

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14, 2018

ANNOUNCEMENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

This Week at EFCMM
January 15-20, 2018

We welcome you to our services at EFCMM! Our guests are invited to complete the *Guest Reply* section of this worship folder and drop it off at our Welcome Center after the service. We have a small gift for you!

- **Childcare:** Sunday School – Mari Vesey and Julie Nordman; Worship – Rosemary Castle, Stacy Love, and Ellen Hodson. Kingdom Kids – Kelly Stranberg, Beth Berry, Abigail Wehler, and Ann Hendrickson. *Children's activity packets are available in the foyer to use during the service.*

Welcome and Announcements

“Build Your Kingdom Here”
“O Church, Arise”
“Be Thou My Vision” – # 562

Prayer

Offering
“Receive the Glory”
“Your Great Name”

Sermon: “Who Will Go?”
Isaiah 6:1-8
Page 571 in pew Bible

“Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated” – # 597

Worship Team: Logan Murphy, Mary Hilty, Deb Forman,
Melissa Clark, Cindy Belleque, and Julie Nordman

Today at EFCMM

- **Church Plant Pastor Candidate:** Our Church Plant Search Committee is pleased to present Aron Utecht as a candidate for the position of pastor for our new Sterling church plant. Today we welcome Aron, Jenn, and their children Abby, Ellie, and Ben, to our services. Pastor Aron will be preaching during the morning worship service.
- **Youth Group** will *NOT* meet tonight because of the winter retreat.

This Week at EFCMM

- **Senior Pastor's Schedule:** Pastor Bruce will be at a pastors' conference January 15 through January 17, so he will not be in the office on those days.
- **Loaves & Fish Food Pantry:** Volunteers are needed to restock shelves at our local food pantry this Friday, January 19, at 10:30 a.m.

Next Sunday, January 21, at EFCMM

- **Quarterly Congregational Meeting and Voting** on whether or not to extend a call to Aron Utecht to be the pastor for our Sterling Church Plant. This will take place during the Sunday School hour. All adult classes will meet in the Fellowship Hall.
- **Installation Service:** Our worship service will include special guests, prayers, and a message to recognize Logan Murphy as our new associate pastor. At noon, we will host a catered meal at Barnacopia. ***Today is the last day to RSVP at the Welcome Center***, if you plan to attend. Please bring a dessert or snack, and beverage to share. Coffee and water will be provided. You may also wish to bring board games to enjoy during this time of fellowship.
- **Childcare:** Sunday School – Mari Vesey and Joan Cave; Worship – Melissa Clark, Grace Sherburne, and Catherine Bloemker. Kingdom Kids – Alayna Meyer, Melissa Clark, Ginny Steingraber, and Quin Kaufman.

Looking Ahead

- **Sanctity of Life Sunday** is January 21. As a fundraiser to help Hope Life Center, there will be baby bottles in the Welcome Center to pick up and fill with your loose change (or bills). Bring them back to the church on February 25, 2018.
- **Small Groups** will resume Sunday, January 28 and Wednesday, January 31.
- **Missions Trip:** January 27–February 3, 2018 to Corpus Christi, Texas.

Inclement Weather Closings

If it would be necessary to cancel services for hazardous winter weather conditions, notices of cancellation will be posted on our EFCMM Facebook page and our EFCMM website. Please check one of these places for closures. For a Sunday morning closure, these will be posted after 7:00 a.m.

Please tear off this section to keep as a reference for planning and for praying.

Tuesday

9:30 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Circle

Wednesday

6:00 a.m. Dixon Men's Prayer
6:00 p.m. Puppet Team

Thursday

1:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Council of Elders

Friday

10:30 a.m. Food Pantry Volunteers

Saturday

7:00 a.m. Men's Group

Thank You!

We have been overwhelmed by the love and care we have seen from the body of Christ. Thank you to all who helped us move, provided a meal, storage space for our belongings, and a place to stay until we are able to move into our home. Also, thank you to all who have shown us so much kindness and hospitality before and during our move. Thank you, too, for your prayers and support. All were greatly appreciated. We look forward to seeing how God will use us in the days ahead.

– Logan & Michelle Murphy