

**November 9, 2025
Order of Service**

Prelude

Welcome

***Opening Hymn:**

Come Into His Presence

Call to Worship

Praise Hymn #76:

O For a Thousand Tongues

Praise Hymn #234:

*Crown Him With Many
Crowns*

Children's Message

Morning Prayer

***Prayer Hymn #433:**

Sweet Hour of Prayer

Scripture:

1 Thessalonians 5:16 - 18;
Psalm 100:4 - 5

Message:

A Heart of Thanks Before the
Coming King

***Responsive Hymn #4:**

How Great Thou Art

Offering Prayer

Offertory

***Doxology**

Church Happenings

***Benediction**

***Closing Hymn #607:**

The Lord Bless and Keep You

** Please Stand*

Today's Scripture

¹⁶ Rejoice always, ¹⁷ pray continually, ¹⁸ give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. – **1 Thessalonians 5:16 - 18**

⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name. ⁵ For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations. **Psalm 100:4 - 5**

Prayer & Praise

- PRAY FOR HEALING: For **Velda Steenblock**, who is recovering from a broken hip.
- PRAY FOR HEALING: For **Marcus Barkema**, and comfort and peace for Josie and the rest of his family.
- Remember **Laura, Kathy, Fritz, Nathan, Wilma, Jack, Dave, Ronnie**, and **Scott** in prayer as they go through health struggles.

Church & Family News

- **Be sure to turn in your ballot for Consistory nominations TODAY.** Final voting will take place at the Annual Meeting in December.

• A box has been placed under the mailboxes for the collection of donated items for **Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes**. The shoeboxes will be packed on **Wednesday, November 12 at 6 p.m.**

• We're looking for a few good church members to help **Nicki Jass** and **Melanie Sopher** on a **hospitality committee**. Can you help? Reach out to Nicki or Melanie.

• Anyone who could help **deliver meals on wheels** during the third week of November, please contact **Wanda**. We just have to deliver the meals around town. Thanks in advance for anyone who can help!

• **WHAT?! JUST 5 MORE DAYS** until our annual **Harvest Feast & Bake Sale!** We could still use a few more folks to sign up to provide a pie or two for the Harvest Feast, plus people to help with prep work on Thursday. If putting food together isn't your idea of a good time (seriously?) there are tables to set and other projects to be ready for the bake sale. And speaking of bake sales, with the wonderful cooks and bakers here at Immanuel, we're looking forward to delicious treats! Items should be at the church by 4 p.m. on Friday. Thank you!

• "Thanks to all of you who have given cash and other items to the **Belmond Food Pantry**. We appreciate your generosity very much!" **Wanda**

• **Ladies**, please come join us at Sugar Pie each Friday morning at 9 a.m. for coffee, tea, pastries and sparkling conversation. We'd love to have you!

Serving Us Today

Greeter & Clean-Up:

Karen Halfpop

Musician: Jane Pals

Message: Leigh Jass

November 16

Greeters & Clean-Up:

Joel & Cindy Boelman

Musician: Dawn Groszkruger

Message: Leigh Jass

Happy Birthday!

Nov 5 Kaitlin Boelman

Nov 18 Lisa Lovgren

Nov 19 Lawrence Basener

Nov 22 Becky Ellingston

Nov 25 Carol Lockett,
Jane Pals, Joy Bonin

Nov 30 Dennis Vanness

Happy Anniversary!

Nov 24 Jerry & Mary Boelman

Nov 26 Tad & Aimee McKnight