

## "TIS SO SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS (TRUST IN JESUS)

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus; Just to take Him at His word  
Just to rest upon His promise; Just to know thus saith the Lord

*Chorus:*

Jesus Jesus how I trust Him; How I've proved Him o'er and o'er  
Jesus Jesus precious Jesus; O for grace to trust Him more

O how sweet to trust in Jesus; Just to trust His cleansing blood  
Just in simple faith to plunge me; 'Neath the healing cleansing flood

Yes 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus; Just from sin and self to cease  
Just from Jesus simply taking; Life and rest and joy and peace

I'm so glad I learned to trust Thee; Precious Jesus Savior Friend  
And I know that Thou art with me; Wilt be with me to the end

Louisa M. R. Stead | William James Kirkpatrick

## INVITATION TO WORSHIP

*We gather in response to God's gracious invitation, not because worship earns favor with him.*

Leader: I will sing of the steadfast love of the Lord, forever; with my mouth I will make known your faithfulness to all generations.

**People: For I said, "Steadfast love will be built up forever; in the heavens you will establish your faithfulness."**

Leader: You have said, "I have made a covenant with my chosen one; I have sworn to David my servant.

**People: 'I will establish your offspring forever, and build your throne for all generations.'"**

~ Psalm 89:1-4

## THE BLESSING

The Lord bless you; And keep you  
Make his face shine upon you; And be gracious to you  
The Lord turn his; Face toward you  
And give you peace

*Chorus:*

Amen, Amen, Amen

*Bridge:*

May his favor; Be upon you  
And a thousand generations; And your family  
And your children; And their children  
And their children

*Bridge:*

May his presence; Go before you  
And behind you; And beside you  
All around you; And within you  
He is with you; He is with you

*Bridge:*

In the morning; In the evening  
In your coming; And your going  
In your weeping; And rejoicing  
He is for you; He is for you

Chris Brown | Cody Carnes | Kari Jobe | Steven Furtick

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SCRIPTURE READING

*The public reading of the Scriptures reminds us of the truth that can only be found in God's Word.*

<sup>8</sup> And to the angel of the church in Smyrna write: 'The words of the first and the last, who died and came to life. <sup>9</sup> "I know your tribulation and your poverty (but you are rich) and the slander of those who say that they are Jews and are not, but are a synagogue of Satan. <sup>10</sup> Do not fear what you are about to suffer. Behold, the devil is about to throw some of you into prison, that you may be tested, and for ten days you will have tribulation. Be faithful unto death, and I will give you the crown of life. <sup>11</sup> He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. The one who conquers will not be hurt by the second death.' ~Revelation 2:8-11

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

O Lord, quiet our hearts that we may know and hear you today. Where our hearts are hard, soften them; where they are broken, bind them up; where we are anxious, give us peace; where we doubt, give us trust. For you alone are the One who is making all things new, even us today. Amen..

### SERMON

*The sermon is a time to hear God's Word explained and applied. Sermons at Emmanuel encourage us to depend on the finished work of Christ rather than self-reliance or self-justification.*

DEAR CHURCH: SMYRNA

REV. YOUNG LEE

## GREAT ARE YOU LORD

You give life You are love  
You bring light to the darkness  
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken  
And great are You Lord

*Chorus:*

It's Your breath in our lungs  
So we pour out our praise  
We pour out our praise  
It's Your breath in our lungs  
So we pour out our praise to You only

*Bridge:*

And all the earth will shout Your praise  
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing  
Great are You Lord

David Leonard | Jason Ingram | Leslie Jordan

## CONFESSION OF SIN

*Since we are forgiven in Christ, confession is an honest word of grace and not an exercise in shame.*

God blesses those who mourn, for they will be comforted. But we have not mourned over our sins, instead we have insulated ourselves from those around us, from their pain, needs, loneliness, and suffering. We have even hardened ourselves so that we are unaware that our own lives cause grief to the Lord. Lord, have mercy upon us in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*We are forgiven in Christ! Using the words of Scripture reinforce that our assurance is based on God's declaration and promises.*

"Can a woman forget her nursing child, or show no compassion for the child of her womb? As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you, says the Lord." ~from Isaiah 49:15; 66:13.

## COMMUNION

### THE SOLID ROCK

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly lean on Jesus' name

*Chorus:*

On Christ the solid Rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand  
All other ground is sinking sand

When darkness veils His lovely face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
In ev'ry high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil

His oath His covenant His blood  
Support me in the whelming flood  
When all around my soul gives way  
He then is all my hope and stay

When He shall come with trumpet sound

O may I then in Him be found  
Dressed in His righteousness alone  
Faultless to stand before the throne  
Edward Mote | William Batchelder Bradbury

## BENEDICTION

The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. ~Numbers 6:24-26

*Unless noted, all Scripture is English Standard Version (ESV). ■ CCLI #3184477*

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Keeping Connected

If you're new to Emmanuel, we'd like to stay in touch, so please fill out a Keeping Connected card through our church app (instructions on downloading the app can be found below). Click "Get Connected" and then "Get Connected".

### Drop-In Outdoor Communion

For those who are unable to attend in-person worship at GMU, we will be providing opportunities to partake of the Lord's Supper at three outdoor locations. Today, we will be at Southside Park in Vienna, Benjamin Banner Park near Falls Church and GMU's courtyard. You can drop-in and partake of communion any time between 1:00pm - 2:00pm. Please be sure to wear a mask and to maintain social distancing.

### Service Opportunity - July 30th

We are looking for 5 volunteers to help serve lunch to the construction workers who are building the addition to Rivendell. This is a great opportunity to be a witness and serve the people actually building our future worship space. Please email the office ([office@emmanuelarlington.org](mailto:office@emmanuelarlington.org)) if you are willing to help serve.

### Birth Announcement

Michael and Evelyn Wong welcomed Colette Ming-An on July 23rd. You can sing up to provide a meal for the family at <https://www.TakeThemAMeal.com/HTCQ4941>.

Thomas and Hyewon Kraemer welcomed their son, James Samuel, on July 15th. You can sign up to bring a meal to the family at <https://www.TakeThemAMeal.com/WDWT2631>.

### Calls with IJM Field Offices

IJM will be hosting calls with several field offices during the month of August. These calls will give an opportunity to get a more intimate look at the work of the office as well as getting to hear from one of their incredible field staff. If interested, please email Young Lee ([ylee@emmanuelarlington.org](mailto:ylee@emmanuelarlington.org)) with the call(s) you would like to be a part of in order to receive the link. The calls are scheduled for:

- Ghana & Uganda - Aug. 12, 1:00 pm EST
- Guatemala & Dominican Republic - Aug. 19, 3:00 pm EST
- India- Forced Labor Slavery and Sex Trafficking - Aug. 26, 12:00 pm EST

### Project Belong Virtual Seminar

Emmanuel's Chris Seaton, Project Belong Director, will be hosting a **Find Your Place meeting** on Sunday, July 26th, via Zoom for any individuals or couples interested in serving vulnerable children in any capacity. Topics include steps to start the process to foster/adopt, how to provide wrap-around care, and other ways to be involved. Register [here](#). Questions? Contact [June Johnson](#).

### July Mercy Offering

Throughout the month of July, we will collect a Mercy Offering for Arlington Bridge Builders. You can give by selecting "July Mercy Offering - ABB" as the category on the Emmanuel App or at [www.emmanuelarlington.org/give](http://www.emmanuelarlington.org/give).

### Facebook Devotional

Join us on Tuesdays and Thursdays for our Facebook devotions led by staff members. Join us live at [www.facebook.com/groups/emmanuelarlington/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/emmanuelarlington/) or listen to the recording later.

### Watch All Services Online

Did you miss last week's service? Don't worry! You can still watch it on our YouTube Channel.

### Food Pantry Distribution

ABB is looking for volunteers to help distribute food pantry items and pray for members of the community. If you are interested in helping, you can sign up at <https://www.arlingtonbridge.org/volunteer--donate-form.html>.

### Arlington Bridge Builders Food Pantry

Arlington Bridge Builders (ABB) has created a Pandemic Response Team. Help by dropping off **perishable food** at Community Church of God (790 S. Carlin Springs, Wed-Fri, 10:00-5:00). Or donate tax-deductible funds which will help supply the pantry, pay rent, utilities, etc to vetted needy families. Visit our website and click "give".

### Offering

We highly encourage everyone to give online through our website (click "Give" on the upper right corner) or our app (click "Give" on the bottom of the homepage). If this is not possible, then please mail checks to our office (1408 N Fillmore St. #16, Arlington, VA 22201).

**Emmanuel's App** is a great way to connect with the church, volunteer for ministries, support the church financially and access resources for spiritual growth. Download the app by searching "Emmanuel Presbyterian Church" on the iTunes store, Amazon Appstore, or Google Play, or by aiming your smartphone's camera at the QR code.

