

Lutheran Churches in Washington County, Texas

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Immanuel, Wiedeville

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Eben-Ezer, Berlin

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Worship Calendar

IMMANUEL

Bible Study – each Sunday morning at 9:30 am **Sunday School** – each Sunday morning at 9:30 am **Worship Service** – each Sunday morning at 10:30 am **Bible Study** – 2^{nd} Tuesday of each month at 2:30 pm

EBEN-EZER

Worship Service – each Sunday morning at 8:30 am **Sunday School** – each Sunday morning at 9:30 am

PASTORAL CARE

If you are in need of Pastoral Care, please contact Church Office (979) 836-6706.



Eben-Ezer, Berlin

FUNDRAISER

The drive-thru fundraiser will be on April 9th from 4:30-6:00 at Jackson Street Park Kitchen. Meal catered by Sandtown Catering – BBQ pork steak, red potatoes, green beans. Tickets are \$15 each.

If you would like to purchase tickets, please contact the church office at 979-836-6706 or a council member.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need 10 – 12 volunteers to help with the <u>fundraiser</u>. For more information, please contact Michael Brister at 979-551-0171.

WORKDAY

A workday is scheduled for April 20th beginning at 8:00 am.

Please volunteer to help - together we can achieve more. We hope you will join us to help spruce up our church home.

MEMBERSHIP RECORDS UPDATE

Updating the Membership Records is important to help us have an accurate picture of who is actively involved in the life of the church. If you received a letter from Eben-Ezer, please complete the response form and return to the church. Thank You.

Eben-Ezer Lutheran Church Of Berlin

"OLDEST LUTHERAN CHURCH IN WASHINGTON COUNTY" A CONGREGATION OF THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA



SUNDAY SCHOOL GOD'S SUPER STARS

Sundays at 9:30 am

We would love to see all the children in Sunday School!

Join us for a lesson and craft, fellowship with other children, and learning about God's love for each one of us.

Please contact Matthew Danesi if you would like to help with teaching a class.

SOCIAL OUTREACH

Bread Partners of Washington County Donate food items to help Bread Partners feed the hungry. Place donations in the basket in the Narthex

THRIVENT MEMBERS

THANK YOU to our members and friends who designated Eben-Ezer to receive their gift of Thrivent Choice Dollars. Your generosity is appreciated.



CARDS & CARE PACKAGES FOR RESIDENTS OF NURSING AND RETIREMENT FACILITIES

Share a little joy with members of our congregation who are residents of nursing and retirement facilities. Let them know they are not alone. They are in our prayers and loved by our community. If anyone else needs to be added to this list, please let us know. Address cards and packages to them personally at the care facility.

- Bernice Hanath
- Sheila Bradshaw
- Maxwell Weidner

Oakland Manor Nursing, 1400 N Main St, Giddings TX 78942 c/o Pauline Bradshaw, 6251 HWY 36 N, Brenham TX 77833 Kruse Village, 1700 E Sone St, Brenham TX 77833

March 2024 Church Council Meeting Highlights

February Treasurer's Report:		New Business:
GEN: \$16,759.27	BLDG: \$11,409.48	1. Roster Update – received some responses.
PARSONAGE: \$16,975.32	YOUTH: \$3,359.15	2. Easter Breakfast - H-E-B will give a discount to help
SS: \$1,153.08	CONF: \$933.45	with the purchase of food items.
CUNA: \$7,379.86		3. Altar Paraments - Getting information and prices.
CEMETERY MAINT: \$4,204.6	7	4. Work Day, April 20 th , 8:00 am. Need volunteers.
CEMETERY INVEST: \$26,572.	87	5. Discussed rent & utilities for the rent house.
SCHUERER INVEST: \$55,042.	15	
SCHUERER CD: \$47,985.00		Old Business:
PARSONAGE CD: \$20,000.00		1. Fundraiser – ticket sales are going well.

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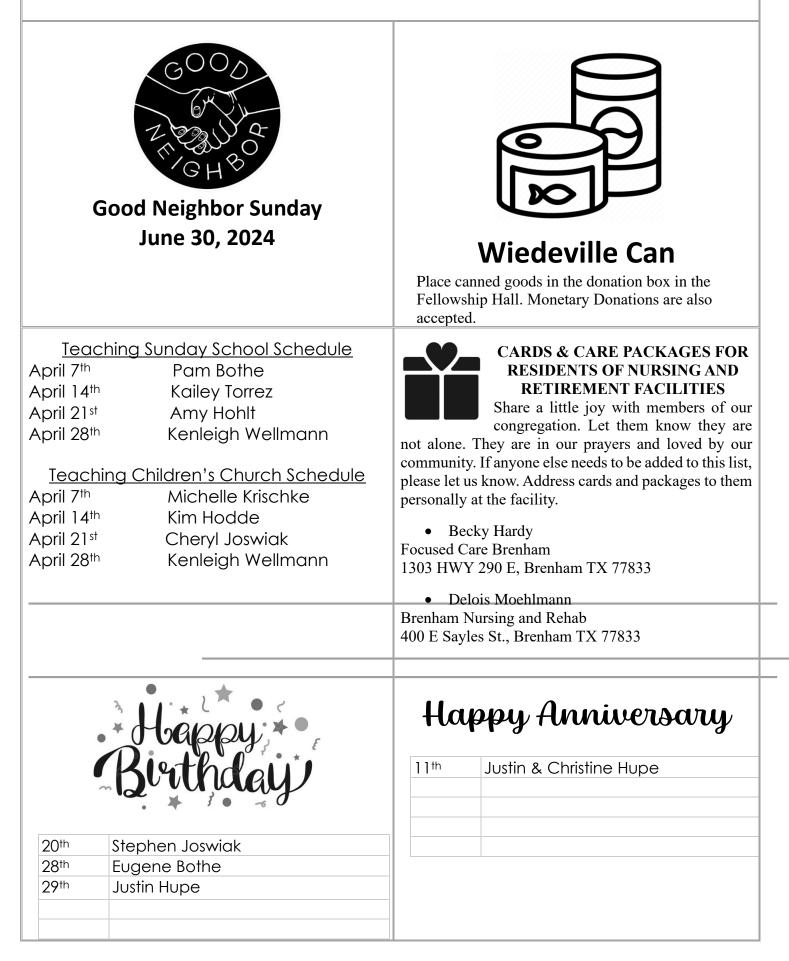
10 th	Jennifer Schwartz	
12 th	Memphis Gappa	
12 th	Korbin Scott	
17 th	Kenny Farmer	
17 th	Payton Farmer	
17 th	Gary Koerth	
18 th	Autumn Green	
20 th	Pauline Bradshaw	
20 th	Tim Hohlt	
23 rd	Hadley Hegefeld	
24 th	Brielynn Eldridge	
24 th	Emma Neutzler	
25 th	Mitchell Danesi	
26 th	Jack Shell	

Happy Anniversary

9 th	Steve & Olivia Borgstedte	19 Years
16 th	Michael & Carolyn Brister	8 Years
16 th	Jared & Ashley Campbell	13 Years
25 th	Bruce & Joyce Hohlt	37 years

Immanuel Lutheran Church of Wiedeville

A CONGREGATION OF THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA



Worship Leaders

Eben-Ezer, Berlin

	April 7	April 14	April 21	April 28
	Easter 2	Easter 3	Easter 4	Easter 5
		Communion		Communion
	8:30 am	8:30 am	8:30 am	8:30 am
Ushers	Debbie Knipstein	Michael Brister	Bruce Hohlt	Lisa Grebe
	Janice Steinfeld	Bryan Ruemke	Clarence Steinfeld	Ella Rau
Lector	Shannon Meyer	Sara Gresham	Mary Sklar	Lisa Grebe
Organist	Connie Warmke	Cindy Reimer	Connie Warmke	Connie Warmke
Communion Ware		Doris Eckert Wanda Farrack		Jessica Flores Patricia Schwartz
Acolyte		Lena Ruemke		Maddie Borgstedte
Council Person	Debbie Knipstein	Scott Gresham	Dot Borchgardt	Matthew Danesi
Offering Counters	Debbie Knipstein	Scott Gresham	Dot Borchgardt	Matthew Danesi
	Michael Brister	Carolyn Brister	Olivia Borgstedte	Cookie Loesch
Altar Flowers	Meyer Family	Michael & Carolyn Brister	Leroy Baron	Matthew Danesi

Care of Robes: April & May – Olivia Borgstedte

	Immanuel, Wiedeville			
	April 7 Easter 2	April 14 Easter 3	April 21 Easter 4	April 28 Easter 5
		Communion		Communion
Ushers	Jon Hodde	Jon Hodde	Ronnie Bothe	Ronnie Bothe
	Kim Hodde	Kim Hodde	Pam Bothe	Pam Bothe
Lector	Rodney Maurer	Cheryl Joswiak	Barbara Kohring	Jerri Maurer
Acolyte	Jhett Burleson	Payson Gurka	Blakely Kalkhake	Garrett Hupe
Altar Flowers	Wade & Tara Wellmann	Roxanne Thiel	Cheryl Joswiak	Alan & Pauline Oden

Remember in Prayer

Immanuel, Wiedeville

Members in Nursing Homes, Homebound or Recovering:

Gene Bothe Alan Dreyer Shirley Dreyer

Gary Haevischer

Becky Hardy

Scott Hodde

Alfred Kalbow

Josh Gurka

Stephen Maurer **Deloris** Meyer Delois Moehlmann Jones Moehlmann Bill Vesper Edna Weiss Diana Wellmann

In Our Extended Family:

Edna Roehling
Gladys Roehmer
Collin Smith
Rhonda Wehmeyer
Marvin Wellman
John Lange

For First Responders and Military Personnel:

Colton Buro Nathan Guerrera Zada Davis **Brock Blanton** Destiny Eickenhorst Tyler Eickenhorst Cole McCullough

Justin Hawkins Lindsey Theile

In Remembrance

We send our prayers, condolences, and love to the Family & Friends of Dan Borchgardt. Funeral services for Dan were held on March 19th at Eben-Ezer. His many survivors include loving wife Dot, their children Doyle (Sara) and De (Michael) & grandchildren Blaine and Suzanna. Dan was a faithful member of Eben-Ezer; he will be missed.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Matthew 5:4

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Members in Nursing Homes, Homebound, **Recovering:**

Herman Ahrens	Dottie Herrmann
Sheila Bradshaw	Valeria Oevermann
Curtis Dittert	Jeanette Preuss
Albert Green	Gladys Schwartz
Clifton Green	Judy Smith
Marta Green	Randy Smith
Luke Grimm	Cathie Steinfeld
Troy Grimm	Ida Mae Weidner
Bernice Hanath	Maxwell Weidner

In Our Extended Family:

Ann Booth Anna Breddin Tim Culliver Misty Lynn Daniel **Robin Davidson** Pastor Bill Derrick Yvette Dorian Carol Fenton Sue Frewin Eugene Goerlitz Josh Guelker Josh Gurka Jason Hensen Carmen Hohlt Thomas Kelling Lynnlee Kocurek John Lange Lonnie Lueck Ronnie Luhn Cindy Lyles

Chris Marek Lana Meier Grant Milton Shirley Mormar Arlin Naegeli Dennis Neumann Betty Nunes Eric Ortiz Jerry Parker Ashlyn Hohlt Sanford Kimberley Hohlt Sanford Weegie Scheel Colin Smith Ray Stokley Lincoln Tiemann Verlin Warmke Kathy Weiss Mary Winkelmann Lori Wrobliski

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April 2024

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NON-COUNCIL POSITION

Financial Secretary

SPECIAL COMMITTEE Congregational Life

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

Ann Franke, Memorial Chairperson Dot Borchgardt, WELCA Chairperson

Michael Brister Scott Gresham Carolyn Brister Dot Borchgardt Matthew Danesi Charles Franke Olivia Borgstedte Debbie Knipstein

Cookie Loesch

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CHURCH COUNCIL

President Secretary Treasurer Financial Secretary Member-At-Large Member-At-Large Kim Hodde Jerri Maurer Cheryl Joswiak Michelle Krischke Wade Wellman Jon Hodde Tanya Hupe