

# Emmanuel Reformed Church

SPRINGFIELD, SD



# Worship

*Prelude: "Daddy's Hands"*

## We Come to God

- \* Call to Worship – Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1a
- \* **"Pass Me Not" #337**
- \* Opening Prayer and Greeting
- "Follow Me" Kerrie Odens Special Music**
- Prayers of the People, and the Lord's Prayer

## God Speaks to Us

- Children's Sermon
- Prayers for Illumination
- Luke 23:26-56 **"The Death Of Jesus"**
- Pastor Cody Raak

## We Respond to God

- "At Calvary" #338**
- \* **"Doxology" (#625)**
- \* Closing Prayer
- \* Sending – Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1b
- \* Benediction

*\* We stand as able to worship Jesus Christ our Lord*

# The Week Together

## Sunday, June 21st, 2026

10a Worship Service Pastor Cody Raak  
Luke 23:26-56 "The Death Of Jesus"

## Monday June 22nd, 2026

6p Consistory

## Saturday June 27th, 2026

10a-Noon Office Open

## Sunday, June 28th, 2026

10a Worship Service Pastor Cody  
Luke 24:1-50 "Ressurrection Encounters"

# The Bible Recap Discussion

## Readings for the Week of June 21

**Day 172, June 21**— 1 Kings 10-11; 2 Chronicles 9

**Day 173, June 22** — Proverbs 30-31

**Day 174, June 23** — 1 Kings 12-14

**Day 175, June 24** – 2 Chronicles 10-12

**Day 176, June 25** – 1 Kings 15; 2 Chronicles 13-16

**Day 177, June 26** – 1 Kings 16; 2 Chronicles 17

**Day 178, June 27** – 1 Kings 17-19

## Reflection and Discussion Questions

1. King Jeroboam's fears lead him to control and idolatry as he tries to duplicate God's temple in the northern kingdom. What would have been an appropriate response to his scenario and fear?
2. In his early years, King Asa made massive reforms for God's glory. But in his final years, he resists rebukes and consequences and he tortures a prophet of God and some of his people. What do you think prompts this shift in Asa's heart?
3. **What was your favorite "God Shot" this week? What did you learn about His character from these readings?**

# The Bible Recap

## [Bible Recap:](#)

**Ecclesiastes 1:2 “Meaningless! Meaningless!”  
Says the Teacher, “Utterly meaningless!  
Everything is meaningless!”**

**Welcome to the book of Ecclesiastes! The theme running throughout the book is the meaninglessness of human existence. Whether it's wisdom or folly, pleasures or toil, riches or lack thereof, everything is meaningless in the reality of death that is sure to take everyone of us. The author of the book, the Teacher (most likely Solomon), does extensive research about the purpose of life. While he does come up with some things being better than others, ultimately he declares it all to be meaningless. It is better to have wisdom than folly. It is better to have friends than not. Through all of it he concludes this: “Fear God and keep His commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. For God will bring every deed into judgement, including every hidden thing, whether it is good or evil.”  
-Ecclesiastes 12:13-14. We have knowledge that Solomon lacked. Through Jesus we have the hope of eternal salvation and that is what gives meaning to our lives.**

# **Emmanuel's Mission**

"To serve God and share the good news of Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit."

## **Staff**

**Pastor:** Cody Raak (464-4952)

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## **Consistory**

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