



Immanuel United Methodist Church

800 North Main Street • Edwardsville, Illinois 62025

May 17, 2026

Order of Worship

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

Pastor David Roderick

Song—*His Name is Wonderful #174*

Worship Team

Opening Prayer

Dave Norris

Call to Worship

Dave Norris

L: Come, all who feel alone, forgotten, or unsure.

P: God is here—faithful in every moment.

L: Come, all who rejoice and give thanks.

P: God rejoices with us and receives our praise.

L: In all seasons, through all things—

P: We worship the One who never leaves us.

Song—*Holy, Holy, Holy*

Worship Team

Pastoral Prayer

Sarah Woods

Song—*Lord, I Need You*

Worship Team

Scripture Reading: *1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11*

Dave Norris

¹² Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. ¹³ But rejoice insofar as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. ¹⁴ If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you

⁶ Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. ⁷ Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. ⁸ Discipline yourselves; keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. ⁹ Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters in all the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. ¹⁰ And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. ¹¹ To him be the power forever and ever. Amen.

Today's Message—

Pastor David Roderick

Song—*This is Amazing Grace*

Worship Team

Prayer of Thanks

Pastor David Roderick

Doxology #95

Worship Team

Benediction

Pastor David Roderick

Worship Team:

Emerson Gausmann, Jennifer Moore

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Welcome!

Greetings and welcome to all! Families and friends, visitors from far and near are all welcomed in the name of Christ. Let us join with hearts and hands, bodies and spirits in worshiping the Creator of us all - with rejoicing!

Preparation for Worship

O mighty God, help each of us to sincerely seek and know you so that our souls may be properly fed.

Faith in Action - Fried Chicken Dinner Fundraiser

Faith in Action will be holding a Fried Chicken Dinner Fundraiser on Sunday, June 7 from 11:00am - 3:00pm at the Edwardsville Moose Lodge, located at 7371 Marine Road, Edwardsville. The cost is \$14 for adults and \$7 for children. You can dine in or carry-out. You can pre-order by phoning 618-692-0480.

Brown Bag Buddies 2026

The Brown Bag Buddies Program is starting up for Summer 2026 and will distribute lunches from June 1 - August 10. The purpose of Brown Bag Buddies is to provide support lunches for those District 7 students in need during the summer when school lunches are not available. Additional info, that included distribution dates, locations and how you can volunteer, was provided in the Weekly Update email.

Blessing Box

Thank you for your support and donations to our Blessing Box as we continue to see a lot of activity. The Blessing box gives us an opportunity to provide quick food and some household necessity supplements to individuals and families in our community. This will be helpful at a time when living expenses have increased for many families and with school soon being on Summer break. Suggestion for desired items were included in the Weekly Update email.

Friday Food and Fellowship

We hope that you will join us for good food, meaningful conversation and shared community. These meals are free and open to everyone, with donations gratefully accepted as each person is able. We especially encourage our church family to come, eat and connect with our community. Our June lunch dates will be June 5th and 19th.

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Celebrating Birthdays This Week: 5/17—Rhonda Schaake, 5/19—Dawn McCormick, 5/20—Addax Hendriex

Celebrating Anniversaries This Week: 5/22—Billy & Michelle Woods

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.

Prayer/Praise Ministry

- Jules Donnelly, for health concerns.
- Dennis Fellhauer, brother of Penny May and Dale Fellhauer, as he goes through cancer treatments. Prayers to the family as they support him during this time.
- Healing prayers for Sharon Koenig as she recovers from a compression fracture of her L4.
- Kathy and Lynn Blomgren, mother and father-in-law of Sheila Page, for health concerns.
- Prayer of healing for Shelley Duncan, cousin of Sheila Page.
- Carl Streubel, friend of Emily Spitze, who is battling with cancer.

To add someone to the prayer list fill out the bulletin slip or contact the church office.

Calendar for the Week

Monday, May 18	3:30 pm 6:00 pm 7:15 pm	Head Start Parent Meetings in Fellowship Hall Girl Scouts in Journey's Inn AA in Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, May 19	9:00 am	Home School Group until 3:00pm
Wednesday, May 20	7:00 pm	Rainbow House Adult Group
Thursday, May 21		No Events Scheduled
Friday, May 22		No Events Scheduled
Saturday, May 23	9:00 am 5:00 pm	Rise & Shine Yoga Rainbow House Theatre Group
Sunday, May 24	10:00 am	In-Person & Livestream Worship

Today's Worship Assistants:

Liturgist: Dave Norris

Greeter: Emily Spitze

Soundboard: Tobias Weaver

Worship Screens: Tami Masinelli



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Next Week's Worship Assistants (Easter Sunday):

Liturgist: Sarah Woods

Greeter: Larry & Linda Duckworth

Soundboard: Keith Housewright

Worship Screens: Helen Housewright

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Song #1 - His Name is Wonderful

His Name Is Wonderful
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Jesus, My Lord

He Is The Mighty King
Master Of Everything
His Name Is Wonderful
Jesus, My Lord

He's The Great Shepherd
The Rock Of All Ages
Almighty God Is He

Bow Down Before Him
Love And Adore Him
His Name Is Wonderful
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Love And Adore Him
His Name Is Wonderful
Jesus, My Lord
Great are you, Lord

Song #2 - Holy, Holy, Holy #64

Holy, holy, holy!
Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning
Our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy!
Merciful and mighty,
God in three Persons,
Blessed Trinity

Holy, holy, holy!
All the saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns
Around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim
Falling down before thee,
Which wert, and art,
And evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy!
Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the eye of sinful man
Thy glory may not see,
Only thou art holy;
There is none beside thee,
Perfect in power,
In love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy
Lord God Almighty
All Thy works shall praise Thy name,
In earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy!
Merciful and mighty,
God in three Persons,
Blessed Trinity

Song #3 - Here I Am Lord #593

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.

Song #3—Lord I Need You

Lord I come, I confess
Bowling here I find my rest
Without you, I fall apart
You're the one that guides my heart

Lord, I need you
Oh, I need you
Every hour, I need you
My one defense, my righteousness
Oh God, how I need you

Where sin runs deep
Your grace is more
Where grace is found
Is where you are
And where you are
Lord I am free
Holiness is Christ in me

Lord, I need you
Oh, I need you
Every hour, I need you
My one defense, my righteousness
Oh God, how I need you

Teach my song to rise to you
When temptation comes my way
When I cannot stand I'll fall on you
Jesus you're my hope and stay

Lord, I need you
Oh, I need you
Every hour, I need you
My one defense, my righteousness
Oh God, how I need you

Song #4—This is Amazing Grace

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger
The King of Glory. The King above all kings

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder
The King of Glory. The King above all kings

This is amazing grace
This is unfailing love
That you would take my place
That you would bear my cross
You laid down your life
That I would be set free
Oh, Jesus I sing for
All that you've done for me

Who brings our chaos back into order
Who makes the orphans a son and daughter
The King of Glory. The King of Glory

Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance
The King of Glory. The King above all kings

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
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Worthy, Worthy, Worthy

This is amazing grace
This is unfailing love
That you would take my place
That you would bear my cross
You laid down your life
That I would be set free
Oh, Jesus I sing for
All that you've done for me

Doxology #95

Praise God, from whom All blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

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