EMMANUEL (BAUST) UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Service of Word

October 27, 2024

10:00 a.m.

Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost Reformation Sunday

Speaker: Rev. Jeff Dull

L = Leader P = People

*For those who are able, please stand.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Liturgist

*Call to Worship

L: Praise the Lord in every time and place.

P: We will tell of God's goodness each day.

L: Boast only in the Lord.

P: We will praise God's wonderful deeds.

L: Spread the news of God's greatness.

P: We will give God glory everywhere we go. So let us worship God together here and now, now and always!

*Hymn I Know that My Redeemer Lives! (Vs. 1,3,5) Green No. 414

*Prayer for Our Humanity

L: Lord God, Loving God, we gather as Your servants, shaped by the faithfulness of those who went before us and taught us the name of Jesus. In Christ, You call us together to praise Your name and serve Your world in his name. With the kindness of Your Spirit, feed the roots of our faith, and renew our vision for the church in this generation. Fill us with courage and confidence to reach out to others with Your mercy and grace, for You are our God, ever faithful to Your people.

P: Lord of love and mercy, You are the source of every good and perfect gift, but we confess our gifts to You are less than perfect. We honour You when it fits into our schedules. We forget that Your love should set our priorities, and pursue our own desires. Forgive our wavering hearts and reawaken our commitment to You.

*Words of Assurance

Ligurgist

*Song of Praise

Make me a Servant

Green No. 576

Make me a servant, humble and meek, Lord let me lift up those who are weak;

and may the prayer of my heart always be; make me a servant,

make me a servant, make me a servant today.

Scripture

Jeremiah 31:7-9

Psalm 126

Hebrews 7:23-28 Liturgist

Sermon Hymn Amazing Grace!

Green No. 422

*Gospel

Mark 10:46-52

Rev. Jeff Dull

Sermon

What Do You Want of Me

Rev. Jeff Dull

*Affirmation of Faith

P: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again; He ascended into heaven, He is seated at the right hand of the Father, and He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Rev. Jeff Dull

Our Lord's Prayer (using debts)

Offertory

***Doxology** Doxology (with A-men)

Red No. 356

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

L: Please join me in the prayer of dedication.

P: Good and gracious God, we bring our offering in gratitude for all that makes our lives good, even in uncertain times. Bless these gifts with Your Spirit and use them through the ministry and mission of our Church to touch lives in need of Your goodness, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Reception of New Members

Sentences – Consistory President

Questions of the Candidates - Rev. Dull

*Affirmation of Faith

L: Let us unite with the church in all times and places in confession of our faith in the triune God. Do you believe in God?

P: I believe in God.

L: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

P: I believe in Jesus Christ.

L: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

P: I believe in the Holy Spirit.

Address - Rev. Dull

L: By your baptism,...

Candidates: I promise with the help of God.

Welcome and Reception

L: Let us the members of Emmanuel (Baust) UCC express our welcome and affirm our mutual ministry in Christ.

P: We welcome you with joy in the common life of this church.

We promise you our friendship and prayers, as we share the hopes and labors of the church of Jesus Christ. By the power of the Holy Spirit may we continue to grow together in God's knowledge and love and be witnesses of our risen Savior.

Greeting of Christian Love

L: Go in the peace of Christ.

P: Thanks be to God

*Closing Hymn Oh, How I Love Jesus Green No. 109

*Benediction Rev. Jeff Dull

Postlude

Week of October 27, 2024

"Whoever you are and wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!"

We extend a warm welcome to each one in worship, whether a member, friend or guest with us today. If you are not currently on our church mailing list to receive the church newsletter and would like to be included, please let us know. Our church website is: ebucc.com. If you use email and would like to receive updated prayer concerns, Church information and announcements please send an email to: office@ebucc.com noting that we may include you in our electronic mailings which include our church newsletter.

EBUCC Offerings: Baust members, friends, and visitors may put regular offerings and special donations in the offering plates placed just inside the front and rear entrances to the sanctuary. During the offertory, these plates will be brought to the altar by our ushers.

Help Needed! Are you able to volunteer to be part of the audio-visual "Zoom" transmitting of our worship services? We're down to just three rotating volunteers now, and the burden would be more manageable if we had a few more folks in the rotation. The commitment would be for running the transmission and recording set-up in the Good Shepherd Room for about fifteen

minutes before our worship services, monitoring the transmission during worship and closing it down when the service concludes. Our current "Techs, " Beth Raver, Ben Brandenburg and Kent Kallay, would train and help new volunteers. And we would all be grateful for your willingness to help. Please let Kent, Beth or Ben know if you'd consider joining the crew!

Baust needs YOU! 'Want to serve on Consistory? Your Baust Church Family needs to elect four new Consistory members at our Annual Congregational Meeting which will be held after worship on Sunday, December 8, 2024. We will elect two new Elders and two new Deacons, both for two year terms, January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2026. Please let any current Consistory member know if you'd like to consider serving.

<u>Altar Flowers:</u> Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Deni Krug and Family in loving memory of Ralph and Delores Krug.

Prayer List: Please take a moment to review the prayer lists for our members and friends in the bulletin. If there are names to be added or taken off, please contact the church office or Jane Rodkey.

New Members: Today we welcome new members to Emmanuel (Baust) United Church of Christ. Joining our church family are Donald "Don" L. Brown and Rebecca "Becky" King. A reception in their honor will be in the Good Shepherd Room immediately following our worship service today.

Choir Rehearsal: Choir will rehearse each Sunday in the sanctuary immediately following church. Also, the choir will warm up each Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. in the choir room.

Bible Study: Bible Studies will be on Thursday evenings at 6:00 in the parsonage. We will be continuing the study based on Rev. Herb Ruby's book, *Memorizing Scripture, Why Bother?* The tentative schedule for October & November is as follows in Part Two: Faith beginning on page 61: October 31: C,D,E,F; November 7: G,H,I,J; November 14: K,L,M,N; November 21: O,P,Q,R. All ages and all levels of understanding are welcome. Contact Betty Stonesifer if there are questions.

<u>Carroll Food Sunday:</u> Baust Church has been asked to donate canned fruit for the months November and December. Donations can be brought to the Good Shepherd Room or the porch in the parsonage. Donations can also be brought

to Trinity Lutheran on Tuesday or Thursday mornings or left in the cabinet under the portico throughout the week.

Consistory Meeting: Consistory will meet on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. in the parsonage.

Field of Flags: The Cemetery Board is again sponsoring the "Field of Flags" in front of the Church. The cost of placing a flag is \$5 each. A bulletin insert listing all names will be published and sent via email. Please send/give your names to Dotty Smith (bearsdad2014@gmail.com) or Bob Miller (whsowlalum64@yahoo.com). Please notate branch of service and whether it is in Honor or in Memory of the individual. All names must be received by Nov. 5. Checks should be made out to "Emmanuel Baust Cemetery Corp." Mail checks to Dotty Smith 1433 Trevanion Rd., Taneytown, MD. 21787.

Newsletter Articles: Newsletter Articles for December 2024 are due to Jane Rodkev November 17th.

Baust Literary Group (October): Next meeting is Tuesday, October 29, at 6 pm. "West with Giraffes," by Lynda Rutledge is a novel that combines adventure, history, and coming-of-age themes. The story is inspired by real events that took place in 1938, when two giraffes were transported from Kenya to the San Diego Zoo after surviving a hurricane and crossing the Atlantic. The book follows the giraffes and their journey across the country in a makeshift wooden crate on the back of a truck, driven by a young Dust Bowl rowdy named Woodrow.

Neighbors in Need (NIN) is the UCC's annual offering to support ministries of justice and compassion throughout the United States, including the Council for American Indians Ministries (CAIM), justice and advocacy efforts, and direct service projects funded by the UCC's Justice and Witness Ministries. Emmanuel Baust UCC will be promoting and collecting monetary gifts through the month of October. This year's NIN theme is "Mental Health Justice for All: Mental Health is

a Universal Human Right", highlights our God-given right to mental health. You may use the yellow envelopes at both entrances to place your contribution.

First Sunday of the Month Luncheon:

Date: November 3, 2024

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Place: Mike and Jane Rodkey's House

Address: 3828 Kump Station Road, Taneytown, MD 21787

Luncheon will be a two-part activity. First Part will be meeting at Mike & Jane Rodkey around 11:30. Mike has collected a variety of Baust Church and Rodkey Family memorabilia that he has preserved and on display. Second part will be

lunch at Trattoria in Littlestown, PA at 12:30.

Website: trattoriaonline.com

Phone: 717-359-5534

Address: 220 East King Street, Littlestown, PA

RSVP by: Saturday, November 2, to Kathy Cromwell at 443-331-3160 (H) or 410-

456-7672 (C) or KathleenCromwell@comcast.net

November 3rd Speaker: Rev. Jerry Fuss

November 3rd Scriptures: Ruth 1:1-18 and

Psalm: 146 Mark 12:28-34

November 3rd Liturgist: Kathy Cromwell

PRAYERS AND CONCERNS

Church Members

Nancy Edwards
Duane Rodkey
Linda Goodwin
Linda Dennis
Eddie Dutterer
Betty Gross
Gloria Oxley
Skeeter Dull
Brent Grove
Calvin Bloom
Bob Miller

Dan & Betty Heltibridle Bick and Lois Bickerton

Ron and Jan Corbin Joe Engle

Bob Harrison

Friends

Carol Stonesifer Eric Helm Steve Stambaugh Mimi DeLore

Libby Fuss Chic and Sandy Warehime

Allen Robertson Janie Dell Lainey Hood Nancy Saari **Bobby Yingling** Tom Henning Joann Stull Carole Hill

Rudy Feuesschute

IN GOD'S SERVICE

Rev. Jeff Dull Speaker: Secretary: Jane Rodkey

Secretary's email: office@ebucc.com Accompanist: Jen Sullivan Brown **Consistory President:** George Hardinger Sandy Stonesifer Liturgist:

Beef Chili (Ground beef, kidney beans, seasoning) - 1 quart container

Description: Fresh hot and homemade served in 1 quart container

SOUP

icken Corn Noodle Soup (Chicken, corn, noodles, carrots in a chicken broth) - 1 quart containe

\$8.00

Thank You!!

lam & Cheese - fresh ham with American Cheese on potato roll orn Bread (side order of fresh baked corn bread oast Beef & Cheese - fresh roast beef with Swiss Cheese on potato roll hicken Salad - Baust Church fresh homemade chicken salad on potato roll am & Bean Soup (chunks of ham, beans, seasoning) - 1 quart contained
ADD ON: Description: Cold Deli Sandwich (Homemade) SANDWICH Total

Emmanuel Baust United Church of Christ Soup and Sandwich Sale

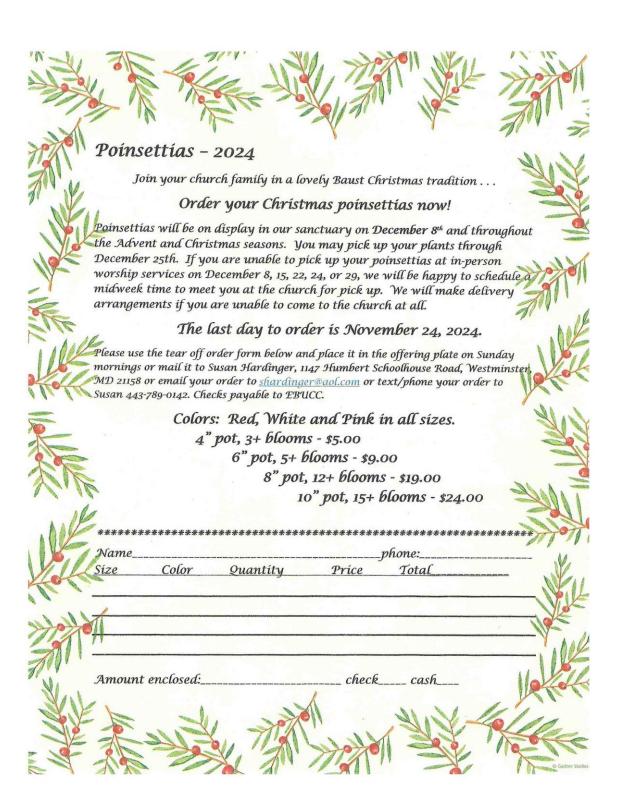
Pick up Date Saturday, November 2, 2024 12:00 - 3:00 *Pre-Order Only *by October 27, 2024

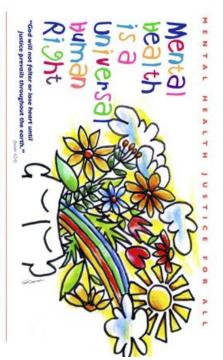
All soup will be served hot in 1 quart containers

All sandwiches will be served cold.



will enter the Parish Hall at the lower door to pick up their orders. Check in at the y amount due. Order will then be packaged and available to carry-out.





A World with Mental Health Justice for all is God's Dream for Us

his year's Neighbors in Need theme "Mental Health Justice for All:

Mental Health is a Universal Human Right" highlights our Godgiven right to mental health.

Everyone is created in God's image, and everybody should receive quality mental health care.

In 2015, the General Synod of the United Church of Christ passed a resolution to become WISE (Welcoming, Inclusive, Supportive, and Engaged) for mental health.

A just world for all is a world where the human rights and well-being of people with mental health challenges are respected, no matter who you are or where you are in life's mental health journey.

We believe we all have a God-given right to the following to support menta health:

- The right to be protected from known harms to mental health; a universal right which applies to the entire population, but especially the vulnerable including children and oppressed peoples.
- The right to access quality and affordable care when a person is experiencing mental health challenges.
- The right to freedom and dignity, including the right of choice for mental healtl care.

Visit www.mhn-ucc.org to learn more about these mental health principles

The 2024 Neighbors in Need theme

"Mental Health Justice for All: Mental Health is a Universal Human Right"

provides us with an opportunity to re-kindle our efforts to build a more justice world for all, dismantling the shame and stigma of mental health challenges.

We invite you to be part of God's work of mental health justice, join the WISE movement for mental health in your congregation, and support the Neighbors in Need offering.



October 10th is World Mental Health Day.

For more information visit:

https://wmhdofficial.com/

In a Just World, Mental Health is a Universal Human Right!
Please join us in supporting the

2024 Neighbors in Need Special Mission Offering.



Two-thirds of your donations to NIN support advocacy, programming, and grants. One-third of your generous gifts directly support CAIM.





