

## EMMANUEL COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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### Community News

Sunday, August 31, 2025

#### NEXT WEEK: RALLY DAY

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Pastor Matt's worship series for September is **Social & Environmental Justice with Dr. Seuss**

and our Rally Day worship will be based around *The Lorax*. (Subsequent weeks include *The Sneetches*, *Horton Hears a Who*, and *The Butter Battle Book*.)

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- 4) Park at Aurora if you don't need to be close to the building. We'll have lunch on the east side of the parking lot.
- 5) Invite someone to come with you and enjoy the day!



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9/28 - 10/5 - 10/12 - 10/19.

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No book to purchase, no homework - just come and enjoy being in the company of others who care about God's creation.

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Each session is a stand-alone topic, so it's OK if you can only come once or twice.

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Sunday, August 31

8:30 AM Sanctuary Worship (S)

10:00 AM Celebration Hall Worship (CH)

Monday, September 1 (Office closed)

Happy Labor Day!

Tuesday, September 2

10:00 AM Staff Meeting (FH)

5:45 PM Children's Ministry (FH)

6:30 PM Missions (FH)

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6:00 PM Men's Choir (MR)

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7:00 PM Chancel Choir (MR)

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9:00 AM Worship (S, FH)

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