

**IMMANUEL VESTRY MEETING  
WEDNESDAY JUNE 8, 2022  
KEY MESSAGES**

**WORSHIP**

- **Eastside United Church** members, from the Living Spirit Centre, have been invited to join Immanuel on June 19, 2022 for the Indigenous worship service and the Blanket Exercise that will follow.
- A **team of three musicians** have kindly agreed to provide the music at Sunday worship. This provides flexibility for each of the individuals in terms of how often they need to play. Thanks to Scott Coulter, Sharon David, and Dawn Gates who have kindly agreed to be part of this team. Carol Mills has also kindly offered to play periodically, when needed.
- The **Worship Task List**, which outlines key tasks and responsibilities for Sunday morning worship, is nearing completion and will then be distributed to all those involved.
- A **Worship Planning Team**, which is still evolving, has started service planning for July 3 and going forward.
- As Immanuel comes together, finding an expression of worship that is both reflective of who we are, and what we want to become, are critical tasks for the church. To this end, a **worship survey** was distributed to get a general sense of parishioners' views. While we would have liked more participation with the survey, the results we received indicate that over 60% of respondents care more about the time of the service than the style of worship. This result indicates that Immanuel could be more experimental with its style. [Click here](#) to see the survey results.

**BUSINESS**

- **Vestry meetings** will be held once per month over the summer.
- **Mojgan Shirazi, Office Manager** has agreed to stay on in July, alternating the Office Manager office hours with **Jessica Walker**. Jessica will assume the Office Manager duties in August and September on an interim basis. The Wardens will seek to fill the position on a permanent basis by the end of September and will issue a call for applications in the near future.
- A good time was had by all at the **June 12 Sunday School wrap up and BBQ**. Thanks to Gwen Rupchan and Maureen Pardoe for organizing the food and games.
- The **Refugee Fundraising Committee** are looking for volunteers to work in the fundraiser food canteen at the June 23 to 25 Immanuel Garage sale. Please email [info@immanuelanglicanregina.ca](mailto:info@immanuelanglicanregina.ca) for more information or to volunteer.
- Planning for a **Peach Sale in August** is underway.
- Vestry approved the **Building and Grounds recommendation** to proceed with the tree trimming and removal.
- The **Terms of Reference for the Compensation Committee** were redrafted to include Human Resources work when required.
- Vestry members agreed that the **first meeting with The Rev. Dr. John Stonesifer** should be in person, and consideration should be given to resuming Vestry meetings in person.
- While it continues to evolve, please [Click here](#) to see the **Table of Contents for Immanuel's Policy and Procedures Manual**. The full document is available in the office.

The **next Vestry Meeting** is Wednesday June 22, 2022 Via Zoom at 6:30 pm.

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