

NEWSLETTER

The First Sunday in Lent February 18, 2024 Emmanuel Church West Roxbury, MA 02132

Dear Fellow Parishioners and Friends of Emmanuel Parish,

Time is leaping along this year! Our fabulous Shrove Tuesday Feast was Tuesday, Feb 13. Ash Wednesday is Feb. 14 with our service at 7:00 pm. We hope you can or were able to attend. This is a wonderful evening service to help end a hectic day where we burn the ashes traditionally used for the service.

We encourage you to monitor either our Facebook page or Instagram where Fr. Jon will provide an update of the events going forward and post any changes or cancellations.

On Sunday we will resume our Holy Eucharist service and follow with a brief fellowship hour to be followed by our Adult Lenten Series. Last year's Lenten series was an incredible learning event so I encourage all to attend if time permits.

Have a wonderful week. We hope to see you at any or all of the events this week and at our weekly 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist service this Sunday February 18.

Thank you.

Ken and Cathy, Co-wardens

Watch Emmanuel via Facebook/YouTube

Can't make it to church? No problem. You can catch the live service or later on Facebook or YouTube. (Morning Prayer Services are not streamed live or videotaped.)

Pray for and Support Ukraine



The war continues and winter is upon us, prolonging the suffering of the Ukrainian people. We prayer 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. <u>https://www.helpsaveukraine.org/</u> CJIABA YKPAÏHI!

Pray also for peace in the Middle East



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, Michael Curry, Christina and Tony and his wife Manny and son, Alex.

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