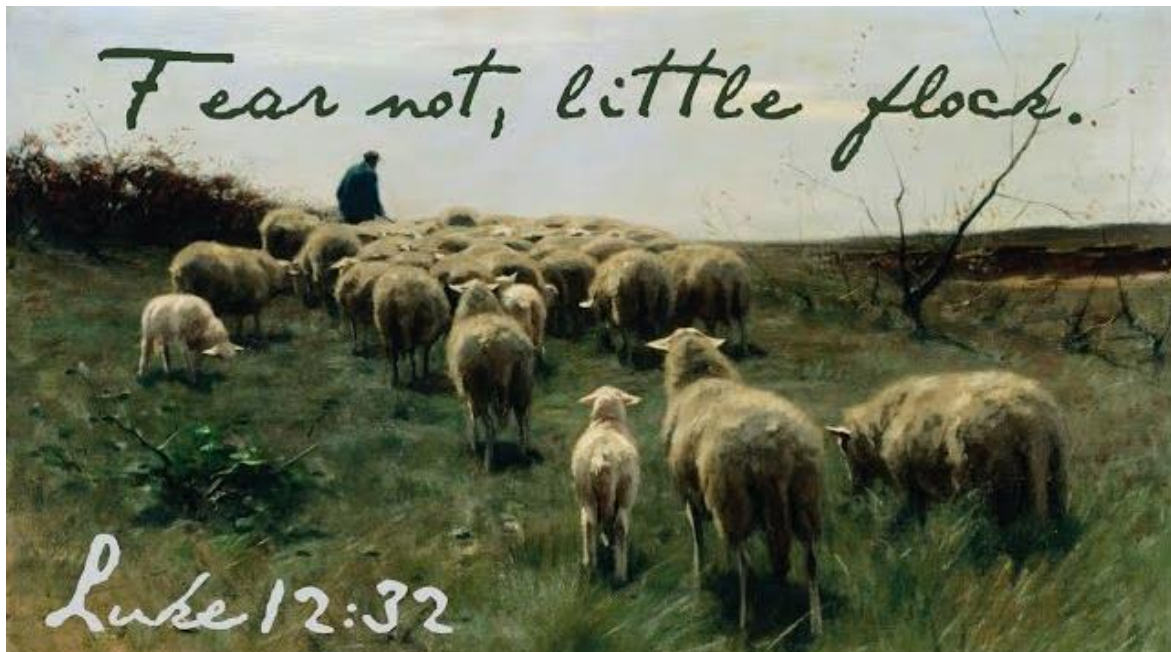


Immanuel Presbyterian Church



Sanctuary Worship Service

August 7, 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

WELCOME

PRAYER

*HYMN

Here, O Our Lord, We See You Face to Face

No. 520

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Praise the Lord!

All: O give thanks to the Lord, for the Lord is good, for God's lovingkindness is everlasting.

One: Who can speak of the mighty deeds of the Lord, or can show forth all the Lord's praise?

All: How blessed are those who keep justice, who practice righteousness at all times!

One: Let us worship the Lord God.

All: May God be praised!

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.

*SONG

In Christ Alone

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

All: Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Through 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

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 12: 32-40 NIV

³² "Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. ³³ Sell your possessions and give to the poor. Provide purses for yourselves that will not wear out, a treasure in heaven that will never fail, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. ³⁴ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. ³⁵ "Be dressed ready for service and keep your lamps burning, ³⁶ like servants waiting for their master to return from a wedding banquet, so that when he comes and knocks they can immediately open the door for him. ³⁷ It will be good for those servants whose master finds them watching when he comes. Truly I tell you, he will dress himself to serve, will have them recline at the table and will come and wait on them. ³⁸ It will be good for those servants whose master finds them ready, even if he comes in the middle of the night or toward daybreak. ³⁹ But understand this: If the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁰ You also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him."

SERMON

Kris Goorsky
Director of Christian Formation

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OFFERTORY

Kind and Generous

Natalie Merchant

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

Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

No. 538

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Our special thanks to Gale Griffin for substituting for Billy while he is on vacation.

Participants:

Rev. Dr. John C. Tittle
Dr. Walter W. Schurr, Director of Music
Kris Goorsky, Director of Christian Formation
Abby Tittle, Online Worship Service Producer
Marcia Aurand, children's message
Laura Fennema, lay reader
Sean Shifflette, lay reader
Carl Cherry, vocals
Ryan Green, vocals and guitar
Bradley Bishop, audio visual
Michael Dungan, audio visual
Ed Vander Woude, audio visual

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