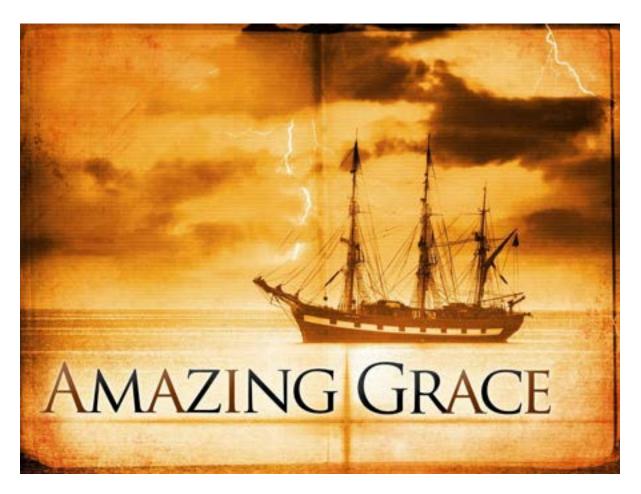
Emmanuel Community United Methodist Church

Imitating Christ Together



November 9, 2025

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Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 AM

Liturgist: Sabrina Kahler

Ushers: Chris Kostka, Caleb Kostka, Avery Kostka, Morey Dambekaln

Acolytes: Peirson Sommers and Calvin Schoenenberger

Altar Flowers: Doug and Norine Janzen in celebration of Sawyer Janzen's birthday

Please sign the registration pad found at the end of your pew *Please stand as you are able

GATHERING

Announcements, Welcome, and Greetings

Prelude "Joshua Fought the Battle of Jericho" arr. Faber

Sylvia Petrie, Pianist

Children's Music "Jesus Loves the Little Children" Woolston/Root

Pastoral Greeting Rev. Dr. Matt Hadley

* Call to Worship

We were dead in our sin, but God—rich in mercy—has made us alive in Christ! By grace we have been saved through faith—this is God's gift!

We are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for good works.

Grace has found us, shaped us, and sent us to serve.

Once lost, now found; once blind, now seeing.

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound! Let us worship the Lord with grateful hearts.

*Hymn 577 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

* Opening Prayer:

Gracious God, your mercy is beyond measure, and your love beyond our deserving. You reach into our brokenness with healing and hope. We thank you for the amazing grace that saves, sustains, and sends us. Help us to live as your workmanship—people shaped by love and called to do good in Christ's name. Open our hearts in this hour of worship, that your grace may flow through us like a living song. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Special Music "Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone" Tomlin/Newton/Giglio 4:12 Singers, Rilee Bender, Maddie Froh, Chloe Grimm, Claire Heinen

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Scripture Readings

Ephesians 2:4-10 (NIV)

Response

The Word of God for the People of God

Thanks be to God!

Hymn 363 "And Can It Be"

Sermon "Amazing Grace" Rev. Dr. Matt Hadley

"Amazing Grace"

"Amazing grace! how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch; like me! I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see."

"By mercy rich and love so great, God raised us up with Christ; Not works we've done, but gift of grace—through faith our souls are prized."

OFFERTORY

Offertory Music

"Grace Flows Down"

Bell/Giglio/Padgett

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*Doxology 94 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Offertory Response:

Gracious God, we bring these gifts with thankful hearts. You have blessed us beyond measure; now use what we return to bless others. May our offerings bring hope to the weary, light to those in darkness, and love to all your children. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

*Hymn 2162 "Grace Alone"

Prayers of the People



Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn 365

"Grace Greater than Our Sin"

SENDING FORTH

Benediction

Go now in the amazing grace of our Lord Jesus Christ—
Once lost, now found; once blind, now seeing.
Live as God's workmanship, created for good works in love.
By grace we are saved; by grace we will serve.
Go in peace, and let your life sing of God's amazing grace.
Amen!

The worship is over, **Let the service begin!**

Postlude

"I Will Arise And Go To Jesus"

McDonald

All are Welcome!

This is a Welcoming, Reconciling Congregation. Therefore, we embrace diversity and affirm the dignity and worth of every person because we are all created by a loving God. We seek to live Christ's call for compassion, justice, healing, and wholeness. We welcome into our faith community persons of every race, age, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity and expression, nationality, ethnicity, marital status, mental and physical ability, economic and social position, political affiliation, level of education, and family structure.

We believe we can all love alike, even if we don't think alike.

We invite all to share in the life, leadership, lay and ordained ministry, worship and sacraments, the covenant of committed love in holy matrimony, fellowship, blessings, and joys of our congregation as we seek to grow in faith and love.

No matter where you are on your faith journey, we are glad you are here!