

EMMANUEL God is with us

MAY 07, 2023

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS SCHEDULE Weekday Mass

<u>Monday - Thursday:</u> 7:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m.

<u>Friday:</u> 7:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 6:00 p. m.

Weekend Mass Saturday: 8:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m. (Vigil Mass) 5:30 p.m. (Vigil Mass)

<u>Sunday:</u> 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. (Children's Mass) 10:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 6:00 p. m

Confession Saturday: 9:00 a.m. Or by appointment



5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you?" - Jn 14:2

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Office Hours

Mon.-Fri. 8:00am-4:00pm | Sat. - Sun. Closed

WELCOME TO EMMANUEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OUR MISSION

Emmanuel Catholic Church which means, God is with us, is a faithful community of believers dedicated to proclaiming the gospel of Jesus Christ as taught by the Roman Catholic Church through word, sacrament, and service. As a parish family of God, we live by faith, truth, and love as we value the sanctity of life in all its stages and make the Holy Eucharist the center of our lives. Through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the consultation with our parish ministries, we desire to be witnesses of God's presence as we share our gifts of time, talent, and treasure with God's Family.

BISHOP OF PALM BEACH

Most Reverend Gerald M. Barbarito

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Rev. Fr. Theodore Ihedoro

Rev. Fr. Joseph Papes

Rev. Fr. Timothy Canaan Weekday/Weekend Associate

Rev. Fr. David Carr

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PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Bella Simbajon & Filipino Community
Altar & Clergy Vestments

Linda Coz, Ree Joy Baldonado, Clanaven Baldonado & Men's Choir

Maryann DiBiase, Carol Chapman, Nancy McDonald, & Imelda Kirk

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561-293-9761

Ladies Guild President Carol Chapman

Music

Altar Flowers

Knights of Columbus Grand Knight Luke VanHove

OUR EVENTS

EMMANUEL CATHOLIC CHURCH 03

PARISH SCHEDULE

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every first Friday from 9:00am - 5:55pm Followed by the 6:00pm Mass Morning Adoration 6:30am - 7:30am (Monday - Friday)

TAIZÉ PRAYER

Every Friday at 6:30pm—7:30pm (after 6:00pm Mass) except for First Fridays.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Every Thursday after the 8:30am mass or call the parish office

BAPTISMS

Sundays at 1:00pm. Schedule one month in Advance. Contact Parish Office.

WEDDINGS

Contact Deacon Tony at least 6 months in advance

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

5:00pm Vigil Mass 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00pm

GIFT SHOP

Monday & Wednesday 8am-1:30pm **Tuesday Closed** Thursday & Friday 8am-1pm **Saturday Closed** First Sunday of the Month 10:30AM- 1:00PM Second Sunday of the Month- **Temporarily Closed** Third & Fourth Sundays of the Month 10am- 1:30pm

NOTE: Gift shop will be closed when the parish office is closed

ROSARY GROUP Monday—Friday after the 7:30am Daily Mass

RECONCILIATION Saturday after the 8:30am Mass

PARISH EVENTS

8 Monday

6:30am 1:00pm

9 Tuesday

6:30am

10:00am

Adoration Monday at the Movies

Adoration Faith Sharing

10 Wednesday

6:30am 4:00pm

6:30am

9:00am

3:00pm

11 Thursday

Adoration Soul Core

Adoration Anointing of the Sick (in Church) Holy Hour for Priests, Religious, Missionaries, &Vocations

12 Friday 6:30am 6:30pm

13 Saturday 9:00am

Adoration

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Confession



MAY 7, 2023

ACTS 6:1-7 | PS 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 | 1 PT 2:4-9 | JN 14:1-12

'Good luck', is something we hear people say all the time. When your child goes to take a test or your friend is applying to a new job we often wish them good luck. We do this almost without thinking. Like so many other things that we do in our lives it is a social norm that we rarely take the time to reflect upon.

When you begin to think about it though, what are we actually saying? Do we really believe in something called luck? Most of us probably don't believe that luck is a real thing that randomly finds people and assigns them either good or bad luck. If we don't believe in luck though, what do we believe in?

Many people say that the world is random and chaotic. Others say that science will be able to give us all the answers. When we amass the right amount of factual knowledge about the universe they say we will be able to accurately predict based upon our understanding of the physical laws of nature. Some believe in fate. That no matter what, certain things are bound to happen. While others believe in karma. That you reap what you sow. Many of these things have some partial truths to them which is why they can be so attractive. None of them as a real thing though.

As Christians we believe in something which is real. We believe in the providence of a loving God. A God who desires our good, our flourishing and our wholeness. The providence of God is not some force which God uses to direct and guide us in our lives though. It is not a spiritual force separate from God. The providence of God is his very presence within us and in the world. This is why St. Paul is able to say that "all things work together for the good of those who love Him". The reason that Paul can say this is because he knows and experiences that Jesus Christ is alive and breathing inside of him. He is one with Christ and so are all of us who are baptized in Christ Jesus. This is why no matter what happened in Paul's life, and there were a lot of bad things in his life such as stonings, imprisonment, shipwrecks and eventually execution, that Paul could say "all things work for the good of those who love Him". So what do we believe? Do we believe in luck, chaos or karma or do we believe in a loving God whose presence is never failing? In the midst of trials and tribulations Christ calls us to remember that he is with us. It is with this assurance that we can then say for ourselves, "all things work for the good of those who love Him".



<u>7 SUNDAY</u>

EMMANUEL CATHOLIC CHURCH 05

- 7:30am |Jeff Hocking by A.M, & |Joseph (Pino) Sole by Anne Curatolo
- 9:00am *Knights of Columbus by Blessed Mother Council 1333A, & †Diane Long by Paula Clarke
- 10:30am Parishioners & Benefactors
- 12:00pm *Staff and Residents at Symphony by Elizabeth and Dorothy, & †Maria Esperanza Bianchini by Cannon Family
- 6:00pm †Victor Lemanski by Hontoria Family, & †Raul Jimenez by Guardado Family

8 MONDAY

- 7:30am †Jerome Chinh by Le Family, & †Catalina and Donato Genelza by Imelda and Mike Kirk
- 8:30am |Gary Leslie by Corey Hall, & †Andrew Manuele by Wife

<u>9 TUESDAY</u>

- 7:30am *Alexandra Conde-Green by Self, & *Dalonges Family by Kirstin Brooks
- 8:30am †James Boyle by Daughter, & †Irene Vaughan by Eddie McDonnell

10 WEDNESDAY

- 7:30am |Ramon Ignacio Palmero by Son, & †Francisca Charlton by Martina DeBoise
- 8:30am †Steven Umpierre by Merida and Carl Umpierre, & †Steven Christopher Umpierre by Aunts Yvonne and Arlene

<u>11 THURSDAY</u>

- 7:30am *Perry Rice by German and Carol Sandoval, & *Maranatha by Kristin Brooks
- 8:30am †Leo William Brennan by Children, & †Patricia Ann Gillan by Eddie McDonnell

12 FRIDAY

- **7:30am** *Perry Rice by Rice-Motta Family, & †Frances Biola by Angela and Mark
- 8:30am †Phyllis Rivieccio by Daughter
- **6:00pm** Intentions Of The Presiding Priest

13 SATURDAY

- **8:30am** †Anthony and Andrew Manuele by Mom, & †Ramon Ignacio Palmero by Son
- 4:00am Book of the Dead
- **5:30pm** †Martha Bartone by Diana Tello, & †Estella and Angel Cruz by Guardado Family

<u>14 SUNDAY</u>

- **7:30am** †Agnes Grasser by Ellen De Maio, & †Felicita and Maximo Sanchez by Estebania Brea
- 9:00am MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
- **10:30am** Parishioners & Benefactors
- **12:00pm** †Rose Buerkert by Carol ,& †Angelina Pacienza and Josephine Wilkens by Christine and John
- 6:00pm †Brian Cavanagh by Mother and Brother, & †Yolonda Rizzo and Frances Mauro by Michele and Peter Mauro

UNSCHEDULED MASS INTENTIONS

†Esperanza Greene †James Strano **†**Kobe Bryant **†**Kobe Bryant Hereso-Tardugno Family Price-Castillo Family **†**Charles Rimicci †Niael *Lorraine Wheller †Michael Fanelli †Michael Fanelli

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FLOWERS & LIGHTS FOR THE ALTAR

ALTAR FLOWERS

For †James Boyle by Daughter

VIGIL LIGHTS

For *Allen and Estelle Hamlin by ----

SHRINE FLOWERS

For †James Boyle by Daughter

CLERGY SCHEDULE

8 Monday

7:30am 8:30am Fr. Zamora Fr. Canaan

13 Saturday Fr. Leone

9 Tuesday

Fr. Theo 7:30am Fr. Carr 8:30am

10 Wednesday

7:30am Fr. Theo 8:30am Fr. Carr

11 Thursday

7:30am	Fr. Zamora
8:30am	Fr. Canaan

12 Friday

7:30am	Fr. Theo
8:30am	Fr. Canaan
6:00pm	Fr. Zamora

8:30am 4:00pm

Fr. Carr Fr. Carr 5:30pm

14 Sunday

7:30am Fr. Theo 9:00am Fr. Theo Fr. Canaan 10:30am 12:00pm Fr. Canaan 6:00pm Fr. Zamora

PRAYER LIST

Ralph Velleca Marie Carfaro Giai Grosheim **Robert Wieder** Anna Vitale Steve Schneider Marie Rapisardi Nancy Rossi Smith **Brian Howland** Courtney, Brittany, & Marie Mark Valentino Jo-Ann Alsgaard Nicholas Cerino Lillian Fenton Kim Durmer Eugenio Santaella Hermione DeCruz T.J Genzale Michael Manuele Sister Frances Vass OSC Kim Swass **Evangeline Ezeilo** Mark Sinobio **Carver Family**

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION

April 30, 2023

Offertory Collection:	\$10,664.00
Second Collection:	\$2,756.00
Online:	\$554.70
Children's Mass:	\$372.00

Total:

\$13,792.00

DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL - 2023



Goal: \$173,000 Amount Made: \$116,001.99 Remaining: \$56,998.01



PRAYER BEFORE COMMUNION

O Lord, I believe and profess that you are truly Christ, Son of the living God, who came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the first. Accept me this day as a partaker of your mystical supper O Son of God. May the partaking of your holy mysteries, O Lord, be not for

judgement or condemnation, but for the healing of body and soul. I also believe and profess that this, which I am about to receive, is truly your most precious Body & Blood, which, I pray, make me worthy to receive for the remission of all my sins and life everlasting. Amen.

LADIES GUILD THANKS YOU!

EMMANUEL LADIES GUILD expresses our deepest THANK YOU to all who participated in the recent baby shower for BirthLine/Lifeline.

Every gift is a sign of our love and commitment to these precious children and their families.

Many Blessings to each of you!





MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday, May 14th is Mother's day. Please join us in our Novena of Masses for our mothers living and deceased. Mother's day Novena Envelopes are located next to the doors in the church and please return them before or on Mother's day. We start the novena of masses that day at 9:00am. A special blessing and beautiful roses will be distributed for our mothers after all the masses.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Lord Jesus, as You once called the first disciples to make them fishers of men, let your sweet invitation continue to resound: Come follow Me! Give young men and women the grace of responding quickly to your voice. Support our bishops, priests and consecrated people in their apostolic labor. Grant perseverance to our seminarians and to all those who are carrying out the ideal of a life totally consecrated to your service. Awaken in our community a missionary eagerness. Lord, send your workers to your harvest and do not allow humanity to be lost for the lack of pastors, missionaries and people dedicated to the cause of the Gospel. Mary, Mother of the Church, the model of every vocation, help us to say "yes" to the Lord who calls us to cooperate in the divine plan of salvation. Amen.

PARISH CALENDAR

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MAY 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	01 6:30am - Adoration 1:00pm- Monday at the Movies	02 6:30am - Adoration 10:00am- Faith Sharing 7:00pm- Ladies Guild Meeting	03 6:30am - Adoration 9:00am- Feed the Poor Ministry 4:00pm- SoulCore	04 6:30am - Adoration 9:00am- Anointing of the Sick 3:00pm- Holy Hour for Vocations/Mission	05 6:30am- Adoration 9:00am - 5:50pm First Friday Adoration	06 10:00am- First Communion
07 9:00am- Knights of Columbus Mass 2:00pm- Diocese Marian Fest	08 6:30am - Adoration 1:00pm- Monday at the Movies	09 6:30am - Adoration 10:00am- Faith Sharing 7:00pm- Knights of Columbus Officers Meeting	10 6:30am - Adoration 10:30am - Ladies Guild Installation of New Officers Mass & Lunch 4:00pm- SoulCore	11 6:30am - Adoration 9:00am- Anointing of the Sick 3:00pm- Holy Hour for Vocations/Mission	12 6:30am- Adoration 6:30pm- Taizé	13
14 9:00am- Ladies Guild Mass	15 6:30am - Adoration 1:00pm- Monday at the Movies	16 6:30am - Adoration 10:00am- Faith Sharing 7:00pm- Knights of Columbus Officers Meeting	17 6:30am - Adoration 9:00am- Feed the Poor Ministry 4:00pm- SoulCore	18 6:30am - Adoration 9:00am- Anointing of the Sick 3:00pm- Holy Hour for Vocations/Mission	19 6:30am- Adoration 6:30pm- Taizé 6:30pm- Knight at the races	20
21	22 6:30am - Adoration 1:00pm- Monday at the Movies	23 6:30am - Adoration 10:00am- Faith Sharing 7:00pm- KoC Gen. Meeting	24 6:30am- Adoration 12:00pm- Ladies Guild directors meeting 4:00pm- SoulCore	25 6:30am - Adoration 9:00am- Anointing of the Sick 3:00pm- Holy Hour for Vocations/Mission	26 6:30am- Adoration 6:30pm- Taizé	27
28	29 6:30am - Adoration 1:00pm- Monday at the Movie	30 6:30am- Adoration 10:00am- Faith Sharing	31 6:30am- Adoration 9:00am- Feed the Poor Ministry 4:00pm- SoulCore			

The Voyage of Life- Pledge for Art !

The Voyage of Life is a series of four paintings created by the American artist Thomas Cole in 1840 and reproduced with minor alterations in 1842, representing an allegory of the four stages of human life. The paintings, *Childhood, Youth, Manhood*, and *Old Age*, depict a voyager who travels in a boat on a river through the mid-19th-century American wilderness. In each painting the voyager rides the boat on the River of Life accompanied by a guardian angel. The landscape, each reflecting one of the four seasons of the year, plays a major role in conveying the story. With each installment the boat's direction of travel is reversed from the previous picture. In childhood, the infant glides from a dark cave into a rich, green landscape. As a youth, the boy takes control of the boat and aims for a shining castle in the sky. In manhood, the adult relies on prayer and religious faith to sustain him through rough waters and a threatening landscape. Finally, the man becomes old and the angel guides him to heaven across the waters of eternity.





Childhood

Youth



Manhood

Old Age

1. Childhood - \$1,000.00 Gift /Leaf on Tree

In the first painting, *Childhood*, all the important story elements of the series are introduced: the voyager, the angel, the river, and the expressive landscape. An infant is safely ensconced in a boat guided by an angel. The landscape is lush; everything is calm and basking in warm sunshine, reflecting the innocence and joy of childhood. The boat glides out of a dark, craggy cave which Cole himself described as "emblematic of our earthly origin, and the mysterious Past." The river is smooth and narrow, symbolizing the sheltered experience of childhood. The figurehead on the prow holds an hourglass representing time.



In the first version of this work, Cole shows less landscape on the right side and thus does not include the river winding to the horizon. The perspective is also different: in the original, the boat is in the foreground, while in the second, Cole moves the boat deeper in the picture and portrays more of the river in the foreground.

2. Youth \$1,000.00 Gift /Leaf on Tree

The second painting, *Youth*, shows the same lush, green landscape, but here the view widens as does the voyager's life experience. Now the youth has firm hold of the <u>tiller</u> as the angel watches and waves from the shore, allowing him to take control. The subject's youthful enthusiasm and energy is evident in his forward-thrusting pose and billowing clothes. In the distance, an ethereal citadel towers in the sky, a shimmering white beacon that represents the dreams and ambitions of humanity. To the youth, the tranquil river appears to lead directly to the shimmering beacon, but at the far right of the painting one can just glimpse the river as



it changes to become rough and difficult with the danger of rocks. Cole comments on the landscape and the youth's ambitions: "The scenery of the picture-its clear stream, its lofty trees, its towering mountains, its unbounded distance, and transparent atmosphere-figure forth the romantic beauty of youthful imaginings, when the mind elevates the mean and common into the magnificent, before experience teaches what is thia

3. Manhood \$1,000.00 Gift /Leaf on Tree

Third in the series, *Manhood*, shows a now grown figure in the vessel, amid the tribulations of adult life. Storm clouds ominously darken the sky, wind whips at the man's clothing and rain falls in the background as the boat approaches a treacherous part of the river which has become rocky and rapid, running through a treacherous gorge marked by a gnarled, leafless tree. Gentler country lies at the bottom of the defile and the distant sky line lightens in that direction hinting of the hope of better times ahead. Among the dangers the man has not lost his faith: he has let go of his boat's tiller (which may have broken) and is part kneeling, gazing upward with hands clasped together. The



vessel's figurehead now holds the hourglass while far above, behind and unseen by the voyager, his guardian angel continues to watch over from the Heavens, shining brightly through a break in the clouds. Cole writes:

Trouble is characteristic of the period of Manhood. In Childhood there is no cankering care; in Youth no despairing thought. It is only when experience has taught us the realities of the world, that we lift from our eyes the golden veil of early life; that we feel deep and abiding sorrow; and in the picture, the gloomy, eclipse-like tone, the conflicting elements, the trees riven by tempest, are the allegory; and the Ocean, dimly seen, figures the end of life, to which the voyager is now approaching. The demon forms are Suicide, Intemperance, and Murder, which are the temptations that beset men in their

direst trouble. The upward and imploring look of the voyager, shows his dependence on a Superior Power, and *that* faith saves him from the destruction that seems inevitable.¹⁰⁰

4. Old Age \$1,000.00 Gift /Leaf on Tree



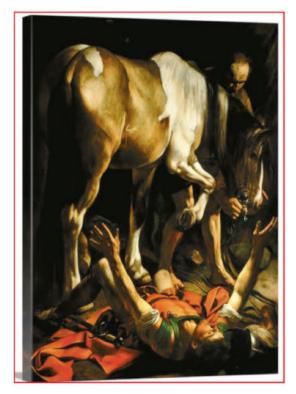
The final painting, Old Age, is an image of death. The man has grown old; he has survived the trials of life. The waters have calmed, the river flows into the waters of eternity. The figurehead and hourglass are missing from the battered boat; the withered old voyager has reached the end of earthly time. In the distance, an angel descends from heaven, while the guardian angel hovers close, gesturing toward the other. The man is once again joyous with the knowledge that Faith has sustained him through this perilous life to the promise of Heaven. The landscape is practically gone, just a few rough rocks represent the edge of the earthly world, and dark water stretches onward. Cole describes the scene:

"The chains of corporeal existence are falling away; and already the mind has glimpses of Immortal Life."

The Calling of St. Matthew by Caravaggio \$2,000.00 Gift /Leaf on Tree



The Conversion of St. Paul, 1601



\$2,000.00 Gift /Leaf on Tree

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STORY OF SAINT DAMIEN DE VEUSTER OF MOLOKA'I

FEAST DAY: MAY 10TH

When Joseph de Veuster was born in Tremelo, Belgium, in 1840, few people in Europe had any firsthand knowledge of leprosy, Hansen's disease. By the time he died at the age of 49, people all over the world knew about this disease because of him. They knew that human compassion could soften the ravages of this disease.

Forced to guit school at age 13 to work on the family farm, Joseph entered the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary six years later, taking the name of a fourth-century physician and martyr. When his brother Pamphile, a priest in the same congregation, fell ill and was unable to go to the Hawaiian Islands as assigned, Damien quickly volunteered in his place. In May 1864, two months after arriving in his new mission, Damien was ordained a priest in Honolulu and assigned to the island of Hawaii. In 1873, he went to the Hawaiian government's leper colony on the island of Moloka'i, set up seven years earlier. Part of a team of four chaplains taking that assignment for three months each year, Damien soon volunteered to remain permanently, caring for the people's physical, medical, and spiritual needs. In time, he became their most effective advocate to obtain promised government support.

Soon the settlement had new houses and a new church, school and orphanage. Morale improved considerably. A few years later, he succeeded in getting the Franciscan Sisters of Syracuse, led by Mother Marianne Cope, to help staff this colony in Kalaupapa.

Damien contracted Hansen's disease and died of its complications. As requested, he was buried in Kalaupapa, but in 1936 the Belgian government succeeded in having his body moved to Belgium. Part of Damien's body was returned to his beloved Hawaiian brothers and sisters after his beatification in 1995.

When Hawaii became a state in 1959, it selected Damien as one of its two representatives in the Statuary Hall at the US Capitol. Damien was canonized by Pope Benedict XVI on October 11, 2009.

MAY 10 ST. DAMIEN DE VEUSTER



SUMMER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

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Sign up by April 23rd in order for your child to receive his/her free vbs camp T-Shirt! Please make sure to mark your child's size on the registration form! Volunteers welcome. Call the office for more details! So what are you waiting for fill out the application and let your child have an out of this world good time at Emmanuel VBS 2023!

Scan for registration form!





Come join the fun on Sunday mornings. Especially all 3rd-7th graders! Our registration for the 2023-2024 Religious Education school year is open! Please be sure to register your little ones as soon as you can! Especially if, your children need to receive their sacraments this year. Please be sure to submit their baptismal certificate to Jean.

if you have any questions please contact Jean Krokus at religiouseducation@emmanuelcatholic.church







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