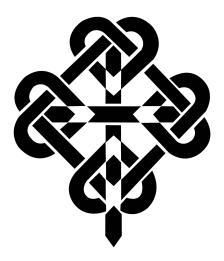
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The whole body joined and knit together...
building itself up in love.
— Ephesians 4:16 —

Summer Sermon Series Great Stories, a Greater Savior

Morning Worship July 10, 2022

WE GATHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

PRELUDE: Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling

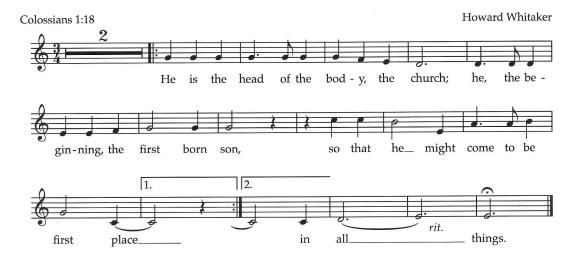
Glorify Thy Name

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CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

ANNETTE LAPLACA

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP



* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known among the nations

what he has done.

All: Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Glory in

his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

Pastor: Look to the Lord and his strength; seek his face always.

All: Let us remember the wonders he has done, his miracles and

the judgments he pronounced. For he is the Lord our God.

He remembers his covenant forever.

^{*} Invocation

* Opening Hymn: Before the Throne of God Above



WE ARE RENEWED IN GOD'S GRACE

CALL TO CONFESSION KATHERINE ANDERSON

Leader: Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good;

People: love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor.

Leader: Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord.

People: Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer.

Leader: Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

People: Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another

has fulfilled the law.

Leader: Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light;

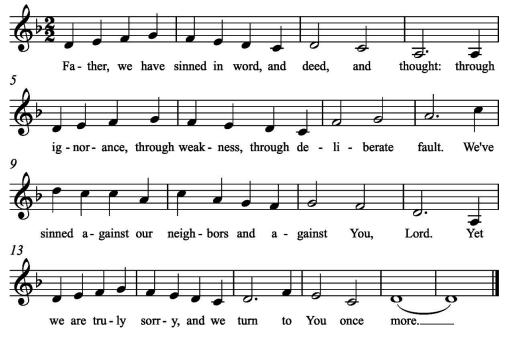
People: let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in

debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy.

Leader: Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify

its desires.

SONG OF CONFESSION: Father, We Have Sinned



PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Be comforted and hear the good tidings of the gospel: If any one has sinned,

we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole

world. Believe the gospel and live in peace. Amen.

* ACCLAMATION

All: With angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud

and magnify your glorious name; evermore praising you and saying, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts, heaven and earth are full of

your glory, now and always. Amen.

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

(Please share God's peace with those around you.)

PRAYER OF BLESSING FOR CHILDREN

(Children 3 years through 2nd grade are dismissed to continue their worship downstairs.)

WE BRING OUR PRAISES, PRAYERS AND GIFTS

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY: Simple Gifts

arr. Cota Handrell Choir * Doxology Howard Whitaker



Intercessory Prayer Annie Rose

* HYMN: God of the Prophets



- 4 Anoint us kings! Help us do justice, Lord! Anoint us with the Spirit of your Son: ours not a monarch's crown or tyrant's sword; ours by the love of Christ a kingdom won.
- 5 Make us disciples, heralds of your cross; forth may we go to tell all realms your grace: by you inspired, may we count all but loss, and stand at last with joy before your face.

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WE HEAR GOD SPEAK

(Please remain standing for the reading of God's Word.)

READERS: LONEY FAMILY

* OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE: Psalm 110:1-7

Of David. A psalm.

¹ The LORD says to my lord:

"Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet."

² The LORD will extend your mighty scepter from Zion, saying, "Rule in the midst of your enemies!"

Your troops will be willing on your day of battle. Arrayed in holy splendor, your young men will come to you like dew from the morning's womb.

The LORD has sworn and will not change his mind: "You are a priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek."

The Lord is at your right hand;

he will crush kings on the day of his wrath.

He will judge the nations, heaping up the dead and crushing the rulers of the whole earth.

He will drink from a brook along the way, and so he will lift his head high.

* New Testament Scripture: Hebrews 5:1-10 and 7:20-25

¹ Every high priest is selected from among the people and is appointed to represent the people in matters related to God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. ² He is able to deal gently with those who are ignorant and are going astray, since he himself is subject to weakness. ³ This is why he has to offer sacrifices for his own sins, as well as for the sins of the people. ⁴ And no one takes this honor on himself, but he receives it when called by God, just as Aaron was.

⁵ In the same way, Christ did not take on himself the glory of becoming a high priest. But God said to him,

"You are my Son; today I have become your Father."

⁶ And he says in another place,

"You are a priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek."

- During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered and, once made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him and was designated by God to be high priest in the order of Melchizedek.
- And it was not without an oath! Others became priests without any oath, ²¹ but he became a priest with an oath when God said to him:

"The Lord has sworn

and will not change his mind:

'You are a priest forever.'

- Because of this oath, Jesus has become the guarantor of a better covenant.
- Now there have been many of those priests, since death prevented them from continuing in office; ²⁴ but because Jesus lives forever, he has a permanent priest-hood. ²⁵ Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them. NIV

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Q23. What offices doth Christ execute as our Redeemer?

All: Christ, as our Redeemer, executeth the offices of a prophet, of a priest, and of a king, both in His estate of humiliation and exaltation.

Q25. How doth Christ execute the office of a priest?

All: Christ executeth the office of a priest, in His once offering up of Himself a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice, and reconcile us to God, and in making continual intercession for us.

Sermon: Jesus Our High Priest Jesus' Priestly Ministry = Atonement + Intercession

WE ARE DISMISSED TO LOVE AND SERVE

* CLOSING HYMN: Lord, Be Glorified



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* BENEDICTION

* Postlude: Glorioso

Handbell Choir Danyew

TODAY

We are glad to have our own Jim Wilhoit in the pulpit today. Jim, who is ordained in the Evangelical Presbyterian Church, has been attending Immanuel with his wife, Carol, for many years. He is retired from Wheaton College, where he taught Spiritual Formation in Ministry for thirty-eight years.

Thanks to our musicians: Mary Hopper, John Zimmerman, the Handbell choir. Thanks to our tech team.

If you have concerns or are **in need of prayer**, Annie Rose (anniesayer@gmail.com) is available today and during the week.

1:00 - 3:00 p.m. **Food Pantry open**

6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Youth Group at the Ministry House

(Wear clothes you can get wet in.)

This Week

Tuesday 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Food Pantry open

Thursday 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Bible study @ Terra Vincent's

In Immanuel and Beyond

Summer Art Series: We are building an art piece above the Communion table during the summer sermon series. Each week another work will be added to illustrate the Bible reading for that week. *Five Smooth Stones quilt* (David LaPlaca), *Tower of Babel photo collage* (Howie Whitaker), *The Ark in the Jordan painting* (Samantha Durbin), *One True King embroidery* (Rachel Ehorn).

VBS JULY 25-29, 2022: Go to www.immanuelpresbyterian.net/vbs to register kids for VBS week!

Look for the donation board in the narthex this Sunday and next for ways to contribute to VBS week through donations of supplies and financial support. Thanks!

Back-to-School Carnival for Johnson School—Saturday, August 6. School supplies for under-resourced third-graders are already being purchased. Donate for this outreach event in the box provided in the narthex or with a check with "Johnson School" in the memo line.

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