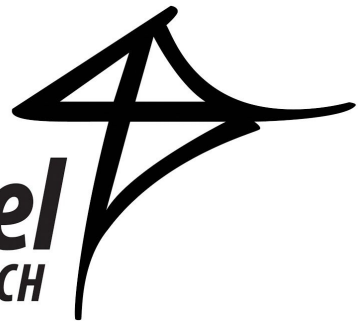


Immanuel
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Growing Together in the Way of Jesus

“Contrary to what many of us are told, Israel’s origin stories weren’t designed to answer scientific, twenty-first-century questions about the beginning of the universe or the biological evolution of human beings, but rather were meant to answer then-pressing, ancient questions about the nature of God and God’s relationship to creation.”

— Rachel Held Evans, *Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again*

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

October 25, 2020 Reformation Sunday

PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

PRELUDE Prelude in E Minor J. Krebs (*attr.*)

INTROIT Come Almighty to Deliver
Sarah Sherman, soloist

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Fulp-Eickstaedt

Please note that today's hymns are included at the end of the bulletin. Thank you!

HYMN I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art #624
(Verses 1, 3, & 5)

PRAYER OF APPROACH & CONFESSION

**All Mighty and All Vulnerable God,
in times of uncertainty, we long for stability,
for answers, for order in the midst of chaos.
Even still, you are a God beyond our imagination,
the One who wanders with us in the times of wilderness,
the One who calls us to follow you into the yet unknown expanses.
You are the One who abides with us
in valleys and mountaintops and every place in between.
Forgive us for our tendency to keep you confined
in our hearts and in our sanctuaries.
Set us about the good and holy work
of sharing the grace, mercy, and love
which we so freely receive from you,
that we might sow seeds of justice, compassion, and peace
with these precious lives.
Forgive us and free us to live in your name!**

SILENT PRAYER WORDS OF ASSURANCE

(The baptismal font is filled. As Christians, we are united in community through the waters of Baptism. Water is poured as a reminder that God claims, forgives, and renews us to live out God's love as a community of faith.)

GLORIA PATRI Glory to God

MESSAGE FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES Sarah Sherman

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

ANTHEM	Way Maker <i>Rev. Kluttz, soloist</i>	Osinachi Kalu Okoro Egbu
SCRIPTURE	Rev. Fulp-Eickstaedt, Liz Pruchnicki & Rev. Kluttz Luke 1:30-33; 2 Samuel 7:1-11	
SERMON	“Tenting with God”	Rev. Strednak Singer

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

HYMN OF RESPONSE	My Shepherd Will Supply My Need	#803
RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS	Randy & Jocelyn Anderson	
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER		
THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY	Unser Vater	G. Homilius
DOXOLOGY		
	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.	
MINUTE FOR STEWARDSHIP	Rick Johannsen	
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION		
	Holy One, Turn us toward You That our hearts may grow in love, That our spirits may know and trust Your own, And that our lives may be lived In service and in thanks! We pray this and more to You, In Jesus’ name, Amen.	
HYMN OF SENDING	A Mighty Fortress Is Our God <i>(Verses 1 & 4)</i>	#275
CHARGE & BENEDICTION	Rev. Fulp-Eickstaedt	

Announcements Concerning Our Lives Together

Welcome to all those worshipping with us today! New to Immanuel? Please take a few moments to let us know about yourself - scan the QR code to the right to get started!



COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES

Today! October 25 from 3:30-5:30 p.m.

We will be assembling college care packages on October 25 from 4:30-5:30pm in the Upper Parking Lot. This is a drive-by college care package stuffing! Join us (and please wear a mask).



EVENING WORSHIP AT IMMANUEL

Today! Sunday, October 25 at 5:30 p.m.

BYO lawn chair! Masks required.

Join us as we gather outside on Sunday evening for a live worship service! Aside from no live singing to accompany the wonderful music, this will be the same service you'll see in Sunday's pre-recorded worship video! We hope you'll join us!

FAMILY SCAVENGER HUNT

Today! October 25 at 4:30 p.m. Masks required.

Join us for a Bible character scavenger hunt around the church campus led by Ms. Sarah! Our adventure will be complete in time for the 5:30 p.m. worship service!

PARENTS COMMUNITY GROUP (via Zoom)

Wednesday, October 28 at 8:00 p.m.

Ms. Sarah will lead a monthly Parents Community Group on Zoom for parents to connect and share how they are coping during the pandemic. Contact her at ssherman@ipcmclean.org for more information.

CONGREGATIONAL BUDGET FORUM (via ZOOM)

Join us on **Tuesday, October 27 at 7:00 p.m.** for a special 2021 budget preview via ZOOM. Please note that registration is required to attend this Zoom meeting - please [click here](#) to register. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE! DRIVE-IN MOVIE AT IMMANUEL

Saturday, November 7 at 5:30 p.m.

Join us as we watch "The Greatest Showman!" We'll have snacks, popcorn (pre-packaged) & water, too!

ALL SAINTS' DAY

On Sunday, November 1, Immanuel will observe All Saints' Day with Holy Communion. On this occasion we will remember loved ones and friends who have passed away within the past year by having their names listed in the bulletin and read aloud during the service. If there is someone whom you would like remembered, please [email the Immanuel office](#) with the name(s) of those who have passed away in the past year. The names will be read during the service; please provide pronunciation guidance if needed. All names should be submitted by WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28.

Participate in our CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PAGEANT!

This year, Immanuel's children and families will present a virtual Christmas pageant during Advent. Please [click here](#) to sign-up for a speaking or non-speaking role for your child or family (please specify who in your family would like to participate and their ages).

Pastor Billy will send you your parts to record at home and send to him by Sunday, November 29 for editing and compilation. Please [email Billy](#) with questions. We look forward to seeing your theatrical debut online!

WAYS TO GIVE...

- Click [here](#) for secure online giving. Would you prefer to set up an ACH direct debit from your bank account? Simply fill out [this](#) form, then scan and e-mail it to [Mary Ann Vaughan](#).
- Immanuel's 'Text to Give' telephone number is 833-756-0284. [Click here](#) for instructions!
- Download the [Give Plus app](#) and search for our church to make donations.
- Any checks being mailed should temporarily be mailed to: Mary Ann Vaughan. Please [email her](#) for a mailing address. Please make checks payable to Immanuel. Thank you!

JOIN US ON ZOOM!

FAITH MATTERS

(VIA CONFERENCE CALL)
MONDAYS AT 1:30 P.M.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

TUESDAYS AT 7:30 A.M.

GRACE YOGA

WITH KATHY BAGDEN

TUESDAYS AT 10:30 A.M.

WOMEN OF SPIRIT

WEDNESDAYS AT 8:00 A.M.

CARD-CRAFTING GROUP

WEDNESDAYS AT 10:00 A.M.

AA OPEN MEETING

WEDNESDAYS AT 7:00 P.M.

LECTIONARY GROUP

THURSDAYS AT 9:30 A.M.

ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE

SUNDAYS AT 10:00 A.M.

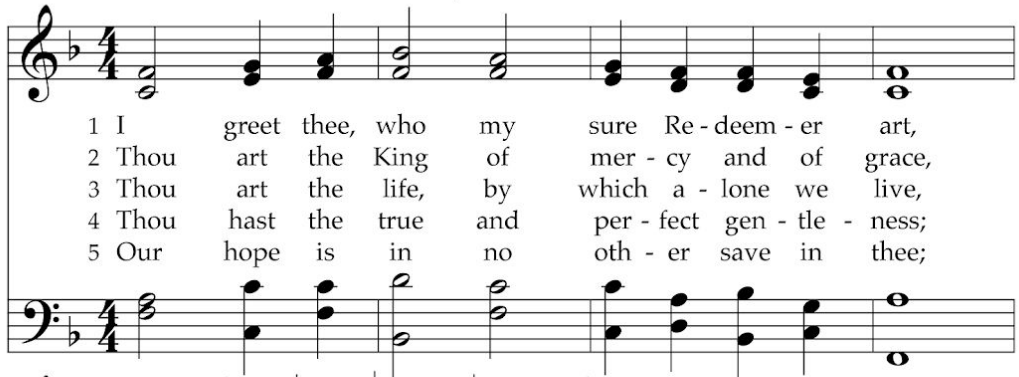
SHARING CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

SUNDAYS AT 11:00-11:30 A.M.

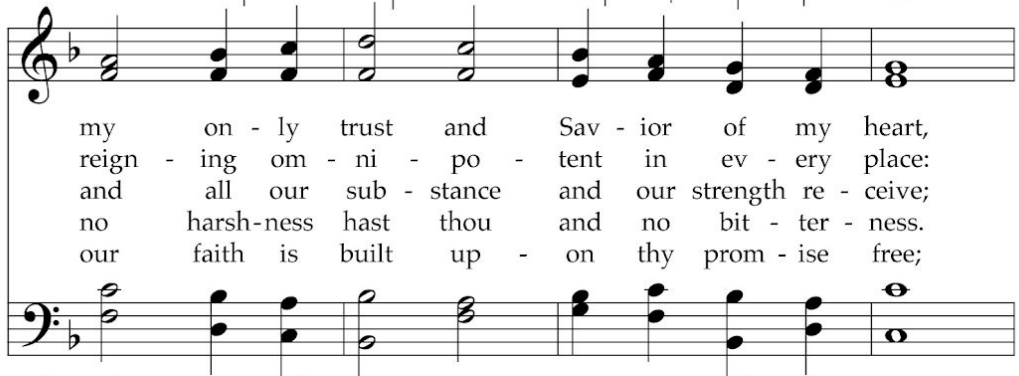
DIVINITY WITHIN SERIES

NOVEMBER 2 AT 6:30 P.M.

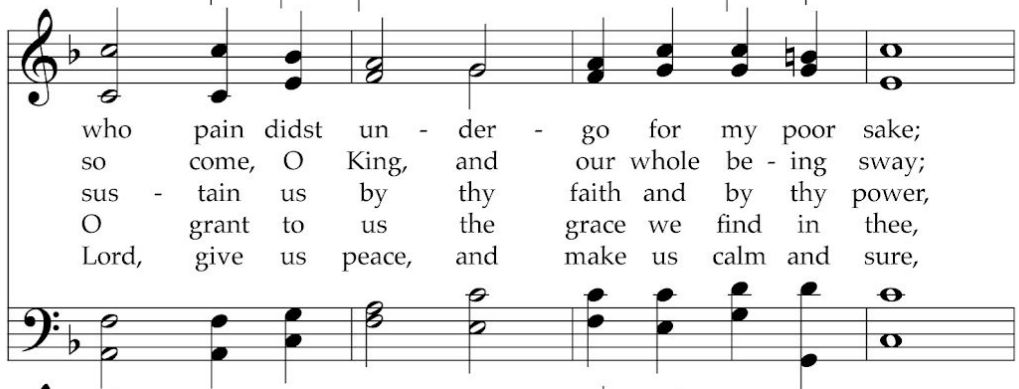
I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art 624



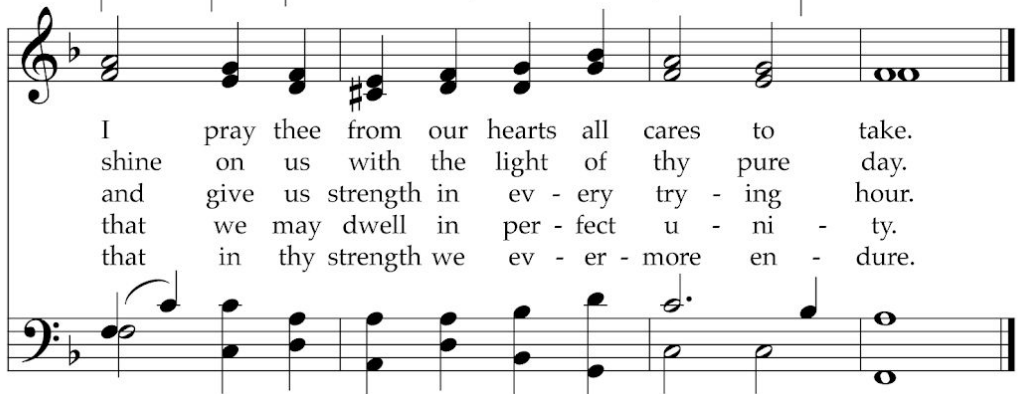
1 I greet thee, who my sure Re-deem-er art,
2 Thou art the King of mer-cy and of grace,
3 Thou art the life, by which a-lone we live,
4 Thou hast the true and per-fect gen-tle-ness;
5 Our hope is in no oth-er save in thee;



my on-ly trust and Sav-ior of my heart,
reign-ing om-ni-po-tent in ev-ery place:
and all our sub-stance and our strength re-ceive;
no harsh-ness hast thou and no bit-ter-ness.
our faith is built up-on thy prom-ise free;




who pain didst un-der-go for my poor sake;
so come, O King, and our whole be-ing sway;
sus-tain us by thy faith and by thy power,
O grant to us the grace we find in thee,
Lord, give us peace, and make us calm and sure,



I pray thee from our hearts all cares to take.
shine on us with the light of thy pure day.
and give us strength in ev-ery try-ing hour.
that we may dwell in per-fect u-ni-ty.
that in thy strength we ev-er-more en-dure.

Glory to God

B. Wilhour



Glo-ry to God in the high - est, Glo - ry be__ to the Son,



Glo-ry and praise to the Ho - ly Spir - it, Trin - i - ty, __ Three in One.



As__ it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,



World with-out end, a - men, a - men, world with-out end, a - men.



World with-out end, a - men, a - men, world with-out end, a - men!

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

1 My shepherd will supply my need;
Jehovah is his name.
In pastures fresh he makes me feed
beside the living stream.
He brings my wandering spirit back
when I forsake his ways,
and leads me, for his mercy's sake,
in paths of truth and grace.

2 When I walk through the shades of death
your presence is my stay;
one word of your supporting breath
drives all my fears away.
Your hand, in sight of all my foes,
does still my table spread;
my cup with blessings overflows;
your oil anoints my head.

3 The sure provisions of my God
attend me all my days;
O may your house be my abode,
and all my work be praise.
There would I find a settled rest,
while others go and come;
no more a stranger, or a guest,
but like a child at home.

275 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God



1 A might - y for - tress is our God, a bul - wark nev - er
 2 Did we in our own strength con - fide, our striv - ing would be
 3 And though this world, with dev - ils filled, should threat - en to un -
 4 That word a - bove all earth - ly powers, no thanks to them, a -



fail - ing. Our help - er he, a - mid the flood of
 los - ing, were not the right man on our side, the
 do us, we will not fear, for God hath willed his
 bid - eth. The Spir - it and the gifts are ours through



mor - tal ills pre - vail - ing. For still our an - cient foe doth
 man of God's own choos - ing. Dost ask who that may be? Christ
 truth to tri - umph through us. The Prince of Dark - ness grim, we
 him who with us sid - eth. Let goods and kin - dred go, this



seek to work us woe. His craft and power are great, and
 Je - sus, it is he. Lord Sab - a - oth his name, from
 trem - ble not for him. His rage we can en - dure, for
 mor - tal life al - so. The bod - y they may kill; God's



armed with cru - el hate, on earth is not his e - qual.
age to age the same, and he must win the bat - tle.
lo, his doom is sure. One lit - tle word shall fell him.
truth a - bid - eth still. His king - dom is for - ev - er.

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff at the top and a bass clef staff at the bottom. The treble staff contains a melody with various note values and rests, including a dotted quarter note and a half note. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines. The lyrics are written in a simple, sans-serif font between the two staves, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across words. The music concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots at the end of both staves.