



Immanuel United Methodist Church

Sunday, October 8, 2023

19th 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: Sanctuary

*Hymn: Victory In Jesus #370

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: Love Lifted Me

Scripture Reading: John 1:1-18

Message: Bragging On Jesus

pew bible pg. 962

by Phyllis Lawson

*Hymn: Blessed Assurance #369

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 10/1/2023:

Sunday School Attendance: 9

Worship Service Attendance: 27

Offering Last Sunday: \$1,045.00

*needed per week: \$1,314.33

"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)

Please continue to bring in your food items:

Canned vegetables and fruits, peanut butter and jelly, pancake mix and syrup, pasta noodles and sauces (spaghetti sauce, etc), canned meats, all types of beans.



ADDITIONAL NEEDS!

- Laundry detergent of any type
- Any type cleaning products/supplies
- Plastic grocery bags!

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! This is a special time set aside to recognize the selfless contributions and service of pastors and clergy. Baskets are in the narthex every Sunday of the month of October to collect any gifts or items of appreciation you bring for Pastor Suzy and her family!

Choir Practice has moved to Monday evening at 6pm. Would love to have you join us! See Phyllis Lawson for information!



Choir Practice

Visit us on the web at immanuelumc.com!

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."

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Charge Conference is scheduled for 6:30pm at Immanuel UMC on Monday, October 16th. It's very early this year - make sure to mark your calendars to attend!



Pam & Rick Arries
Allison Bennett
Tammey Bingham
Mae Bonnett
Louise Brown
Marsha Bryant
Donna Chandler
Gracie Craig
Judy Cramer
George Benny Davis
Scott & Bridget Diaz
Monty Ennis

Kelly Everett
Joyce Ann Ford
Linda Fuller
Roger Gossett
Teresa Greene
Corey Gwinn
Amy Hansen
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
Staci Sizemore & Family
Corey Sullivan
Jimmy Sullivan
Pastor Suzy Sullivan
Mrs. Sumerel
Bree & Kason Trammell
Ruby Ward
Liz Welsh
Sharon Wilborn
Keith Woodsby
Debby Zinnicki



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! **Collection Sunday is November 19th** 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!



Grace
is the most beautiful word
in the language of God –
it means love
given freely
and without expectation of return.



Sunday School 10:30am

Worship Service 11:30am

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