



Immanuel United Methodist Church

Sunday, August 6, 2023
10th Sunday after Pentecost

ENTER TO WORSHIP

Enter the Sanctuary quietly and reverently, respecting the meditation of others, and opening to the presence of God.

Prelude and Receiving the Light of Christ

(The entrance of the Light into worship represents the Light of Christ among us)

Greeting

Ministry Updates

Children's Missions Collection & Children's Time

(Children depart for Kingdom Kids)

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship: We Are the Church (vs 1,2)

#558

*Hymn: Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast (vs 1,2,3)

#616

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

#881

*Gloria Patri

#70

WE CONVERSE WITH GOD

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

WE GIVE TO GOD

God's Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology: Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

#95

Anthem: *Special Music by Corey Sullivan*

Scripture Reading: Matthew 14:13-21

pew bible pg. 796

Sermon: Presence of Heart

Holy Communion

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*Hymn: Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling (vs 1, 4)

#348

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

(The Light of Christ goes out into the world)

POSTLUDE

DEPART TO SERVE

*denotes standing as you are able



MINISTRY UPDATES



WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY!

We hope that you receive a blessing from the service and that you will join us again soon. If you are visiting, please fill out a Visitor's Card and place it in the offering plate.



OUR RECORD OF STEWARDSHIP 7/30/2023:

Sunday School Attendance: 7

Worship Service Attendance: 28

Offering Last Sunday: \$1,251.00

*needed per week: \$476.00

"Freely you have received, freely give."

Matthew 10:8

Thank you for your continued support to your church!

(Family Life Center Building Fund to date: \$26,228.92)



It'll be here before you know it! There is a collection box in the narthex for items donated to fill Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes! We will fill the shoeboxes in November so start NOW by picking up an item or two when you're out and about or running errands so we're good and ready when time comes to pack and fill them! Please see Debra Watson if you have questions!



CAMP DAYS are once again planned for all of the Sundays of August through Labor Day Weekend (September 3)! It's an opportunity to revisit, recharge, and recommit to the promises we make when joining the church (*presence, prayers, gifts, service, and witness*). Everyone is invited to dress comfy casual (that South Carolina August heat can be a sizzler)! Our sermon series is the *Church Body*, and every Camp Day Sunday you are invited to participate within worship. Please contact Pastor Suzy if you have any questions!

•August 6 - Presence - Show and Tell

•August 13 - Prayer - written, spoken, lead

•August 20 - Gifts - please bring an extra "offering"

•August 27 - Service - To Share a Talent in worship - Random Acts of Kindness

•September 3 - Witness - Personal Testimonies

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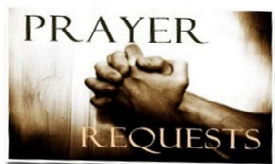
Immanuel UMC's mission statement:

"By God's GRACE and the

GUIDANCE of the Holy Spirit

we PURSUE Christ to become and make disciples for the transformation of the world."

grace guidance pursue



Leslie Agle
Pam & Rick Arries
Allison Bennett
Amanda Bevins
Tammey Bingham
Mae Bonnett
Marsha Bryant
Susan Caldwell
Donna Chandler
Ann Compton
Gracie Craig
Judy Cramer

George Benny Davis
Kelly Everett
Joyce Ann Ford
Linda Fuller
Roger Gossett
Teresa Greene
Corey Gwinn
Amy Hansen
Darrell Hawkins
Cathy Hedrick
Carolyn Henniss
Carol Hooks
Mabel Howard
Jeff Keeling
Mike Keeling
Allen Lawson
Marsha Lawson

Mary Ann Lawson
Ron Lawson
David Parris
Lib Penland
Melvin Pittman
Richard Pittman
Melinda Rittenhouse
Will Sawyer
Claudia Shultz
Staci Sizemore & Family
Corey Sullivan
Pastor Suzy Sullivan
Mrs. Sumerel
Ruby Ward
Liz Welsh
Sharon Wilborn
Nikki Witt

Lay Servant Classes will start in the Fall! Please see Anna Reese if you are interested in becoming a certified Lay Servant. Also, Anna would love to know if anyone is interested in being a guest speaker if ever Pastor Suzy is out!

Blessing of the Backpacks is coming up next Sunday, August 13th! Students and any teachers/school staff, please bring in your back pack/briefcase/clipboard/etc. for a blessing for the new school year!



Monday, August 14th is the start of a new school year!which also means it's time for **Prayer Partners!**



"Cathy, Thank you and IUMC so very much for all you do for the faculty and staff at Wellford. Wellford feels SO very loved!! The ice cream truck last week was the perfect way to end the week. The church has embraced Wellford and the love we feel from you all is immeasurable!!

Also, I am not sure who my prayer partner is, but can you please let them know how very much I appreciate them? They always send a card or gift at just the right time!!! They have done WAY too much for me this year, but I have appreciated all of it. Please tell them God has used them in a might way to minister to my heart

Thank you again for everything!!

Cathy - IUMC has created so many smiling faces this year. Please pass along my gratitude to your friends. The ice cream truck on Friday was SO MUCH FUN!! What a refreshing treat after a long week of testing!

Will you also share my thanks with my prayer partner? This person has been so generous and thoughtful over the year. They truly have been a blessing to me.

Sending much love and thankfulness -



Sunday School 10:30am

Worship Service 11:30am

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