

Welcome to Worship at Immanuel
Sunday, August 4 10 am



Disruptive

Worship in the Woods



Worship in the Woods returns on Sunday, August 25th at 10am at the Pattee Canyon Picnic Area (Group Site B). In June and July folks gathered for a simple worship service alongside friendly dogs, singing birds, and strong trees - all praising the Creator in their own way. We are excited to gather again in the same way on the last Sunday in August. Worship in the Woods includes simple music, readings from scripture and poetry, time to consider reflection

prompts while you sit, stroll, or move however you feel called on the trails, and Holy Communion. For more detailed information about Worship in the Woods, visit our website. Regular worship in Immanuel's sanctuary will still happen as it does every week, at 10am on Sunday in person or livestreamed. No matter where we gather for worship, we are connected by God's Spirit!

Check in with us!

We'd love to hear from you whether you are a new or long time member, just visiting, or looking for a new church home. Check in using the QR code . You can update your contact information or let us know if you are interested in volunteering!

We are so happy you are here!



Check in here!

Prelude

Welcome

Opening Litany

Song of Mercy:

"Mercy, We Abide in You (ACS 1077)

Song of Praise:

"Glorified" (Jared Anderson)

Apostolic Greeting

Prayer of the Day

The Word

Readings:

Deuteronomy 10:17-22

Psalms 9:7-10, 17-20

Romans 12:9-21

Gospel Acclamation:

"Gospel" (Haugen)

Luke 5:17-26

Children's Message

Sermon

Pastor Molly Sasser-Goehner

Song of the Day:

"Signs of Wonder" (ELW 672)

Affirmation of Faith

Prayers of the People: Hear us O God, **Your Mercy is Great.**

Sharing of the Peace

Offering / Offering Song "Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ" (ELW 674)

Offering Prayer

The Meal

The Great Thanksgiving

Preface

Eucharistic Prayer

Holy, Holy, Holy

"Heaven Opened to Isaiah" (ACS 1090, vs. 1&2)

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer (spoken, modern)

Communion & Songs: "How Deep, How Wide" (Jason Bendickson)

"Take My Life That I May Be" (ELW 685)

Post-Communion Blessing

Prayer After Communion

The Sending

Ministry Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song "Canticle of the Turning" (ELW 723)

Dismissal

Welcome to Immanuel!

Are you visiting? Please fill out a yellow card from the pew racks and place it in the offering plate so we can reach out to you. The purple pew cards are for electronic giving.

Communion

While the meal of the baptized, Christ is the host and welcomes all. The promise “given and shed for you” requires a simple trusting heart. Those not receiving may come up for a blessing. White grape juice and gluten/dairy free bread is available. Please contact the pastors for further conversation about Baptism and Communion.

Worship Assistance

Assisted listening devices, earphones, and reading glasses are available. Ask an usher for assistance.

Children

We welcome children of all ages to our services. Busy Bags for kids are available from the ushers. Toys are in the family area by the Luther Wall. Children may bring their offering forward to place in the little white church by the altar.

For prayer requests, visitation or a ride to church please contact the church office.

Announcements

Welcome Baskets In August we will be collecting items to go in Welcome Baskets and “Bags of Fun” (items for kids) that go to houseless individuals or families served by Family Promise and Housing Advocate Network when they find housing. Check out the list below, pick up a flyer in the narthex or sign up online the home page. Cash donations are also accepted on Immanuel’s donate page.

Construction Complete! Come check out the updates in the kitchen and Fellowship Hall. Volunteers are needed after worship today and tomorrow to help move furniture back into the Fellowship Hall.

Fellowship Treats We always need treats for Fellowship after worship. Bring some of your favorite treats to share. Sign up on the white board in the Hemgren room or via the Immanuel Web-

Welcome Statement

Immanuel Lutheran Church is committed to seeing Christ in everyone. We are rooted and united in Christ. We grow by acknowledging and embracing our differences. We celebrate our human family’s diversity of sexuality, gender identity, marital status, race, ethnicity, age, faith story, economic status, physical and mental ability, education, and the many other identities that make our community beautiful. All people are invited to grow with us toward greater love, understanding, and mutual respect - seeing Christ in everyone.

Immanuel is a Reconciling Works Congregation

We advocate for the full welcome, inclusion, and equity of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, intersex, and asexual/aromantic (LGBTQIA+) Lutherans in all aspects of the life of their Church, congregations, and community.

Please join us for refreshments after worship.

site. Check the e news and Sunday bulletins for Autumn and Winter Fellowship opportunities!

Men’s Bible Study We will meet through the summer, come join us Tuesdays at 12 pm in room 406.

Quilting We will resume quilting on Thursdays at 9:30 am. Contact Judy Nakamura with questions (406)370-0254.



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Lutheran Faith in an Election Year

The church is called to be a community that prays, deliberates, and acts together when it comes to complex social issues. In this election year, how might our Lutheran faith shape our thinking, acting, and voting on major issues? Join us to learn and ponder timely social teachings of the ELCA and to learn tips for leading discussions in your own community. Hosted by United Lutheran Seminary — Kindling Faith. Sign up on our website. **Immanuel paid the congregation registration fee, so you do not need to register.** Simply sign up on IMLU’s website, and the zoom link will be emailed to you. Attend one or all.

August 27: Corporate Social Responsibility

September 10: Abortion

September 24: Faith, Sexism and Justice

October 8: Earth’s Climate Crisis Study Guide

October 22: Freed in Christ: Race, Ethnicity, and Culture



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Bonner Park Splash Deck and City Band Concert

Wednesdays 7pm at Bonner Park

Come enjoy the Missoula summer tradition of free public concerts at Bonner Park with the whole family! Bring a towel and enjoy the splash deck, and don’t forget your low profile lawn chairs and blankets. The final gathering is August 8. Sign up on the Immanuel Website or contact Colter Murphy: colter@stpaulmissoula.org.

Splash Montana

Tuesday August 6 4-7pm

Whether you love swimming, floating on the lazy river, or speeding down waterslides, Splash Montana is the place to be when you want to cool off and have fun. Admission is free for all who RSVP via the Immanuel website and all attendees are encouraged to donate to ELCA World Hunger which helps provide access to clean water to our neighbors around the globe. Donate at the link on the Immanuel Website by choosing Children, Youth and Family and typing “world hunger” in the memo.

Questions? Contact Colter Murphy: colter@stpaulmissoula.org