



# Immanuel Presbyterian Church

Online Worship Service  
October 18, 2020

*Discovering and displaying Christ  
in here and out there*

# Celebration of the Lord's Day

WELCOME

PRAYER

HYMN

*My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

SOLID ROCK

CALL TO WORSHIP

*Psalm 119*

One: Deal bountifully with your servant, that I may live and keep your word.

**All: Open my eyes, that I may see the wonders of your law.**

One: I am a pilgrim in the land; hide not your commands from me.

**All: My soul is consumed with longing at all times for your decrees.**

One: Free me from scorn and contempt, for I observe your commands.

**All: Though princes sit plotting against me, your servant ponders your statutes.**

One: You decrees are my delight and your statutes are my counselors!

**All: Let us worship the living God!**

SONG

*All Who Are Thirsty*

Brenton Brown

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

*Isaiah 55:1-9* NRSV

<sup>1</sup> Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. <sup>2</sup> Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. <sup>3</sup> Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live. I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. <sup>4</sup> See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples. <sup>5</sup> See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you. <sup>6</sup> Seek the Lord while he may be found,

call upon him while he is near; <sup>7</sup> let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on them, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. <sup>8</sup> For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord. <sup>9</sup> For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

One: The grass withers and the flower fades, but the Word of God endures forever.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON SERIES

The Pilgrim's Progress

SERMON

*Escaping From Vanity Fair*

Kris Goorsky, Director of Christian Formation

SPECIAL MUSIC

*Ablaze*

Alanis Morissette

DEDICATION OF CENTS-ABILITY OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

SONG

*How Can I Keep from Singing?*

Robert Lowry

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

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Holly Schurr, violin

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