



NEWSLETTER
The Third Sunday after Pentecost
June 26, 2022
Emmanuel Church
West Roxbury, MA, 2022

Fellow Parishioners,

Well, it has been an interesting week to say the least. This past Sat 6/18 Emmanuel served as host for a wedding that had over 100 guests in attendance. Thanks to Beth Gustin and Leslie Quinchia Thelen, all went pretty smoothly. The actual wedding took place about two hours after the planned time. The bridal gown train was set by both Beth and Leslie and when the I Do's were said there was a big cheer, and the guests began to depart for the Irish Social Club up the street for the after-wedding party. Clean up was quick and we were open the next day none worse for the wear.

As we go forward, we are planning how best to ensure that our guests visits go smoothly. So far, we have done very well. We have a smaller event on one of the Saturdays in August and a larger event planned for a youth art camp for the first 2 weeks in August as well. If you have any ideas or can think of a way you can help move things along smoothly, let me know!

We are also looking at a small makeover for the upstairs kitchen. We have planned on buying a new refrigerator, retro style, and will be parting ways with the dorm fridge on the counter. If anyone has a need for it now is the time to speak up.

Last week Andy served as Officiant for the Father's Day service. Like Mother's Day, it was a special day. Andy led with some memories of his father and a few others added their stories. There is something very special when we can pause a service to speak of those who were so important in shaping our lives. These are memorable moments as well and I hope we all have a chance to hold them near.

This Sunday 6/26, we celebrate Proper 8. Hope to see you.

Thank you.

Terri and Ken, Co-wardens



As the war continues, we pray for Ukraine and its people. Our prayers truly help, as they keep us mindful of God's love for us all and the miracles that occur even when all seems lost.

Please consider donating to one of the many organizations raising money for Ukraine. If you prefer to donate directly to an organization focused on helping children in Ukraine, there is Save the Children: https://support.savethechildren.org/site/Donation2?df_id=5746&mfc_pref=T&5746.donation=form1

Another worthy organization is World Central Kitchen a nonprofit founded by Chef José Andrés providing food onsite in Ukraine and to refugees coming into border countries. Learn more at: <https://wck.org/>

Слава Україні!

PRAYER LIST



Please keep in your prayers the following persons: Paul, Mary, Catherine, Michael, Parker, Sergio, Martha, Gail, Anne, Patricia, Barbara., Maureen, Edmond.

Please email us the names of those who need special prayers---info@emmanuelwr.org. Only first names will be used.
