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Emmanuel Faith Community Church Sunday, January 26, 2025

CHURCH LIFE | Announcements for January 26, 2025

Worship Night | Wednesday, February 5, 6:30pm, Worship Center Don't miss our next Worship Night where we'll join together as a church family to worship through music and offer up prayers for our nation and the world. Come early and enjoy dinner beforehand in the Café starting at 5pm. Cost is \$7 person; see the menu online at efcc.org/cafe.

Kids & Youth Winter Camps Information

FaithKids: March 28-30 | Junior High: Feb. 7-9 | High School: Feb. 21-23 Winter camp season is here! FaithKids will be going to Pine Valley March 28-30 for elementary camp (grades 3rd to 6th). And Junior High (February 7-9) and High School (February 22-23) will be going to Hume SoCal at Green Valley Lake again near Big Bear. For more information or to register a student for camp, visit efcc.org/events.

Men's Discipleship Breakfast | Saturday, February 8 8-10am, Family Center (Gym)

Guys, join us for fellowship and spiritual growth on Saturday, February 8. We'll enjoy breakfast and hear from former NFL players as we discuss "Becoming a Champion for Christ." The cost is \$10 per person or \$25 per family (for 3 or more). Sign up online at efcc.org/events.

Los Angeles Wildfires Relief Information: How Can You Help?

We're all heartbroken by the devastation caused by the fires in Los Angeles. EFCC has a strong relationship with Lake Avenue Church, a trusted local church in the middle of the fire-damaged neighborhoods of Altadena. They're leading both immediate relief and long-term recovery efforts and we're partnering with them. The biggest current need is funds to provide immediate services for people displaced by the fires. To help, please visit efcc.org/relief to give to our Relief Fund. Funds collected at this time will be passed on to relief and response efforts led by Lake Avenue Church.

Annual Donor Statements to Be Provided Soon

Contact: Lori Pierce, lap@efcc.org, (760) 781-2114

It's almost tax time again, and that means Emmanuel Faith will be providing giving statements in the next few weeks. We'll be emailing them through our Pushpay giving portal this year.

You can help us be good stewards by logging into your account on the app and making sure we have a good email address for you. Statements will be emailed in the next few weeks and also mailed to those for whom we have no email address. If you have questions, please contact Lori Pierce.

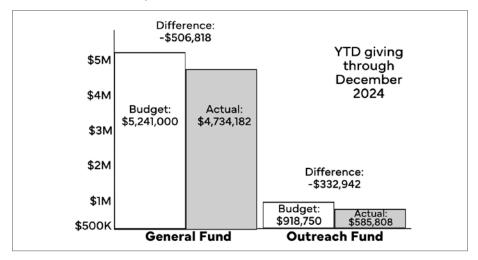
See more announcements, the Outreach update, sermon notes, and more on the following pages in this worship guide, or via our App, or visit www.efcc.org.

Announcements Continued ...

Emmanuel Faith Giving Update (for April to December 2024)

Our fiscal year ends on March 31, and we're prayerfully working to meet our ministry budget goals. These funds are vital to sustaining and growing ministries that impact our church family and the communities we serve. Would you prayerfully consider making a special gift?

Thank you for being a part of what God is doing through Emmanuel Faith. Together, we can finish this fiscal year strong and step confidently into the next season of ministry.



EFCC Care & Counseling Ministry | efcc.org/help

Support Groups & Other Classes

Have a Need? We're Here to Help!

Life can be hard at times, but you don't have to go through it alone. Whatever your need, the Emmanuel Faith Care & Counseling ministry is here to help, guide, encourage, and point you toward the love of Jesus. We'd love to come alongside you. We can help with counseling, mentoring, or spiritual direction. To take a next step, just scan the QR code, visit our webpage via the link above, or email to care@efcc.org or call (760) 781-2108.

Hope on the Hard Road Ministry | Date Night Event, Saturday, Feb. 15 Are you a married couple caring for a child with special needs? Join us for Date Night, provided by Hope on the Hard Road nonprofit, on Saturday, February 15, from 5-8pm, in the EFCC Chapel. Visit the link below to register for this event and respite with our partners Buddy Break and Family Strong, www.hopeonthehardroad.org



January 26, 2025 BETTER TOGETHER "Together on Mission"

Acts 2:1-21 Ryan Paulson, Lead Pastor

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The Jesus Mission is:	
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1. Every believer is	by the
2. Every believer is	to
How are you	and where are you

If you have questions you'd like Pastor Ryan to answer, please send them to questions@efcc.org. He and Pastor Josh Rose will answer them weekly on the Vitalogy Podcast. Other helpful links: efcc.org/sermons | efcc.org/devos

Additional sermon notes

Take Your Next Step!

Thank you for attending Emmanuel Faith today! If we can help you in any way, contact us at welcome@efcc.org. To connect more, or to go deeper here, see some ways to take a next step below ...

Need Prayer? | efcc.org/prayer

We'd love to pray for you! Visit our prayer form online, scan the QR code at right, or email prayer@efcc.org.



Give to EFCC | efcc.org/give

Your generosity changes lives! To give to EFCC, visit our Giving page, access our App, scan the QR code, or use an offering envelope at church.

Find a Group | efcc.org/groups

Learn about God's heart for you, build lasting relationships, and walk alongside others in every season of life. Scan the QR code or visit our groups page online.

Join a Team efcc.org/teams

Helping others through volunteering gives us a greater sense of meaning and brings great joy both to us and those we help. Join a team and come serve at EFCC.

NEW TO EFCC? Start Here!

We'd Love to Get to Know You! | efcc.org/connection

Take a moment to tell us more about yourself. Scan the QR code at right, or fill out a Connection Card in the chair back. You also can visit our Welcome area in the Worship Center lobby, or go online to visit our website at efcc.org/connect.



CHILDREN'S, YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMS

FaithKids | efcc.org/kids

Sundays | Children's Center

Infants to 6th Grade | 9 and 10:45am

Wednesdays | Children's Center

Kindergarten to 6th Grade | 6:30-8pm (September to May)

Junior High & High School

efcc.org/jh | efcc.org/hsm

Sundays | 10:45am | Youth Center

Wednesdays | 6:30-8pm (Sept. to May, and summer camps/events)

Young Adults | efcc.org/ya

Tuesdays (ages 18-25) | 7pm | Chapel

Week Night Small Groups | 7-9pm (off campus)

WEEKLY WORSHIP SERVICES

CLASSIC | Sundays, 9am, Worship Center

MODERN | Sundays, 9am, Chapel (video venue)

MODERN | Sundays, 10:45am, Worship Center, & 5pm, Chapel

EN ESPAÑOL | Sundays, 10:45am, Chapel



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(760) 781-2260 | preschool@efcc.org 639 E.17th Ave., Escondido, CA 92025 Monday-Friday, 7am-5pm (full & part day)



Saturday

February 1

8am

California Center for the Arts

Love Esco Day is rapidly approaching and is the start of a month full of opportunities to serve our city through projects, donations, and community connection. Let's love our city well and be a light for Jesus!

Visit the booths in the Courtyard to sign up to volunteer and for fun photo opps!







KICKOFF PROJECTS: 8AM AT CENTER FOR THE ARTS

- Be A Kickoff Party Volunteer
- Donate Blood With The SD Blood Bank
- Donate Men's Clothing To Ashley's Hope
- Donate Hygiene Kit items to Daydream (for Interfaith Community Services)
- Sign Posters For Escondido FD, Escondido PD
- Sign Cards for Teachers & Staff at local schools

PROJECTS STARTING AT 10:30AM

- Downtown Escondido Clean Up (340 N Escondido Blvd)
- Garden Grape Day Park (321 N Broadway)
- Escondido Creek Bike Trail Clean Up (501 North Rose Street)
- Dixon Lake Clean Up (1700 North La Honda Drive)
- Build Rock Springs Elementary Garden (1155 Deodar Rd)
- Build Escondido Community Child Development Center Garden (819 W 9th Ave)
- Help Clean Escondido Santa Fe Train Depot Exterior (321 N Broadway)
- Encourage Children At Play As One
 Sports Clinic (1868 E Valley Pkwy) starts at 1pm

40+ SERVICE PROJECTS AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT FEBRUARY-MARCH

Scan to register or visit <u>serve.loveesco.org</u>
For more info contact: info@loveesco.org



EFCC Family News Update

Sharing our family passings and prayer needs

January 26, 2025

Pray for Our Church Family

Home With the Lord

Upcoming Memorial Services & Homegoing Updates
No recent passings.



In the Hospital or Outpatient Care (at Present or Pending*) Bill Cornthwaite, Rose Staples, and Jack Wood.

Recovering at Home or in Extended Care

Phyllis Burdick, Rosemary Curry, Pat Colton, Suz McDowell, Lil Mohler, Murline Stephens, and Jack Wood.

In Hospice Care

Pam Munson, Jerold Schreiber, and Irene Ward.

Fighting Cancer (*denotes a child or youth)

Ginny Bowman, Ruby Chan*, Rob Davidson, Denise Dominguez, Bruce Gephart, Wally Goff, Terry Haynes, Madison Jones*, Will McLennan, Barbara Neely, Terry Ogden, Sylvia Rankin, Luanne Rishel, Debbie Roberts, Shirley Roireau, Virginia Sanderson, Connie Schacher, Ed Schacher, Richard Sloan, Jen Smith, Patrick Stoker, Pamela Thacker, Donna Vuckovich, Mike Walker, and Keith Zander.