

# Immanuel United Methodist Church

800 North Main Street • Edwardsville, Illinois 62025 Sunday, November 10, 2024

# **Order of Worship**

Ringing of the Bell

**Welcome** Pastor David Roderick

## **Call to Worship—From Psalms 95**

Andrew Taylor

L: O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

P: Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving;

L: Let us make a joyful noise with songs and praise!

P: For the Lord is a great God and a great King above all gods.

L: In God's hand are the depths of the earth and the heights of the mountains.

P: O come, let us worship and bow down;

L: O Come! Now is the time to worship.

**Song—**Come! Now is the Time to Worship

Worship Team

Opening Prayer Andrew Taylor

**Song—**For the Healing of the Nations UMH #428

Worship Team

Scripture Mark 12:38-44

**Andrew Taylor** 

<sup>38</sup> As he taught, he said, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces <sup>39</sup> and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! <sup>40</sup> They devour widows' houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation." <sup>41</sup> He sat down opposite the treasury and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. <sup>42</sup> A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. <sup>43</sup> Then he called his disciples and said to them, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. <sup>44</sup> For all of them have contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

Pastoral Prayer Pastor David Roderick

Song—Have Thine Own Way UMH #382

Worship Team

Message—They Should Know Better

Pastor David Roderick

**Song—***Holy Water* 

Worship Team

**Prayer of Thanks** 

Pastor David Roderick

**Song—***Give Thanks* 

Worship Team

**Benediction** 

Pastor David Roderick

Worship Team: Caleb Kelahan, Jennifer Moore

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**Welcome** to worship this Labor Day weekend. May God be in our work and our leisure, our fellowship and our praise.

**Preparation for Worship:** Lord, the psalmist says your law revives the soul and rejoices the heart (Psalm 19:7-8). Feed and water my heart with your good law today, that I may flourish with love for you and all people. Amen. **United Women in Faith's** next meeting will take place on Thursday, November 14 in Journey's Inn. This meeting will be a workday beginning at 9:00am to prepare the soup for our Annual Soup and Sandwich Fundraising Lunch which will be held the next day, Friday, November 15th. We will also collect the World Thank Offering the 14th. See the Weekly Update email for more information.

**Sistahs** next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 14th at 6:00pm in Journey's Inn. During that gathering we will be working on filling the Operation Christmas Child boxes. Everyone is welcome. Thank you for all the donations we have received. There will be some very happy children!

## 43rd Annual Soup and Sandwich Fundraiser Luncheon

Immanuel's United Women in Faith group will host their Annual Soup and Sandwich **Fundraising** Luncheon on Friday, November 15th from 11:00am-1:30pm. Mark your calendar!! The menu will be chicken salad on croissant, a variety of soups that include: chicken noodle, vegetarian vegetable, vegetarian bean soup and ham and bean soup. There will also be cake and pie for dessert. Additional details can be found in the Weekly Update email.

**Help us Spruce up the Church for the Holidays**—Christmas will be here before we know it. Following our service on Sunday, November 24, we will need volunteers to help bring up the Christmas decorations. In addition, we will need volunteers to stay to help decorate as the tree will need to be completed for Advent which starts the following Sunday, December 1. All are welcome to participate!

**Friday Food and Fellowship—REMINDER**: Due to Penny May's scheduled hip replacement in December, she will be unable to prepare and serve Friday Food on December 20th. If any group in the church would like to volunteer to prepare and serve lunch that day, please contact Penny at 618-402-8332. Thank you for your consideration.

**Operation Christmas Child** —Filled boxes are due by Sunday, November 17th. REMINDER: \$10 shipping is to be included with your returned filled box. **Checks should be made out to Immanuel UMC** noting "Children Christmas Box". Sistahs next meeting will be held on November 14th at 6:00pm. We will be working on filling the Operation Christmas Child boxes with the donations we received. See Sharon Koenig with any questions.

**Celebrating Birthdays This Week:** 11/12—Caroline Newman; 11/13—David Brown, Harper Newman; 11/15—Dennis Fellhauer

**Our Online Calendar** can be accessed at any time by following this link: https://73818207.view-events.com.

# **Immanuel's Welcoming Inclusion Statement**

As we recognize the value in each other, we recognize God. We embrace God's good gift of diversity and believe all persons are of sacred worth. Therefore, we welcome people of every age, race, ethnicity, gender identity, sexual orientation, social-economic background, family structure, and physical or mental ability into the full participation of this congregation. We are called by God to raise the level of hope for those who have been marginalized and singled out for exclusion, including our LGBTQIA+ siblings. Our passion for a wide welcome of all God's children moves us to participate in reconciling and justice ministries so that we might truly be open minds, open hearts, and open doors.

Calendar for the Week		
Monday, November 11  Veterans Day—Office Closed	7:15 pm	AA in Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, November 12	6:00 pm	OWL Class until 8:00pm
Wednesday, November 13	12:00 pm	Bridge Club—Journeys Inn
Thursday, November 14	9:00 am 9:00 am 6:00 pm 6:00 pm	United Women in Faith Workday—Journey's Inn Sit and Stand Yoga Beginner/Intermediate Yoga Sistahs—Journey's Inn
Friday, November 15	11:00 am 6:00 pm	United Women in Faith Fundraiser Lunch Bridge Club—Journey's Inn
Saturday, November 16	8:00 am	Rise & Shine Yoga—Fellowship Hall
Sunday, November 17	10:00 am 4:00 pm	In-Person & Livestream Worship Rainbow House Youth Group

# **This Week's Worship Assistants:**

Liturgist: Andrew Taylor Greeter: Gary & Sharon Koenig Soundboard: Bob Ahrens Worship Screens: Sheila Page

**Next Week's Worship Assistants:** 

Liturgist: Dave Norris

Greeter: Larry & Linda Duckworth Soundboard: Keith Housewright Worship Screens: Helen Housewright



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# **Prayer/Praise Ministry**

Please pray for:

- Prayer of thanks: Jeremy Weh, Father of Hannah Page, rang the bell for being cancer free!
- Chelsea Skinner 29, family cousin of Koenig's, fighting long battle with breast cancer that has moved in her body.

If you have someone or something you would like to have us pray for, please use the tear off sheet on the bulletin and drop in an offering box, or contact the church office at 618-656-4648 by EOD on Wednesdays if possible.

# Song #1—Come! Now is the Time to Worship

# **Intro Chorus**

Come now is the time to worship
Come now is the time to give your heart
Come just as you are to worship
Come just as you are before your God
Come

#### Verse 1

One day every tongue
Will confess You are God
One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains
For those who gladly choose You now

#### Chorus 1

Come now is the time to worship
Come now is the time to give your heart
Come just as you are to worship
Come just as you are before your God
Come

# Verse 2

Willingly we choose to surrender our lives Willingly our knees will bow With all our heart soul mind and strength We gladly choose You now

#### Chorus 2

Come now is the time to worship
Come now is the time to give your heart
Come just as you are to worship
Come just as you are before your God
Come

# **Ending**

Come, come just as you are. Come, come.

# Song #2—For the Healing of the Nations

#### Verse 1

For the healing of the nations, Lord, we pray with one accord For a just and equal sharing Of the things that earth affords To a life of love in action Help us rise and pledge our word Help us rise and pledge our word

#### Verse 2

Lead us forward into freedom
From despair your world release
That, redeemed from war and hatred
All may come and go in peace
Show us how through care and goodness
Fear will die and hope increase
Fear will die and hope increase

#### Verse 3

All that kills abundant living
Let it from the earth be banned
Pride of status, race or schooling
Dogmas that obscure your plan
In our common quest for justice
May we hallow life's brief span
May we hallow life's brief span

#### Verse 4

You Creator God have written
Your great name on humankind
For our growing in your likeness
Bring the life of Christ to mind
That by our response and service
Earth its destiny may find
Earth its destiny may find

# Song #3—Have Thy Own Way, Lord UMH #382

Verse 1

Have thine own way, Lord!
Have thine own way
Thou art the potter, I am the clay
Mold me and make me after thy will
While I am waiting, yielded and still

Verse 2

Have thine own way, Lord!
Have thine own way
Search and try me, Savior today!
Wash me just now, Lord, wash me just now
As in thy presence humbly I bow

Verse 3

Have thine own way, Lord!
Have thine own way
Wounded and weary, help me I pray!
Power, all power, surely is thine!
Touch me and heal me, Savior divine!

Verse 4

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way Hold o'er my being absolute sway Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see Christ only, always, living in me!

## Song #4—Holy Water

God, I'm on my knees again God, I'm begging please again I need You. Oh, Lord I need You Walking down these desert roads Water for my thirsty soul I need You oh, how I need You

Your forgiveness

Is like sweet, sweet honey on my lips Like the sound of a symphony to my ears Like holy water on my skin

Dead man walking, slave to sin
I wanna know about being born again
I need You, oh, God, I need You
So, take me to the riverside
Take me under, baptize
I need You, oh God, I need You

Your forgiveness
Is like sweet, sweet honey on my lips
Like the sound of a symphony to my ears
Like holy water on my skin, on my skin.

# **Song #4— Give Thanks (With a Grateful Heart)**

#### Verse 1

Give thanks with a grateful heart
Give thanks to the Holy One
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His So

#### Verse 2

Give thanks with a grateful heart
Give thanks to the Holy One
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

#### Chorus 1

And now let the weak say, "I am strong"
Let the poor say, "I am rich
Because of what the Lord has done for us"

#### Chorus 2

And now let the weak say, "I am strong"
Let the poor say, "I am rich
Because of what the Lord has done for us"
Give Thanks

#### Verse 3

Give thanks with a grateful heart
Give thanks to the Holy One
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

#### Chorus 3

And now let the weak say, "I am strong" Let the poor say, "I am rich Because of what the Lord has done for us"

#### **Ending**

And now let the weak say, "I am strong"
Let the poor say, "I am rich
Because of what the Lord has done for us"
Give thanks

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