

EMMANUEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT



THE RISE 'N' TIMES

SNEAK PEEK INTO OUR NEXT EVENT

The 2nd biennial PoWER Walk is back! Emmanuel Women's Department-Business & Professional Women is hosting another walkathon (affectionately known as PoWER Walk) on July 27th at 10am at Kenneth Hahn Park Blue Lagoon.

This year's theme is Cancer Can't but God CAN. This year's walk is dedicated to all those affected by cancer- whether it's a parent, grandparent, friend, co-worker, brother/sister-in-Christ or even yourself. What better way to support our loved ones than to lace up our tennis shoes and share information, build awareness, and come together in fellowship, prayer and faith.

What to expect: Lots of fun, snacks, fellowship, gifts, information and plenty of walking (or sitting for those who want to live vicariously through the walkers).

This event is also a fundraiser, and donations will support efforts to build an ADA ramp for the Crouch Memorial Hall to allow for easier access (for all) to the ADA inspired bathroom.

On your mark, get set, go! Start forming teams and begin fundraising today!

DID YOU KNOW?

Fun facts about Hannah

- Was the fourth woman in biblical history to suffer through infertility.
- She prayed to God for a son and promised to dedicate his life to the service of God.
- God blessed her with a son who she named Samuel.
- Hannah left Samuel to be raised in the Temple, and he played a major role in the transition from the biblical judges to the United Kingdom of Israel.
- Hannah, once barren, went on to have five more children.

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For Your Inspiration

"Excellence is not being the best; It is doing your best."

~Unknown

Upcoming 2024 Events

- Feb. 24th- 11am
Chat & Chew
Love Edition
Color: Red
(We did it!)
- Apr. 28th-11am
Women's Day
Color: Pink
(We did it!)
- July 27th - 10am
Walkathon
Cancer CAN'T but God CAN (PoWER Walk)
- Oct. 4th (Friday) to 5th (Saturday)
10pm - 6am
Can't stop, won't stop trusting God (Overnight Shut-In)
- Nov. 9th-10am
Day Retreat
I C.A.N.
(I'm Calm And Nourished)

Spotlight

WORD ON THE CURB: GET TO KNOW THE LADIES OF EMMANUEL

MARY A. ESKRIDGE

My name is Mary A. Eskridge and I am a Classified Staff Employee at El Camino Community College. For over 19 years I have been working with students and Counselors in Counseling and Student Success.

I have been a member of Emmanuel since 1963 working in various areas of the church. I currently serve as the president of Emmanuel's Deaconess Board.

"Word on the Curb" is I love giving back to the community. I attend Tuesday night Bible Study. I participate in the West Angeles District and the First Jurisdiction Women's department as needed.



ALENA ROSE

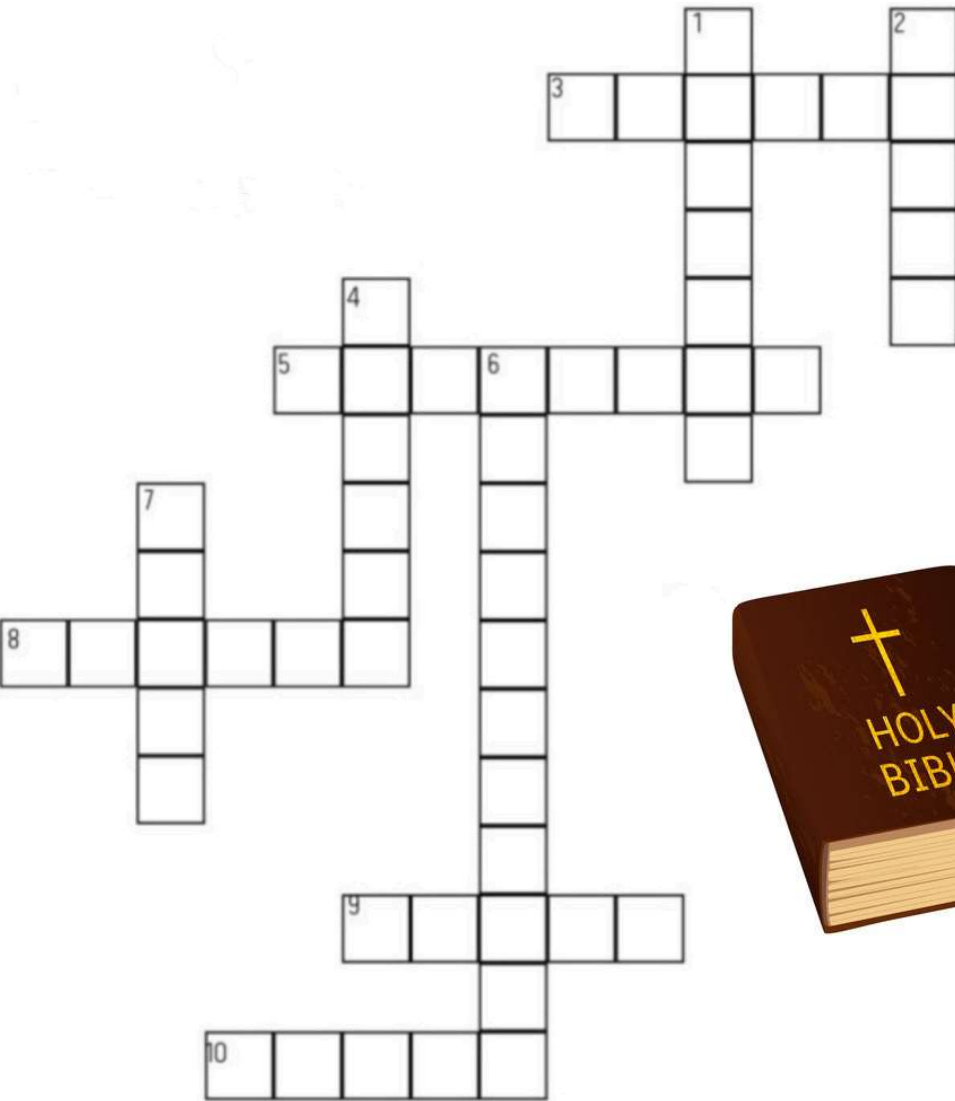
My name is Alena Rose and I have been a member of Emmanuel since June 2019. I began ushering on the Jurisdictional level with the State Sunshine Band in 2011. I currently serve on the Usher Board at Emmanuel and for the Jurisdiction.

At Emmanuel, I also serve as the 2nd Assistant Superintendent for Sunday School, and I am a member of the Security Team.

"Word on the curb" is, I thank God for being saved, I enjoy helping behind the scenes and I am a kid at heart.



FUN MENTAL BREAK



Popular Bible Quotes

Use the quotes down below to complete the puzzle.

Across

- 3) Am I my brother's...
- 5) The Lord is my...
- 8) To everything there is a
- 9) I am the Alpha and the
- 10) He makes beauty out of

Down

- 1) Can it change its spots:
- 2) Goes before destruction
- 4) Many are called by few are
- 6) Blessed are the
- 7) Love the Lord God with all your

WHAT THE WOMEN HAVE BEEN UP TO...

ANSWER KEY

The buzz is still in the air about Emmanuel's 2024 Women's Day. Two words encapsulate the essence of the day...GOD CAN! And, yes, He did!

On April 28, 2024, Emmanuel Women's Department hosted its annual Women's Day and the speaker of the hour was the anointed and distinguished first lady of the Church of God in Christ worldwide, Lady Karen Clark-Sheard. Lady Sheard blessed us tremendously with a powerful word. She encouraged us to "stay the course and take the divine route". It was truly an honor to have Lady Sheard with us. Everything we experienced that day – from the amazing testimonies to the songs of praise – inspired and reassured us of God's power to provide, heal, deliver, and set free.

The color for the day was pink and the women wore stunning outfits in beautiful hues of pink. In fact, some of the men joined us with their splashes of pink attire as well. We cannot mention the color of the day without also reminiscing on the highly anticipated pink décor which was breathtakingly beautiful- it was a serene pink garden.

Once again, Lady Natoya ensured that this year's Women's Day purposely included the multi-generations of sisters at Emmanuel from the beginning to the end of service. If you missed it, catch the replay in the video archives from the church website.

HEART
 (7) Love the Lord God with all your
 (6) Blessed are the PEACEKEEPERS
 (4) Many are called by few are CHOSEN
 (2) Goes before destruction: PRIDE
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Across

Down

- (10) He makes beauty out of ASHES
- (9) I am the Alpha and the OMEGA
- (8) To everything there is a SEASON
- (5) The Lord is my SHEPHERD
- (3) Am I my brother's KEEPER



The Women's Department would like to wish you and your loved ones a safe and Happy Fourth of July.