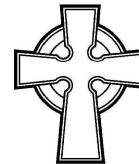


**Emmanuel
Episcopal Church
22nd Sunday after Pentecost**

November 9, 2025, 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Welcome to Emmanuel. We invite you to join us in worship. Music is a part of our 10:30 a.m. service.

Please maintain prayerful silence in the Nave to prepare for worship



Prelude "Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor/God Bless America" Irving Berlin

Opening Hymn 718 God of our fathers [National Hymn]

Liturgy of the Word

All standing, the Celebrant says

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom now and for ever. Amen.

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria *(The following is said at 8:00 am and sung at 10:30 am)*

S-278 (Mathias)

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.**

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

**Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;**

**you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.**

For you alone are the Holy One,

**you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,**

**with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

Collect of the Day

BCP 357

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Together, let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Reading *(seated)*

Haggai 1:15b-2:9

In the second year of King Darius, in the seventh month, on the twenty-first day of the month, the word of the Lord came by the prophet Haggai, saying: Speak now to Zerubbabel son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua son of Jehozadak, the high priest, and to the remnant of the people, and say, Who is left among you that saw this house in its former glory? How does it look to you now? Is it not in your sight as nothing? Yet now take courage, O Zerubbabel, says the Lord; take courage, O Joshua, son of Jehozadak, the high priest; take courage, all you people of the land, says the Lord; work, for I am with you, says the Lord of hosts, according to the promise that I made you when you came out of Egypt. My spirit abides among you; do not fear. For thus says the Lord of hosts: Once again, in a little while, I will shake the heavens and the earth and the sea and the dry land; and I will shake all the nations, so that the treasure of all nations shall come, and I will fill this house with splendor, says the Lord of hosts. The silver is mine, and the gold is mine, says the Lord of hosts. The latter splendor of this house shall be greater than the former, says the Lord of hosts; and in this place I will give prosperity, says the Lord of hosts.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

- 1 I will exalt you, O God my King, *
and bless your Name for ever and ever.
- 2 Every day will I bless you *
and praise your Name for ever and ever.
- 3 Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; *
there is no end to his greatness.
- 4 One generation shall praise your works to another *
and shall declare your power.
- 5 I will ponder the glorious splendor of your majesty *
and all your marvelous works.
- 18 The Lord is righteous in all his ways *
and loving in all his works.
- 19 The Lord is near to those who call upon him, *
to all who call upon him faithfully.
- 20 He fulfills the desire of those who fear him; *
he hears their cry and helps them.
- 21 The Lord preserves all those who love him, *
but he destroys all the wicked.
- 22 My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord; *
let all flesh bless his holy Name for ever and ever.

Second Reading (*seated*)

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here. Let no one deceive you in any way; for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction. He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God. Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth. For this purpose he called you through our proclamation of the good news, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Reader The word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn L-188

It is well with my Soul

Spafford/Bliss

Gospel (*stand as you are able*)

Luke 6:20-31

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to Jesus and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her."

Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Homily

Rev. Darlene A. Jackson

Nicene Creed *(Leader and People)*

BCP 358

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from
Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People - Form IV

BCP 388

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.
Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal
your glory in the world.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy;

Hear our prayer.

We pray for President Trump and Governor Youngkin. We pray for our service members at home and abroad. Guide the
people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the
common good.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy;

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others
and to your honor and glory.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy;

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he
loves us.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy;

Hear our prayer.

We pray for Vi, Carol Sue, Diane, Alexis, Tytiana, Andrea, Judy, Beth, Tal, Jackie, Edwin, Glenn, Nancy, Jazmin, Sally
Sue, Arline, Bonnie, and for others we name at this time *(pause for petitions from congregation)*
Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring
them the joy of your salvation.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy;

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy;

Hear our prayer.

Celebrant concludes with a prayer

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Leader and People

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Peace *(All stand.)*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Recognition of Veterans

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem (Chris Johnson & Charles Walker, Readers and Emmanuel Choir)

"America, the Beautiful"

Ward/Bates arr. Mark Hayes

The people stand and sing the Presentation Doxology as gifts of bread, wine, and money are presented at the altar: "Tell Out, My Soul, the Greatness of the Lord"

**Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
Unnumbered blessings, give my spirit voice;
tender to me the promise of his word;
in God my Saviour shall my heart rejoice.**

Dedication of Pledge Cards

Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A

The people stand.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

S-128 (Mathias)

Celebrant and People

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people kneel or stand.

The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or to lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine and, when he had given thanks, he gave it to them and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sin. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.



Christ has died. Christ is ri - sen. Christ will come a - gain.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen!**

The Celebrant then continues

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,

thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Priest and People then say

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The Celebrant says

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you do not wish to receive from the cup, it is acceptable to receive the bread only. Those who do not wish to receive Communion, are invited to come to the altar for a blessing. Please speak to the Rector if you would like to learn more about baptism.

Hymn 341 *For the bread which you have broken*

[Omni die]

Post-Communion Prayer

BCP 365

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 719 *O beautiful for spacious skies*

[Materna]

Dismissal

BCP 366

Deacon or LEM Alleluia, alleluia! Let us go forth in the Name of Christ

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

Postlude *"I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy" and "You're a Grand Old Flag"*

George M. Cohan

Emmanuel Episcopal Church Hampton, Virginia

November 9, 2025

Welcome to Emmanuel!

If this is your first visit to Emmanuel Episcopal Church, consider making this your spiritual home. Sunday services are found in the red Book of Common Prayer located in your pew or in the printed bulletin. Hymns are found in the blue Hymnal, the red & black Lift Every Voice and Sing hymnal (L), or the green Wonder, Love, & Praise hymnal (W).

If this is your first time visiting the Episcopal Church, simply relax and enjoy the service. Don't worry about doing things "right," for God has brought you here for a purpose and together, as the people of God, we can enjoy each other's company and the presence of God you bring into our midst.

All people are welcome to receive communion in the Episcopal Church and you can do so by coming to the center of the rail and holding your hands to receive the bread (Body of Christ). Afterwards to receive the wine (Blood of Christ), please move to either the right or the left side. The right side is where you can drink from the common cup and the left side is where you can dip the bread in the wine yourself (intinction). Communion in one-kind (bread) is a completely full & sufficient communion. If you would prefer to have the clergy and a chalice come to you, please notify an usher.

Filming during the service - Recognizing that not all are able to be present in the sanctuary, we broadcast the later service.

Cell Phones - Please remember to mute or turn off your phone before the service starts.

Safety Protocols at Emmanuel - Mask wearing is appropriate anytime but not required. In close quarters, like the Vestry room and library, it may make sense to consider wearing masks depending on the participants. Hand sanitizer is available. In the event of an emergency, please stay calm, stay seated, and listen for instructions.

The sanctuary flowers are given this week by the Chisman family to the glory of God and in loving memory of Jimmy Chisman.

The sanctuary candle is given this week by Charlene Tate Nichols to the glory of God and in honor of veterans.

Lay Eucharistic Ministers

8:00am R – Beth Pence; C – Barb Fisher, Margaret Seitz

10:30am R – Keith Harrington; C –Margaret Parker, Kim DeCoster

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Reminder - Emmanuel's sanctuary and chapel are open for prayer and reflection during office hours, Tuesday—Friday, 8:30a—3p.

Veterans Day - Today, we celebrate and honor our veterans at both services. We thank you for your service. Thank you to the Emmanuel Choir and Chris Johnson & Charles Walker for the musical tribute. You are invited to stand as your service song is played (Coast Guard, Space Force, Air Force, Navy, Marine, Army).

Fitness Class meets each *Thursday* in the parish hall at *11:30a*; only exceptions are Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Hampton Blitz – Mark the date, the next blitz is scheduled for *November 15* (rain date November 22). Our house is at 410-A Atlantic Ave, Hampton. We will be replacing front porch railings & fence pickets and leveling and seeding the

backyard. To register to help, please use this link

<https://habitatpgw.volunteerhub.com/vv2/event/9f22c044-f786-4c74-b24a-31adcd811963>

Touchstones Becoming Spiritually, Mentally and Emotionally Stronger - The next meeting for Touchstones will be on *November 19 at 2p* in the Vestry room. During our last meeting everyone was given a stone with instructions to decorate the stone to represent their individuality. If you would like to join us, please do. If you would like a stone, please let Deacon Darlene know. All are welcome to our meetings.

Bag Lunches – We will be making bag lunches on 4th Saturday this month because of the Hampton Blitz. Please meet on *Saturday, November 22 at 10a* in the parish hall to assist. Supplies needed are 10 loaves of bread, 50 bags of chips, 50 tangerines, 2 large jars of peanut butter. If you can help with any of these items please contact the parish office.

Prayer Retreat & Advent Wreath Making – *Saturday, November 22 from 10a to 1p*. Supplies for wreaths and lunch provided. Please sign up with the office by Friday, November 14.

Annual Community Thanksgiving Service is at Emmanuel on *Tuesday, November 25 at 6p*. Family & friends are welcome to the community service of thanksgiving as we host the other Hampton Episcopal congregations.

Night's Welcome Dinner & Breakfast – Due to scheduling issues, Emmanuel's only time to provide dinner and breakfast this season is December 1 & 2. We will serve dinner on Monday, December 1 as well as pack the next morning's bag breakfasts. If you can help with either, please sign up on the list in the office foyer.

Thanksgiving Food Baskets - Vestry also elected to gather items for Thanksgiving baskets, to be donated to "in need" children and their families at Jane Bryan Elementary School and parishioners. Non-perishable Thanksgiving items might include: *Canned green beans, canned corn, canned candied yams, canned potatoes, stuffing mix, instant potatoes, grapes, bags of marshmallows, canned pumpkin pie or dessert*. Additionally, gift cards for Walmart or Food Lion would be appreciated so that recipients can get turkey/ham or whatever. Thank you for your generosity.

Vestry Highlights – The October vestry meeting was held this past Wednesday (November 5). The following are highlights from that meeting:

- The entire Vestry was present for our October/November meeting on Wednesday night
- The Heating and Air Conditioning has been replaced in the Parish Hall
- The large screen and projector on a rolling cart have been ordered and paid for by funds from
- Music, Fundraisers, donations from parishioners
- Program updates were given by Rev Rhonda with a nod to the Thanksgiving service and upcoming Prayer Retreat with Advent Wreath-Making
- Program/Committee 2026 Budget Requests are due to our Finance Director by November 15.
- Budget for 2026 will be discussed at the Nov 18 Finance Committee meeting
- Thank you to all who are contributing to the Thanksgiving Baskets

In Need of Prayer — Bob, Cephise, Margaret, Carol, Lisa, Diane, Jackie, Beth, Teddie Jo, Deacon Earl, Claire, Doris, Ron, Arline, Clara, Tristan, Maria, Willie, Carol Sue, Boyd, Patti, Bonnie, Iva, Paul & Taffy, Sally Sue, Diane K, Aaron, Mary, Kathleen, Kai, Art, Don, Sandra, Tal, Gina, Sabrina, Angalee & David, Elaine, Joe, Jerry W., Velma, Karen T, Nancy K, Kim, Carole, EJ, Jerry, Nancy B, Mary, Elizabeth, John, Richard, Geoff, Helen, Virginia, William, Jan, Faye, Rebecca & Vincent, Mike, Betty, Tom & Sheila, Ramon, Barbara, Jim & Susie, Leigh, Bill, Carl, Pixie, Donnie, Bobby L., Dell, Peggy, Judy, Laura, Lee Ann, Brenda, Betty F., Tim & Debra, Donna, Lamar, Pam, Nancy W., Gale, Richard H., Diane W., Delores, Anne, Andrew, Bria, Xaria, John, Karla, Robin, Barbara & Harold, Edith, Shirley, Robert D., Michelle, Althea, Kay, Keith A., Parker, Danny & Debra, Kyle, Gary & Sheila, Gerard, Kora, Pat, Mel, Tage, Kent, Elizabeth, Maureen, Karen, Benjamin & Marie, Ryan, Abby, Preston, Marlow, Jimmy, Brian, Floyd, Kelly, Tina, Anthony, Evelyn, Declan, Shandra, Ross, Frankie, Lili, Robert M., Joshua, Braydon, Tim, Val, Glenn, Bo, Constance, Gary, Cathy S., Liz, Ellie & Clyde, Latta, Dominic, Dumans, Kathie, Georgia, Edwin, John L., Lester, Vicky, James, Jazmin, Steve, Patrick, Erick, Jordan, Samantha, Chantelle, Meyers, Jeff, James P., Alexis, Tytiana, Scott, Chris, Kenneth, Heather, KJ, Haleigh, Brianna, Sophia, Helen, Larry T, Vi

Stewardship Moment

"Tell out my soul" – As we bless our pledges this Sunday, thank you for continuing to support Emmanuel's important ministries, both in-reach and out-reach in our year round Stewardship activities.

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EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 9 - 8:00am & 10:30am: 9:00am & 11:30am: 9:15am: 12:00pm:	22 Pentecost Worship Emmanuel Café Adult Forum DOK at the Chesapeake
Monday, November 10—7:00pm:	AA & Al-Anon
Tuesday, November 11—11:00am: 1:00pm:	Prayer Shawl NBC
Wednesday, November 12—8:00am: 11:00am: 12:00pm: 5:00pm: 7:00pm:	Romeos WoW Healing Service Property Compline
Thursday, November 13 —11:30am: 5:30pm:	Fitness Choir
Friday, November 14 -	
Saturday, November 15 - 8:00am: 8:00am: 9:00am:	AA Hampton Blitz Altar Guild
Sunday, November 16 - 8:00am & 10:30am: 9:00am & 11:30am: 9:15am:	23 Pentecost Worship Emmanuel Café Adult Forum