

## ELM GROVE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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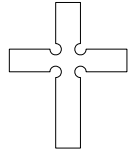
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### Opportunities for Worship and Service at Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church



S	8:00 a.m. Worship – C 10:00 a.m. Worship- C 7:30 p.m. AA Mtg-CLC	W	6:30 p.m. Call Committee Meeting -CLC 9:00 CHAPEL- Outdoor Field
M	5:30 Bd. of Finance-Rm. 228 6:00 Intrada Ringers – BR 6:30 Bd. of Trustees – Rm 234	Th	6:30 p.m. Service
		F	No School

When we give to God, we are the primary beneficiaries.

*"Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."* (Luke 6:38)

#### OFFICE HOURS

The offices are open Mondays-Fridays, 8-4.

**IN THE LORD'S HOUSE** 218 attended services last weekend. "Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!"

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED:** The Lord is looking for teachers and assistants to teach Sunday School to our little ones. We will work with flexible schedules. Call Linda Hoffmann 262-786-1203. The Master teacher gives us more blessings than anyone can count in teaching His word.

**LWML:** The morning group of LWML will meet on Wednesday, Sept 2, at 10:00 a.m. in the Faculty/Conference room (near the office). This room with its table arrangement will give us a better opportunity for social distancing. Please wear your masks. Our Bible study, "**Held by HIS Word in Uncertain Times,**" found on page 20-21 is a timely topic during this pandemic that has changed so many facets of our daily lives. We are reminded in Hebrews 13:8 that "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and tomorrow."

**LWML:** The evening group of LWML will meet on Monday, Sept 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the CLC to cut strips of plastic bags for the making of sleeping mats for the homeless.

**MEN'S STUDY AT REVERE'S:** On Thursday, Sept 10, at 7:00 the men of EGL are invited to gather at Revere's in Delafield for a theological presentation (45 minutes) and fellowship afterwards. Revere's is found at 505 Wells St, Delafield, WI 53018.

**EXERCISE FOR THE CHRISTIAN MIND:** Listen online at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org). This week's topics include The Word "Light" in the Bible, the Vocation of Singleness, Old Testament Judge Joshua, 6<sup>th</sup> Century Bishop of Rome Gregory the Great, and more. This is talk radio for "the thinking Christian."

**BOOK DISCUSSION:** The Sept 17 meeting of the Book Discussion Group will meet in the Bartelt Center in masks with social distancing at 9:30 a.m. Please read LINCOLN'S LAST TRIAL by Dan Abrams and David Fisher for the discussion. Bring your written fiction and nonfiction suggestions for future readings, spelled correctly with title, author, and your name. If you are not planning to come to the meeting, call 262-691-9642 or email [ttutt17@peoplepc.com](mailto:ttutt17@peoplepc.com) with your suggestions before the meeting.

**KEYS:** We are trying to gather keys for EGL from individuals that no longer need them. For the safety of our students, staff, and members, we respectfully ask that if you are not a teacher, member of staff or on a board or committee that you please return your key(s) to Amy Stroh in the Church office. Thank you!

**BINDER FOR PASTORAL CANDIDATES:** Please note that in the church office, as EGL members you have access to a binder containing all of the information on the nominated pastors that the call committee members have. This binder cannot be removed from the office and is only available during normal business hours, but you can request access to that binder to read up on the pastors.

**LIVE-STREAMING FUNDRAISER:** Please send in your donations with "Live Stream" noted in the memo line so that we can apply it to the correct fund. **\$21,893** has been raised so far, not counting EGL Foundation matching grant. Thanks be to God!

**GOLF OUTING, DINNER, & AUCTION:** There's still time to get the early bird pricing for our October 2 Golf Outing, Dinner, and Auction! For all you non-golfers, we have options for you to enjoy just the dinner and auction. All of our COVID adaptations are listed in the flyer by the church mailboxes. Contact Pam Ganswindt at [pganswindt@egl.org](mailto:pganswindt@egl.org) if you have any questions.

**FLU VACCINE CLINIC** is again being offered Oct 18 between services in the Fellowship Hall. This is the normal influenza vaccine and will not offer protection from COVID-19. However, it is still very important to vaccinate in order to stay as healthy as possible during the cold and flu season! Please let JoAnn Randall or Martha D'Agostino know if you will be there. You will need to wear a mask when entering the Fellowship Hall and social distance will be maintained. Let us know if you have any questions.

**SERVICES AVAILABLE on YOUTUBE:** Because of the efforts of many people, the Sunday services are available on YouTube on Sunday mornings starting at 8:00 a.m. The service folders for each service are available online at [www.egl.org](http://www.egl.org) in order for you to follow and participate in the service.

**CHURCH OFFERINGS:** With gratefulness we thank the members of EGL who have faithfully continued to get their offerings to church. If you are not able to attend services, your offerings, which are an act of worship, may be mailed in or made online through the link provided at the bottom of our Church and School webpage, [www.egl.org](http://www.egl.org).

**KFUO RADIO,** a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on KFUO.org via worship services, Bible and theology

studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at [kfuo.org](http://kfuo.org) and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: @KFUOradio on Facebook, Twitter, & Instagram.

**CRISIS HELP:** During this time of isolation, etc., please know that your church is here to help. If you have a need, please call the church office and we will see what we can do to help you.

**COVID-19 INFORMATION:** Since there are daily questions and updates on the COVID-19 situation, you can check these various websites:

- [www.coronavirus.gov](http://www.coronavirus.gov)
- [www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)
- [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19)
- [www.wisconsin.gov](http://www.wisconsin.gov)

Financial Update – August 23, 2020	
We thank and praise our Lord for His many blessings and pray for faithfulness from each steward of His gifts.	
Offerings received thru August 23	\$115,467
Offerings anticipated thru August 23	\$112,900
<b>PLEASE PRAY FOR</b> and remember these members of EGL who are confined to bed or to their homes. Addresses and telephone #'s are in the church directory.	
Carl Egloff	Muriel Ehlers
Dorothy Grams	Zack Horrell
<b>Remember those serving in the Armed Forces:</b>	
Rebecca (Burhop) Butler – Hawaii	
Jack Butler (Burhop son-in-law) – Hawaii	
Alex Ohde – USS Key West, Guam	
Joshua Tesch – Shaw Air Force Base	

**SERVICE SCHEDULE**

**Thursday, September 3, 2020 – 6:30 p.m. (Evening Prayer)**

**Sunday, September 6, 2020 – 8:00 a.m.-C & 10:00 a.m.-C (LSB DS4)**

*"The Christian's Relationship to the Government"* [Romans 13:1-10] – Pastor Skovgaard, Preacher