HOME DEVOTIONS – WEEK OF APRIL 5TH

For more detailed instructions on how to use the hymnal for your devotions, see "Home Devotions – How to Use the Hymnal." This is available on the congregation's website (<u>immanueleagle.org</u>) under the "Resources" tab.

This sheet is specifically for your home devotions from Sunday, April $5^{th} - 11^{th}$.

Please take a hymnal home to use for your devotions. If you need extra ones so that family members can participate, take hymnals for them as well.

<u>Season of the Church Year ~ Holy Week</u>: Today (April 5th) is Palm-Passion Sunday, marking the beginning of Holy Week.

Daily Prayer For Individuals and Families can be found at LSB 294-298.

<u>Hymns or Canticles for this week</u>: LSB 438, 434, 453, 425, 617, 454, 448.

<u>Psalms</u>: Use the psalms for Lent in the chart at LSB 304. The psalms are found in the front of the hymnal (LSB 1-150).

<u>Scripture Readings</u>: The Daily Lectionary for Holy Week can be found at LSB 300.

<u>Small Catechism</u>: Suggestions for this week include the Second Article of the Creed and its meaning (LSB 322), the Fifth Petition of the Lord's Prayer (LSB 324), Confession (LSB 326), the Second part of the Sacrament of Holy Baptism (LSB 325), "What is the benefit ..." from the Sacrament of the Altar (LSB 327), and Luther's Morning and Evening Prayers (LSB 327).

Apostles' Creed & Lord's Prayer can be found on the inside back cover of LSB.

<u>Prayers</u>: Ask for family prayer requests. You may make use of the prayers in LSB (305-318). Also take note of the framework for prayer emphasis for each day of the week at LSB 294.

"Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path." (Psalm 119:105)

"We should fear, love, and trust in God above all things." (Meaning of the First Commandment, Small Catechism).

Peace be with you.

Pastor Porath