyone is invited to the annual Flowering of the Graves and dedication of memorial bricks in the memorial garden. Refreshments will follow.

**Gift for Jerome** – We will be collecting a monetary purse for Jerome to celebrate his 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary at Emmanuel. If you would like to participate, please give your contribution to Lilly Weber by November 11<sup>th</sup>. Checks can be made out to Lilly Weber. Contributions will not be tax deductible.

**The next Contemplative Service** is November 18 at 5:30 P.M. This tranquil and sacred service of Holy Eucharist will offer quiet reflection by candlelight, and quiet piano music. Dinner will follow in the parish hall.

**UTO Sunday:** Emmanuel's next United Thank Offering (UTO) ingathering is Sunday, November 25<sup>th</sup>. UTO is a ministry of The Episcopal Church for the mission of the whole church. Through United Thank Offering, people nurture the habit of giving daily thanks to God. UTO envelopes are available on the table in the back of the church.

**Theology on Tap** - The next Theology on Tap will be held Wednesday, November 28 at 6:30 p.m. at Travinia Italian Kitchen & Wine Bar in Willow Lawn. Bring a friend and join us for Theology on Tap! Dinner is at 6:30 p.m. followed by discussion from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. We will then skip December and start again on Wednesday, January 16, 2019.

**The Emmanuel Book Group Bibliophiles (EBGB)** is reading Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger. The book will be discussed at the EBGB meeting on Thursday, Nov. 29 at 7:00pm. Please contact Betsy Edwards at bedwardstt @ gmail.com for more information and reading location.

**Stewardship update** – In week one of our EMC campaign, we received 27 pledges totaling \$100,112. Pledge cards can be found on the back table of the church.

## Intercessory Prayer List

Beth Bache	John Oehler
J.D., Katherine and Jim Catlin	Joy Powers
Ernest Castle	Helen Ryan
The Most Rev. Michael Curry	Bet Royster
Sue Davis	Mildred Satterwhite
Carla Davis	Virginia Thomas
Ilse Fuller	Jennie Ussery
Margaret Gasser	Carolyn
Cathy Geissler	Catherine
Art & Cora Lee Gregory	Chip
Blue Holm	Courtney
Helen Knox	Grace
Bryan Land	Holt
Christine Lawrence	Lewis & Kay
Annie & Bryan Lucas	Michael F.
Louise Noble	Ralph
Nancy Omohundro	The family of Abraham Jones
	Zachary

The Vestry, Staff & Leadership of Emmanuel Church. All those living in assisted living or nursing facilities. For all the children and teachers of the Precious Angels Child Development Center, Lakeside Elementary and Barack Obama Elementary School.

Serving in the military: George Thomas Gagnon serving in Savannah, Dennis Miller serving in the United States Marine Corps, and Elizabeth Nuckols serving in the United States Army.

*This list refreshed at the beginning of each month; please update the List at the back of the church.*