| PRAYER & MEDITATION |

For the Scripture says to Pharoah, "For this very purpose I have raised you up, that I might show my power in you, and that my name might be proclaimed in all the earth."

--- Romans 9:17 ---

| CALL TO WORSHIP* | Psalm 29:2-4

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness. The voice of the LORD is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over many waters. The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.

| PRAYER OF PRAISE* |

| PSALM OF PRAISE* | Psalter p. 81 Psalm 95:1-7, tune: "There is a Fountain"

| READING OF GOD'S LAW | James 3:8-10

For every kind of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by mankind, but no human being can tame the tongue. It is a restless evil, full of deadly poison. With it we bless our Lord and Father, and with it we curse people who are made in the likeness of God. From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers, these things ought not to be so.

MINISTER. This is the word of the Lord. ALL: Thanks be to God.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Merciful Father, you have given us the ability to speak that we might bless your name and be a blessing to others. We confess that we have failed to let our speech be always gracious and seasoned with salt. Our tongues have brought out from the depths of our hearts all kinds of evil. We acknowledge that we will have to give an account for every careless word, and so we ask for mercy through Jesus Christ and with the help of the Holy Spirit that we might be all the more conformed into the image of the Son, in whose name we pray, Amen.

| SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN |

PROMISE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS | Ezekiel 36:25-27

I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.

*Congregation stands if able

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH WCF 2.1

MINISTER. What do you believe about God?

ALL: There is only one living and true God, who is infinite in being and perfection. He is a most pure spirit, invisible, with neither body, parts, nor passive properties. He is unchangeable, boundless, eternal, and incomprehensible. He is almighty, most wise, most holy, most free, and most absolute. He works all things according to the counsel of his own unchangeable and most righteous will, for his own glory. He is most loving, gracious, merciful, longsuffering, abundant in goodness and truth, forgiving iniquity, transgression, and sin, and he is the rewarder of those who diligently seek him.

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.

| HYMN OF MEDITATION* | Hymnal #353 "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

OFFERING

| SERMON TEXT* | Exodus 6:10-7:13

PASTOR: The grass withers, the flower fades, PEOPLE: But the word of our God will stand forever.

> | SERMON | Rev. Seth Miller "Uncircumcised Lips and Hardened Hearts"

HYMN OF RESPONSE* "O Church Arise"

> O, church arise and put your armor on Hear the call of Christ our captain For now the weak can say that they are strong In the strength that God has given

With shield of faith and belt of truth We'll stand against the devil's lies An army bold whose battle cry is love Reaching out to those in darkness

Our call to war, to love the captive soul, But to rage against the captor And with the sword that makes the wounded whole We will fight with faith and valor When faced with trials on ev'ry side, We know the outcome is secure, And Christ will have the prize for which He died An inheritance of nations

Come, see the cross where love and mercy meet, As the Son of God is stricken Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, For the Conqueror has risen And as the stone is rolled away, And Christ emerges from the grave, This vict'ry march continues till the day Ev'ry eye and heart will see Him

So Spirit, come, put strength in ev'ry stride, Give grace for ev'ry hurdle, That we may run with faith to win the prize Of a servant good and faithful As saints of old still line the way, Retelling triumphs of His grace, We hear their calls and hunger for the day When, with Christ, we stand in 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 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* | 1 Thessalonians 5:23

Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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 avilable 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.

| No Evening Service May 25th | Due to scheduling conflicts, we will not be meeting for our regular evening service tonight.

| IPC Youth Fellowship | Join IPC youth, ages 12-18, and their families on Friday, May 30 from 6:00-8:00 PM for a time of fellowship and Bible study. Dinner provided. Invite a friend! Please RSVP to Lisa at 208-818-3696. Fellowship will be at the Clark's house in Athol: 24792 N Vlazy S Lane.

| NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMONS |

Rev. Seth Miller will be preaching on Exodus 7:14 - ch. 10 in the morning, and on 1 Corinthians in the evening.

"Uncircumcised Lips and Hardened Hearts" — Exodus 6:10-7:13 —

I. MOSES' HEART OF HESITATION

II. PHARAOH'S HARDENED HEART



|THE LORD'S DAY |

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