

**IMMANUEL PRAYS:** Carol-Ann Matschulat, Dave Gibson, Brenda Toal, Bill Naukam, Nic Grana, Dave Roppel, Dave Derleth, Marvin Bond, Debbie Gurnow, Bev Milner and the grieving family and friends of Peggy Haase (wife of Rev. Ferdinand Haase), Pearl Schwartz, Bob Sawyer, Darrell Riling, William Bunn and Juliana LaMonica.

**Please join us for Immanuel's Adult Vacation Bible School on August 2<sup>nd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>.** We will be talking about four key figures from the Old Testament: Rachel, Joseph, Moses and Joshua. This study is part of the People of Faith Series of the Book of Faith Initiative. Each day is independent of the other days so you can feel free to join us for any or all of the lessons. No experience in Bible study is needed. We will start each day with dinner at 6:00 and the discussion will begin at 6:30 lasting until 8. You are welcome to come for the meal and study or just for the study itself.



**YOU ARE INVITED to Wellness on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM!** Come and enjoy fun, food and friendship, with a program and a delicious lunch. Transportation is available by calling the church office by 10:00 AM on the Tuesday before. Do come and have a good time!!!

**Wellness on Wednesdays**  
**Schedule of Events**

July 14 - Nutrition for Seniors - Joan Panepinto,  
Nutrition Council speaker

July 21 - Sharing Antiques - Lyn Krauss, Leader  
(bring your own small antiques to share)

JULY 28—  
NO WELLNESS ON WEDNESDAYS—  
BIBLE SCHOOL AT CHURCH

Thank you to those assisting us in worship this evening.

**Musicians:**

Izzie Davies, Piano  
Thatcher Lyman, Bass  
Betty Herloski, Guitar

**Members of Immanuel**

Paul E. Shoop  
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Dave Ekimoff Associate for Congregational Ministries  
John F. Beeg Pastor Emeritus  
Barb Rafferty Administrative Associate  
Thatcher Lyman Director of Music  
Marguerite Manning Handbell Director  
Isobel Davies *Grace @ 5* Music Leader  
Ron Corey, Jr. Sexton  
Tom Lombardo Congregational President

**Ministers**

Pastor

In response to the call of Jesus Christ,  
we the people of  
Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church  
are committed to:

**Celebrating** *the excitement of God's influence in life by being visible witnesses of Christ and*

**Ministering** *to the spiritual and physical needs of our community and the world, through our God given talents.*

**Worship with Holy Communion**

**9:30 AM**

**Grace @ 5:00 PM**

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SEVENTH SUNDAY  
AFTER PENTECOST  
JULY 11, 2010

*Grace @ 5*



*Celebrate ~ Grow ~ Serve*

*To love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, strength, and mind is to reflect God's mercy in responding to one's neighbor. That mercy found its most profound expression in the "gospel that has come to you" – namely the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. It is very near to you.*

## Grace @ 5

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost  
July 11, 2010

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### GATHER

#### Welcome & Sharing of Peace

#### Gathering Songs

*I was Glad*

*Don't Let My Love Grow Cold*

*He Came Down*

#### Call to Worship

#### Prayer of the Day

Leader: Let us pray. O Lord God,

**ALL: your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in need, and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**

### LISTEN

#### Grace Moment

#### Readings from Holy Scripture

##### Colossians 1:1-14

(Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 213)

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

<sup>2</sup>To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

<sup>3</sup>In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>4</sup>for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, <sup>5</sup>because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel <sup>6</sup>that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. <sup>7</sup>This you

learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, <sup>8</sup>and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. <sup>9</sup>For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, <sup>10</sup>so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. <sup>11</sup>May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully <sup>12</sup>giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. <sup>13</sup>He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, <sup>14</sup>in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

##### Luke 10:25-37

(Pew Bible, New Testament, p. 73)

<sup>25</sup>Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?"

<sup>26</sup>He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" <sup>27</sup>He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." <sup>28</sup>And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

<sup>29</sup>But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" <sup>30</sup>Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. <sup>31</sup>Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. <sup>32</sup>So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. <sup>33</sup>But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. <sup>34</sup>He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought

him to an inn, and took care of him. <sup>35</sup>The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." <sup>36</sup>Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" <sup>37</sup>He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

#### Worship Song

*Heaven Shall Not Wait* (Iona)

#### Sermon

### RESPOND

#### Creed

#### Prayers

*Your Kingdom Come O Lord*

### CELEBRATE

#### Communion

#### Music during Distribution

*Do This in Remembrance of Me*

#### Communion Blessing & Prayer

### GO

#### Sending Song

*No Longer Strangers*

#### Blessing & Dismissal

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Offering plates are located by the entrances to the sanctuary. Thank you for your offering.

**Thank you for worshipping at Immanuel today. Join us next Sunday (and every Sunday during July and August) after Grace @ 5 for ice cream sundaes!**

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To share a prayer concern or celebration, email [immanev@frontiernet.net](mailto:immanev@frontiernet.net) or call 585/872-5180. Members of Immanuel will raise your request in prayer. The full list of ongoing prayer concerns is available on the bulletin board outside the church office. For an email copy, please contact the church office.