

AUGUST 21, 2016

# IMMANUEL

Broken and Loved, Saved by Jesus, Freed to Live



## Welcome Eagles for Christ

Wow, the week in Guatemala went by so fast! God taught me so much through this mission journey, my team, and the people I ministered to. I gained so much from the experiences I had which included, reaching out to families in need, a visit to an orphanage and a cerebral palsy hospital. We also taught English lessons in a school, and enjoyed wheelchair dancing at the elderly home. My favorite part of the week was spending countless hours with the kids. Although there is a huge language barrier, it was easy to connect by playing games, painting nails (they painted mine also), or just sweet hugs. God's love is so strong and powerful in these kids' lives. Our group received countless blessings and love by the generous people of Guatemala. Although they are in great poverty their hearts are so full and giving. Little did I know that I would receive more from this trip than I had given. I know that not only myself but my group will cherish those moments for a lifetime. Guatemala may have been my first mission trip but I am hopeful it will not be my last. May the Lord bless you and your family for being a part of God's transformation in not only my life but in many Guatemalans lives. Your generous donations and prayers made this trip possible. Your commitment to my trip was very much appreciated! Thank you!!

*Let light shine out of darkness. II Corinthians 4:6*

-- Maggie Prokosch

## This Week

### IMMANUEL

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#### TODAY

9:00 Worship  
Welcome Eagles for Christ  
10:15 Coffee & Conversation  
with Eagles for Christ

#### MONDAY

11:00 Funeral  
1:00 Quilters

#### TUESDAY

10:00 Staff Meeting

#### WEDNESDAY

2:00 Text Study

#### THURSDAY

10 & 5 Food Pantry

#### SUNDAY

9:00 Emmaus Sunday  
Welcome  
10:00 Coffee & Conversation

*Poetry*

Edna Hovde invites  
everyone to a Poetry  
Reading on August 26th  
at 7:00 pm at the library.

## Announcements



### EMMAUS SUNDAY

August 28th

Next Sunday, we welcome Sam Bardwell -- who has played leading roles at the Guthrie and Children's Theater, was the artist in residence at Luther Seminary and has taught at Holden Village.

Have you ever felt like you're just not hearing the Word in worship, like it might have fallen to the ground just at your feet, right before it could reach your ears and work its way into your heart?

Sam will walk us through 1<sup>st</sup> Samuel 3 as a vocational story and share reflections on an actor's approach to bringing scripture to life.

*As Samuel grew up, the Lord was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground.*

*I Samuel 3:19*



### ADVENTURES

We had planned for Faith Adventures, our elementary program, to resume on October 1<sup>st</sup>. Our wonderful director, Tracy Moline, has new commitments and will not be able to serve this year. We are so thankful for her amazing leadership. Thanks for your prayers as we begin the search for a new coordinator. Check out the job description in your bulletin today or contact the church if you would like a job description sent to you.

If you'd like to get involved by volunteering as a shepherd or leader -- give us a call at the church. Share and receive the gift of faith at FAITH ADVENTURES!

THANK YOU FOR ...

### SERVING IN WORSHIP

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

##### TEAM FIVE

Jill Erickson, Randy Mueller, Greg & Pat Sandstrom

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

##### TEAM SIX

Nancy Lund & Fred Diedrich, Jackie Grippo, Karen & Sam Schroeder, Sophie Walk



### Powerful Tools for Caregivers

Sept 1 - Oct 6, 3:30 - 5:30 pm  
An education program designed to help family caregivers take care of themselves while caring for others 55 or better. St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Class size is limited. Preregistration is required 507-285-5272

### A Matter of Balance

Sept 21 - Nov 9, 9-11 am  
An award winning program that helps manage falls & reduce risk. Preregistration is required  
Cost is \$5.00  
651-565-5200

### Moving for Better Balance

#### Tai Ji Quan

Aug 23 - Nov 10  
Tues & Thurs 10 - 11 am  
at Faith in Wabasha.  
An exercise and fall prevention program for people of all ages.  
24 sessions for \$75  
Preregistration is required  
651-565-5200

### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

#### PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

for Eagles for Christ and for our brothers and sisters in Christ in Guatemala

#### PRAYERS OF HEALING

Mark, Brandon K, Bradley L, Hannah, Camille, Mai Yang, Brad, Janice, Kathy, Curt D, Bob J, Tom C, John N, Meg, Dennis, Jackie G, Denise K, Greg E, John H, Cory S, Bruce O, Darlene S, Mike, Mary B, Joyce H, Jim S, Steve W, Bob & Betty, Jeannette M, Cooper, Ray, Tom E, Jennifer S, Erin, Sandy, Caitlin, Jerry M, Elizabeth

#### PRAYERS FOR CARE CENTER FRIENDS

Alice T, Ann B, Barb S, Merlin W, Pearl B, Muggs, Lorene, Alfred

#### PRAYERS OF CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

for the family and friends of Roger Severson