

REOPENING TASK FORCE

We will reopen slowly and carefully, welcoming you back when you're ready. **We will continue to [livestream](#) both the 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. services.**

- We'll begin with just the 9:15 a.m. service and we hope to add the 10:45 a.m. service later in the summer
- Please register for worship by noon on Thursdays: [Worship Registration](#).
- Initially worship will be capped at 100 worshippers.
- Masks are to be worn to demonstrate our love and care for one another.
- Temperature screening as you check in.
- Enter and exit through the North doors.
- You will be assigned a place to sit. And dismissed by rows (from the back to the front)

Please become familiar with all of our [Reopening Procedures](#)

Caution is Encouraged

- If you are over 65 and/or you have underlying health conditions, it is recommended by the CDC and MDH, that you exercise caution and continue to worship online.
- Stay home if you have been sick or if have been in close proximity to someone who has been sick.

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 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. as we begin our journey through the season of Pentecost!

9:15 a.m. - Traditional Worship [Livestream](#)

10:00 a.m. - Meet & Greet the Pastors in the Virtual Atrium

- Click to [join the Meet & Greet with the Pastors](#)

10:45 a.m. - Contemporary Worship [Livestream](#)

WE PRAY...

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

IMMANUEL ZOOM

Did you know that Immanuel has two 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!).



Welcome

July 5, 2020

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 write it on your gold sheet. Your request will be listed for three weeks. Please let us know if you would like to have it listed longer.)

- David Atkins, heart surgery. Prayers for successful surgery and healing.

- Steve Wieman, stroke. Prayers for recovery.

- Bruce Christopher, Prayers of thanksgiving that his surgery was successful.

- Our medical missionaries Dr. Steve and Jodi Swanson serving in Arusha, Tanzania as they respond to the needs of Tanzanians during the global pandemic. Prayers for the health and safety and for continued energy and mercy in serving.

- Steve Evangelista, hospice. Prayers for comfort and strength.

- Renee Elgethun, pancreatic cancer. Prayers for comfort, strength and healing.

- Mary Shurson, continued issues with vertigo. Prayers for healing.

- Walleye Dan Eigen, son of Ike & Barb, multiple myeloma. Prayers for comfort and successful treatment.

- All seeking employment. Prayers that they find fulfilling and meaningful work.

VBS IS ABOUT TO LAUNCH July 13 - August 13. We have about 90 kids registered so far!!! We have supplies for a few more, so please signup! Available July 13 - August 13 (You decide when to use the resources) You start and stop on your schedule! We'll provide the supplies for you to pick up, or we can ship them to you! Learn more and to sign up, [VBS 2020: Rocky Railway](#)

CONNECT CAMPFIREs July 1, 7 to 7:45 p.m. Come and join in Immanuel's Connect Campfires each Wednesday in July and August. We will sing some songs, share in devotions, include some mini trivia contests, and share the blessings of faith and fellowship! Join us as we gather around the fire pit in the Immanuel backyard. Bring a blanket or a camp chair. Masks are required as we come together to care for one another, but as this is outdoors, singing will be encouraged. Hope to see you there!

DONATIONS FOR LOAVES & FISHES. The St Stephens Loaves and Fishes site, which is the site where Immanuel usually serves meals, has expressed the need for some items to serve their clients this summer. Needed items are:

- Individual/hotel size toiletries
- T-shirts (Excellent used condition is OK)
- NEW underwear and socks - all sizes, especially larger ones
- Bottled water

Please gather your donations at home and then **drop them off at church on Wednesday, July 8 between 10am and noon.** We WILL NOT be having a collection place inside the church building and will load donations directly into cars for delivery. Questions? Linda Herzog - jetskis101@aol.com or kim@immanuel.us

GROW IN UNDERSTANDING - RACIAL JUSTICE. *White Fragility*, Book Discussion Groups. During the month of July Immanuel members are invited to read the book *White Fragility: Why it's So Hard for White People to Talk about Racism* by Robin DiAngelo. In the second half of July **several small group opportunities will be available for 6-8 people** to gather and discuss the book in the context of growing in our faith as we grow in understanding some of the framework of racial justice work. Questions? Kim@Immanuel.us.

WOMEN'S BIKE RIDE July 22 & August 19, 5:30 p.m. Kari Totall, our Parish Nurse, is planning two casual summer bike rides, and she would love for you to join her!! We'll leave Immanuel at 5:30 p.m. and ride to LTD Brewing in Hopkins which is 15 miles round trip. All levels of bikers welcome. Text or call 952-836-4484 to sign up. Please RSVP at least one week in advance.