



NEWSLETTER
The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
October 8, 2023
Emmanuel Church
West Roxbury, MA 02132

Fellow Parishioners and Friends,

The coming of fall weather has had a wonderful relaxing effect. The excessive rain had a few of us very busy insuring that the dehumidifiers continued to run. As the sun returns, I hope you all will get to enjoy the coming beautiful dry fall days.

We've welcomed visitors to our area coming to enjoy the service. Check out our Facebook page to see one of our young visitors giving a lesson on Emmanuel's history!

Also, remember to mark your calendars for Sunday, October 15 for our annual Blessing of the Animals. This is a popular and fun event. Not only does Fr. Jon bless any real or stuffed animal he blesses any photos of our beloved pets who have passed away. The blessing takes place at 11:30 after the service. Should the weather not cooperate, we will take the blessing into the Parish Hall. As always, people are welcome to bring their pets and attend the service.

Thank you all and remember to visit, like, and share our Facebook page. We look forward to seeing everyone this Sunday, October 8, for our Holy Eucharist service at 10am.

Terri and Ken, Co-Wardens

WATCH EMMANUEL VIA YOUTUBE

Missed the in-person service? No problem. You can catch the service, usually posted by Tuesday evening via our website, <https://emmanuelwr.org/> or you can go directly to the Emmanuel YouTube site, https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCEQm5KH2wGB_XbZ8h9jIdhA (Morning Prayer Services are not videotaped nor posted.)

PRAY FOR and SUPPORT UKRAINE



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 and his miracles.

Please consider donating to one of these curated and trusted organizations raising money for Ukraine. <https://www.helpsaveukraine.org/> **СЛАВА УКРАЇНИ!**



We pray for those who are homebound or ill: For all those who have asked for our prayers, especially Alfred, Stanley, Peter, Felix, Mary, Catherine, Michael, Parker, Sergio, Martha, Anne, Patricia, Barbara, Maureen, Rachael, Louise, Scott, Kathleen, Paul, Eddy, Christopher, and Michael Curry.

We also pray for those who have died, especially Laura.

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