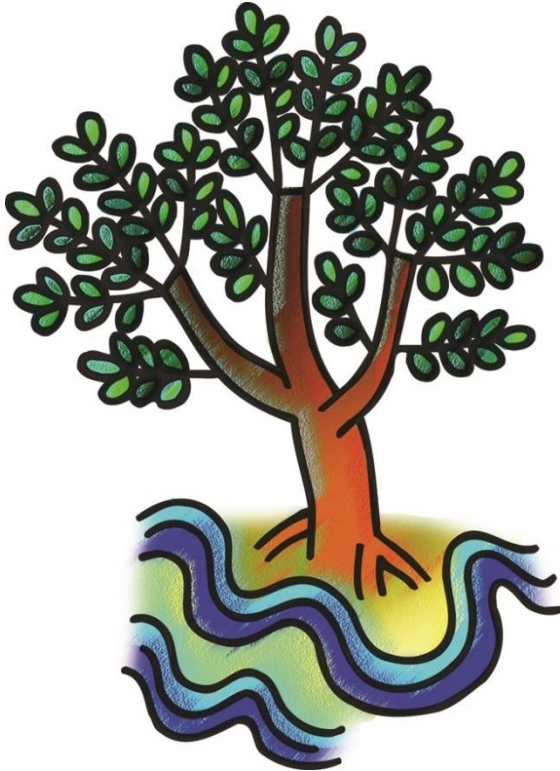


The family of Immanuel Lutheran Church welcomes you.
We hope that you will Worship with us often.



IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
3184 Church Street, P.O. Box 739
Manchester, Maryland
"A Stephen Ministry Congregation"

Our mission as disciples of Jesus, is to commit ourselves to making Christ known through worship, service, outreach, learning, and loving one another

Saturday, October 1, 2016
Sunday, October 2, 2016
20th Sunday after Pentecost

A SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

Immanuel welcomes you to our worship today. We hope that you will feel welcome. If you are without a church home, we invite you to become a part of the ministry of Immanuel.

Please sign in on the Red Pad found at each center row pew. The Head Usher is here to assist you at any time during the service.

September through May, Sunday School classes are offered for children 2 years old through adult. We welcome you to join our program! Contact the church office or if classes are in session, simply stop by when you are here. Classes are at 10:15am, following the Sunday service.

Registration Forms are in the back and on our website. ***Please join us!!***

Visit website for more information: www.immanuelutheranccmd.org.

Worship Assistants

	Sat Oct 1 Pentecost 20
Head Usher	Linda Black
Greeter	Janis Hagert
Lector	Judy Bixler
Offering Ushers	Janis Hagert Rodgers Hagert
Communion	Judy Bixler

	Sun Oct 2 Pentecost 20
Head Usher	Brooks Hoffman
Altar Guild	Susan Burnette Wendy Maloney
Greeters	Carolyn Kittelberger Bart Walder
Lector	Todd Robinson
Offering Ushers	Barbara Guthrie Linda Schmidt Ron Schmidt Audrey Shaffer
Communion Stewards	Frank Burnette Susan Burnette Norman Downes Debbie Hebrank
Acolytes	Jordan Bosnick Austin Gregg
Pray w/ Pastor	Christine Crouch
Bell Ringer	Joe Fleck

Cell Phone Reminder

Please either turn off or silence your device during our service.
Thank you.

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Our hope is that you feel welcome at the Lord's Table. We welcome all baptized Christians who proclaim with us the crucified and risen Christ's real presence as he gives us his body and blood as food and drink. Grape juice and gluten free wafers are also available, please let the Communion assistants know of this dietary preference. The pastor also offers a pastoral blessing at the Communion Rail for those who do not wish to receive Communion.

INDIVIDUAL PRAYER AND HEALING

Pastor will offer individual prayer at the communion rail, with anointing and laying of hands for healing for those who desire it, 20 minutes before each Sunday service.

SEPTEMBER SPECIAL MISSIONS OFFERING

“Olivia’s House”

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Benevolent, merciful God: When we are empty, fill us. When we are weak in faith, strengthen us. When we are cold in love, warm us, that with fervor we may love our neighbors and serve them for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

FIRST READING

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

A reading from Habakkuk.

¹The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

²O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen?
Or cry to you “Violence!” and you will not save?

³Why do you make me see wrongdoing and look at trouble?
Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise.

⁴So the law becomes slack and justice never prevails.

The wicked surround the righteous—
therefore judgment comes forth perverted.

^{2:1}I will stand at my watchpost, and station myself on the rampart;
I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,
and what he will answer concerning my complaint.

²Then the LORD answered me and said:
Write the vision; make it plain on tablets,
so that a runner may read it.

³For there is still a vision for the appointed time;
it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay.

⁴Look at the proud!

Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 37:1-9

¹Do not be provoked by evildoers; do not be jealous of those who do wrong.

²**For they shall soon wither like the grass,
and like the green grass fade away.**

³Put your trust in the LORD and do good;
dwell in the land and find safe pasture.

⁴**Take delight in the LORD, who shall give you your heart's desire.**

⁵Commit your way to the LORD; put your trust in the LORD,
and see what God will do.

⁶**The LORD will make your vindication as clear as the light
and the justice of your case like the noonday sun.**

⁷Be still before the LORD and wait patiently. Do not be provoked by the one
who prospers, the one who succeeds in evil schemes.

⁸**Refrain from anger, leave rage alone;
do not be provoked; it leads only to evil.**

⁹For evildoers shall be cut off,
but those who hope in the LORD shall possess the land.

SECOND READING

2 Timothy 1:1-14

A reading from 2 Timothy.

¹Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the
promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, ²To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our
Lord. ³I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as
my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night
and day. ⁴Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled
with joy. ⁵I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in
your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives
in you. ⁶For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is
within you through the laying on of my hands; ⁷for God did not give us a
spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-
discipline.

⁸Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, ⁹who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, ¹⁰but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, ¹²and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. ¹³Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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Next Week's Readings: Oct 3~9

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c; Psalm 111; 2 Timothy 2:8-15; Luke 17:11-19

++ CALENDAR ++

Sun Oct 2	Missions Special Offering	
	<i>Worship Service / Communion</i>	9:00 am
	<i>Sunday School</i>	10:15 am
	<i>Baby Sunday School</i> – Oak Tree Room	10:15 am
	Luther Men Practice – Choir Room	10:15 am
	Coffee Hour – Social Hall	10:15 am
	Adult Bible Study	10:30 am
Confirmation Class	6:30 pm	
Mon Oct 3	AA	8:00 pm
	Al-Anon	8:00 pm
Tues Oct 4	Bible Study – Martin Luther Room	11:00 am
	Bible Study	7:00 pm
	Scouts	7:00 pm
Wed Oct 5	Prayer Group – Martin Luther Room	11:00 am
	Finance Meeting	7:00 pm
	Prayer Group – Pastors House	7:00 pm
	AA	7:15 pm
Thur Oct 6	Chime Practice	6:00 pm
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm
Fri Oct 7	Pastor Day Off	
	AA	8:00 pm
	Al-Anon	8:00 pm
Sat Oct 8	Hymn Sing Weekend	
	<i>Worship Service / Communion</i>	5:00 pm
	AA	6:30 pm
Sun Oct 9	Hymn Sing Weekend	
	Luther Men Practice	8:30 am
	<i>Worship Service / Communion</i>	9:00 am
	<i>Sunday School</i>	10:15 am
	Adult Bible Study	10:30 am
	Bishop Installation Service – Frederick	4:00 pm
NO Confirmation Class		

The Altar Vases are unsponsored for today, Sunday, October 2nd. Please see Altar Guild after the service if you would like one vase OR both vases of flowers to give to a friend or for your personal enjoyment! The flowers will be bagged for easy transport. Thank you!

LUTHER MEN PRACTICE CONTINUES... The **Luther Men Choir** will be providing the Sunday morning special music during this year's *Annual Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing*, the weekend, **October 8-9**. Rehearsals are:
Practice#2: TODAY, Oct 2nd following worship in choir room
Practice#3: Sunday, Oct 9th (Hymn Sing Sunday) at 8:30am in choir room

BIBLE STUDY: SUNDAYS AT 10:30am

Please join Pastor Charlie for our year-round Sunday morning Bible study in the Martin Luther Room based on the Bible readings for that Sunday's worship service. No previous knowledge of the Bible or of Lutheran doctrine are needed. (In fact, sometimes these can get in the way!) Whether you are new to the church or to the Christian faith or a lifelong member of Immanuel, this Bible study is for you!

4th Annual Dell Country Mile on Oct 9

(Packet Pick-up:8–9am) at Dell Brothers Grain 903 Sullivan Rd Westminster,MD. All ages are welcome - children younger than 16 must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.



One-mile walk at 10am and 5k run begins at 10:30am
\$20pp, if registered by Oct 6 or \$30 between Oct 7-9
\$30pp, if registered by Oct 6 or \$40 between Oct 7-9

Gina's Warriors is hosting this event and accepting sponsorships for the run. All proceeds will go directly to *Gina's Warriors*, the Comfort Fund, and other needs within Carroll County. Flyers available on bulletin board. For more information: Call 410-948-7828 or mail dellcountrymile@gmail.com.

Register: Online at <http://www.treeoffriends.org/upcoming-events.html>.

Because of the nature of a "Mutual Ministry", our achievements are almost always the result of a cooperative process in which a *concern or opportunity* is identified by our committee, the Pastor, a Congregant, or Council, and we then put in place a plan to address them. To express any concerns, opportunities, or comments use the Congregational Input Form (found in back of pews) and place in the locked box in the back of the Sanctuary.

CONFIRMATION CLASS IS BACK! Pastor Charlie will be teaching the confirmation class for students in grade 7 or above on Sunday evenings at 6:30pm beginning Sept. 18. This is a two-year program which also includes participation in weekly worship, Sunday School and youth activities.

Older students who had begun confirmation instruction with a previous pastor may be able to complete the program sooner. You may enroll by contacting Pastor Charlie at the church office 410-374-4463, by calling or texting message at 443-854-2394, or by email to pastorc@ielcmd.org.



For the month of October, we are collecting Rice/Pasta Sides NESAP and Tree of Friends. Labeled baskets are in the hall for donations.



BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER GROUPS FORMING

Pastor Charlie will be leading a small group Bible study and a second small group meeting for prayer, beginning in October at 11am AND 7pm.

The Bible study group will usually meet the first and third Tuesdays of the month in the church office. The prayer group will usually meet the second and fourth Wednesdays at the pastor’s home (840 Hughes Shop Rd, Westminster MD 21158). The schedule will be adjusted as needed to avoid scheduling conflicts. October dates are Bible Study: Oct 4 and Oct 18

Prayer Group: Oct 5 and Oct 12

You may enroll by contacting Pastor Charlie at the church office or calling/texting cell phone at 443-854-2394, or by email to pastorc@ielcmd.org.

We will be including family pictures in the new church directory. This will help us put a face to a name. Starting in October we will be taking family photos after the Saturday and Sunday worship services. Specific dates are to be announced, please check your weekly bulletin for updates. We hope to begin assembling the directory after the new year.

Thank you, Amanda Yingling and Jamie Rooney

Carroll County Bureau of Aging and AARP presents ...

- Building a Better Future for Yourself
- Alternative Medicines
- Wills vs Trusts
- Recognizing Signs of Dementia

Saturday, October 15 from 8:30am to 2:30pm at Westminster Senior Center 125 Stoner Ave Westminster 21157. No Fee. Lunch Provide. Registration Required: 410-386-3833

SAVE THESE DATES!

Oct 8-9: Annual Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing Weekend at 5pm and 9am
Luther Men final practice, Sunday morning at 8:30am

Oct 15-16: **Healing Services at 5pm and 9am**

Oct 29-30: **Reformation** Weekend at 5pm and 9am

Nov 5-6: **All Saints Remembrance** Weekend at 5pm and 9am

Sun, Nov 13: Veteran's Sunday Observance



Friday, October 7 is St Paul's Lutheran Church 11th Annual Bingo featuring Longaberger, Vera Bradley, Pampered Chef and Thirty-One. Doors open at 5:30 and games start at 7pm. Homemade sandwiches, soups and baked goods available. \$15 in advance, \$18 on day of the bingo. Contact Rachel Murphy for tickets. Arcadia Fire Hall Activities Building:
16020 Carnival Ave Upperco, MD 21155

Large Raffles, Specials, and Door Prizes!

NESAP Collection – Bring non-perishable food or health care item for donation and be entered into a special drawing for a Vera Bradley item!

OCTOBER LECTIONARIES

Week of:	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel
Sept 26~Oct 2	Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4	Psalm 37:1-9	2 Timothy 1:1-14	Luke 17:5-10
Oct 3~9	2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c	Psalm 111	2 Timothy 2:8-15	Luke 17:11-19
Oct 10~16	Genesis 32:22-31	Psalm 121	2 Timothy 3:14 ~ 4:5	Luke 18:1-8
Oct 17~23	Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22	Psalm 84:1-7	2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18	Luke 18:9-14
Oct 24~30 Reformation	Jeremiah 31:31-34	Psalm 46	Romans 3:19-28	John 8:31-36
Oct 31~Nov 6 All Saints	Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18	Psalm 149	Ephesians 1:11-23	Luke 6:20-31

AN OLD FASHIONED HYMN SING

NEXT WEEKEND, OCTOBER 8-9, will be our **Annual Old Fashioned Hymn Sing**. Songs, during the service, will be those familiar hymns from our childhood! The Luther Men will lead the singing during the Sunday service and will provide their special music medley as the offertory anthem. Invite your family and friends to attend and together enjoy singing those long-loved hymns of yesteryear!

Grab your dancing shoes and appetite and come to St. Luke's Annual Oktoberfest! On Saturday, Oct 8 from 3-7pm. Free admission. Live music and dancing, Authentic German cuisine, Specialty baked desserts, Outside sales for bountiful fall items, Children's activities and menu. 410-635-6177

St Luke's (Winter's) Lutheran Church
701 Green Valley Rd (Rt 75) New Windsor, MD

Each weekend, fresh seasonal flowers enhance our worship experience, adding color and beauty to the altar. Open sponsorships remain available for signup on the Flower Calendar, located in the office hallway. Your information with payment must be received by 12 noon of the Wednesday prior to your reserved date to insure inclusion in the weekly bulletin.

\$50 for both Altar Vases **\$30** for Center Arrangement **\$20** for Lessons & Prayers

CO-SPONSOR with a family member or friend to split the cost!

OPEN SPONSORSHIP CHOICES AVAILABLE:

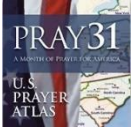
- **Oct 8-9** Center Arrangement
- **Oct 15-16** Lessons & Prayers
- **Oct 22-23** Altar Vases ~ Center Arrangement ~Lessons & Prayers
- **Oct 29-30** Altar Vases ~ Center Arrangement ~Lessons & Prayers

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

John and Linda Gregg	October 1, 2005
Brian and Amanda Yingling	October 1, 2011
Robert and Cheryl Chaney	October 4
Luke and Nicole Campbell	October 7
Ron and Linda Schmidt	October 11, 1964
Gene and Sandy Voight	October 11, 1975
Dale and Alice Warehime	October 12, 1958
Pete and Brenda Wulforst	October 18, 1985
Brad and Ashley Calp	October 20, 2012
Matthew and Jamie Rooney	October 27, 2012

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Christine Hoffman	Maureen Cobak	Nancy Hagert
Layla Campbell	Ron Schmidt	Ava Lee
Birk Stathers	Gary Eppley	Paul Dattilio
Ava Yingling	Natalie Bolander	Doug Mace
Tim David	Carolyn Hamlet	Carl McCullough
Toby David	Carl Welsh	Donna Patterson
Leonora Hoffman	Gloria Armacost	Rose Frase
Delores Leese	Gail Miller	Susan Yingling
Mary Ann Cardinale	Bert Hamlet	



Immanuel Lutheran Church is participating in a nation-wide month of prayer for America called Pray 31.

For 31 days in October, the overall goal is to have one million people in thousands of churches praying daily for our nation and especially for our nation's leaders and churches.

Participants will pray for every state and U.S. territory following the Prayer Atlas that you can pick up at the back of church.

It will take about 5 minutes per day of focused prayer for us to cover our whole nation in prayer.

Pastor Charlie has reviewed this program and assures that this prayer challenge is nonpartisan and nonpolitical. The prayer atlas also includes helpful teaching on prayer and numerous inspirational quotes from the bible and Christian authors on prayer.

MUSIC MINISTRY at IMMANUEL

Please consider becoming a part of the Music Ministry of Immanuel!



We currently support four various groups:

The Sunday Adult Choir The Chime Choir The Luther Men
and our newest group ~ *The Children's Choir*

Even if you are not able to commit to regular practices, but could help out during the year, please chat with either ~Jerry Hoffman, Organist/Choir Director, Audrey Moose, Chime Director or Amanda Yingling, Children's Choir Coordinator. **NO EXPERIENCE IS NEEDED** Just a desire to help and *'make a joyful noise'!* *Look at the Music bulletin board by the office.*

The **Sunday Adult Choir** hold weekly practices on Thursdays from 7-8 pm.

The **Chime Choir** practice on Thursdays 6pm.

The **Luther Men** sing quarterly, and will sing again on Sunday, October 9th for our Annual Hymn Sing Sunday (see their practice dates in this bulletin).

The **Children's Choir** sing quarterly with practices a few times before the scheduled performance.

COMMUNITY YARD SALE & Crafts

Start cleaning out your closets, cabinets and garage! Then donate your items to our 1st Community Yard Sale on October 22nd.

Bring donations with you to Church and leave on the table in the Narthex. If you have larger items or want to drop off during the week, then please call us to make arrangements.

Church Office: Info@ielcmd.org or 410-374-4463

Rhonda Kiler: Kiler@hughes.net or 443-340-2357

We appreciate your donations and hope that you will also attend the sale!

Community Yard Sale and Craft Sale

Immanuel Lutheran Church

Saturday, October 22nd

8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Rain

or

Shine

(Inside Social Hall)

(Church Parking Lot)

\$15.00 per space (use own table) \$20.00 per space (we provide the table)

Spaces must be reserved and payment received by October 15th

Social Ministry Collections

**Collecting gently used pocketbooks and tote bags. At the end of October, the donations will be delivered to Springfield Hospital in Sykesville. The residents enjoy receiving a handbag or tote bag to carry their necessities. A table or box will be in the narthex to receive your donations. If you have any questions contact Debbie, Rhonda or Brenda.



**Collecting new and gently used winter coats, gloves, scarves and hats in sizes from infant to adult, male and female. There is a labeled white box in the Narthex for donations through the end of October.

Immanuel Church Sponsors #320

The Boy Scouts of America is one of the nation's largest and most prominent values-based youth development organizations. The BSA provides a program for young people that builds character, trains them in the responsibilities of participating citizenship, and develops personal fitness.

~Cub Scout News Cub Scout Pack 320 is looking for new members!

The Pack is now meeting on *Tuesday evenings at 7pm* in the upstairs Church classrooms. This is the same night and time that the Boy Scout Troop meets and is beneficial to both the younger and older boys. Meeting together encourages unity within the two groups. It allows the older boys to have more leadership opportunities and the younger boys have mentors they can look up to within the Troop. It also gives the Cub Scouts a glimpse of what lies ahead as they advance in rank. Both the Pack and the Troop are very excited about being able to work closer together.

Pack 320 will be hosting a Halloween Trunk or Treat and Ghoulish Games on *Tuesday Oct. 18th starting at 7pm*. Please consider joining us for this spooktacular event!

If you want more information about Pack 320 or want to join us for a meeting please contact Dee Malykin at 443-929-2583 or keithndee@yahoo.com

~Boy Scout Troop 320 News

**** Established in 1932 - The oldest Boy Scout troop in Carroll County ****
The troop holds meetings on Tuesdays, 7-830pm at Immanuel. Join us!.



Please join us for a **Paint Night Fundraiser for Manchester's Boy Scout Troop 320 on Saturday, Oct 15th from 6 to 8:30pm** in the Church Social Hall. Maryland artist, Vivian Davis will lead you step-by-step to recreate an original acrylic painting, "Cool Crab". ***No previous experience necessary***

- For ages 10 - adult.
- \$35 per person with advance payment; includes all materials.
- Food and beverages will be available for purchase.
- Perfect for big groups of friends or family!
- REGISTER ONLINE or mail information with payment.

Register ONLINE with a credit card or Paypal

<http://www.tutoringart.com/calendar-of-events>

To pay by check, please issue to Tutoring Art/Vivian Davis, include the below information and mail to Tutoring Art, PO Box 109, Sykesville, MD 21784.

10/15/16 Manchester Boy Scouts. Name, phone & email of participants.

A confirmation email will be sent upon receipt of payment.

Pastor Charlie's "pastoral care list" includes about 25 members and non-members with special needs whom he contacts monthly. If you or someone you know would like to be added, please let him or the church office know. Thank you for helping us ensure no one is forgotten!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Jeff Dell
(parkinsons)
*Walter Ruby
*Ardice Holbrook
Ann Trent
Cary Myers
Gail Brown
Fred Davies
Stella Gary
Reid Ronayne
Dorinda Smith
Ann Miller
*Dolly Ruby
Jan Rhoten
Robert Rhoten
Joey Morris
Anna Warehime
*Ginny Sellers

Julianna Carver
Dervilla Hynes
Kelcie Gavin
Lisa Wulforst
Jenni Roiser
Deborah Moose
Loretta Hanson
Nancy Rohrback
Tomi Unkle
*Pat Diseroad
Elissa Snedeker
Carolyn Kittelberger
Ulli Woschitz
Alice Warehime
Greg Losiewski
John Leitner
Carter Murphy
*Bonnie Ferrier

Ray Ferrier
*Randy Thompson
*Carl Krauss
*Romaine Harper
*Debra Hartlaub
*Paulyne Hartlaub
Arnold Martin
Margaret Graham
Brian Haga
Brenda Murray
Eleanor Paul
Darcie Robinson
Richard Sterner
Anna Krauss
Jamie Walker
John Andrews

Those serving in the military:

Brett Richardson, Matthew Swain,
Kyle Pasta, Heather Sargent, David Mace

*If you have a name to place on the Prayer List, please contact the Church Office. Names will remain on the list for four weeks, unless we are notified to extend the time. Thank you.



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Mission Statement

Our mission, as disciples of Jesus,
is to commit ourselves to making Christ known through
worship, outreach, service, learning, and loving one another.