

NEWSLETTER Trinity Sunday June 4, 2023 Emmanuel Church West Roxbury, MA 02132

Fellow Parishioners and Friends,

We hope you had a happy Memorial Day weekend and that everyone enjoyed the holiday and spend a moment of quiet time in appreciation of those who sacrificed their lives for our country.

It is with a big smile that I can say that in spite of the long weekend we had a sizeable number of people attend our Pentecost service. It was fun. It was particularly joyful to hear all the different languages spoken at the Lesson at once. In ancient times, in spite of the many tongues that were spoken, everyone was understood. Consider listening to all the languages Emmanuel offered this Pentecost: English, Korean, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian and Russian on our YouTube site. Thanks to all who spread the word.

This Sunday we celebrate Trinity Sunday, the first Sunday after Pentecost. Trinity Sunday examines the oneness of God in his three forms, Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. This festival is the only one that celebrates a doctrine/idea instead of a figure or event. The service is followed by the Blessing of the Sneakers for those running in the Corrib Road Race and the Parish Picnic. We welcome all to attend.

Make sure to check out our FB page for the latest updates and again, tune in to our YouTube page to view our May 28 Service of Pentecost and hear the sound of the those many tongues.

Thank you.

Terri and Ken, Co-wardens



Upcoming Event

Sunday, June 4 Trinity Sunday is also a Principal Feast in our calendar. This year Trinity also marks the end of our program year and the beginning of Summer! Join us for an All-Parish Picnic after the service. If you'd like to help out with planning this day, please be in touch! You can contact Fr. Jon at therev.jonteden@gmail.com or 617-798-0770.

WATCH EMMANUEL VIA YOUTUBE

Missed the in-person service? No problem. You can catch the service, usually posted by Monday evening, via our website, https://emmanuelwr.org/ or you can go directly to the Emmanuel YouTube site, https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCEQm5KH2wGB XbZ8h9jIdhA

PRAY FOR and SUPPORT UKRAINE



As the war continues into a second year, we prayer 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:

 $\underline{https://support.savethechildren.org/site/Donation2?df_id=5746\&mfc_pref=T\&5746.donation=fo_rm1}$

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!



We pray for those who are homebound or ill: Bud Cederholm, Paul, Mary, Catherine, Michael, Parker, Sergio, Martha, Gail, Anne H., Patricia, Anne J., Barbara, Maureen, Edmond, Rachael, Louise, Scott, Kathleen, Beth, Paul, and Christopher.

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