

Emmanuel Reformed Church

SPRINGFIELD, SD



Worship

We Come to God

* Call To Worship- Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1a

* **“He Leadeth Me” #461**

* Opening Prayer and Greeting

“Have Thine Own Way Lord” #371

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

God Speaks to Us

Children's Sermon - Pastor Ty Hogue

Prayer of Illumination

“God's Beautiful Will” Romans 8:27-28

Pastor Ty Hogue

We Respond to God

“Blessed Assurance” #345

* **“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, September 27th, 2026

9a **Sunday School for all ages**
10a Worship Service Pastor Ty Hogue
 "God's Beautiful Will" Romans 8 :27-28

Wednesday September 23rd, 2026

7pm CREW - JR High
 LIT - High School

Saturday, September 26th, 2026

9am-12p Pancake Feed
1-3p Office Open

Sunday, October 4th, 2026

9a Sunday School for all ages
10am Worship Service & Communion
 Dan Ebbens from Living Stone Church

The Bible Recap Discussion

Readings for the Week of September 27

Day 270, September 27 – Nehemiah 6-7

Day 271, September 28 – Nehemiah 8-10

Day 272, September 29 – Nehemiah 11-13; Psalm 126

Day 273, September 30 – Malachi 1-4

Day 274, October 1 – Luke 1; John 1

Day 275, October 2 – Matthew 1; Luke 2

Day 276, October 3 – Matthew 2

Reflection and Discussion Questions

1. In the Hebrew Old Testament, Ezra and Nehemiah are one book of history (not two); their timeline and location often overlap. What similarities and contrasts do you see between the two leaders? Which leader are you most drawn to most? Why?
2. The first humans to confirm or acknowledge that Mary is pregnant with the Messiah are the unborn John the Baptist and the elderly Elizabeth. What does it reveal about God that these are His two choices for the first prophecies about Jesus' Identity?
3. **What was your favorite “God Shot” this week? What did you learn about His character from these readings?**

The Bible Recap

[Bible Recap:](#)

Zechariah begins with a powerful reminder: **God has not forgotten His people.** The people of Judah had been through difficult years. Their city has been destroyed, their temple lay in ruins, and they were trying to rebuild. It would have been easy to wonder “Where is God? Does He still care about us?”

Then God gives Zechariah a message of hope

“Return to Me..... and I will return to you.”

God was calling His people back - not simply to rebuild a temple, but to rebuild their relationship with Him. Sometimes our own lives can feel like a rebuilding project. Things may not look the way we hoped they would. We may be waiting for answers, healing, direction, or a new beginning. In those moments, Zechariah reminds us that God sees what we cannot see. The angel in Zechariah’s vision asks God how long His people will have to wait. God responds with compassion and promises that He is concerned for Jerusalem and His people.

God Hears. God Sees. God Remembers.

We may not understand His timing, but we can trust His heart. When God asks us to return to Him, He isn’t pushing us away - He is inviting us closer. When life feels uncertain, remember that God has not forgotten you. Turn towards Him, trust His timing, and keep rebuilding with faith.

Emmanuel's Mission

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

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