# IMMANUEL MINISTRIES Contact Persons

# IN

Staff: Autumn Dauer Leadership Team: Chris Dykstra Sunday School: Sandy Muyskens Small Groups: Autumn Dauer Work Groups: Deanna Wood Beverage Coordinator: Sharon Holz Cookie Coordinator: April Woudstra Library: Vacant

# UP

Staff: Pastor Kevin Muyskens Leadership Team: Mark Vander Pol Worship: Pastor Kevin Muyskens Communion: Mark Vander Pol Sound: Klint Tatsumi Head Usher: Steve Geels Children & Worship: Rachel Rosenboom Decorations: Vacant Nursery: Jessica Gesink Prayer Ministry: Cindy Vande Brake

#### OUT

Staff: Autumn Dauer Leadership Team: Krista Hanenburg GEMS: Melissa Wiersma Cadets: Jevon Klyn, Tyler Schemper Youth Group: Dane Buren Autumn & Brody Dauer Klint & Raeanne Tatsumi Love INC Personal Supplies Closet: Teresa Hoekstra

## OTHER

Leadership Team Secretary: Tyler Schemper Treasurer: Treyton Schemper Building & Grounds: Mike Coulander Safety Team: Todd Wood Christian Education Society Board: Tracy Wieringa, President Jena Dykstra, Vice Pres. Krista Hanenburg, Treasurer Tyler Woudstra, Secretary

# COUNCIL MEMBERS

#### Elders

Mark Vander Pol, Clerk Brad Kraayenbrink (A) Dane Buren (B) Wade Wassenaar (C) Lynn Vande Brake (D) Jeff Schemper, VP and Youth Elder

#### **Household of Faith Ministry Partners**

Group A: Teresa Hoekstra Group B: Sharla Vander Pol Group C: Sue Meyers Group D: Jill Coulander

#### Deacons

Micah Schreurs, Pres (C) Zack Wolf (A) Dan Jacobsma (B) Joel Gesink (D) Tyler Schemper, Secretary

# Welcome to Worship at Immanuel Pastor Kevin Muyskens May 8, 2022

**Morning Worship:** Last Sunday we saw Jude encouraging Christians to contend for the faith entrusted to them because some had slipped in who were setting an example of using the grace of God as a license for immorality. In the next verses, Jude gives three examples of those who started out on the right track but lost their way and found destruction. They sowed the wind and reaped the whirlwind. This is Jude's warning for us not to follow immoral examples who may slip in among believers, but instead to stand strongly for the faith as we have received it.

The worship service will be presented at 9:30 a.m. Sunday at our host site: <u>http://immanuelsheldon.online.church</u>. It will be posted for later viewing on Pastor Kevin's YouTube page and on our church website, <u>http://immanuelsheldon.com/</u>.

**Evening Worship:** Elisha is the author of some of the strangest miracles in the bible. Tonight, Pastor Kevin will introduce us to the prophet as he is anointed by Elijah as his successor. In 1 Kings 19 Elisha presents us an example of how to honor one's call while also honoring one's family. Eisha gives up his position on a wealthy family farm to become the servant of the prophet Elijah.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Children & Worship** will dismiss during the morning service. The lesson will be "Ascension & Pentecost". All children age 3 – kindergarten are to go downstairs when noted.

**Sunday School and Catechism** will meet today and finish out the term with the final meeting next Sunday, May 15.

**GEMS Counselor Meeting** will be held on Wednesday, May 11 here at Immanuel starting at 7:00 p.m.

**Communion:** Next Sunday morning we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. To prepare, examine your relationship with Christ and with fellow believers and to seek forgiveness and reconciliation where necessary.

**The Congregational Meeting** to select elders, deacons, and ministry partners is scheduled for <u>Sunday, May 22</u> following morning worship. If you are unable to attend, absentee ballots will be available on the Connections table. The ballots will need to be placed in a signed and sealed envelope and brought to the church office, given to a council member, or placed in the mailbox of Mark Vander Pol <u>prior</u> to the congregational meeting. Nominations are as follows:

Household A – Elder: Lyle Hoekstra & Tom Schemper Household B – Deacon: Cobi Jones & Shawn Wassenaar Household B – Ministry Partner: Roz Geels & Kim Heemskerk Household C – Deacon: Tom Wibben & Lorna Kraayenbrink Household C – Ministry Partner: Gail Anderson & Tracy Wieringa Household D – Elder: Matt Hanenburg & Dave Vande Brake

# PRAYER PRAISES & CONCERNS

**Mother's Day:** We pray God's blessing upon all who share the status and calling of motherhood. Bless every mother and every grandmother with the finest of your spiritual blessings today. Confirm in her heart and spirit the work of her hands and the love that she has so freely given to those children under Your care. Validate her worth daily so she has no reason to doubt whether she is loved, valued, and cherished in the eyes of her Heavenly Father.

**Steve Van Den Berg** will be undergoing heart tests at the Sanford Heart Hospital tomorrow morning. Pray that the procedures go well, and that Steve will experience good results.

**Mark Dykstra** remains at Sanford in Sioux Falls but he has moved to rehab and been able to fully participate in therapy. Pray for his continued recover especially with strength and ability with his legs.

**Praying for Synod 2022** that we may be a denomination seeking God's face together. If you sign up through the link below, the 40 daily prayers will be delivered via your email daily and will continue through June 9, the day before Synod officially begins. The organizers of this initiative reached out to pastors, church leaders, and denominational staff to write 40 different prayers all centered around the theme of "praying that God will lead us and that we will follow God's leading." If you would like to receive the daily prayers for the 40 days of this initiative, you can sign up using this link or copy and paste it in your URL: www.crcna.org/pray

## **Offering Schedule:**

- Today: AM: Missions Faith Promise PM: Rehoboth Christian School
- May 15: AM: Building Fund (Maintenance) and Benevolence PM: Rehoboth Christian School

**Nursery:** (The library is available during the service as a private space for nursing moms)

- Today: Sam J, Elijah S, Addison J
- May 15: Chris D, Avery D, Sydney H

## Praise Team:

Today: Tyler Schemper family Pianist: Jill Schemper May 15: Wiersma family Pianist: Shannon Schreurs

Audio:	Video:	PowerPoint:
Today: Kyler/Brody Today: Charlie		Today: Autumn
May 15: Zack	May 15: David	May 15: Dan W

#### Children and Worship: (Set up is 9:15 a.m. downstairs)

Today:Katie W, Tracy W, Joey WMay 15:No Children & Worship

## Coffee Servers:

Today:Mike & Jill CoulanderMay 15:Stacy Klein (more volunteers needed)

## This Week at Immanuel: May 8 - 14

SUN:	9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship
	10:45 a.m.	Sunday School and Catechism
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship
WED:	7:00 p.m.	GEMS Counselor Meeting