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Emanuel: God With Us ~

Loving Christ - Loving Others

You and yours are invited!

On Sunday, September 9, 2018, Emanuel Lutheran Church will celebrate our **100th Anniversary** in our current church home. In this way we also celebrate our identity as a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.



Let's Celebrate!

We have a wonderful day planned. We begin by reenacting the procession from our humble beginnings at the old church at the corner of Columbia and State Streets to our "new" home on South Prospect Street. As worship is the center of our life together, we will march into the sanctuary to the hymn "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty." Our worship will be uplifting punctuated by beautiful music and dynamic proclamation. Following the service, those who desire will be treated to a simple lunch in the Parlors and the Gathering Space.

We cordially invite all past choir members to join with our choir on September 9 worship service for a "Choir Reunion." It would be wonderful to have everyone together again for what we are sure will be a "joyful noise." (We will rehearse, Wednesday, August 29 and September 5 at 6:00 p.m. in the choir room.)

There will be keepsakes marking this celebration. A history has been painstakingly assembled by members of the committee for your edification.

Even our resident artists are getting in on the festivities. Stained glass artist, Sherrie Haver, has designed and created a beautiful keepsake sun catcher. The sun catchers are a modest \$20.00! Sherrie has declined to receive any remuneration except for her design and labor. What a thoughtful and generous kindness! Additionally, quilt artist Ann Thomas, with the assistance of Carol Hoch, has been dutifully collecting signatures for an Anniversary Banner which will adorn our worship space. Like Sherrie, her vast expertise is a gift to us and we have only needed to cover materials.

Most of all, we want your presence on this 100th Anniversary celebration. If you cannot be present, your prayers of thanksgiving and hope for the past and future of Emanuel Lutheran. But wherever you are, we hope that weekend will be a joyful one for you.

Because He lives,

Pastor Mark on behalf of the 100th Anniversary Committee

(Tanyce Addison, Jack Bull, Alicia Mayes, Matt Primmer, Dee Rinehart, Kevin Strohl, Ann Thomas and yours truly)

Pray a prayer, set a stone, and build a people

-Bishop Daniel Beaudoin



Pray a prayer, set a stone, and build a people--These were the words that Bishop Beaudoin used in his sermon as we began this year's Synod Assembly with Friday evening's worship in Bowling Green. Bishop Beaudoin preached on Nehemiah 1:1-4 as he continued to emphasize the Year of Prayer.

The story of Nehemiah tells us of the exiles returning to Jerusalem and rebuilding the walls of the city. Many challenges were encountered by the Jews returning to Jerusalem and Nehemiah's story is not just the story of the rebuilding of the wall but is also the story of the role of prayer in facing these challenges and ultimately the story of the building of a people.

Bishop Beaudoin emphasized throughout his sermon that prayer changes hearts and that prayer transforms us as God calls us as disciples. Bishop Beaudoin pointed out that God is in the *people building business* so thus God's people are to be in the *people building business* also. Just as the exiles who had returned to Jerusalem placed one stone upon another as they rebuilt the wall, so too goes the *people building business*--one person at a time.

Through our prayer lives Bishop Beaudoin is challenging us to build people. He is challenging us to love our neighbors as true disciples of Jesus Christ. In doing so our challenge is to lead, to teach, to disciple, to mentor others in our congregation and community. *Pray a prayer, set a stone, and build a people*. So Bishop Beaudoin left us with a challenge...who are you leading, who are you teaching, who are you discipling, who are you mentoring?

As we are led by our prayer lives the story of Nehemiah is instructing us to change hearts and to transform lives as we live in relationship with our neighbors. As we do so we will indeed build a people of God in a world that is much in need of our Lord's saving power. So let us join Bishop Beaudoin and...*Pray a prayer, set a stone, and build a people*.

Until next time, may the peace and healing of God be with you all.

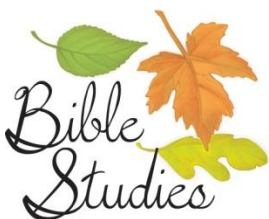
Deacon Kevin

Confirmation Kick-off will take place in conjunction with Sunday School Rally Day on September 16. More information will be provided in the near future.

Confirmation is traditionally offered to sixth and seventh graders. If you have a child that is interested in participating in confirmation please call the church office.



Fall Prayer Study--This fall a prayer study will be offered using the book *Grounded in Prayer: A Small Group Training Guide for Congregational Prayer*. This book explores how the Holy Spirit works in your heart and the hearts of others to break up the hardened soil of the path, unseat the rocks of distraction, uproot the thorns and thistles of the world and plant the seed of faith into good soil. This is a six week study and will be led by Pastor Mark, Deacon Kevin, and our parish deacon interns Ann Thomas and Tanyce Addison. Times and more details coming soon.



Family Ministry Calendar of Events ~ Tanyce Addison



Sunday, August 19 from 12:00 - 2:00p.m. Join us for our *Back to School Swim Party* at Lincoln Park. Open to all!

Sunday, August 26 @ 9:15a.m. Sunday School Begins!
We will be preparing for our Rally Day Worship and Celebration
as well as our 100th Anniversary!

Thursday, September 6 @ 11:15a.m. Emanuel Childcare takes the Popcorn Showcase Stage!

Thursday, September 6 - Emanuel has a float in the Popcorn Festival parade!

September 7 & 8 Popcorn Parking Lot --- Please volunteer to help! Proceeds will go to the Luther League.

September 9 HAPPY 100th Anniversary Celebration Walk begins at 9:15!

Bicycle decorating Contest! Sunday School Procession!

Saturday, September 15 - 10:00a.m. Rally Day Worship Rehearsal!

Sunday September 16 RALLY DAY! 10:30 Youth Led Worship followed with a FREE pizza lunch/ inflatables and games on the green until 1:00!

THANK YOU! Being "Shipwrecked" at our Vacation Bible School in June was a wonderful experience at Emanuel! Over 50 kids + 40 adults + huge support in people donating, decorating, preparing and praying for us truly created an adventure in living and knowing the message "JESUS RESCUES"! The church building rang with music, laughter, joy, prayer, love and outreach. I had the great pleasure of delivering the yarn dolls and fleece blankets to Nationwide Children's Hospital and signing the donation form - *GIVEN and Made by The Emanuel Lutheran Vacation Bible School!* To all of you who gave of your time, talents and possessions in this endeavor of sharing the GOOD NEWS, I say thank you! Every detail, from the smallest to the largest, is appreciated and remembered as a beautiful gift in glorifying God!



The Benton Harbor Mission Trip - June 24 - 29. Those Attending: Lauren Crouch, Tanyce Addison, Katie Vela,



Austen Valentine, Aaron Pirnstill, Lane Craig, Kevin Strohl

I decided to make the newsletter article serve as a "thought - provoking" devotion to you as we share the story. This is Part 1. There will be plenty more to come!

On Sunday, June 24, seven people from Emanuel loaded into a van and headed to Benton Harbor, Michigan's Youthworks Mission Trip. We knew we were headed there to work and to help others. We knew we would be sleeping on floors, showering 13 miles away from where we would sleep, and be totally surrounded by people we did not know. We had prepared for these expectations! It would take us about 4 hours to drive there. The

week before we left, we received news that our housing had changed because where we had been scheduled, was deemed "unsafe". The girls and the boys would be placed at different addresses 15 minutes away from each other. **Change in these expectations caused us concern.** But we were reassured by our mission host that everything would be fine. After our 4 hour drive we arrived to Benton Harbor. As we were following our GPS to the boy's lodging address, we see many run down, abandoned buildings and houses, tall, untended lawns and trash filled lots. Our GPS voice says "you have arrived" and we see a small building with a pick-up truck parked near the door. In the bed of the truck was a loud speaker blasting out some music and out walks a tall young man in his early 20's. He greets us with an enthusiastic welcome and introduces himself as Cole! All of the rest of the groups had already arrived and traveled to the main place where our activities would happen. We all carried in the guys' luggage. The large room with the cement floor was covered with cots, sleeping bags and air mattresses. Tape defined the boundaries. It was clean and air conditioned. Cole shared with us that he was from Tennessee and had been with Youthworks before. He made us feel comfortable even when he stressed how important it was to shut the door completely and never to prop it open. We loaded back into the van to travel to where the girls would stay. **Can you only imagine what we were thinking? None of us really said too much.**

PART 2



Kevin Strohl did all the driving on that first day. He was driving to the main location where the activities were to take place and where all the girls would stay. We were in a totally different neighborhood from where the boys were lodging. We went past a McDonald's, a Meijer, and other businesses. It's funny how wonderful those golden arches can make you feel! It was familiar and safer! We pulled into a parking lot of a beautiful church. The other vans were there. The girls took our luggage to the basement to a back room. Being the last to arrive, there was absolutely no floor room left for us to sleep. So we were directed to put our "stuff" under the basketball hoop and to lay out our beds every night in the room where we would eat and worship. Each morning we had to gather it up and put it away. The adults were sent to a room for a

planning meeting and the kids were with the Youthworks leaders! Supper was being made. New people were all together. We had talked about this moment - of remembering to be kind and flexible. We agreed that we would take part in everything. As we gathered for our supper, our Emanuel team all sat together. There was comfort of being together and being with the familiar. God was at work! Is this why we each have our own "pew" or area to sit? But we had prepared to meet new people, and as the week went on, we expanded our "comfort zone". It really didn't take long to make new friends.

Part 3

In the Youth Leaders meeting, our task was to assign our kids to the different areas of work for the week. We would mix with other church groups, ride in the same van and become a new team for the week. We could choose between The Boys and Girls Club, Habitat for Humanity projects, Art Center, Community Gardens, Thrift Store, Senior Center, Painting a house for a women's shelter, pulling weeds, sealing windows of a church, or working on a private school building. I learned a lot by listening to what the other leaders were saying. Everyone there had been on mission trips before. We had an FBI agent, a Walmart manager, an engineer, a youth pastor, a



CEO of a company, and a dermatologist assistant along with other youth leaders that worked from their church. Some wanted the construction projects so that they could see the completion of their work at the end of the week. Some wanted relational activities so that the kids had the opportunity to talk to people and connect. Others were more concerned that their kids got to be together, no matter what they did. Each individual and leader was strategically placed. We were assigned to the Art Center, Fresh Start Gardens for Children, The Art Center and the Mosaic Thrift Store. Our team consisted of 3 people from Louisville, Kentucky. Everyone was assigned to serve. Everyone was assigned to be with new people. None of us really knew what each project was going to demand from us. **This was God's work, our hands unfolding.**

More to come next newsletter!

As I was preparing for our July Service Sunday decorations for the Ice Cream Social, I found this "thought for the day"! -- (YUM! THE ICE CREAM WAS DELICIOUS! - Thanks, Bruce!)



Would you ever hold your ice cream cone in your hand and totally ignore it? You would know that you are holding on to something, but if you didn't look at it, pay attention to how it was melting; it would soon be too hard to eat and you would lose the experience of the wonderful taste and time of enjoying your ice cream.

Our walk with Christ can be just like that unattended ice cream cone.

If we never pay attention to our faith, we lose out on the wonderful goodness of what God has in store for all of us. This fall when Sunday School, Bible Studies, Diakonia classes begin; BE A PART OF THIS! Choirs, activities, special events, daily devotions, and more are waiting for you to experience!

Looking forward to all these opportunities in Christ!

Tanyce Addison

The Emanuel Choir invites all **SINGERS** to join us on September 9 for our 100th Anniversary Sunday. We will be singing "The Church's One Foundation" for the anthem. **We will rehearse**, Wednesday, August 29 and September 5 at 6:00 p.m. in the choir room. Please join us for the wonderful celebration!

In Honor Of Our Anniversary the committee is selling a 100th Anniversary suncatcher. The suncatcher was designed and made by member, Sherri Haver. A sample is located in the Gathering Space and Church Office. **Place your order today.**

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100th Anniversary Suncatcher Cost: \$20.00

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Number Ordered: _____ Amount Paid: _____ (Make Checks payable to: Emanuel Lutheran Church)

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Message from our Church Treasurer, Rex Parrott

I wanted to take this opportunity to give the congregation an update on Emanuel's financial condition as we've just passed the midpoint of this year. I am pleased to report that through June, total income of \$386,555 is at 49% of budget, almost exactly where we would hope it to be! Even better, expenses of \$377,634 are at 48% of budget, so we are just slightly positive at this midpoint of the year. All of the Boards deserve continued thanks for closely monitoring their expenditures and the congregation should be thanked for their offerings matching so closely to the projections we get from the annual Consecration Sunday event. You will be receiving a personal update on your annual giving within the next several months.

If you ever have questions about the Church's finances, please feel free to contact me.
Rex Parrott, Treasurer.

Faith Stories ~ Ann Thomas

As part of my Parish Deacon Internship, I am collecting twenty five or more faith stories from members of the congregation. Many Lutherans do not feel comfortable sharing their faith story with others. The idea for this came from the interviews of lay people in the "Living Lutheran" magazine of the ELCA. It is also hoped that the stories will help other members share their story. It will be a record in the archives about what God is doing in our members lives in this generation.

I have a one page questionnaire for you to answer. Then I meet with you and discusses your faith story. I write the story and give it back for you to review. Jean Smith, a church member who is an English teacher, checks the story for punctuation and grammar. Finally, there is a permission slip to sign giving permission for the story to be put in a booklet that will be available to the members of the congregation at the end of the year. It is my hope that members will begin to discuss their faith stories with other people. If you are interested in participating in this project you may contact me at 740-383-2761.





Deacon/Synod Parish Deacon by Alicia Mayes

This month I would like to explain to you the difference between the title of Deacon that Kevin Kehn holds and Synod Parish Deacons that Tanyce Addison and Ann Thomas are presently interns to become. I want to thank Deacon Kevin and Tanyce for their assistance in writing this article.

The term deacon in reference to Kevin's position includes lay ministers that were formerly designated as associates in ministry, diaconal ministers and deaconesses. These ministries were inherited from the church bodies that joined together to form the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America in 1988. Deacons are also called Ministers of Word and Service in contrast to pastors who are Ministers of Word and Sacrament. These are the two rosters of the ELCA. Deacons such as Kevin become approved by completing supervised field experience, theological education at a college or seminary and the candidacy process that involves psychological evaluations.

The candidacy process begins with entrance as the candidate addresses the early concerns of readiness and discernment. As individuals present themselves to the candidacy committee certain questions must be addressed: Is there familiarity with Lutheran congregational life? Is there an understanding of the ministry in the life of this church? Is there a realistic assessment of an individual's potential for service? Is there a mature faith and commitment to Christ?

The second step is endorsement. This is a decision that further determines one's potential as a candidate to be a deacon. A positive endorsement decision permits a candidate to participate in an ELCA internship or supervised field experience.

The final step is approval. During the final year of study a candidate is asked to prepare the ELCA Approval Essay which asks one to give evidence of the integration of one's theological studies with the experience gained during internship/field experience. As with each of these steps an essay is written and the candidate participates in an interview that ultimately makes a decision concerning one's readiness to serve as a deacon of the ELCA. Deacons who are approved by the candidacy committee to use their gifts in service will then await a letter of call from a congregation, church-related agency or institution. This is the same candidacy process that a candidate for pastor engages in also.

In regards to Synod Parish Deacons, Tanyce Addison and Ann Thomas went through the two-year Diakonia Program and graduated in June of 2017. Diakonia is a lay education program begun by a Lutheran pastor to support the work of the ELCA. The Synod Parish Deacon program is not part of the Diakonia program, but Diakonia provides this opportunity for people to pursue further education in lay ministry. Applicants go through an extensive interview process, psychological evaluations, and project planning. After the approval of the Pastor and Parish Planning Committee then the Synod Parish Deacon Steering Committee under the direction of the synod bishop, approves all candidates and oversees the Synod Parish Deacon Program. Tanyce and Ann are now both interns at Emanuel working toward becoming Synod Parish Deacons. A Synod Parish Deacon is a pilot program approved by the bishop of the Northwestern Ohio Synod to serve a local congregation with the authority of their pastor. A Parish Deacon ministry is a volunteer, non-rostered ministry focused in the local context. A Synod Parish Deacon always serves under the oversight of a pastor for service in their home congregation.



God's work. Our hands.

"God's work Our hands"

Join as we do God's work in Christ's name for the life of the world. There is an opportunity for you here!

The Social Ministry Board is designating September and October as a time of service by providing opportunities to celebrate who we are as The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America — one church, freed in Christ to serve and love our neighbor. We are offering a variety of service projects for individuals, families, or groups that can be accomplished in one's home or in a community setting and all to serve and love our neighbor in our community.

What to do...

Select a service project by taking a card from the Pocket of Projects that will be located near the *God's Work Our Hands* Banner in the Gathering Space. Each card will have a description of a service project and all the information you need to complete the project will also be available. There is also a reflection paper so that you can tell us about your service project and any comments you wish to offer.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact anyone on the Social Ministry Board:
Betty Jo Lill -740-225-4531; Barb Russo - 740-369-1137; Cindy Schifer- 740-360-8431;
Maggie Clark- 419-946-7982; Chris Kehn- 740-361-5062



To Church Council and it's Committees, Sunday School students, and members of the church,

Thank you for your support, gifts, and well wishes as I was confirmed. Your thoughtfulness was much appreciated. Sincerely, Andrew Kollas

Emanuel Lutheran Child Care would like to **thank** Ed Stofcheck & Matt Primmer for the new Child Care sign that they made. We would also like to thank Carl Jones, Rich Tubbs and Frank Fanello, for helping them remove the old sign and install the new one. Stop by and check it out. - Abby Reinwald



Emanuel Lutheran Church, **Thank you** for joining our Baby Bottle Campaign. Your church collected \$636.00! The prayers and support of your church help us to continue saving lives and serving families! Thank you, the Voice of Hope Team

Mark Your Calendars...Our Annual Luke 14 Dinner will be held on **August 28**. This special ministry of Women of the Church is an evening of good food and entertainment for Nursing Home and RHAM residents. **Volunteers** (drivers and servers) are needed! Please contact Norma Ward at 382-6282 if you will be able to help.



College Students: Don't forget to give your college address to the church office. (darlene.schaadt@emanuellutheran.net.)

The brilliant Christian psychiatrist, Dr. Walter Menninger, said that singing in a church choir was very helpful to him. After an exhausting day at work, he found it inspirational and soothing to go to choir practice at his church. The music enabled him to put the stress of his day behind him, get in touch with something beautiful and holy, and end the day relaxed and uplifted.

Ask a choir member what singing in a choir does for him or her. It's very likely that you'll find he or she gets great joy in serving the Lord through singing. And remember, also, there is wonderful fellowship among choir members. Singing in a choir is a good way to make new friends. Try it.



Choir Rehearsals Begin.....Please join us!

Director Teri Turner invites all children age 3 and older to join the Children's Choir. Rehearsal Schedule: Wednesdays at 6:30p.m. Our first rehearsal is August 15. Join Teri in the Gathering Space.

Director Carolyn Fox invites you to join the Bell Choir. Rehearsals are held on Wednesdays at 7:00p.m. The first rehearsal will be held on August 29.

Director Tanyce Addison invites you to join the Emanuel Adult Choir. Rehearsals are held on Wednesdays at 6:00p.m. beginning August 29.

In celebration of Emanuel's 100th anniversary, I will be presenting an **organ recital** on Sunday, October 7 at 3:00p.m. This will be a showcase for the wonderful Casavant organ that we are so blessed to have at Emanuel, and will also be an opportunity to experience organ literature that is different from what we play on Sunday mornings. I will be performing pieces from the late 1600s until the present day, from German, French, and American composers. I hope that it will be as enjoyable for you to hear as it has been for me to prepare! This recital will be presented in conjunction with the Marion Music Club.

There is no admission, but a free will offering will be taken to help offset costs, and to make a contribution to the Marion Music Club's scholarship fund.

Thank you for all of your support!

-- Paul Burnside



2018 Mackinac Bridge Walk:

Once again the Lutheran Men in Mission will participate in the Bridge Walk held on Labor Day, September 3. Walkers and people to pledge for the walkers are needed.

Bob Coffman and Jack Bull will be in the Gathering Space on Sundays August 19 & 26 with donation and registration forms.

Thanks in advance for your continued support!

*Let's Celebrate the Following Birthdays
With our Prayers & Cards!*



Judith Stroble will celebrate her 92nd birthday on August 7

(641 Mt Vernon Ave. Marion)

Norma Fanello will celebrate her 90th birthday on August 9.

(4747 Baer Rd. Marion)

Jane Laucher will celebrate her 92nd birthday on August 14.

(Kingston #104, 464 Jamesway, Marion)

Mary Danner will celebrate her 96th birthday on August 20.

(Seton Square #128, 255 Richland Rd., Marion)



Earl Key will celebrate his 94th birthday on September 9.

(8161 Watermark Court, West Chester, OH 45069)

Dorothy Taylor will celebrate her 90th birthday on September 13.

(663 Hampton Woods Dr. Marion)

As we celebrate the 90+ Birthdays of our Church Family we also celebrate the **100th Anniversary of our House of Worship!**



Join us on Sunday, September 9, 2018.
We will have one worship service at 10:30a.m.

As on Sunday, September 8, 1918,
we will walk from the
the old church to the 'new' church.
For those who are able, join us as we walk from
the corner of South State and
Columbia Street to 241 South Prospect Street.

We will gather at the Rite Aide Pharmacy
parking lot at 9:15a.m.

If you are not able to make the walk you can still
participate in the opening service by:

Joining us at the front of the church
(241 S. Prospect) at 10:15;

OR wait in the Gathering Space and
join us in the sanctuary.

We will all enter the sanctuary during the
singing of the first hymn.

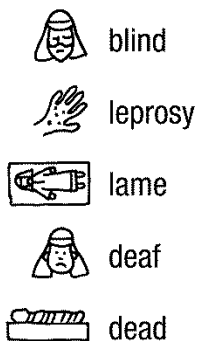
Following worship a catered lunch will be served
in the church parlor.



IT'S A MIRACLE!

Jesus performed many amazing miracles during his earthly ministry.

Directions: Match the words and pictures of different healings, from one column to the other. Then fit the word pairs in the blanks below to complete Matthew 11:5, NIV.



The _____ receive _____, the _____, those
who have _____ are _____, the _____
_____, the _____ are _____.

MATTHEW 11:5, NIV

Answer: The blind receive leprosy, the lame, those who have deafness are cleansed, the dead are raised.

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Invites all Children age 3 and older
to join her in the Gathering Space for Children's Choir Rehearsal. We will meet on August 15 & August 22 at 6:30p.m. There is no rehearsals on August 29 or September 5. (Teri's vacation)
We are so excited because we will be participating in the 100th Anniversary Celebration on September 9 by walking from the Old Church to the "New" Church and singing at the worship service. Watch for more information!
Plan now to join us!

BUMBLE BEE BALLS

Make these yummy treats as a summer snack.

What you need:

- 1 cup peanut butter
- 1½ oz. instant oats
- ¼ cup honey
- ½ cup instant milk powder
- ½ cup dark chocolate chips
- 40 mini chocolate chips
- 20 slivered almonds
- 40 sliced almonds
- Adult help

What you do:

1. In a bowl, mix peanut butter, oats, honey and instant milk powder into dough. If too dry, add more peanut butter or honey.
2. Roll dough into 20 long balls. Place them on a cookie sheet and refrigerate.
3. Melt the dark chocolate chips and place them in a zippered baggie. Cut a tiny bit off one corner.
4. Remove dough from refrigerator. Squeeze thin lines of chocolate as stripes onto the bee bodies.
5. Use two mini chocolate chips for eyes, a slivered almond for a stinger and two sliced almonds as wings. Enjoy!



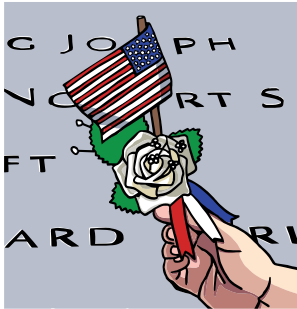
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9/11 REMEMBRANCE



Join Us In Worship:
Thursday Praise Service
7:00p.m. (Chapel)
Sundays:
8:00 or 10:30a.m.
Traditional Worship
9:15a.m. Contemporary Worship
Sunday School @ 9:15a.m.



100th Anniversary of Our House of Worship
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The 'Walk' from the Old Church to the New Church, September 8, 1918