Welcome to

# IMMANUEL UNITED REFORMED CHURCH



Sunday, July 14, 2024

Worship Services: 10:00 am & 5:00 pm

Rev. Roberto Rossi, Pastor Rev. Ken Anema, Associate Pastor Rev. Nathan Brummel, Associate Pastor

# MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

#### Prelude

#### GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE

Call to Worship
Silent Prayer-concluded by minister
*Votum
<b>Pastor</b> : Proclaim the name of the Lord and ascribe greatness to our God.
<b>Congregation</b> : I will tell of Your name to my brothers; in the midst of the congregation, I will praise You.
*Salutation
*Song of Praise: 29BNow unto Jehovah, Ye Sons of the Mighty

### **GOD PARDONS HIS PEOPLE**

Reading of God's Law	
Assurance of Pardon	
Song of Confession & Assurance: 116A:1-4	I Love the LORD, for He Has Heard My Voice
Congregational Prayer	
Offering of Tithes & Gifts:	General Fund and CLIR (Rev. Bill Green in Costa Rica)

#### GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE

*Song of Preparation: 110B	The LORD Has Spoken to My Lord
Reading of the Word:	Ephesians 6:10-20 (p. 1163)

### Sermon: TAKE UP YOUR WEAPONS

Prayer of Application	
*Song of Application: 475	Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode

#### **GOD'S BLESSES HIS PEOPLE**

*Benediction	
*Doxology: 106B:1, 14	O Praise the Lord, for He Is Good
*Silent Prayer-concluded by the Postlude	
*Postlude	

\*Please stand if able.

# EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

### GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE

Call to Worship Silent Prayer - concluded by minister \*Votum

Pastor: Proclaim the name of the Lord and ascribe greatness to our God.

**Congregation**: I will tell of Your name to my brothers; in the midst of the congregation, I will praise You. \*Salutation

### **GOD'S PEOPLE OFFER PRAISE**

*Confession of Faith	Apostles' Creed
*Song of Praise: 47A	O Clap Your Hands
Psalm Reading	
Singing of the Psalm: 39:1, 3-5	
Congregational Prayer	
Offering of Tithes & Gifts:Gene	ral Fund and CLIR (Rev. Bill Green in Costa Rica)

### GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE

*Hymn of Preparation: 368	Jesus, Lord, Redeemer
Reading of the Word:	Hebrews 1:1-4 (p. 1187)

#### Sermon: THE ETERNAL SON IS WORTHY OF YOUR ADORATION

### GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND

Prayer of Application	
*Hymn of Application: 372Christ, above All Glory Se	eated

#### **GOD BLESSES HIS PEOPLE**

*Benediction	
*Doxology: 563	
*Silent Prayer-concluded by the Postlude	
*Postlude	

\*Please stand if able.

### THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

Coffee Fellowship after the morning worship service. Nursery AM: Sue DeBoer and Jude Colanese PM: Abby Dyke & Liv Cox On-call Nursery Attendant: Lydia Rossi Sound System: Peter Brummel Greeters AM: Tim Verduin Family (South), Brent & Val Dykhuizen (North), Jacob Dyke (Elevator) Greeters PM: William Green Family (South), Pastor Anema Family (North), Calvin Eenigenburg (Elevator) Song Service: Elias Martin; Songs: 119R, 119T, 119V Tuesday: Building & Grounds Committee meets at 7:00 pm. Saturday: Church picnic at Immanuel at 5:00 pm.

#### NEXT WEEK SUNDAY: JULY 21

Coffee Fellowship after the morning worship service. Nursery AM: Alicia Dyke and Nolan Dyke On-call Attendant: Laurel Stegenga Sound System: Amos Terpstra Greeters AM: Tim & Laurel Stegenga (South), Ray Vander Molen Family (North), Max Vander Molen (Elv.) Greeters PM: Clarence & Patty Oudman (South), Josh Hubers Family (North), Reagan Ryken (Elevator) Song Service: Jay Staley Cookies: Leanna Bakker, Maggie Bakker, Carrie Bakker, Maureen Birkett

# UPCOMING DATES:

July 22: Baby Sprinkle for Amanda Staley and Abbie Martin at 6:00 pm.

July 23: Council meets at 7:00 pm.

August 6: Consistory meets at 7:00 pm.

August 10: Touch of Dutch Festival.

August 12: Deacons meet at 7:00 pm.

August 14: Prayer Meeting at 7:00 pm.

August 18: Chapel Service at Oak Grove Christian Retirement Center.

September 8: Sunday School and Catechism classes begin.

# Congregational Care

- Tim & Laurel Stegenga
- Youth Group and Pastor Rossi as they attend the RYS Convention in Oregon.
- Jack Pfau
- The Green Family
- Jim Kuiper
- Expectant mothers: Abbie Martin & Stephanie Kingma.
- Teen Mother Choices (TMC)

## Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen

#### United in Prayer-Missionary Prayer Requests

Rev. Brandon Burks is a church-planter in Florence, Kentucky.

- Pray that our core group will continue to be built up both spiritually and numerically.
- Pray that our covenant children grow in their love for Christ and His church.
- Pray that God will build and establish Christ Reformed Church, for if God does not build, we labor in vain.

### Deacon Report

Our offerings next Sunday will be for the General Fund and DeMotte Christian Schools, Inc.

All cash donations not placed in an envelope and designated will go to the second offering cause.

Our weekly amount to meet budget 2024 is \$8,160.

#### **Consistory Announcements**

Pastor Rossi will be serving at the RYS Convention this week. Please contact your parish elder for prayer or pastoral care. Thank you.

At her request, the membership of Renae DeJong has been transferred to Doon United Reformed Church in Doon, Iowa.

### **General Announcements**

We are grateful to have Pastor Paul Ipema lead us in worship today. Rev. Ipema is Assistant Professor of Ministerial Studies and Dean of Students at Mid-America Reformed Seminary in Dyer, Indiana.

We rejoice with Ryan and Kirsten Zandstra who were united in marriage yesterday. May God bless them as they establish their home together.

**Youth Group** is looking for couples or individuals interested in leading our youth group program. We meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of every month during the school year. Please reach out to Nathan or Carrie Bakker if interested in being a part our teens lives.

**Ladies Bible Study** will study Psalm 91 at Donna Hamstra's home on Wednesday, July 24, at 10:00 am. All ladies' of the church are welcome to attend!

**Donation Opportunity:** Tessa Vander Molen and a few other members of our church are going on a weeklong mission trip to Wheelwright, Kentucky and are in need of donations! Tessa is collecting items to be given out to this poverty-stricken town. **Items needed:** school supplies for the schools, as well as diapers of any size, feminine products, toilet paper, paper towels, and plastic table cloths. The group leaves early July 21, so contact Tessa this week if you would like to donate items (219) 206-8895.

**Baby Sprinkle Celebration** for Amanda Staley and Abbie Martin will be at 6:00 pm on Monday, July 22. Please sign up today to bring a food item at the sign-up table in the Fellowship Hall. **Please note the new start time of 6:00 pm!** 

**Evangelism & Outreach Committee** encourages you to participate in the **Touch of Dutch Festival** on Saturday, August 10, in DeMotte. Once again, we have the opportunity to serve the Lord by providing bottled water and engaging in conversation with our neighbors! Sign-up forms are in your mailboxes. Please place your completed form in Donna Hamstra's mailbox. Thank you!

Mark your calendars for the **Second Annual Kevin Bultema Memorial Golf Outing** to be held on August 3 at Cardinal Creek with an 8:00 am shotgun start. This year all proceeds will go to the family of Lisa Tackett who lost her husband to pancreatic cancer. Check the flyer in back of church for more details or contact Karl Bultema at <u>karlbultema12@gmail.com</u> (708) 491-3785.

#### Our Council:

DEACONS:

**ELDERS:** President: Mark Van Der Molen (25) Parish 1 Vice President: Russ Vander Molen (24) Parish 4 Clerk: John DeBoer (25) Derek Terpstra (26) Parish 3 Jon Hoek (24) Parish 2

#### President: Ray Vander Molen (24) Parish 1 Vice President: Jim Zeilenga (25) Parish 2 Secretary: Nathan DeJong (25) Parish 3 Treasurer: Ross Hoek (26) Assistant Treasurer: Josh Hubers (24) Parish 4

#### Parishes:

1: Anema – Drenth	2: Dyke – Hubers	3: Ipema – Ryken	4: Staley – Zeilenga

#### Committees and Contact Person:

Administrative Assistant: Donna Hamstra	Librarian: Maggie Bakker
Adult Sunday School: Pastor Ken Anema	Men's Bible Study: Rudy Tolkamp
Bookkeeper: Elaine Dyke	Nursery: Jessica Colanese
Building & Grounds: Jim Zeilenga	Sound & Video System: Rudy Tolkamp
Bulletin: please contact Administrative Assistant	Special Events Coordinator: Mary Vander Molen
Cadets: Jerry Hager	Special Music: Derek Terpstra
Custodians: Dave and Dawn DeGraff	Story Hour: Stacey Tolkamp
Education: Russ Vander Molen	Sunday School: Carolyn Hager
Evangelism & Outreach: Pastor Roberto Rossi	Teen Mother Choices: Stacey Tolkamp
Fellowship: Wendy Buiter	Web Manager: Dana Perkins
Funerals: Beth Kingma	Women's Bible Study: Donna Hamstra
GEMS Club: Carrie Rossi	Youth Group: Nathan & Carrie Bakker and
Helping Hands: Naomi Hamstra	Derek and Jennie Terpstra

#### Church Contact Information:

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