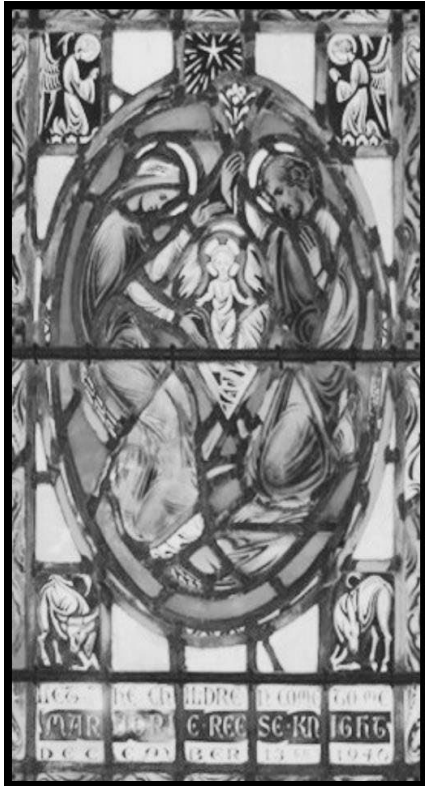




NEWSLETTER
The Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost
November 19, 2023
Emmanuel Church
West Roxbury, MA 02132

Fellow Parishioner's and Friends,

Please see all our upcoming events below. It promises to be a busy season so please mark your calendars:



ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS AT EMMANUEL

CONTEMPLATIVE ADVENT PRAYERS	TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 7:00 PM
ADVENT I	SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3, 10:00 AM
CONTEMPLATIVE ADVENT PRAYERS	TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 7:00 PM
ADVENT II	SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10, 10:00 AM
VISIT FROM SANTA WITH FURRY FRIENDS!	11:30 AM
CONTEMPLATIVE ADVENT PRAYERS	TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 7:00 PM
ADVENT III	SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17, 10:00 AM
CONTEMPLATIVE ADVENT PRAYERS	TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 7:00 PM
ADVENT IV	SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 10:00 AM
CHRISTMAS EVE HOLY EUCHARIST	SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24, 5:00 PM

In addition, a few other events activities are also going on:

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19 - STEWARDSHIP IN-GATHERING

We have officially kicked off our stewardship campaign! If you received Fr. Jon's stewardship letter, please remember to bring your pledge cards, and put them in the plate during the Offertory.



HELP US HELP OUR NEIGHBORS Campaign

We also continue to collect donations to Emmanuel Church for Rose's Bounty Food Pantry operating from the Stratford Street Church located just up the street on the same block as us. Our goal is to match a diocesan grant given to us for \$500. Any questions, please reach out to Gail Halpin-Evans (ghe9876@aol.com) if you have questions. Please make checks payable to Emmanuel Church with a memo that is intended as a Rose's Bounty contribution.

Thank you all in advance for your support.

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_XbZ8h9jldhA (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 УКРАЇНІ!**



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.