

| PRAYER & MEDITATION |

All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out.

— John 6:37 —

| CALL TO WORSHIP* |

Psalm 34:3,8-9

Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together! Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him! Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints, for those who fear him have no lack!

| HYMN OF PRAISE* | Hymnal #181

“We Come, O Christ, To You”

| PRAYER OF PRAISE* |

| READING OF GOD’S LAW |

1 Peter 3:15

In your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect.

MINISTER: This is the word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

| CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN |

Almighty and most merciful Father, we thank you that your mercy is higher than the heavens, wider than our wanderings, and deeper than all our sin. We confess to you that we have failed to honor Christ the Lord as holy in our hearts. Forgive us for losing sight of the hope that is in us, and our small courage in speaking of Jesus Christ. We admit that the word of Christ has not dwelt in us richly, and that our words are rarely filled with gentleness and respect. Forgive us Lord, wash us in the blood of the lamb that we may desire what is pleasing in your sight, through Christ our Savior, Amen.

| SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN |

| PROMISE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS |

Titus 3:4-5

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy.

| HYMN OF TRUST* | Hymnal #508

“Jesus, Lover of My Soul”

| AFFIRMATION OF FAITH |

WLC Q. 42

MINISTER: Why was our mediator called Christ?

ALL: Our Mediator was called Christ, because he was anointed with the Holy Ghost above measure; and so set apart, and fully furnished with all authority and ability, to execute the offices of prophet, priest, and king of his Church, in the estate both of his humiliation and exaltation.

| PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER |

PEOPLE: 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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

| PSALM OF MEDITATION* | Psalter p. 26

Psalm 34:15-22, tune: “Be Still My Soul”

| OFFERING |

| SERMON TEXT* | John 1:35-51

PASTOR: The grass withers, the flower falls,

PEOPLE: But the word of our God stands forever.

| SERMON | Rev. Seth Miller

“Follow Me”

| HYMN OF RESPONSE* | Hymnal #55

“To God Be the Glory”

| THE LORD’S SUPPER |

You will be released to receive the elements at the front of the room.

Wine is dark in color and grape juice is light in color.

| A WORD TO PARENTS | *Baptized children are invited to the table after they have made a profession of faith and have been received as communing members by the elders of the church to which their parents belong.*

| HYMN OF THANKS* | Hymnal #731

“Doxology”

| BENEDICTION* |

2 Peter 1:2

May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord.

*Congregation stands if able

| ANNOUNCEMENTS |

We appreciate your help in gathering any nearby communion cups and bulletins and disposing of them in the receptacles as you leave.

If needed, there are hearing assisted devices available at the sound booth.

*A **nursery is available** downstairs for children ages 1-3 for parents who would like to make use of it during the service. Additionally, a private cry room/nursing mother's room is located near the back of the nursery.*

| Welcome Visitors! | We extend a warm welcome to all who are worshiping with us today. We are delighted you are here and are available to answer any questions you may have about our worship service, our church, or even the gospel of Jesus Christ. We would love to connect with you and keep you updated each week - please fill out a contact card, located next to the bulletins, or visit immanuelpca.org and select ‘contact us’ so that we can stay in touch.

| Youth Fellowship | There will be a youth fellowship night for all kids ages 12-18 on **Friday, January 30th at 6:00 PM**. Dinner will be provided, bring a friend! Location: Clark’s home, **24792 N Vlazy S Lane in Athol**.

| NEXT SUNDAY’S SERMONS |

Rev. Seth Miller will be preaching on John 2:1-11 in the morning, and on Daniel 2 in the evening.

| EVENING WORSHIP |
Order of Service

CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 63:2-4

HYMN OF PRAISE: Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul #57

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

HYMN OF THANKS: O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing #164

READING THE CONFESSION: WCF 7.6

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Ezekiel 33

PSALM OF MEDITATION: Psalm 137:1-6, “Alas and Did My Savior Bleed”

SERMON TEXT: Daniel 1

SERMON: “Life in Exile” - Rev. Seth Miller

HYMN OF RESPONSE: Lead On, O King Eternal #580

BENEDICTION: Romans 15:13

| SERMON NOTES |

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— John 1:35-51 —

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| THE LORD’S DAY |

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