

All in-person worship services are currently suspended.

Sunday's 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services will continue to be livestreamed: www.immanuel.us/worship/live

REMINDERS

GIVING OPTIONS

- Use our online donation tools - [Give+ App and/or the Give+ Text](#), or
- The "Donate" button on our [livestream feed](#), or
- Mail in your check

Note: The most cost-effective way to give is via the Give+ App set to withdraw from your bank account. If you need assistance setting this up please contact Tammy: 952.212.2786, or tammy@immanuel.us

KEEPING CONNECTED

The staff will be working remotely, as much as possible, however, please feel free to call/text them on their cell phones, or call the church office:

- Pastor Paul: 952.240.4275
- Pastor Angela: 715.209.6895
- Office: 952.937.8123

Links to all Meet & Greets, and all Zoom meetings, can now be found on the [Immanuel calendar](#).

SUNDAY LIVESTREAM

Join us for livestreaming worship at 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. as we journey through the season of Pentecost!

- **9:00 a.m. - Traditional Worship** [Livestream](#)
- **10:30 a.m. - Contemporary Worship** [Livestream](#)

Online Meet & Greet, 9:45 a.m. via Zoom

Zoom Meet & Greet Link: [Meet & Greet](#), Meeting ID: 895 7262 2674, Passcode: 646201

WE PRAY...

- [People Requesting Prayer](#).
- [Submit your prayer request](#).
- **INTERACTIVE PRAYER:** Submit your [Prayer Requests](#) before noon on Thursday and we'll include them in the Prayers of the People.

IMMANUEL ZOOM

Did you know that Immanuel has Zoom accounts that allow your group to meet by video conference?

If you'd like to schedule a Zoom meeting for your group (Faith Group, committee, task force, Bible study, etc.) please contact kim@immanuel.us (She'll get your Zoom meeting scheduled and help get you ready to connect!).

FAMILY MINISTRY Resources to Support your Family's Faith: January/February

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

- [Anyday Sunday School](#) (3 - 4th Grade)
- [God Squad](#) (5th & 6th Grades), resumes January 6
- [4th Grade Stepping Stone](#) (New Testament), January 3, 10, 17
- [1st Grade Stepping Stone](#) (Holy Communion), January 24, 31 & Feb. 7

YOUTH & FAMILIES

- [Confirmation](#), resumes January 6
- [8th Grade Stepping Stone: Respectful Relationships](#), Jan. 31 - Feb. 7
- [9th Grade Stepping Stone: Stepping Behind the Wheel](#), Jan. 3 - 10

Resumes, Wednesday, January 6, 6 p.m.



Welcome

January 3, 2021

Immanuel's Values:

- Loving God and one another
- Intentional faith development and expression
- Active service in the community
- Practicing transformative generosity

We ask prayers of comfort, strength, healing, and thanksgiving for:

(Please let us know when you have a prayer request. You can call the pastor or church office. Your request will be listed for three weeks. Please let us know if you would like to have it listed longer.)

- Marilyn Gangelhoff, sister of Deb Carlson, hospitalized with Covid and multiple health issues. Prayers for healing.
- Francis Schroeder, father of Denise Schroeder, massive heart attack. Prayers for healing and recovery.
- Ronald Mages, father of Sara Motzko multiple myeloma. Prayers for healing.
- Barb Nodland, aunt of Kevin Lenzen. Hospitalized with COVID. Prayers for healing
- Rollis Nissen, friend of Joel & Theresa Johnson. hospitalized with COVID. Prayers for healing.
- Lonnie Peterson, cancer treatment. Prayers for successful treatment.
- Eldri Johnson, breast cancer. Prayers for successful surgery, smooth recovery with no other treatment needed.
- Sue Keller. Prayers for strength during chemotherapy treatments.
- Our medical missionaries Dr. Steve and Jodi Swanson returning to in Arusha, Tanzania. Prayers for health and safety.
- Trevor Fleck, recently diagnosed with liver and colon cancer. Prayers for peace and comfort.
- Mary Shurson, continued issues with vertigo. Prayers for healing.
- All seeking employment. Prayers that they find fulfilling and meaningful work.

PLEDGE '21 We respond to God's generosity with our pledges. You can: return the pledge card you received in the mail, or [submit your pledge online](#), or [print and submit a pledge card](#).

BOOK STUDIES January – February. Although not your typical cozy novel, we will be reading and discussing these two small volumes with theological insight on the coronavirus and how it affects our faith and life as a people of God.

- **Virus as a Summons to Faith: Biblical Reflections in a Time of Loss, Grief, and Uncertainty** January 6, 1 & 20, 6:30 p.m.
- **God and the Pandemic: A Christian Reflection on the Coronavirus and Its Aftermath** January 27- February 10, 6:30 p.m.

[Details, sign-up and book orders.](#)

TEEN'S MENTAL HEALTH & THE PANDEMIC Monday, January 11, 7:30 p.m. If parenting teens wasn't already challenging enough we now add a pandemic and distance learning to the mix! Our teens and their families are experiencing challenges that can become overwhelming. Kay Kinkel (MA, MSW, LICSW) will present on: caring for your teen's mental health, watching for warning signs that may require professional help, coping mechanisms, faith and hope in the tough times. [Detail and Zoom link](#)

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY January 6 - April 28 Join us for *The Greatest Story* as we journey with the Apostle Paul through Acts and his letters in the New Testament facilitated by Jennifer Johnson and Janell Weum. All are welcome. Books that accompany this study are now available in the church office. Contact marykay@immanuel.us to place your order. [Details and Zoom link.](#)

WYOMING TRIP OPTIONS Summer 2021. Experience the beauty of God's creation and connect with your Immanuel friends, and make new friends! We are providing several different options over two weeks: July 17-24 and July 24-31 (attend one, or both or have part of your family participate in one trip while the rest of the family is in another group). [Wyoming 2021: Family Camp | Day Hikes | Backpacking](#)

CAMP NOAH FLEECE BLANKET PROJECT. Volunteers are needed to tie 25 fleece blankets for Camp Noah. Fleece is provided through 2 grants from Thrivent Financial and can be picked up at Immanuel or delivered to your doorstep. The goal is to have all blankets completed by the end of January. [Details and to sign up..](#)

ANNUAL MEETING Sunday, January 31, noon. The meeting will be held via ZOOM and a link will be sent out to congregation members in January. [More information...](#)