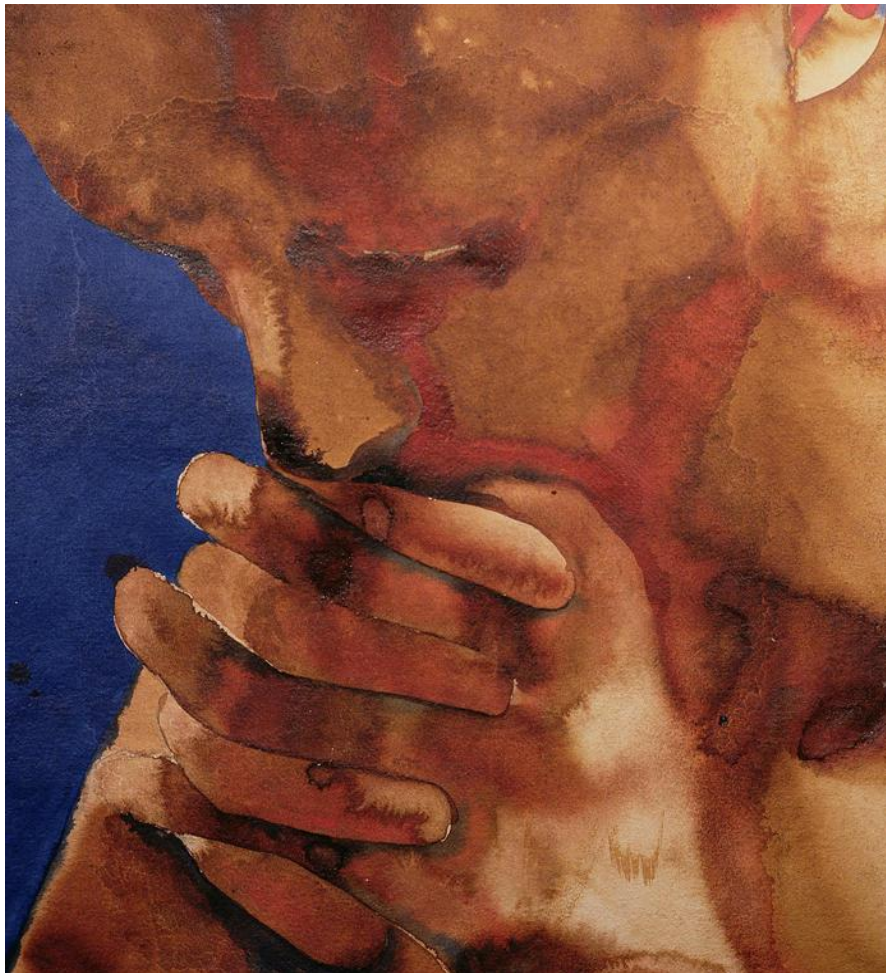


Immanuel Presbyterian Church



Sanctuary Worship Service

June 26, 2022

10:00am

*Discovering and displaying Christ
in here and out there*

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S DAY

(*Please stand as you are able)

PRELUDE

Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior

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WELCOME

PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: All who thirst, come to the water. Come, all who are weary; come, all who yearn for forgiveness. The Holy Spirit through Jesus Christ has washed over us, and our gracious and holy God beckons and blesses us. Drink deeply of these living waters.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord, glory to you.**

*HYMN

I've Got Peace Like a River

Spiritual

I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in-a my soul.
I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river,
I've got peace like a river in-a my soul.

I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain in-a my soul.
I've got joy like a fountain, I've got joy like a fountain,
I've got joy like a fountain in-a my soul.

CALL TO CONFESSION

One: We know that nothing is able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus. Let us in freedom confess the wrong we have done.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: Eternal God, we confess that we have often failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will; we have broken your law. We have rebelled against your love; we have not loved our neighbors. We have not heard the cry of the needy.

All: **Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

One: Sisters and brothers, hear, receive, and rejoice in the good news. In Jesus the Christ, through his life, death, and resurrection, our sins are forgiven. May God be praised!

All: **Thanks be to God!**

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

*SONG

You Never Let Go

Redman

(You are welcome and encouraged to sing)

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death
Your perfect love is casting out fear
And even when I'm caught in the middle of the storms of this life
I won't turn back, I know You are near

And I will fear no evil. For my God is with me
And if my God is with me
Whom then shall I fear? Whom then shall I fear?

(Chorus)

Oh no, You never let go, through the calm and through the storm
Oh no, You never let go, in every high and ev'ry low
Oh no, You never let go, Lord, You never let go of me

And I can see a light that is coming for the heart that holds on
A glorious light beyond all compare
And there will be an end to these troubles, But until that day comes
We'll live to know You here on the earth

Yes, I can see a light that is coming for the heart that holds on
And there will be an end to these troubles, but until that day comes
Still I will praise You, still I will praise You.

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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 77: 1-2, 11-13 NIV

¹ I cried out to God for help; I cried out to God to hear me. ² When I was in distress, I sought the Lord; at night I stretched out untiring hands, and I would not be comforted.

¹¹ I will remember the deeds of the Lord; yes, I will remember your miracles of long ago. ¹² I will consider all your works and meditate on all your mighty deeds." ¹³ Your ways, God, are holy. What god is as great as our God?

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

All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Rev. John C. Cheek

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OFFERTORY

The Shadow Proves the Sunshine

Jonathan Foreman

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.

*HYMN

For the Fruit of All Creation

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For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God.

For the gifts to every nation, thanks be to God.

For the plowing, sowing, reaping, silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safekeeping, thanks be to God.

In the just reward of labor, God's will be done.

In the help we give our neighbor, God's will be done.

In our worldwide task of caring for the hungry and despairing,
in the harvests we are sharing, God's will be done.

For the harvests of the Spirit, thanks be to God.

For the good we all inherit, thanks be to God.

For the wonders that astound us, for the truths that still confound us,
most of all that love has found us, thanks be to God.

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*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Participants:

Rev. John Cheek, Interim Pastor
Rev. Dr. John C. Tittle, on sabbatical leave
Dr. Walter W. Schurr, Director of Music
Kris Goorsky, Director of Christian Formation
Abby Tittle, Online Worship Service Producer
Erika Roberts, children's message
Laura Fennema, lay reader
Peggy Free, lay reader

Carl Cherry, vocals
Ryan Green, vocals and guitar
Holly Schurr, violin and percussion
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