

Organist: Mrs. Janean Plocher
Worship leader: Pastor Ross Else

This Week at Emmaus

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	Family Bible Study	9:15 am
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	Board of Properties	6:30 pm
WEDNESDAY	Bible Class	6:30 pm
SATURDAY	Explorers Meeting	4:00 pm
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Announcements

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Church Cleaning Help Needed - If you are able to help in September or October, please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex. If you will be available in the future, please notify Fred Lingenfelder. The Cleaning Procedure has been revised so that cleaning can be done in 2 hours or less.

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Worship Attendance

Sunday, September 3rd - 127 (84 - 8:00 am, 43 - 10:30 am)

<u>Income from week ending September 3, 2017</u>	<u>Month Total</u>	<u>Monthly Budget</u>
First Fruits Offering	\$3888	\$19,440
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