

| PRAYER & MEDITATION |

When he summoned a famine on the land and broke all supply of bread, he had sent a man ahead of them, Joseph, who was sold as a slave. His feet were hurt with fetters; his neck was put in a collar of iron; until what he had said came to pass, the word of the LORD tested him.

— Psalm 105:16-19 —

| CALL TO WORSHIP* | Psalm 77:11-15

I will remember the deeds of the LORD; yes, I will remember your wonders of old. Your way, O God, is holy. What god is great like our God? You are the God who works wonders; you have made known your might among the peoples. You with your arm redeemed your people, the children of Jacob and Joseph.

| HYMN OF PRAISE* |
“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”

I sing the mighty pow’r of God,
that made the mountains rise,
That spread the flowing seas abroad,
and built the lofty skies.

**I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day;
The moon shines full at His command, and all the stars obey.**

I sing the goodness of the Lord,
who filled the earth with food,
He formed the creatures with His Word,
and then pronounced them good.

**Lord, how Your wonders are displayed, where’er I turn my eye,
If I survey the ground I tread, or gaze upon the sky.**

There’s not a plant or flow’r below
but makes Your glories known,
And clouds arise, and tempests blow,
by order from Your throne;

**While all that borrows life from You is ever in Your care;
And everywhere that man can be, You, God, are present there.**

| PRAYER OF PRAISE* |

*Congregation stands if able

| READING OF GOD’S LAW | Titus 2:11-12

For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age.

MINISTER: This is the word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

| CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN |

Almighty God and Heavenly Father, You are good, and Your mercy endures forever. We confess to You that we have greatly sinned by transgressing Your commandments. We have presumed upon Your kindness, not knowing that Your kindness is meant to lead us to repentance. Rather than saying no to sin, we have submitted to the desires of the old man. Have mercy on us, Lord, for we are sinners. Remove our sin from us for the sake of our Savior, Jesus Christ, and train us once again for holiness that we may live in a manner that is pleasing in Your sight, through Christ our Lord, Amen.

| SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN |

| PROMISE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS | Titus 3:4-6

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, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior.

| HYMN OF TRUST* | Hymnal #345
“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”

| AFFIRMATION OF FAITH | WLC 75

MINISTER: What is sanctification?

ALL: **Sanctification is a work of God’s grace, whereby they whom God hath, before the foundation of the world, chosen to be holy, are in time, through the powerful operation of his Spirit applying the death and resurrection of Christ unto them, renewed in their whole man after the image of God; having the seeds of repentance unto life, and all other saving graces, put into their hearts, and those graces so stirred up, increased, and strengthened, as that they more and more die unto sin, and rise unto newness of life.**

| 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. 118
Psalm 139:1-12, tune: “Before the Throne of God Above”

| OFFERING |

| SERMON TEXT* | Genesis 39

PASTOR: The grass withers, the flower fades,

PEOPLE: **But the word of our God will stand forever.**

| SERMON | Rev. Seth Miller

“A Success Story”

| HYMN OF RESPONSE* | Hymnal #358
“For All the Saints”

| 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*

| HYMN OF THANKS* | Hymnal #731
“Doxology”

| BENEDICTION* | Romans 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

| ANNOUNCEMENTS |

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

| 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.

| New Sunday Evening Series | Throughout the month of December we will take a deeper look at the Christmas story through the characters surrounding Christ's birth.

| Christmas Eve Service | We will have a Christmas Eve service at the Jacklin Center on Dec. 24th at 5:00pm.

| Ladies' Ornament Exchange | All ladies are invited to a Christmas ornament exchange, taking place from 6-8:30pm on Dec. 5th at Heather Trosclair's house. All you need to bring is one Christmas tree ornament - it can be storebought, homemade, any kind you like - just make sure to wrap it! If you'd like to, you can also bring a snack or drink but it's not a requirement. The Trosclairs are located at **761 S Four Winds Rd, CDA, 83814**. Please text Heather at **(208) 640-3121** with any questions.

| NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMONS |

Rev. Seth Miller will be preaching on Genesis 40-41 in the morning, and on Luke 1:26-38 in the evening.

| SERMON NOTES |

“A Success Story”
— Genesis 39 —

I. THE LORD'S BLESSING IN TRIAL

II. THE LORD'S FAITHFULNESS IN TEMPTATION

III. THE LORD'S PRESENCE IN TROUBLE

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| THE LORD'S DAY |

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