

Welcome to

IMMANUEL UNITED REFORMED CHURCH



Sunday, October 5, 2025

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

Rev. Joel Worries, Pastor

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE

Call to Worship

Silent Prayer-concluded by minister

*Votum

Pastor: *Give thanks to the Lord of hosts, for the Lord is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!*

Congregation: *You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you.*

*Salutation

*Song of Praise: 194.....Gracious Savior, Gentle Shepherd

GOD PARDONS HIS PEOPLE

Reading of God's Law

Assurance of Pardon

Song of Confession & Assurance: 23B.....The Lord's My Shepherd

Congregational Prayer

Offering of Tithes & Gifts:General Fund and CLIR (Rev. Bill Green)

GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE

*Hymn of Preparation: 525.....Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Reading of the Word:John 10:1-21 (p. 1065)

Sermon: THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application: 258.....Shepherd of Tender Youth

GOD'S BLESSES HIS PEOPLE

*Benediction

*Doxology: 108:1, 2.....My Heart Is Steadfast, God!

*Silent Prayer-concluded by the Postlude

*Postlude

*Please stand if able.

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

GOD CALLS HIS PEOPLE

Call to Worship

Silent Prayer - concluded by minister

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Congregation: *You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God; I will extol you.*

*Salutation

GOD'S PEOPLE OFFER PRAISE

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

*Song of Praise: 145B:1-3, 5-7.....I Will Exalt You, God, My King

Psalm Reading.....Psalm 102 (p. 593)

Singing of the Psalm: 102B.....Thou, O Lord, Art God Alone

Congregational Prayer

Offering of Tithes & Gifts:General Fund and CLIR (Rev. Bill Green)

GOD SPEAKS TO HIS PEOPLE

*Hymn of Preparation: 405.....I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

Reading of the Word:Psalm 12 (p. 533); Acts 17:1-9 (p. 1100)

Catechism Reading: Lord's Day 48.....*Forms and Prayers* (p. 255)

Sermon: THE SECOND PETITION - THY KINGDOM COME!

GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application: 281.....Rejoice, the Lord is King

GOD BLESSES HIS PEOPLE

*Benediction

*Doxology: 566.....Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

*Silent Prayer—concluded by the Postlude

*Postlude

*Please stand if able.

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

Fellowship meal after morning worship.

Nursery AM: Stacey Tolkamp, Josie Vander Molen, Remmie B.

PM: Tessa Vander Molen & Abrielle B.

Sound System: Ken Hager

Greeters AM: Steve Rottier Family (South), Russ Vamder Molen Family (North), Jerry Hager (Elevator)

Greeters PM: Noah Hoek Family (South), Pastor Brummel Family (North), James Blom (Elevator)

Song Service: Justin Colanese; **Songs:** 98A, 278, 84C

Fellowship meal Clean-up: Parish 1 (Anema-Drenth)

Wednesday: Ladies' Bible Study and Story Hour meet at 9:00 am. Prayer Meeting at 7:00 pm.

Thursday: Moms Made ANEW meets at 6:00 pm.

Saturday: Men's Bible Study meets at 7:00 am. Anema/Haarsma Shower at 9:00 am.

NEXT WEEK SUNDAY: OCTOBER 12

Coffee Fellowship after morning worship.

Nursery AM: Dana Vander Molen, Margo Vander Molen, Nolan Dyke **PM:** Mary Vander Molen and Liv Cox

Sound System: Amos Terpstra

Greeters AM: Loren & Catie C. (South), Clarence & Patty Oudman (North), Derek Ipema (Elevator)

Greeters PM: Dale & Marie Eenigenburg (South), Derek Terpstra Family (North), Max VM (Elevator)

Song Service: Peter Brummel

Cookies & Clean-up: Reagan R., Amanda S., C. Stegenga, L. Stegenga

Congregational Care

- Lynzie Hoffman
- Jessica Eenigenburg
- Ed Kingma
- Marcia Drenth
- Wilma Eylander
- Engaged couples: Noah & Crystal, Josie and Jacob, Abby & Jonathon, Gabbi & Tyler
- Expectant mothers: Sydnie Walstra, Mandy Verduin, Cami Stegenga

Apostles' Creed

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

United in Prayer-Missionary Prayer Requests

Rev. Mike Brown is a missionary in Milan, Italy.

- Give thanks that our midweek Bible study continues to be well-attended. Our podcast is going strong and gaining more followers every week.
 - Please pray that Christ would strengthen His church in Milan, bring unbelievers to faith, and raise up disciples who are firmly rooted in the gospel.
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Deacon Report

Our offering next Sunday will be for the General Fund and Classis Home Mission Fund. All cash donations not placed in an envelope and designated will go to the second offering cause.

General Announcements

Our **Fellowship Meal** will take place immediately following the morning worship today. All visitors are welcome to join us!

Ladies' Bible Study will study Lesson 5, *Unashamed to be Called Our Brother*, this Wednesday, October 8. Group 2B has snack and clean-up. Come at 9:00 am for coffee and a short time of fellowship.

Our **Prayer Meeting** is this this Wednesday, October 8, at 7:00 pm.

A **Bridal Brunch** honoring Crystal Haarsma and Noah Anema will take place this Saturday, October 11, at 9:00 am here at Immanuel.

30th Anniversary Celebration: Friday, November 7, at 6:00 pm. Come celebrate God's faithfulness to Immanuel URC over the past thirty years. Sign up on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall or in the Google form that was in Wednesday email.

Upcoming dates for Lifewise Prayer Meetings: October 29, November 19, December 17, January 28, February 25, March 18, April 29, May 20. The prayer meetings are held at Cup of Joy Café across the street from DeMotte Elementary School at 8:30 am.

Reformed Mission Services:

Reformed Mission Services is organizing a Ministry Development trip to Japan from November 13–25, 2025. Volunteers will partner with Christ Center Church in Chiba to assist with street evangelism, university campus outreach, and fellowship with local congregations around Tokyo. For more details or to register, visit rms.org/japan or contact Steve at steve@rms.org.

Reformed Mission Services is raising funds to support churches in Peru, and we are eagerly planning a trip there this December. Please consider supporting these churches—visit rms.org/projects for project details and rms.org/peru to learn more about our December trip.

School Announcements

DMCS Upcoming 25-26 Dates:

- Oct 10: No School/Make-up Day
- Oct 11: Harvest Sale @ Upper Campus 5 pm
- Oct 21: Fall Sports Award Banquet
- Oct 24-27: Fall Break
- Oct 27-Nov 10: DMCGS Book Fair Online
 - In-person shopping hours:
 - Monday, November 3, 5:30-7:30 pm
 - Tuesday, November 4, 7:15-8:15 am & 2:20-3:20 pm
 - Wednesday, November 5, 7:30-8:30 am, 10:45am-12:00pm, & 2:20-3:20 pm
 - Thursday, November 6, 7:15-8:15 am, 10:45am-12:00 pm, & 2:20-3:20 pm
- Nov 7: Grandparents Day
- Nov 7: DMCHS Choir Caroling @ Belstra 7:00 pm
- Nov 14 & 15: DMCMS Presents: Elf the Musical DMCGS Gym 7-8 pm
- Nov 20-22: DMCHS Presents Neil Simon's FOOLS Early Learning & Event Center 7-9 pm
- Nov 26-28: Thanksgiving Break
- Dec 9: DMCMS Christmas Concert Aux Gym 6:30-7:30 pm
- Dec 15: DMCHS Christmas Concert Aux Gym 7-8 pm
- Dec 16: K-3 Christmas Concert DMCGS Gym 6:30-7:30 pm
- Dec 22-Jan 2: Christmas Break
- Jan 5: Students Return

Council:

ELDERS:

President: Mark Van Der Molen (25) Parish 1
Vice President: Derek Terpstra (26) Parish 3
Clerk: Rudy Tolkamp (27)
John DeBoer (25) Parish 2
John Hamstra (27) Parish 4

DEACONS:

President: Nathan Bakker (27) Parish 4
Vice President: Jim Zeilenga (25) Parish 2
Secretary: Nathan DeJong (25) Parish 3
Treasurer: Ross Hoek (26)
Assistant Treasurer: Reagan Ryken (27) Parish 1

Associate Pastors:

Rev. Ken Anema, Instructor, Divine Hope Reformed Bible Seminary
Rev. Nathan Brummel, Instructor, Divine Hope Reformed Bible Seminary
Rev. Roberto Rossi, Missionary Chaplain, United States Navy

Parishes:

1: Anema – Drenth 2: Dyke – Hubers 3: Ipema – Ryken 4: Staley – Zeilenga

Committees and Contact Person:

Administrative Assistant: Donna Hamstra
Adult Sunday School: Pastor Nathan Brummel
Bookkeeper: Kirsten Zandstra
Building & Grounds: Jim Zeilenga
Bulletin: please contact Administrative Assistant
Cadets: Jerry Hager
Custodians: Dave and Dawn DeGraff
Education: Derek Terpstra
Evangelism & Outreach: Derek Terpstra
Fellowship: Wendy Buiters
Funerals: Mary DeBoer and Dana Vander Molen
GEMS Club: Angie Rosenthal
Helping Hands: Naomi Hamstra
Librarian: Maggie Bakker

Moms Made ANEW: Stacey Tolkamp
Men's Bible Study: Rudy Tolkamp
Nursery: Jessica Colanese
Prayer Meeting: David Bosgraaf
Sound & Video System: Rudy Tolkamp
Special Events Coordinator: Mary Vander Molen
Special Music: Derek Terpstra
Story Hour: Stacey Tolkamp
Sunday School: Mandy Verduin
Web Manager: Dana Perkins
Women's Bible Study: Paula Brummel
Youth Group: Nathan & Carrie Bakker
Pastor Ken & Renee Anema,
Thomas & Kimmy Bousema

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