



**Welcome!**  
**Immanuel Reformed Church**  
**July 16, 2023**

**Prelude**

**Call to Worship**

**Hymn 43:** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

**Hymn 103:** *Blessed Be the Name*

**Hymn 105:** *He Is Lord*

**Children's Message:**

**Morning Prayer**

**Hymn 345:** *Blessed Assurance*

**Scripture:** Psalm 147:4 - 5

**Message:** From Brokenness to Blessing

**Responsive Hymn 461:** *He Leadeth Me*

**Offering**

**Prayer**

**Offertory**

**Doxology**

**Benediction**

**Closing Hymn 604:** *Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name*

**Serving Us Today**

**Greeters:** Leigh & Nicki Jass

**Clean Up:** Crystal Braner

**Organist:** Donna Buseman

**July 23**

**Greeters:** Dave & Betty Kobes

**Clean Up:** Donna Buseman

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**Announcements**

- Our speaker today is **Pastor Jaccie Kenyon** with Sojourners. Thank you, Pastor, for joining us in our service.
- A reminder to Immanuel ladies: You are all invited to join us on **Friday mornings at Sugar Pie for coffee** at 9 a.m. If they are closed for any reason, just go down the street to the Golden Hopper and you will find us there. This week will be special because, unless something changes, Karen DeKuiper will be joining us for coffee. Please feel free to come and say "hi", even if you can't stay.
- **VBS is coming soon!** Children of the church (going into 1st-6th grade) are encouraged to attend the **Community VBS hosted by Trinity Lutheran Church, July 17-20th.** You may register through their Facebook page or by contacting Heather Ridgway. Cost is \$5 per child or \$10 per family.
- **Have an announcement for the bulletin?** Send it to Karen Halfpop (karen\_halfpop@yahoo.com or 417-331-1640) by 10 a.m. on Fridays.
- **Have a story or testimony to share** about being a part of the Immanuel family? We'd like to put it on Immanuel's Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/Immanuel-ReformedChurch>)! Send it to social media guru Aimee McKnight (aimeegoeman@gmail.com. Thanks for helping us reach out to our community!

**9:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
 (Nursery available downstairs)**

**10:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship**

**Sunday School will resume in mid-September.  
 Have a safe and productive summer!**

**In Our Thoughts & Prayers**

- Please pray for Brenda Stahl's family as they prepare for mom's admission to a care center.
- After many months of IVF treatments, it's a boy for Dave & Betty Kobes' son Jason and his wife! Please be in prayer for the health of mother and baby during this pregnancy.
- Pray a hedge of protection around Larry and Karla Pals as they travel to Colombia, South America, where they will meet their newly-adopted granddaughter. Pray that the rest of the adoption process goes smoothly.
- Pray for Sandy who is being treated for breast cancer.
- Praise for the new faces that have been joining us at Immanuel. Encouragement for those that can't be with us to worship weekly.
- Prayers for the Lord to be present as Immanuel transitions to our new denomination, Alliance of Reformed Churches (ARC)
- Guidance for our all of our consistory members and search team members as we seek the next Pastor for Immanuel.
- For students as they journey through the summer break.



- July 1** John Sifert
- July 2** Hoyt Jass
- July 3** Kassian Stahl
- July 4** Curt Dorenkamp
- July 7** Elizabeth Stark, Richard Clark, Tad McKnight
- July 9** Elly Pals, Mark Young, Nicki Jass, Renee Stahl
- July 14** Weston Barkema
- July 17** Monroe Goeman



- July 3** Dan & Lisa Lovgren
- July 15** Keith & Karen Halfpop
- July 19** Dan & Sara Goemaat
- July 22** John & Melissa Sifert
- July 26** Marcus & Josie Barkema