Offering Schedule: (baskets will be passed during the morning service)

Today: AM: Resonate Global Mission and Benevolence

PM: Christian Education Society

June 20: AM: World Renew

PM: Genesis House

Ushers: Lee Scholten, Don Beltman, Linda Beltman

Praise Team:

Today: Bart & Deb Peters, Sarah Vander Pol,

Samantha Jones, Pastor Kevin

Pianist: Kathy Wieringa

June 27: Kristina Wolf, Shonna Wassenaar

Pianist: Shannon Schreurs

Nursery: (The library is available as a private space for nursing moms)

Today: Sherri B, Addison J, Ashley S June 27: Alyssa P, Alyssa S, Kolby H

Audio: Video: PowerPoint:

Today: Kyler Today: Charlie Today: Dan W June 27: Jarace June 27: David June 27: Dylan

Coffee Servers:

Today: Larry & Sue Meyers, Cobi & Samantha Jones

June 27: Arlene Westerveld, Kathy Wieringa,

Twyla Smit, Doris Kreykes

This Week at Immanuel: June 20 – 26

SUN: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

TUE: 1:30 p.m. Youth Group Send-off

Welcome to Worship at Immanuel

Pastor Kevin Muyskens June 20, 2021

Morning Worship: Godly leadership requires integrity and faith. This morning we find Joshua serving as one of twelve spies sent to reconnoiter land that the LORD has promised as a homeland for his people Israel. All twelve share the same experiences, but they report them to the rest of the people in very different ways. Two characteristics set Joshua and Caleb apart from the other ten: integrity and faith.

The worship service will be presented at 9:30 a.m. Sunday at our host site: http://immanuelsheldon.online.church. It will be posted for later viewing first on Pastor Kevin's Youtube page, and by Tuesday on our church website, http://immanuelsheldon.com/; click on the top Media menu, then "Browse Sermons".

Evening Worship: Many of us find ourselves tired, burdened, and overworked. God deals with this all-to-human condition in his basic guidelines for living, the Ten Commandments. This evening we will look at the call to observe a Sabbath as God's gift of rest for his people. We all need rest, and one way God provides for that need is to set aside one day each week. God gave this gift to a bunch of people who were used to being worked as slaves. He offers it to us to relieve us from bondage to work and busyness. How shall we open that gift?

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Communion: This morning we have the privilege to celebrate the Lord's Supper together. In communion, God "wants to assure us, by this visible sign and pledge, that ... all of his suffering and obedience are as definitely ours as if we personally had suffered and paid for our sins" (Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 79). All who know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and who have proclaimed that faith through membership in a church that teaches Jesus as the only means of salvation are invited to participate in the Lord's Supper.

Youth Group News: The service trip dates are June 22-27. All snack and drink items are due back today. Please bring items to the Council room.

Service Opportunity: Freedom's Gate Church in Sioux Falls, SD. is inviting us to worship with them on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>June 27</u> at 5:00 p.m. We would help provide and serve a meal after the service and provide transportation (van provided). This is a new church started by Pastor Jason Wiersma, former Pastor of Living Stone Prison Church, in Springfield, SD. Pastor Wiersma saw a need to serve former inmates as they adjust to life outside prison walls. He started this small but growing community of believers. Contact Brad Kraayenbrink 712-635-7753 for information and if you would like to attend.

Ice Cream & Yard Games: The first summer fellowship event of the year has been planned for <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 30</u> from 7:00-9:00 p.m. here at Immanuel. Come cool off with some cool treats and stay and play a few yard games! Come and go as you want. Look for more details posted on Immanuel's Facebook page.

Kids Fest is set for July 25-28! Share with your neighbors and friends to help spread the word.

- Registration will open on <u>Monday</u>, <u>July 5</u> and close on Monday, <u>July 12</u>.
- The Kids Fest is asking for donations of packages of paper plates (durable for kids and for block party), water bottles, juice boxes, name brand pop (please no store brands or other off brands), and individual serving size bags of chips. Watch for sales and bring in items before July 20th so we know what is needed after that date.
- Just a heads up, the week of the event we will be collecting fresh fruit and vegetables to serve with the meal each evening.

Michelle's Orphans Birthdays: August birthday cards are due Sunday, June 27! REMINDER: Michelle requests that envelopes be left unsealed. Your English message needs to go through a translator before delivery. August birthdays include: Andrei (boy) who is turning 15 and adult ministry partner, Sergey K (from the Pishana village orphanage team).

New Members' Class: Pastor Kevin is setting up a new members' class specifically for youth from jr. high through college age. Please let him know of your interest. Older adults who are interested in membership should also speak to Pastor Kevin so processes can be set up on an individual basis.

Coffee Servers: On the Connections table there is a sign-up sheet for Sunday morning coffee servers for July and August. Please consider this as a simple way to serve the church with your immediate family, group of friends, couples, or small group.

Cookie Bakers: If you are willing to be on a call list to make a batch of cookies for serving for church fellowship, please contact the church office (324-4523).

Cadets: Three Rivers Cadet Council is hosting a campout at Lake Pahoja July 14-17 for the current members of the Sheldon Cadet Club. There is no registration fee. Please call Jevon Klyn (712) 348-4048 by June 30 if you would like to attend. We are in need of adult counselors to attend as well.

PRAYER PRAISES & CONCERNS

Congratulations to Kaylee Smith on the birth of her daughter Oaklynn Grace on Tuesday, June 8. She weighed in at 6lbs 9oz. Pray for God's grace and strength for Kaylee and for her to receive the support she needs as she takes on this joy and responsibility.

Pray for a good response to Kids Fest fliers that were distributed this week. Ask the LORD to give us many opportunities to present the love of Jesus to children in our community and their families.

Pray for the youth group and leaders Dane Buren and Autumn Dauer as they prepare for their service trip to Kansas City. They will be leaving on Tuesday, June 22. Pray for safe travel and that God will work in and through our youth to draw people closer to Him. Youth attending include: Kyler Heemskerk, Kellie Jo Martin, Jarace Schemper, David Wiersma, Charlie Wieringa, Colten Vande Brake, Andrew Frohwein, Kameron Winter, Karyss Muyskens, Macy Wassenaar, Dylan Hanenburg, and Aidyn Schemper.