

IMMANUEL MINISTRIES

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OUT

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OTHER

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Welcome to Worship at Immanuel

Pastor Kevin Muyskens

November 14, 2021

Morning Worship: This morning Pastor Kevin will conclude our "One Anothering" series with the call to "Spur One Another on to Love and Good Deeds." While good deeds are not our hope for eternal life, they are a non-negotiable part of the life of those who would follow Jesus. An integral part of encouraging and admonishing one another is to inspire those with whom we live life daily to be about the good deeds of Jesus.

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: Ezekiel 13 brings us to a condemnation of those who bring messages of hope when the LORD has promised judgment. Foreshadowing Jesus' calling the scribes and Pharisees whitewashed tombs, the LORD speaks through Ezekiel to share the dire message that the word of peace spoken by prophets and leaders in Jerusalem is like whitewashing a crumbling wall. Further, those who set their hope on other powers beside the LORD are only leading people astray. This is a challenging word for those trying to hold up a Christian lifestyle in our pluralistic world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Profession of Faith: Brody and Autumn Dauer appeared before the council to share their faith in Jesus Christ as part of the process of joining Immanuel Church. Their public profession (Autumn) and reaffirmation (Brody) will take place in worship in the near future.

Congregational Meeting: Wednesday evening the council approved a proposed budget for 2022. The congregational meeting to discuss and vote on that budget will be held Wednesday, **December 8 @ 6:20 p.m.** Please note the earlier time. The hope is to keep the meeting on a Wednesday but allow other activities to begin on schedule. A time of refreshments and fellowship is also planned after the meeting.

Instrumentalists in 7th grade through age 105: Please contact Jack Schreurs (skruce66@gmail.com) **BY TODAY** if you are willing to practice and share your gifts during the Advent and Christmas Season.

Ministry Opportunity:

- **Coffee Serving Schedule:** A sign-up sheet through the end of the year is on the Connections table. Volunteers are needed (3-4 per Sunday) to make coffee and serve it along with juice/cider (in December). Instructions are provided. This is a great way to be the hands and feet of Jesus!

Prayer

Emmie De Jong fell and broke her upper right arm in several places last week. She had surgery to repair the bone and is currently in a swing bed in the Orange City Hospital. Pray for her recovery, especially that she retains full movement of her arm and hand.

Special Holiday Giving Opportunities:

- ❖ **The Giving Tree** is up. Tags are available for you to take and fill from Love INC. As of Thursday we are still waiting for tags from Upper Des Moines. When you take a tag, please write your name on the sign-up sheet next to the tree. All gifts should be prepared as stated on the tag and must be returned by November 28.
- ❖ **An Offering of Thanks** will be part of our Thanksgiving Eve worship. We are going to focus on four areas of giving thanks in this service taken from the song "For the Beauty of the Earth:" 1) Savoring What's Around Us – the Beauty of the Earth. 2) Savoring Moments – The Wonder of Each Hour. 3) Savoring Loved Ones – The Joy of Human Love. 4) Savoring Christ – Best Gift Divine. There is a tan half-sheet in your bulletin. Please list items or instances of Thanksgiving for you and/or your family under the various categories. If you would like to tell a longer story, feel free to attach more paper. We are asking for those to be turned in via the church office or the offering plate by next Sunday the 21st so they can be crafted into our prayers of Thanksgiving for the service.
- ❖ **A Reverse Offering** will also be a part of our Thanksgiving Eve service. We will gather items requested by Love INC. Slips will be distributed through the offering plate this morning. Extra slips will be placed in an offering basket on the bulletin table.

- ❖ **Thanksgiving Offering** envelopes will be distributed in the bulletin on November 21.

Offering Schedule:

Today: AM: Christian Education Society
PM: Michelle Maly (Michelle's Orphans)
Nov 21: AM: Tuition Help Fund
PM: Christian Education Society

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

Today: Sherri B, Alyssa S, Chris F
Nov 21: Alyssa P, Ashley S, Avery D

Praise Team:

Today: Heemskerk family
Piano: Shannon Schreurs
Nov 21: Tyler Schemper family
Piano: Shannon Schreurs

Audio:

Today: Brody
Nov 21: Kyler

Video:

Today: Sammie
Nov 21: Brody

PowerPoint:

Today: Jackie H
Nov 21: Autumn

Children and Worship: (Set up is 9:15 a.m. downstairs)

Today: Tami S, Samantha J, Joey W

Coffee Servers:

Today: Cobi & Samantha Jones
Nov 21: Melanie Post, Stacy Klein

November Ushers: Brody Dauer, Kyler Heemskerk,
Steve Holz

This Week at Immanuel: November 14-20

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| 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 |
| WED: | 7:00 p.m. | GEMS & Cadets |
| | 7:15 p.m. | Youth Group |