

October 27, 2024 Order of Today's Service

Prelude

Welcome

Opening Hymn #590:

This Is the Day

Call to Worship

Prayer

Praise Hymn #10:

O Worship the King

Praise Hymn #29:

Glorify Thy Name

Children's Message

Praise & Prayer Requests

*Prayer Hymn #335:

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Morning Prayer

Scripture:

Ephesians 6:10-19

Message:

A Bullet Proof Vest for Your Soul

*Responsive Hymn #542:

*When We All Get to Heaven,
vs. 1, 2, 3*

Offering Prayer

Offertory:

*Doxology

Church Happenings

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn#542:

*When We All Get to Heaven,
vs. 4*

* Please Stand

Read this morning's scripture:

¹⁰ Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. ¹¹ Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. ¹² For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. ¹³ Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. ¹⁴ Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, ¹⁵ and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. ¹⁶ In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. ¹⁷ Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. ¹⁸ And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people. ¹⁹ Pray also for me, that whenever I speak, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel... **Ephesians 6:10 – 19**

Prayer & Praise:

• Remember **Marcia, Wilma, Nathan and Mark** in prayer as they go through health struggles.

- **Pray for the harvest**, and the safety of all who work to bring it in.
- Please join the **Pastor Search Committee** in praying for guidance in finding our next Shepherd here at Immanuel. This is not an easy venture and we appreciate your support in prayer.

Church & Family News

- Our annual **Congregational Meeting** is coming up in December! A nomination list and ballots have been placed in members' mailboxes. Please prayerfully consider a nomination for one elder and one deacon. **Ballots may be placed in the box in the Fellowship Hall or mailed to the church by November 10.**
- A **huge thank you to Jane Pals, Charlene Nelson, and Mary Boelman** for again planning and presenting our fall Bible Study. Over 30 women from our church and entire community were blessed during the 6-week course.
- The Immanuel ladies are invited to the Evangelical Free Church on Nov. 3rd at 5 pm to help them with their **Operation Christmas Child Packing Party**. It usually lasts a couple of hours, but you are welcome to come and go as you please. Contact Wanda if you have any further questions.
- **Received from Alissa Qaranivalu:** "Your generosity is greatly appreciated! We are relieved to know we can proceed with getting our visas!! We didn't want to get stuck in Bangkok, although it is a beautiful city – the kids also didn't want to be away from their friends for more than one week, hahaha! Blessings!"
- The annual **Harvest Feast is Nov. 8!** More pies are needed, and help is needed at 4 p.m. that day to assemble and deliver carry-out meals to the Belmond Community Apartments. Contact Julie Berneman if you can help.

Serving Us Today

Greeters: Larry & Karla Pals

Clean-Up: Larry & Karla Pals

Musician: Donna Buseman

Message: Leigh Jass

November 3

Greeters: Steve & Melanie Sopher

Clean-Up: Steve & Melanie Sopher

Musician: Jerry Boelman

Message: Leigh Jass

Happy Birthday!

Oct. 29 Lindy Rae Goemaat,
Keith Halfpop

Oct. 31 Dave Kobes

Nov. 5 Kaitlin Boelman-Allen

Nov. 18 Lisa Lovgren

Nov. 19 Lawrence Basener

Happy Anniversary!

Oct. 25 Brad & Julie Berneman

Nov. 24 Jerry & Mary Boelman

Nov. 26 Tad & Aimee McKnight