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Group A: Deb (Bart) Peters

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT IMMANUEL

Pastor Kevin Muyskens June 23, 2024

Morning Worship: This morning we see Jesus, the Good Shepherd, in action. The undershepherds are sent out, the bad shepherd hosts a banquet of death, the Good Shepherd hosts a eucharistic banquet of life where the contented sheep lie down in green pastures, and finally the undershepherds experience the quiet waters. Not only is Jesus acting out Psalm 23, but he is also declaring himself the new Moses by providing miraculous food in the wilderness and a miraculous crossing of the sea. Today we face the same challenge as the disciples: Will we recognize Jesus for who he is, or will our hearts be hardened?

Evening Worship: In Genesis 21 the LORD fulfills his promise to Abraham as Sarah gives birth to Isaac, whose name means laughter. Yet, when Ishmael joins in the laughter, Sarah demands that Abraham get rid of him and his mother. How is Abraham to deal with this unjust situation? More importantly, how is the LORD working out his redemption in these events?

Announcements

Communion: This morning Jesus invites us to his supper. He invites the wandering and weary to find rest in him. We are invited to come in faith and declare Jesus as Savior and Lord. All who have made this profession publicly are invited to join the Lord's Supper. All elements are gluten-free.

Youth Group Service Trip to Jamaica: Leaders and youth group members will be leaving from Immanuel on <u>Friday</u>, <u>June 28</u> to travel to Minneapolis overnight to board their plane on Saturday morning, June 29. You are invited to pray over this group at 12:30 p.m. on the 28th at church before we send them off. The group will arrive back home late on the evening of July 6 and plan to recap everyone at Immanuel during worship on Sunday evening, July 7.

Introducing the Bible: The first class introduced the Christian view of history: creation, fall, redemption, and consummation. We looked more closely at the creation and the fall from Genesis 1-3. The class will meet for a second session this <u>Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.</u> We will look at the beginning of the great redemption story that fills most of the Bible. All are welcome to attend even if you did not attend the first session.

Thank you to everyone who helped make the Unity Meal a success by serving in various ways. It's our privilege to bless members of our community with food and fellowship!

Thank you: In December and again in March we sent clothing and supplies to St. Augustine's Episcopal Church in the Chicago area to help migrants who were stranded there. The rector of St. Augustine's, Rev. Nadia Stefko, sends this thank you: Dear friends in Christ - Thank you for your generous donations (again!) to our migrant support ministry here at St. A's. It's such a gift to know that we are joined with Christians far and wide as we seek to respond to this urgent need in our community, in light of scriptures mandate to "care for the foreigner in your midst." Blessings and gratitude on your discipleship journey. In Peace, Nadia on behalf of St. A's

Multi-Purpose Building Project: Information on the timeline of the project and how to make your donations and pledges has been distributed via mailboxes and extra copies are on the Connections table. Please contact any of the finance committee members with any questions about fundraising for this project: Mark Dykstra, Jeff Schemper, Dan Jacobsma, Joel Gesink, Trey Schemper.

Save the Date! Kids Fest 2024 Registration will open <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>July 9!</u> Go to immanuelsheldon.com/kidsfest to see activity options and more information. Flyers are on the Connections table, so grab a few to pass out at daycare or the pool! Give some to your neighbors and coworkers with kids! All kids entering preschool-6th grade are welcome to participate!

PRAYER PRAISES & CONCERNS

Pray for Maryn Buckholz, 4-year-old daughter of Kayla (Zylstra) and Jordan Buckholz. She will be having surgery on Wednesday at the University of Wisconsin in Madison to correct a defect around her aorta. The family will travel Monday, tests Tuesday, surgery Wednesday, followed by a few days of follow up care. Pray for successful surgery and complete recovery. Also pray for peace and strength for Kayla and Jordan as they walk through this with Maryn.

Moment for Mission: Pray for the ministry of Kids Fest that we may reach children and their families with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Offering Schedule:

Today: AM: Building Fund and Benevolence

PM: Christian Education Society

June 30: AM: Resonate Global Mission

PM: Family Crisis Center

Safety Team:

Today: AM: Dan W, Todd W

PM: TBD

June 30: AM: Todd W, Mike C

PM: Mike C, TBD

Nursery: (The library is available during the service as a private space

for nursing moms)

Today: Sherri B, Sammie H, Wyatt C June 30: Michelle DK, Landan H, Evie R

Morning Praise Team:

Today: Melissa Wiersma, David Wiersma, Nate Muyskens

Pianist: Jill Schemper

June 30: Kim Heemskerk, Nate Muyskens

Pianist: Shonna Wassenaar

Audio:Video:PowerPoint:Today: CobiToday: BrodyToday: EddieJune 30: AdamJune 30: David (Dan)June 30: Eddie

Coffee Servers:

Today: Mark Wieringa family June 30: Dan Wiersma family

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL: June 23 - 29

SUN: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

TUE: 6:30 p.m. Introducing the Bible Class

7:30 p.m. Leadership Team

FRI: 12:30 p.m. Prayer Send-off @ Immanuel for

Youth Group Service Trip