



May 14, 2021

Emmanuel United Church

Emmanuel Newsflash

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A Message From Rev. Roni

Friends,
I don't need a lot of words to express that we are living in trying times. Many of us aren't thriving during this lockdown. If we are doing okay, we are having to take steps to stay joyful and resilient and we are having to find creative ways to stay connected to those outside of our household. I have been blessed with a praying mother, her daily prayers sustain me, it is a great source of comfort knowing that we are being prayed for by name, by a person who loves us. Many of us intimately know how the prayers of our faith community have kept us buoyant during a difficult time.
In this week's Gospel reading we will discover that Jesus prays for us because he knows that we will experience trying times. He prays for our protection and that we may be one in purpose. He knows our vulnerabilities and seeks God's grace on our behalf. Now doesn't that give you comfort? Jesus, who is divinely present is praying for us.

Join us for our Online Service on Sunday May 16th. For subscribers the link is available from 6:00 am on Sunday morning. Readings for this week are: Psalm 1, Acts 1:15-17, 21-26; John 17:6-19.

Please note that the Annual Congregational Meeting is postponed due to the ongoing lockdown.

Please keep safe, well and cultivate joy. You are in my prayers. Let's keep each other in prayer. Our next zoom coffee hour will be on Sunday May 30th, 11:30-12:30 am, drop in for a while, you can join in when ever you can and leave at your convenience. It's meant to help us stay connected, we share life, no agendas, no business. It's just one way to stay healthy mentally and spiritually and see friends.

Blessings,
Rev. Roni

Readings for May 16,2021 are:

Psalm 1, Acts 1:15-17, 21-26
John 17:6-19.



Annual Congregational Meeting CANCELLED

The AGM scheduled for May 30, 2021 must be CANCELLED due to the lockdown extension.

A new date will be determined in the future.

Thank you, Bob Pronovost

Sunday Services are available online:

YouTube: Emmanuel United YouTube Channel. With a subscription to our YouTube channel you will receive notification of all upcoming videos and can view the services as early as 6:00 am.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/EUCNorthBay/>

Website: <http://www.emmanuelunitednorthbay.ca/onlineservices.html>

Twitter: https://twitter.com/emmanuel_united

**AVENUES FOR FINANCIALLY
SUPPORTING EMMANUEL'S
MINISTRY AND MISSION:**

***PAR**

(Pre-Authorized Remittance)

***ONLINE GIVING**

(CanadaHelps.org from our Website)

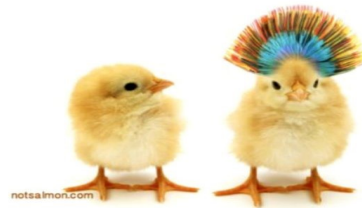
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LIFE IS SHORT.



**Stop worrying so much.
Have fun. Be grateful.
Be yourself. Don't allow
others to bring you down.
Life is a one time offer.
Live to your fullest.**

Karen Salmansohn

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- ◆ The Annual Report is posted on our website: www.emmanuelunitednorthbay.ca.



**Emmanuel Food Cupboard on list to receive
donations of toilet paper from the TP North Bay Campaign**

- The Outreach Mission and Service Committee of the Emmanuel United Church Food Cupboard is asking church members to donate to the TP North Bay Campaign that runs through the month of May.
- Donations can also be brought directly to our EUC Food Cupboard from 10-11am on Thursdays.
- Drop boxes have been placed at a number of locations throughout the city, including Metro, No Frills, Giant Tiger and Shopper's Drug Mart in Ferris.

Thank you.



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**Emmanuel United Church shall be a caring,
welcoming faith community, nurturing
spiritual life and sharing God's love and**

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