



THE ELLINWOODER

Every Member, A Minister

Sunday, 31 January 2021



GREETINGS

A BLESSED SUNDAY TO ALL!! Today is **Membership Growth and Discipleship (MGD) Sunday** this fifth Sunday of January 2021, the fourth Sunday after Epiphany.

In charge for this Sunday's Music is through the Chancel Choir. Elder Vera Pepito-Acosta serves as the Chancel Choir Conductor and Bro. Joshua Paul Agarrado serves as the choir accompanist..

PRAYER ITEMS:

- Jabin Drake Vila-Bandola, 8 years old, confined at Makati Medical Center – for healing and God's provision.
- Butch Dela Cruz - healing from recent surgery
- Elder Cesar Fajardo – for full recovery
- Bro. Christian Arcagua – for complete healing and recovery
- Sis. Judy Estrella-Millan- God's grace, healing and provision
- Bro. Anselmo Afaga for God's grace and healing.
- Sis. Rachel Marquez (Sister of Dr. Evelyn Fernando) for God's grace and healing.
- Pastor Nikki Miranda for God's healing.
- Zoe Garcia, 11 years old, for her continuing medical management, healing and God's provision.

HAVE YOU SUBMITTED YOUR AKLAT SAMBAHAYAN STORY?

Last October we asked you to document your family's journey of faith and how God brought you to EMC. Share the Lives, Events, News and Service of your family with EMC as the frame and Jesus as the inspiration.

The accounts must revolve around how the church was used by God in your family's journey of faith. Should you have pictures of in-church events, we suggest that you scan it as part of your submissions.

Each family unit must limit their stories to 2,500 words. So for big clans, you are allowed to make separate submissions per family.

If portions of your story are better shared in a local dialect, please feel free to do so.

Brothers and sisters, we hope that the accounts to be written will showcase how God's hand is made visible in the weaving of stories in the life of EMC and that of the families within its walls and even of those who have journeyed to broader areas of ministry.

Let us take this time of "being home" as an opportunity to write about our second home. May it be a compilation of household testimonies woven into the fabric of one family. Happy writing. To God be the glory!

Send your stories to: info@ellinwood-malate.com

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS to the following:

JANUARY: 31- Patricia Anne E. Agoncillo, Alvin Dale M. Caasi, Jethro F. Ferrer, Carl J. Harn, Melissa Mae R. Iñigo, Eulogio G. Macabudbud, Denniel Jeremy Moreno, Raymond A. Padolina, Nelita R. Reyes, Rico Julianno V. Trinidad, Renaissance A. Vanzuela, Merlinda B. Venturanza, Lory C. Villafuerte, Nestor Villanueva, Emevy P. Cruz

FEBRUARY 01- Darry Ann Luz A. Atup, Uriah Gavyn E. Bendejo, Maribel C. Biaco, Antonia L. Cornejo, Christine A. Franco, Mayumi B. Huang, Michelle G. Jabagat, Maria A. Lumasag, Roselyn Mariano, Maria Linda C. Mendoza, Alfredo A. Olano, Ricky Ordeniza, Leonida S. Serrano, Angelus G. Wakay, Drusiela G. Wakay, Antonia Lagunda

02- Kenneth Aaron L. Aniscol, Aristole M. Carandang, Nigel Francis Fabros, Kaisha Kyle Lado, Angel Lilia Ramos, Cherry Pie E. Wijangco, Rosvilla Balucan

03- Norma C. Abastillas, Esperanza P. Baño, Liwayway Mangundayao, Irene Mariano, Gabriel F. Pasamba, Alexander Q. Payot, Karl Justin R. Segales, Alex R. Torres, Esperanza Bama

04- Verly Mark L. Araujo, Adrian Joshua B. Arcagua, Delma C. Arintok, Rochelle Marie K. Barinaga, Lorena D. Bustamante, Celberto Y. Celocia, George M. Divinagracia, Carmel C. Macalalad, Leonard O. Mancao, Jonathan R. Mendoza, Belinda A. Urbino, Andres C. Villacampa.

05- Daniel I. Beltran, Hans Joshua C. Conde, Isaiah Gabriel G. Cruz, Isaiah Gabriel Cruzado, Kunny C. Dans, Alvin C. Dans II, Sarah G. Enjambre, Nigel Fabros, Aldrin Genesis M. Montes.

06- Neil Martin S. Arcagua, Isaac B. Atienza, Ronie A. Bernardo, Jannah Sophia B. Estayo, Michelle Ann H. Fagaragan, Rinna Angelique U. Lacanienta, Lida Michelle DL Nonis, Homer T. Sumbilon, Bal H. Yu, Mikha Franz B. Zaguirre

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY Greetings to:

JANUARY: 31 - Noel & Rosanna Bongco, Carl & Susan May Harn, Felix & Carmecita Lao, Marlon & Mary Grace Ontal

February 01 - Danilo and Myrna Mendoza

02 - Janny and Rebecca Torres

03 - Jessie and Christine Dimaculangan, Lloyd and Jacqueline Fundal

for corrections, kindly send a text message to the **MGD**
phone: **09565283840** or **09474906258**

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

We thank God for our contributors for this week:

- > Sis. Tex Avante for contributing the EMC Intercessor's Weekly Devotional Guide.
- > Pastor Bobby Alguso for sharing an article for our In-Focus section for this Sunday.

We give God all the glory and praise for a worshipful and prayerful Mid-Week Prayer meeting we had last January 27, 2021. We acknowledge the participation of Elders Vel Inocencio, Janny Torres and Bernard Supetran while Ministerial Student and our very own scholar Romina "Ynah" Panlilio delivered God's word.

NEWS, CHURCH CONCERNS

Today here at Ellinwood Malate Church is Membership Growth and Discipleship (MGD) Sunday. The Program Head of MGD is Pastor Bobby Alguso. The MGD Program Ministry seek to strengthen the spiritual foundation of each member, and to nurture their faith journey through fellowship and active participation in every age group and organizations within the church. MGD's focus is towards "In-Reach" so that members will learn to engage in outreach work. Among the programs and activities that MGD serves are the Cell Groups, Church Recognized Organizations (UCM, CWA, Young Once, CYAF), and Family Ministries (Schooners). Kindly visit our EMC Official Website regularly especially now that we have added a portion which says "AKLAT SAMBAHAYAN." Kindly "click" that item and you will see how your family can actively participate in making a family journal which may be included in our church life story. There is a deadline set for submission, so kindly keep watch over these schedules.

Our four (4) virtual worship services time are still available for all those who want to participate and experience an on-line worship service. Links to join these services are posted in our EMC Website and FaceBook Page. And we will continue with this type of gathering **until May 2021** as approved by our Church Council on 13 November 2020 virtual meeting.

And for those who prefer to worship at home with their respective families, Sunday Worship Guides are still available for downloading through our EMC website and FaceBook Page accounts.

Other On-Line Services being offered are :

Sunday School for Children c/o CEN Ministry

Adult Bible Study c/o Vesper Service every Saturday at 6PM

Youth Sunday Bible Class every Sunday, 3PM

WE STRONGLY ADVISE YOU TO JOIN OUR ONLINE SERVICES VIA THE FB LIVE STREAMING IF YOU HAVE NO PART IN THE WORSHIP SERVICE TO GAIN A BETTER AUDIO AND VIDEO COVERAGE.

This is to follow-up all families of Ellinwood Malate Church, local and abroad, to complete their

Just a **FRIENDLY REMINDER TO ALL:** let us serve as an example by exercising proper conduct especially for those who will go out from the respective homes (to work, to buy needs, to meet an appointment) to take the much needed discipline to always wear face mask **BUT this time WITH FACE SHIELDS. BUT IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A VERY IMPORTANT THING TO DO OUTSIDE, DO STAY SAFE AT HOME.**

**** SPECIAL NOTE FROM THE MINISTERIAL TEAM:** If you have prayer requests, prayer items or you know of some members who are in need, kindly get in touch to any of your pastor so we can address them plainly and assist them according to their needs. Kindly refrain from seeking any of our members' assistance as we will make our concern and care as one. And if somebody called for your help, kindly refer to any of your pastor and we will respond accordingly.

We praise God and appreciate all who have a generous heart and committed in continuously giving their tithes, pledges, offerings and donations via on-line transaction, Sunday after Sunday. God bless you even more.

And for those who are willing to participate in the ministry of giving and sharing, our Bank Accounts in Banco De Oro (BDO) and the Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI) are open to receive your tithes, pledges, offerings, love gifts and donations (EMAC and COVID-19 campaign) through the following Banks:

Banco De Oro (BDO)

UCCP Ellinwood Malate Church Inc.

BDO Account # 000480000026

Bank of Philippine Islands (BPI)

UCCP Ellinwood Malate Church Inc

BPI Account # 3063613419

Kindly screen shot the deposit slip or proof of transfer and send it to Pastor Caloy or Sis. Beth Ocampo through the following numbers (Globe: 0916 703 8186; Smart: 0999 841 4575; Sun: 0932 327 2294) for easy tracking.