

# IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

January 21, 2024

10:30 a.m.



*We welcome you to Immanuel. As we worship together let us rejoice in the love that God has shown us in Jesus Christ and share that love with each other.*

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## Office Information

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 8:30 am-12:00 pm, 1:00-3:00 pm

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## Today's Service Participants

Pastors: Leah Stolte-Doerfler & Manuel Borbon

Keyboardist: Deborah Butler

Musicians/Song Leaders: Mark & Nancy Dickman, Norman English,  
Barbara Haberlach & Marsa Terrell

## Third Sunday after Epiphany

Today's hymns are projected on the screen.

*Please stand as you are able where the asterisk (\*) appears.*

**Prelude**

*"Our Confidence is in the Lord"*

W&P #114

**PL Welcome & Announcements**

**\*PM Mission Statement:** **As we follow Jesus the Christ**, our mission is to welcome, accept and encourage all people.

## GATHERING

### \*Confession & Forgiveness

**PL** Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, creator of darkness and light, word of truth, wind sweeping over the waters.

**C Amen.**

**PM** Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. *Silence is kept for reflection.* God, our rock and refuge,

**C we pour out our hearts before you. We have known you but have not always loved you. We have wounded one another and sinned against you. We have not always recognized the Holy Spirit dwelling in each of us. Remember your covenant. Renew your creation. Restore us, that we might proclaim your good news to all. Amen.**

**PL** The voice of the Lord is upon the waters. God has spoken: The time of grace is now. In Jesus, the reign of God has come near. By the authority of ☩ Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are God's beloved.

**C Amen.**

### \*Opening Hymn

*"Gather Us In"*

HS #778

### \*Greeting

**PM** From God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, One God: grace and peace be with you all.

**C And also with you.**

**\*The Kyrie**

**\*Hymn of Praise**                      *“Glory to God”*

PM **\*Prayer of the Day** (prayed by all)

**Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

**WORD**

**A    First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5, 10**

The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, “Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you.” So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days’ walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day’s walk. And he cried out, “Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!” And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it. (NRSV)

A    The Word of the Lord

**C    Thanks be to God**

**A    Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31**

Brothers and sisters, the appointed time has grown short; from now on, let even those who have wives be as though they had none, and those who mourn as though they were not mourning, and those who rejoice as though they were not rejoicing, and those who buy as though they had no possessions, and those who deal with the world as though they had no dealings with it. For the present form of this world is passing away. (NRSV)

A    The Word of the Lord

**C    Thanks be to God**

**\*Gospel Verse**

Words on Screen

PL    \*The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the first chapter.

**C    Glory to you, O Lord.**

**\*Gospel: Mark 1:14-20**

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.” As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, “Follow me and I will make you fish for people.” And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him. (NRSV)

\*PL The Gospel of the Lord

**C    Praise to you, O Christ**

**Kid’s Time**

Pastor Manuel Borbon

**Message**

Pastor Leah Stole-Doerfler

**\*Hymn of the Day**    *“Jesus Calls Us; o’er the Tumult”*

ELW #696

**\*The Prayers**

A    As we celebrate Christ embodied in human form, we pray for God’s blessing on the church, the world, and all of creation.    *A brief silence.* God our rock and deliverance, do not let your church be shaken. We trust you never abandon your promises to the most vulnerable among us. Give your church wisdom and empathy in its varied ministries. God of grace,

**C    receive our prayer.**

A    God our hope and refuge, you placed the fish in the sea. Guide our care of oceans and all creatures that live in them. Hold us accountable

for actions that endanger water sources and the people who depend on them. God of grace,

**C receive our prayer.**

A God who proclaims judgement and offers mercy, be a model to the leaders of our nation and the world. As they lead, may they follow in your way of justice and truth. God of grace,

**C receive our prayer.**

A God who cares for the suffering, care for survivors of assault and sexual abuse and sustain all who minister to them. Keep safe any who live under threat of violence, those living in poverty, and any among us who are ill or in pain. God of grace,

**C receive our prayer.**

A God of resurrection and new life, as the first disciples shared the good news, empower us and this faith community to be open to your call. When we are uncertain of your call, assure us. When we have strayed from your ways, redirect us. God of grace,

**C receive our prayer.**

A God who holds the saints against your tender bosom, we trust you welcome them into your care. Comfort those who grieve, even as we place our hope in your salvation. God of grace,

**C receive our prayer.**

A Knowing the Holy Spirit intercedes for us, we offer these prayers and the silent prayers of our hearts in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

**C Amen.**

## MEAL

### Offering

**\*Offertory**                      *"They Cast Their Nets"*                      LBW #449

PM **\*Offertory Prayer** (prayed by all)

**Blessed are you, Holy One, for all good things come from you. In bread and cup you open heaven to us. Meet us at this table, that we receive what we seek and follow your Son, Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen.**

## PM **\*The Great Thanksgiving**

### PM **\*Holy**

#### **\*Eucharistic Prayer**

PM Holy God, our Maker, Redeemer, and Healer . . . and to form us again into one. Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come, come again.

**C Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come, come again.**

PM In the night in which he was betrayed . . . to the river to enjoy the tree of life. Amen. Come, Lord Jesus. Amen. Come Lord Jesus.

**C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus. Amen. Come Lord Jesus.**

PM Send your Spirit upon us and this meal . . . with the Bread of Life, your Son. Amen. Come, Holy Spirit. Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

**C Amen. Come, Holy Spirit. Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

PM This we pray through Jesus Christ, our Savior and our friend.

#### **\*Through Christ, With Christ, In Christ**

PM **\*The Lord's Prayer** (prayed by all)

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

### The Communion of Christ's People

<b>Communion Hymns</b>	<i>"Lamb of God"</i>	Words on Screen
	<i>"Our Confidence is in the Lord"</i>	W&P #114
	<i>"My Soul in Stillness Waits"</i>	HS #724

PM May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of his body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

PM **Post-Communion Prayer** (prayed by all)

**Giver of every gift, Christ's body is our food, and we are Christ's body. Raise us to life by your power for the benefit of all and to your glory, now and forever. Amen.**

## SENDING

**\*Sending Hymn**      *"Bring Forth the Kingdom"*      HS #821

## \*Blessing

PM God who names you, Christ who claims you, and the Holy Spirit who dwells in you, ✠ bless you and remain with you always.

**C Amen.**

## \*Dismissal

PL Go in peace. You are God's beloved.

**C Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

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*Welcome to Immanuel! We are so glad you worshiped with us today!*

**Adult Sunday School** - On hold until we resolve tech needs.

**Children's Sunday School** - Sundays from 9:30-10:15 am

January - March: Studying Traditions and Symbolism

**Youth Group (Middle School and High School)** - On hold while we figure out our next steps.

## Birthday Celebration - January 28

Hospitality is planning our annual birthday celebration on January 28. Would you be willing to host a table (decorate the table and make two dozen cupcakes)? It will be a potluck. Pizza will be provided for kids. *Thank you to our deacons who are donating their lunch of sausage and hot dogs that was missed on January 14 due to the inclement weather.*

## Women's Retreat - April 18-21

We're going to the beach! Registration opens January 28.

## Flowers for Sunday Church Services

Our Deacons' goal is to bring flowers back into Sunday church service. You may sign up for a birthday, anniversary, special occasion or just share from your garden. A convenient chart is located on the bulletin board in the multi-purpose room beside coffee/cookie sign ups. Flowers may be brought on Sunday before the 10:30 service. Ushers will place in the appropriate area. Flowers may be picked up after the 1:00 service or on Monday. Questions? Contact Barbara Renback at 503-873-5939.

## Seeking Sunday School Volunteers!

Want to teach only Pre K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade OR 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade? Not a problem - no prep needed; all lessons are prepared for you.

Want to help but not teach? Not a problem - we need people to help with activities and just be there for the kids!

Want more information? Ready to help? Sign up in the lobby, talk to Creighton on a Sunday, or email [ilcsilvertonss@gmail.com](mailto:ilcsilvertonss@gmail.com).

## The Grief Recovery Method

New 8 week program will begin January 28, 2024. Call Patty at 503-428-4921. Registration is required.

## Door Fobs

If you have a fob you don't regularly use, please return it to the office.

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