# 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: Sue Meyers

### 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: Jaiden Tebben
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:

Autumn & Brody Dauer Klint & Raeanne Tatsumi Cliff & Sherri Bootsma Todd & Deanna Wood Love INC Personal Supplies Closet: Teresa Hoekstra

### **OTHER**

Tyler Schemper
Treasurer: Treyton Schemper
Building & Grounds: Mike Coulander
Safety Team: Todd Wood
Christian Education Society Board:
Jena Dykstra, President
Rachel Rosenboom, VP
Krista Hanenburg, Treasurer
Jill Schemper, Secretary

Leadership Team Secretary:

# **COUNCIL MEMBERS**

#### **Elders**

Mark Vander Pol, Clerk
Lyle Hoekstra (A)
Dane Buren (B)
Wade Wassenaar (C)
Matt Hanenburg (D)
Jeff Schemper, VP and Youth Elder

# Deacons

Dan Jacobsma, Pres (A) Shawn Wassenaar (B) Lorna Kraayenbrink (C) Joel Gesink, VP (D) Tyler Schemper, Secretary

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

Group A: Teresa Hoekstra Group B: Roz Geels Group C: Gail Anderson Group D: Jill Coulander

# Welcome to Worship at Immanuel

# Pastor Kevin Muyskens October 2, 2022

Morning Worship: The sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper are God's gifts of grace acted out for the worshipping body of Jesus Christ. These are tangible reminders of the actions of Jesus Christ who achieved our salvation from sin, death, and hell. Participation in the sacraments places requirements on partakers that we live in harmony with the motives of Jesus. This morning we will look together at a challenge given to the Christians in Corinth to make their actions live up to what they were proclaiming when they shared the Lord's Supper.

The worship service will be presented at 9:30 a.m. Sunday at our host site: <a href="http://immanuelsheldon.online.church">http://immanuelsheldon.online.church</a>. It will be posted for later viewing on the Immanuel Church of Sheldon Iowa YouTube page and on our church website, <a href="http://immanuelsheldon.com/">http://immanuelsheldon.com/</a>.

**Evening Worship:** This evening Rev. Ross Hoekstra will lead our evening worship and share God's word with us from Romans 5. Romans 5 reminds us of the peace we have through faith in Jesus Christ and his grace. That grace becomes our hope when we face the fires of life with the assurance that nothing will separate us from God's love.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Baptism:** This morning, we plan to celebrate the sacrament of Holy Baptism. We are excited to officially welcome to the congregation Cooper Gesink, son of Joel and Jessica, and Eliza Jones, daughter of Cobi and Samantha. Join us as we vow before God and one another to raise these children to know, to love, and to serve Jesus Christ.

**Small Groups:** The third small group sermon and material for the second session is available today. The third session will cover only today's sermon and next week's sermon. Material for the first three sessions can be found in the church mailboxes at the bottom of the "A" column.

**Communion:** Next Sunday we will celebrate the Lord's Supper together. We are encouraged to examine ourselves before the celebration. This morning Pastor Kevin will be preaching on the passage that gives us that encouragement, and we will see the purpose and focus of that examination.

Thank you to all who participated in Immanuel's Best. Immanuel chefs came through with a wonderful potluck meal followed by delicious desserts. Tami Schemper won the Best Dessert contest with her Oreo Cheesecake. \$1,200 was raised for the Youth Group. A great evening of fellowship was shared by all who were able to attend.

Immanuel's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration will be held on Sunday, October 16. Plans are underway to have an extended morning service with former pastors participating followed by lunch together. We will not have an evening service on that Sunday. Pastor Kevin will host an open house with Pastor Peter Holwerda. Pastor Bernie Haan, and Pastor Randy Bergsma at the Muyskens' home from 6:00-8:30 p.m. on Saturday, October 15.

Mark Your Calendars! The CES Apple Pie Committee is pleased to announce that this year's project will take place October 19-22. Pies will be sold for \$16. Apple pie order forms may be found on the Connections table. Completed orders with payment may be dropped off in the box on the Connections table or mailed to church (PO Box 114, Sheldon IA 51201).

Note for Plant Lovers: The geraniums in the church planters are being offered to any interested takers (to possibly winter them over and then set them out in the spring). There are good suggestions at this link: https://empressofdirt.net/overwintering-geraniums/

Come and visit the library! We've organized the books into sections to make it easier to find what you need. Our library has several series of books by favorite authors, such as Karen Kingsbury and Max Lucado. Please sign your name on the card inside the book and leave the card on the table. Also, there are a lot of cards not attached to books. Please bring in any books that have been resting at home.

**Sheldon Area Food Bank** will be Monday, October 3 at Living Water Community Church (610 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue) from 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Coats for Kids is happening again this fall. Gently used or new coats may be dropped off at Top Notch Stitching from October 17 to November 14. Please indicate if your coats are new so they are not cleaned. Distribution will be Saturday, November 19.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Jack Schreurs' sister, Diane, passed away Tuesday in Sheboygan, WI. The funeral was scheduled for Saturday morning. Pray for Jack and the extended family as they celebrate her life and memory and mourn her loss.

## Offering Schedule:

Today: AM: Christian Education Society and SCS Foundation

PM: Proclaim Aviation Ministries

Oct 9: AM: Resonate Global Mission and Benevolence

PM: Proclaim Aviation Ministries

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

nursina moms)

Today: Rachel R, Ella W, Samantha W Oct 9: Jena S, Dylan H, Sydney H

#### **Praise Team:**

Today: Kristina Wolf, Shonna Wassenaar, Ray Hernandez

Pianist: Jill Schemper

Bart & Deb Peters, Melissa Wiersma Oct 9:

Pianist: Shannon Schreurs

PowerPoint: Audio: Video: Today: Coby Today: Brody Today: Dan a.m.

Oct 9: David Oct 9: Matthew (Autumn) Oct 9: Klint

### **Coffee Servers:**

Today: Tyler & Tami Schemper, Roger Boer

Oct 9: Tyler & April Woudstra, Erv & Kathy Wieringa

## Children & Worship:

Shannon S, Tracy W, Joey W Today:

Oct 9: No Children & Worship

# This Week at Immanuel: October 2 – 8

SUN: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship

> 10:45 a.m. Sunday School & Catechism

11:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal 6:00 p.m. **Evening Worship** 

Worship Committee 7:00 p.m. MON: WED: 7:00 p.m. **GEMS** and Cadets

> 7:15 p.m. Youth Group