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# IMMANUEL UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

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Sunday, July 24, 2022

Worship Services: 10:00 am & 5:00 pm

Hymn Sing 4:50 pm

Rev. Roberto Rossi, Pastor

Rev. Ken Anema, Associate Pastor

Rev. Nathan Brummel, Associate Pastor

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# MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

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Prelude

## **GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE**

Call to Worship

Silent Prayer - concluded by minister

\*Votum

*Pastor: Our soul waits for the Lord; He is our help and our shield.*

*Congregation: For our heart is glad in Him, because we trust in His holy name.*

\*Salutation

\*Song of Praise: 216.....Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

## **GOD PARDONS HIS PEOPLE**

Reading of God's Law

Assurance of Pardon

Song of Confession & Assurance: 119B.....How Shall the Young Direct Their Way?

Congregational Prayer

Giving our Tithes and Offerings.....General Fund and DeMotte Food Pantry

## **GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE**

\*Song of Preparation: 99B.....The LORD God Reigns in Majesty

Reading of the Word.....2 Chronicles 25 (p. 443)

## **Sermon: KING 'JEHOVA STRENGTHENS' DEPENDS ON MERCENARIES, EDOM'S IDOLS AND HIS GENERALSHIP**

Prayer of Application

\*Song of Dedication: 133B.....How Good and Pleasant Is the Sight

## **GOD BLESSES HIS PEOPLE**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology (unannounced): 473:1, 3.....By the Sea of Crystal

\*Silent Prayer - concluded by the Postlude

\*Postlude

\*Please stand if able.

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# EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

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Prelude

## **GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE**

Call to Worship

Silent Prayer - concluded by minister

\*Votum

*Pastor: Our soul waits for the Lord; He is our help and our shield.*

*Congregation: For our heart is glad in Him, because we trust in His holy name.*

\*Salutation

## **GOD'S PEOPLE OFFER PRAISE**

\*Confession of Faith.....Apostles' Creed

\*Hymn of Praise: 153.....O Day of Rest and Gladness

Psalm Reading.....Psalm 46 (p. 557)

Singing of the Psalm: 46B:1-3, 5.....God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength

Congregational Prayer

Giving our Tithes and Offerings.....General Fund and DeMotte Food Pantry

## **GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE**

\*Hymn of Preparation: 335.....Praise the Savior Now and Ever

Reading of the Word: .....Luke 4:14-30 (p. 1021)

Sermon: WHAT "JESUS" DO YOU ACCEPT?

## **GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND**

Prayer of Application

\*Hymn of Dedication: 277.....Before the Throne of God Above

## **GOD BLESSES HIS PEOPLE**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology (unannounced): 570.....Doxology

\*Silent Prayer - concluded by the Postlude

\*Postlude

\*Please stand if able.

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**Welcome visitors!** We're glad you're here. We have a television set up to watch the **live-stream** worship service if you have to step out with young children. Please follow the signs in the back of the sanctuary.

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## THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL:

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**Coffee Fellowship after the morning worship service.**

**Nursery AM:** Jennie Terpstra & Hope Terpstra

**PM:** Stacey Tolkamp and Simeon Terpstra

**On-call Nursery Attendant:** Jessica Colanese

**Sound System:** Thomas Bousema

**Greeters AM:** Sam Terpstra (South), Terpstra Family (North), Amos Terpstra (Elevator)

**Greeters PM:** Maggie Bakker & Abby Dyke (South), Nate/Elizabeth DeJong (North), Noah Anema (Elev.)

**Song Service:** Russ Vander Molen; **Songs:** SF 45, SF 58, TPH 439

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## NEXT WEEK SUNDAY, JULY 31:

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**Coffee Fellowship after the morning worship service. ANEW Presentation after the morning service.**

**Nursery AM:** Josie Vander Molen and Claire Vander Molen **PM:** Dana Vander Molen and Titus Terpstra

**On-call Nursery Attendant:** Kyra Hoek

**Sound System:** Amos Terpstra

**Greeters AM:** Sue & Kirsten DeBoer (South), John & Mary DeBoer (North), Sam Terpstra (Elevator)

**Greeters PM:** Russ Vander Molen Family (South), Dave & Brenda Long (North), Branton Tolkamp (Elev.)

**Song Service:** Jay Staley

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## UPCOMING DATES:

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**August 2:** Consistory meets at 6:00 pm.

**August 3:** Ladies' Summer Bible Study at 9:45 am. Prayer meeting at 7:00 pm.

**August 8:** Deacons meet at 7:00 pm.

**August 20:** Church picnic. Please sign up in the fellowship hall.

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## *Congregational Care*

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- Renae Buiters
- Jack DeVries
- Amber Green
- Jerry Hager
- Angie Kampenga
- Cathy Kuiper
- Irene Pfau
- Tony Vissers
- Expectant mothers

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## Apostles' Creed

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I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen

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## United in Prayer-Missionary Prayer Requests

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Pastor Sam Perez is a church planter in Jersey City, New Jersey.

- For true unity in the Christian faith. Many new visitors and attendees are arriving from various backgrounds and may have strong preferences. May we have settled convictions regarding the teachings of the Christian faith, and charity and patience for matters of Christian liberty.
  - For our fledgling leadership body. We have two elders in training whom I hope will be ready for ordination soon. Pray that God would raise up other mature men to serve in the church.
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## Deacon Report

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### Offering Schedule:

**Today:** General Fund and DeMotte Food Pantry

**July 31:** General Fund and Sanctuary Remodel Fund

**August 7:** General Fund and Mid-America Reformed Seminary

**August 14:** General Fund and DeMotte Christian Schools, Inc.

All cash donations not placed in an envelope and designated will go to the second offering cause.

With gratitude to God, the deacons report the following offerings of July 17:

General Fund  
Sanctuary Remodel Fund  
Benevolence  
Reformed Youth Services

## Consistory Announcements

We are grateful to have Dr. Mark Beach lead us in worship this evening. Dr. Beach is Professor of Ministerial and Doctrinal Studies at Mid-America Reformed Seminary in Dyer, Indiana.

The elders request that you be in prayer regarding our congregation's possible partnership with ANEW Ministry. Janell Rottier will be speaking about the ministry during our coffee fellowship time next Sunday, July 31. Nursery care will be available for those who would like to attend the presentation. Information about ANEW can be found at [www.anewministry.org](http://www.anewministry.org)

## General Announcements

**Many thanks** to our church family for all the cards, calls, meals and prayers offered on my behalf as I recover from surgery. The community of saints was felt deeply and appreciated! Jack & Irene Pfau

The **New Member Class** will commence on Wednesday, August 24 at 7:00-8:00 pm. We will meet in the Adult Sunday School room (across from the council room). For those who have signed up, the class material can be found on the Information table in the north narthex/lobby. If any questions, contact Mark Van Der Molen at [vdmlaw@yahoo.com](mailto:vdmlaw@yahoo.com) or text at 219-730-4141.

The office staff is working on improving distribution of our weekly email to the congregation to make it more readable on mobile devices. If you don't find the weekly email in your *Inbox*, please check your *Spam*, *Promotions* or *Updates* folders to see if it is in there.

## School Announcements

**Now Hiring! Restored Resale** is looking to hire part-time support staff starting in August for weekdays and Saturdays. Duties include cashiering, sorting and pricing donations, cleaning the store, etc. For more information or to request a job application, please email Carrie Rossi at [rossi4ukraine@yahoo.com](mailto:rossi4ukraine@yahoo.com).

**KNIGHT VISION:** Now that DMCS is further unifying our campuses by adopting the same name and mascot, we thought it would be appropriate to rename our annual year-end newsletter to reflect that. If you'd like to request a printed copy, please email Amber Donnowitz at [communications@dmcsemail.org](mailto:communications@dmcsemail.org).

### **DMCS Important Dates:**

7/26: DMCS Registration 10am-2pm (at both campuses)

7/30: Back-to-school Fair @ Spencer Park 10am-12pm

8/8: Back to School Night (K-5) 5:30-6:45pm

8/9: JH Orientation at 6:30pm

8/10: K-12 first day of school

8/13: DMCS at Touch of Dutch

8/27: DMCS Back to School Food Truck Festival @ DCHS 4-7 pm



## *Our Council:*

### **ELDERS:**

President: Jon Hoek (24) Parish 2  
Vice President: Dan Kingma (22) Parish 1  
Clerk: Russ Vander Molen (24)  
John Hamstra (22) Parish 4  
Steve Ryken (23) Parish 3

### **DEACONS:**

President: Nathan Bakker (22) Parish 2  
Secretary: Justin Colanese (23) Parish 4  
Treasurer: Joshua Hubers (24)  
Vicar: Dale Eenigenburg (22) Parish 3  
Asst. Treasurer: Ray Vander Molen (24) Parish 1

## *Parishes:*

1: Anema – Drenth

2: Dyke – Howard

3: Hubers – Ridder

4: Rossi – Zeilenga

## *Committees and Contact Person:*

Administrative Assistant: Donna Hamstra  
Adult Sunday School: Pastor Ken Anema  
Bookkeeper: Elaine Dyke  
Building & Grounds: Rob Buiters  
Bulletin: please contact Administrative Assistant  
Cadets: Dave DeGraff  
Custodians: Dave and Dawn DeGraff  
Education: Dan Kingma  
Evangelism & Outreach: Pastor Roberto Rossi  
Fellowship: Tina Dyke  
Funerals: Beth Kingma and Sue DeBoer  
GEMS Club: Carrie Rossi  
Handiwork Fellowship: Jessica Hubers

Helping Hands: Naomi Hamstra  
Librarian: Maggie Bakker  
Men's Bible Study: Rudy Tolkamp  
Nursery: Jessica Colanese  
Sound & Video System: Rudy Tolkamp  
Special Events Coordinator: Mary Vander Molen  
Special Music: John Hamstra  
Story Hour: Stacey Tolkamp  
Sunday School: Carolyn Hager  
Web Manager: Dana Perkins  
Women's Bible Study: Donna Hamstra  
Youth Group: Nathan & Carrie Bakker, Jim & Bonnie Zeilenga and Pastor Roberto Rossi

## *Church Contact Information:*

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