

IMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Darlington, Wisconsin March 10, 2024 Women's Sunday

Welcome - Announcements Prelude

*Call to Worship:

We celebrate women's voices, proclaiming wisdom
We honor women's lives, forging new paths
We remember women's faith, strong amid challenges
We anticipate women's vision, calling us into the future
Past, present and future, our lives join with women
everywhere

*Hymn of Praise "Amazing Grace" #487, Green

*Prayer:

Dear Lord, we come together for divine purpose on this Women's Day service. Be faithful in small things because it is there that your strength lies. Faith is the bird that feels the light when the dawn is still dark. To the one who has faith, no explanation is necessary. To the one without faith, no explanation is possible. We turn to you to lead us to a new day. Through your steadfast love, we pray. Amen.

Passing the Peace of Christ

Hymn "You Have Come down to the Lakeshore"

#173, Black

Scripture Readings: Ephesians 2:8-10

Hebrews 11:1-3

Message "How To Be Women Of Faith"

Special Music Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer *Offering

Offertory

Doxology

Offertory Prayer

Bless these tithes and offerings, O God, return to you multiply and use them to bring the word and the touch of Jesus to this place and throughout the world in Jesus name. Amen.

*Closing Hymn "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" #148, Green

Benediction

God's gifts and mercies have been lavished upon us with abundance these gifts and mercies have been taken up by many faithful people and this day we celebrate the faithful women who have used their gifts and shared God's mercies with us. May we, inspired by God's grace and the faithful women in our lives, go forth from this place, ready to serve, ready to listen, ready to answer God's call.

Benediction Hymn "Edel Postlude

"Edelweiss"

See Below

*Please stand if you are able

"Edelweiss"

Edelweiss, Edelweiss, Every morning you greet me.

Small and white, Clean and bright,

You look happy to meet me.

Blossom of snow, may you bloom and grow,

Bloom and grow forever.

Edelweiss, Edelweiss, Bless my homeland forever.

May the Lord, Loving Lord, Bless and keep you forever.
Grant us peace, perfect peace, Courage in every endeavor.
Lift our eyes and see his face and his grace forever.
May the Lord, Loving Lord, Bless and Keep you forever.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mar. 17 - Liturgist – Marjean Sutherland 9:00 a.m. – Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 10:00 a.m. – Worship Service

A Look Ahead:

Mar. 10 - Women's Sunday

Daylight Savings Time starts. Turn your clocks ahead 1 hour.

Mar. 13 – Women's Guild Meeting at noon

Evening Prayer/Bible Study group at 7:00 p.m.

Mar. 20 – Church Council Meeting at 6:15 p.m.

Evening Prayer/Bible Study group at 7:00 p.m.

Mar. 27 - Evening Prayer/Bible Study group at 7:00 p.m.

Mar. 28 – Maundy Thursday Service at 6:30 p.m.

Mar. 31 - Easter Service at 10:00 a.m. with communion

Pastor Wilkins will have office hours at the church on Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Every Sunday we are live on the Immanuel Facebook page. If you like what you're seeing tell the friends you haven't seen for a while and invite them to join in.

Pastor Rev. Bob Wilkins
Ministers The Congregation
Organist Cindy Pluemer
Liturgist Donna Wilkins

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