

IMMANUEL MINISTRIES

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OUT

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OTHER

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Welcome to Worship at Immanuel

Pastor Kevin Muyskens

October 18, 2020

Morning Worship: This morning our sermon series, "One Family", takes a turn. We have finished the book of Ruth and will now move several hundred years forward in history to the story of Nehemiah and the rebuilding of the wall of Jerusalem. This morning we will be introduced to Nehemiah, a servant of the Persian king, who becomes the leader of the city of Jerusalem. As Nehemiah leads the rebuilding effort others will be called to follow his leading. Our roles in the "family" change as situations come and go. We must sometimes be prepared to lead and other times to get in line and follow.

The service will be presented at 9:30 a.m. Sunday at our host site: <http://immanuelsheldon.online.church>. It will be posted for later viewing first on Pastor Kevin's youtube page, and by Tuesday on our church website, <http://immanuelsheldon.com/> under the Connections tab.

Evening Worship: What does it mean that God created human beings in his own image? Since God is spirit, this is not speaking of a physical form. The statement is followed by noting that God created humans male and female, that he gave us the mandate to fill and subdue the earth, and that he gave plants for food. God's evaluation of creation with the addition of human beings is that it is very good. Tonight we'll consider the meaning and implications of our being created in the image of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Children & Worship will meet today during the morning service.

The lesson will be "God Called Isaiah". All children ages 3 through kindergarten are welcome.

Baptism of Lily Ann De Kam: This morning we have the privilege of participating in the sacrament of baptism as Jesse and Michelle DeKam present their infant daughter. We participate in baptism as the congregation joins Jesse and Michelle in promising to raise Lily to know and to love Jesus and welcoming her into the family. Baptism is a sacrament because the LORD has chosen to use this means to place his mark and blessing upon believers and their children.

Communion: Next Sunday morning we plan to celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper together. In this celebration we remember and proclaim the death of Jesus Christ for a "complete forgiveness of all our sins." We also proclaim our unity with Jesus and with the gathered family of those who worship together. In preparation you are asked this week to examine your own faith in Jesus as Lord and Savior and your relationships with those who will join you in worship. We are then called to seek reconciliation where necessary before we come and celebrate our unity with Jesus and one another.

The CES Apple Pie Project is scheduled for October 28-31. The project will look a little different this year due to COVID guidelines.

- Pies are \$15.00 and will need to be pre-ordered by October 29. Order forms are on the Connections table next to the order box. Another easy option for ordering is to click on the link sent to you via email to fill out the Google doc order form.
- Look at the sign-up sheets on the Connections table to see where you can help out.

Immanuel Young Peoples are once again meeting on a weekly basis. Sign up on the Connections table if you are willing to supply treats for our gatherings.

Membership Matters: At Wednesday's meeting the council approved Ross Bootsma's request that his membership be transferred to Living Water CRC of Sheldon.

PRAYER PRAISES & CONCERNS:

Continue to Pray for those recovering from surgeries: Charlie Wieringa – finger injury; Ray Hernandez – hand injury; Jackie Mulder – knee replacement; Cindy Vande Brake – knee replacement. Pray for their timely and complete recoveries and for no complications. Pray also for patience for each one as they work through the restrictions of the healing process.

Helen Van Den Berg was hospitalized early this week with COVID and other complications. Praise the LORD that she was able to return home Wednesday. Pray that she will continue to recover without further complications and also that her platelet levels will continue to rise.

Coats for Kids: Bubbles and the Sheldon Ministerial are again sponsoring Coats for Kids. Children's Coats in good condition may be dropped off to Bubbles from October 19 through November 6. Bubbles will clean and do minor repairs. Please do not overload them with adult coats or items in poor condition. Coats will be distributed from 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 14 at Immanuel.

Offering Schedule: (baskets will be labeled as you enter/exit)

Today: AM: Sheldon Christian School Foundation and
Cornerstone Prison Ministries

PM: Christian Education Society

Oct 25: AM: Building Fund (Maintenance) and Benevolence

PM: Back to God Ministries

Ushers: Tom Wibben, Todd Wood, Nate Muyskens

Praise Team:

Today: Jeff Schemper family

Pianist: Shonna Wassenaar

Oct 25: Bart & Deb Peters, Sarah Vander Pol, Pastor Kevin

Nursery:

Today: Kristina Wolf, Karyss Muyskens

Oct 25: April Woudstra, Macy Wassenaar

Audio:

Today: Jarace

Oct 25: Klint

Video:

Today: Charlie

Oct 25: David

PowerPoint:

Today: Jackie H (a.m.) / Macy W (p.m.)

Oct 25: Dylan

Children & Worship:

Today: Katie W, Tracy W, Addison J, Joey W

Oct 25: No Children & Worship

This Week at Immanuel: October 18 – 24

SUN: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

WED: 7:00 p.m. GEMS and Cadets

7:15 p.m. Young Peoples

THU: 6:30 p.m. Worship Committee Meeting

7:00 p.m. Worship Planning Event