



# June – July 2023

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English-spoken worship services are held at Emaus every Saturday evening at 4:30 and Sunday mornings at 9:00.	
Spanish-spoken worship services are held at Emaus every Sunday morning at 11:00.	
Emaus office hours are 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday.	

## June/July Calendar

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| Saturday Worship (English) -                    | 4:30 pm           |
| Sunday Worship (English)-                       | 9:00 am           |
| Sunday Worship (Spanish) -                      | 11:00 am          |
| Coffee and Conversation Sundays, Sunset Room    | 10:00 am          |
| Neighborhood Camp, June 26-July 27, Mon.-Thurs. | 8:00 am - 3:00 pm |
| No camp July 4                                  |                   |

June	1	Community Meals	
	3	Synod Assembly	
	7	Stitchers	10:00 am
	7	Bible Study	1:00 pm
	14	Stitchers	10:00 am
	21	Stitchers	10:00 am
	22	Northside Food Pantry	1:30-4:00 pm
	22	Food Distribution (Back Door)	10:00 am - 2:00 pm
	26	Neighborhood Camp Starts	
	28	Stitchers	10:00 am
	28	Book Club	1:00 pm
July	5	Stitchers	10:00 am
	5	Bible Study	1:00 pm
	9	Scrip Due	
	12	Stitchers	10:00 am
	19	Stitchers	10:00 am
	23	Scrip Due	
	26	Stitchers	10:00 am
	26	Book Club	1:00 pm
	27	Neighborhood Camp Ends	

## Mexican Fiesta

### Video Link for Mexican Fiesta

Take a look at this Mexican Fiesta video. Click on the picture.



Despite the rain Mexican Fiesta was still well attended and a success. Not only was a good variety of very tasty Mexican food offered but other activities as well. This included a petting zoo (see pictures in the EASY article), face painting, a car cruise in and a food stand offering hot dogs, brats, etc. outside.

### **Fiesta Mexicana Raffle Baskets Thank You**

Our Emaus family and friends once again went above and beyond to make the Basket Raffle a success. All of the kind-hearted support of donations—ready-made baskets, donated items, gift cards, certificates, and generous monetary funds for basket items, and supplies, was greatly appreciated. So many “acts of kindness” — solicitations of community for items and certificates, and volunteering your time and services, especially at Fiesta. Emaus is small, but mighty in Christian charity. Special thanks to EASY staff and mentor support. There were so many smiling adult and children winners, all because of you. Thanks so much, Kathy Martin.

## EASY May Highlights

An unexpected visitor, Fiesta Mexicana, science experiments, a pendulum art project, discovering the game of lacrosse, playing with bubbles, and a closing program. See Kathy Christiansen's article on the quilts! Pictures are worth a thousand words!

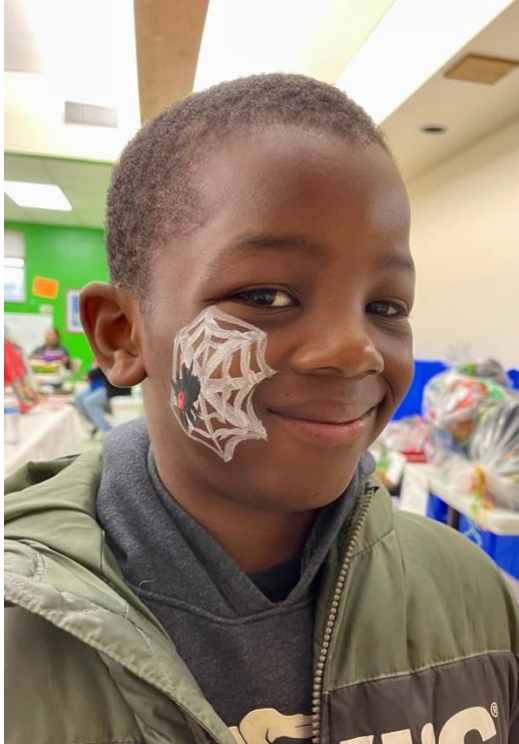
Lo and behold – one day the kids arrived saying there is a chicken in the front yard! Seeing is believing.



Fiesta Mexicana included a petting zoo



and face painting.



What happens to a balloon when you mix vinegar and baking soda?



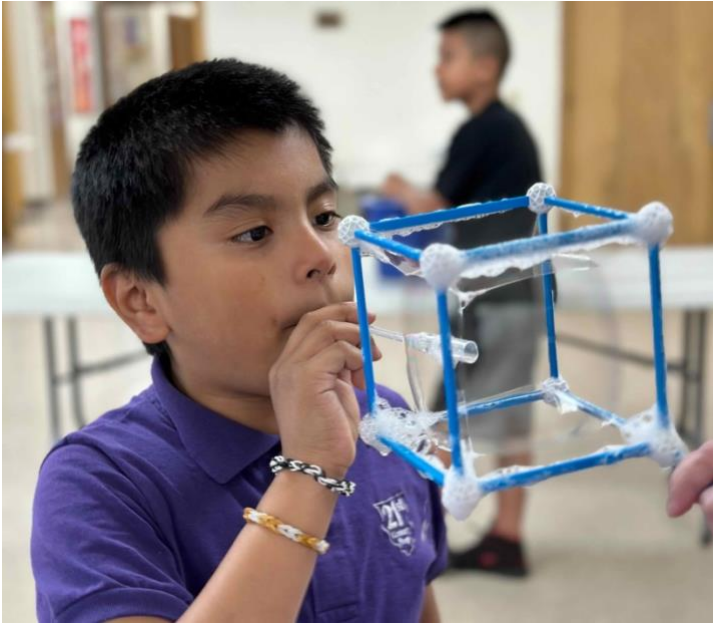
What happens when you turn a test tube filled with water upside down with a paper on the end? A flood or will the paper hold the water in the tube – it is called adhesion.



Our artist in residence, Rebecca Bissi introduced the kids to a pendulum art project.



Bubbles! Bubbles! Bubbles! Oh, what fun!



from the Carthage Lacrosse team. They were told that it is similar to soccer and hockey. The highlight was going outside for a hand-on time of holding the stick and throwing the ball.





## Emaus Stitchers

During the past several months the Emaus Stitchers quilting group made quilts for each student in the EASY Program. On Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, a closing program for EASY was held and the quilts were distributed. It was a pleasure to witness the smiles as each student was presented with a quilt selected especially for them .







**QUICK NOTE FROM Marisol. Happy Anniversary to me!!!**

In the month of June 2021, I was invited to collaborate for two months with the Emaus office, those two months turned into two years and from that moment until today, I am blessed and grateful for this opportunity. Today I want to thank everyone who has supported me and guided me on this adventure of serving at Emaus. I know there is a lot to learn still, but thanks to you, I am confident that I will continue to grow in this position. *Marisol*

En el mes de junio del 2021, fui invitada a colaborar por dos meses con la oficina de Emaús, esos dos meses se convirtieron en dos años y desde ese momento hasta hoy, estoy bendecida y agradecida de esta oportunidad. Hoy quiero dar gracias a todos los que han sido mi apoyo y me han guiado en esta aventura de servir en Emaús. Se que tengo mucho que seguir aprendiendo, pero gracias a ustedes cada día puedo ser mejor y crecer en esta posición. *Marisol*

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Date	Altar Guild	Assisting Minister	Communion Assistants	Reader	Ushers
June 3 4:30	Cathy Meyer Linda Clinton				
June 4 9:00	Cindi Larsen	Kathy Christensen	Joy Lippmann	Karen Sedgwick	Chris Lamberton
June 10 4:30	Barb Toslek Jamie Toslek				
June 11 9:00	Audrey Villalobos	Carol Yust	Soledad Beltran	Sandy Strini	Cheryl Dexter
June 17 4:30	Missy Porcaro				
June 18 9:00	Joy Lippmann	Cindi Larsen	Cindi Larsen	Carol Yust	Denis Kreimer
June 24 4:30	Cathy Meyer Linda Clinton				
June 25 9:00	Caren Lamberton	Carol Eschmann	Carol Eschmann	Chris Lamberton	Loren Larsen
July 1 4:30	Barb Toslek Jamie Toslek				
July 2 9:00	Kathy Christensen	Karen Sedgwick	Barb Staton	Kathy Christensen	Glen Staton
July 8 4:30	Missy Porcaro				
July 9 9:00	Cindi Larsen	Kathy Christensen	Chris Lamberton	Karen Sedgwick	Cheryl Dexter
July 15 4:30	Cathy Meyer Linda Clinton				
July 16 9:00	Audrey Villalobos	Carol Yust	Carol Yust	Sandy Strini	Chris Lamberton
July 23 4:30	Barb Toslek Jamie Toslek				
July 24 9:00	Joy Lippmann	Cindi Larsen	Joy Lippmann	Carol Eschmann	Denis Kreimer
July 29 4:30	Missy Porcaro				
July 30 9:00	Caren Lamberton	Carol Eschmann	Soledad Beltran	Chris Lamberton	Loren Larsen