Emmanuel Prayer List - June

Christian Camps: Joy Bible Camp: Bancroft - Pleasant Bay Camp: Consecon Wesley Acres: Bloomfield Epic Day Camp (Art and Sports): Emmanuel

- Through these summer camps, many children and teens will learn about Jesus and come to know Him
- Counsellors will share the Gospel with the children
- All who go to the camps will be kept safe
- The staff & volunteers will serve with joy and show the campers the love of Jesus
- · Donations will be given so all kids who wish to go to a camp will be included

Study Continued

- People often don't think that they have enough Biblical knowledge to tell someone about Jesus and explain how to be at, "Peace with God." However, no one can argue against what God has done in your life. So take a few moments and right down your story. Here are two ways to do that:
- 1. Answer the question, "What does Jesus mean to me?"

Or... write down:
a. My life before I became a Christian

b. How I came to know Jesus

c. How my life has changed since becoming a Christian

Then pray and ask God to give you opportunity to tell someone your story.



Newcomers Lunch

f you are relatively new to Emmanuel and have never been to a Newcomers Lunch, then you are invited to join us for lunch on **Sunday June 11th in the library**, following the morning worship service.



A STUDY ON THE BEATITUDES

"Blessed are the peacemakesrs, for they will be called sons of God." Matthew 5:9

The Beatitudes

- 1. Blessed are the poor in Spirit
- 2. Blessed are those who mourn
- 3. Blessed are the meek
- 4. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness
- 5. Blessed are the merciful
- 6. Blessed are the pure in heart
- 7. Blessed are the peacemakers
- 8. Blessed are the persecuted

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BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS

If we want peace in our world we need peace in our _____

Peace isn't found in the absence of conflict, but in _____

PEACE WITH GOD

Where and when was peace with God lost?

However:

When Jesus came: (Luke 2:14)

Just before Jesus died: (Luke 19:42)

When Jesus comes back: (Isaiah 9:7)

Colossians 1:19-20 "...reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace ______, shed on the cross." To reconcile =

LEARN TO LIVE AT PEACE

At peace with _____

1 John 1:9; Philippians 3:13-14, 4:6-7

At peace in the midst of _____

John 14:27

At peace with _____

Romans 12:18

- Shalom =

- Proverbs 16:7
- Colossians 3:15

BRING A MESSAGE OF PEACE

James 3:18 Peacemakers who sow in peace reap a harvest of ______

We are called to bring a message of peace.

Isaiah 52:7 tells us that true peace comes when, "Your God _____"

- 1. Read Matthew 5:3-9. Define peace.
- 2. Why do people struggle to live at peace with one another?
- 3. Read Luke 2:14; Luke 19:42 and Isaiah 9:6-7a. What is the common denominator of these verses? In what way is Jesus the author of peace?
- 4. Read Colossians 1:19-20. What does the word 'reconcile' mean?

From these verses, how is this reconciliation brought about? Explain.

6. Read 1 John 1:9; Philippians 3:13-14, 4:6-7.Many people know that they have been forgiven, but continue to live with the remorse and regret of things in the past. What do these verses say about that?

How can we learn to live at peace with ourselves?

- 7. Read John 14:27, 16:33. Just before Jesus was crucified He told His disciples that He was going to be crucified. No doubt, they were troubled, and struggling with what He had told them. However, Jesus said, "do not let your heart be troubled". What was the basis for them not being troubled? How does this apply to us when we are facing difficult circumstances?
- 8. Read Romans 12:18. What does 'inasmuch as it depends upon you' mean?

Read Proverbs 16:7; Colossians 3:15 From these three verses, what is our responsibility with regards to living at peace with others, even people that we struggle to be at peace with?

9. Read Matthew 5:9; James 3:18 and Isaiah 52:7. What is a peacemaker?

Why will peacemakers be called "sons (children) of God?"