



# *Immanuel Lutheran*

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# *Pentecost Sunday*

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*I will pray the Father,  
and He will give you another Helper,  
that He may abide with you  
forever, the Spirit of truth.*

John 14:16-17

## *Welcome!*

We are excited to share the Good News with you! Guests, please contact us if you're interested in learning more about Immanuel.

## *Serving Us This Week*

PASTOR Joe Naumann DEACON (Sat) Brent Schreyer (Sun) Daniel Pfeiffer  
ORGANIST Karla Olmanson FLOWERS Karla Olmanson  
VIDEO & SCREEN Craig Stelter & Matthew Kranz

# Order of Service

Worship Supplement 2000, pp. 12ff

**INVOCATION** *We invoke ("call upon") the name of our Triune God.*

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**Pastor (P):** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation (C):** Amen!

(Spoken) Entrance Hymn 234 (v. 1-6) *TLH (Red Hymnal)*  
Holy Ghost, with Light Divine

## CONFESSION OF SINS & ABSOLUTION

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**P:** We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve Him as His dear children. But we have disobeyed Him and deserve only His wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to Him and plead for His mercy.

**C:** Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against You and do not deserve to be called Your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to Your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

**P:** God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are His own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to His will.

**C:** Amen. Lord, have mercy on us. Christ, have mercy on us. Lord, have mercy on us.

**P:** Glory be to God on high!

**C:** And on earth peace, good will toward men.

**P:** We praise You, we bless You, we worship You,

**C:** We glorify You, we give thanks to You, for Your great glory.

**P:** O Lord God, heav'nly King,

**C:** God the Father Almighty.

**P:** O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

**C:** O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

P: Who takes away the sin of the world,

C: **Have mercy upon us.**

P: You who takes away the sin of the world,

C: **Receive our prayer.**

P: You who sits at the right hand of God the Father,

C: **Have mercy upon us.**

P: For You only are holy;

C: **You only are the Lord.**

P: You only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,

C: **Are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen!**

P: Let us pray...

C: **Amen!**

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### FIRST LESSON JOEL 2:28-32

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"And it shall come to pass afterward That I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your old men shall dream dreams, Your young men shall see visions. **29** And also on My menservants and on My maidservants I will pour out My Spirit in those days. **30** "And I will show wonders in the heavens and in the earth: Blood and fire and pillars of smoke. **31** The sun shall be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, Before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD. **32** And it shall come to pass That whoever calls on the name of the LORD Shall be saved. For in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be deliverance, As the LORD has said, Among the remnant whom the LORD calls.

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### PSALM OF THE DAY PSALM 11:4-7

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P: The LORD is in His holy temple, The LORD'S throne is in heaven;

C: **His eyes behold, His eyelids test the sons of men.**

P: The LORD tests the righteous,

C: **But the wicked and the one who loves violence His soul hates.**

P: Upon the wicked He will rain coals; Fire and brimstone and a burning wind

C: **Shall be the portion of their cup.**

P: For the LORD is righteous, He loves righteousness;

C: **His countenance beholds the upright.**

## SECOND LESSON JOHN 14:15-21

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"If you love Me, keep My commandments. **16** "And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever **17** "the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you. **18** "I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you. **19** "A little while longer and the world will see Me no more, but you will see Me. Because I live, you will live also. **20** "At that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you. **21** "He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him."

**P:** Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it.

**C:** **These words are written that we may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.**

## CONFESSION OF FAITH THE APOSTOLIC CREED

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I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

(Spoken) Hymn of the Day 490 (v. 1-5) *TLH (Red Hymnal)*  
Pour Out Thy Spirit from on High

## SERMON EPHESIANS 4:11-16

*Jesus said, "...Blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it!" Luke 11:28*

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And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, **12** for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ,

13 till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ; 14 that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, in the cunning craftiness of deceitful plotting, 15 but, speaking the truth in love, may grow up in all things into Him who is the head – Christ 16 from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by what every joint supplies, according to the effective working by which every part does its share, causes growth of the body for the edifying of itself in love.

## THE SPIRIT BUILDS THE BODY OF CHRIST

1. BY TRAINING HIS PEOPLE FOR SERVICE
2. BY PREPARING HIS PEOPLE FOR ATTACKS
3. BY BUILDING HIS PEOPLE IN LOVE

*Preaching today Pastor Joe Naumann  
bulletins and services online at [www.ImmanuelMankato.org](http://www.ImmanuelMankato.org)*

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### RESPONSIVE OFFERTORY PSALM 51:10-12

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- P: Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
C: **And renew a steadfast spirit within me.**
- P: Do not cast me away from Your presence,  
C: **And do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.**
- P: Restore to me the joy of Your salvation,  
C: **And uphold me by Your generous Spirit.**

(Spoken) Hymn 471 (v. 1,3,4,6) TLH (Red Hymnal)  
Hark! The Sound of Holy Voices

### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH & THE LORD'S PRAYER

BENEDICTION *A Good Word or Blessing.*

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Congregational Response: Amen!

## Hymn 283 TLH (Red Hymnal)

### God's Word is Our Great Heritage

*the congregation is asked to hum with the organ, while the Pastor sings*

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**COMING BACK TO CHURCH** Your pastors and church leaders want to reassure you that in these times, when we are all finding our way of how to deal with the threat of COVID-19 in our own personal circumstances, we will go out of our way to not judge any one of you because you are or are not attending church in person. We will be glad to see you when you come; we will be glad that you watch the service at home when you do not. We will understand if you decide you are not comfortable yet and support you in that personal decision. How any one of us deals with these current times is not a reason for passing judgment on someone else. We each have our own unique situation. Our hearts long for the day when we can all come to worship again! Please feel free to reach out with any concerns or questions that you may have.

## OFFERING OF THANKFUL HEARTS

*So let each one give as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Corinthians 9:7*

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**OPTION 1** *If coming to a service in-person, leave your contribution in the offering plate in the narthex.*

**OPTION 2** *Mail your weekly contribution to: 421 N 2nd St, Mankato, MN 56001*

**OPTION 3** *Use your bank's bill pay service.*

**OPTION 4** *Drop off your contribution in the mail slot to the left of the school entrance on the south side of the building in the parking lot. Please do not use cash if you choose to use this option.*

**OPTION 5** *Download CashApp on your mobile device or visit [cash.app/login](https://cash.app/login). The church's \$cashtag is "\$immanuelmankato". In the memo section, please indicate your envelope number and how you would like your offering distributed between funds. For example: #317 General Fund: \$25 MDF: \$5.*

**Thank you for your continued support of His Work at Immanuel!**

# Last Week

Gathering Service Sunday 5/21: 273 views

Note: the number of views listed is as of 5/30/2020; "views" does not represent the number of viewers, but rather only the number of computers/devices that accessed it

## Fruits of Faith

Immanuel	Mail/Drop off	CashApp
Current Expenses		
Weekly Need \$14,657.50	\$3,700	\$625
Ascension Day	\$110	
ILS Foundation	\$15	
ILS Junior Class	\$50	
ILS Preschool Fund	\$25	
ILS Student Aid	\$465	
CLC	Mail/Drop off	CashApp
Missions (Coop. Budgeted Plan CBP)		
Weekly Need \$1,334.74	\$400	

# This Week

- Sat May 30 6:00p WORSHIP
- Sun May 31 8:00a WORSHIP  
9:15a Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM  
10:00a WORSHIP  
Join us live by following the link at the top of the page on our website [www.ImmanuelMankato.org](http://www.ImmanuelMankato.org) OR find and watch the recording afterwards at [www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/](http://www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/)
- Mon Jun 1 Have a blessed week!
- Tues Jun 2 No Pastors' Office Hours - Please call to visit or to set up an online meeting!  
5:30p Expansion Relocation Committee Meeting  
7:00p Board of Ed Meeting  
7:00p Outreach Committee Meeting
- Wed Jun 3 12:45p Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Comm #7
- Thu Jun 4 5:45p Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Comm #7
- Fri Jun 5 No Pastors' Office Hours - Please call to visit or to set up an online meeting!
- Sat Jun 6 6:00p WORSHIP
- Sun Jun 7 8:00a WORSHIP  
9:15a Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM  
10:00a WORSHIP

# Immanuel Announcements

**REOPENING** Please see the "Church Reopening" tab on our website [www.ImmanuelMankato.org](http://www.ImmanuelMankato.org) in order to see the full plan laid out by the Deacons of Immanuel for the cautious and careful reopening of our church for weekend services. Note: during this time, all other activities, services, and office hours at Immanuel Lutheran Church have been cancelled due to the stay safe orders issued by our government. Thank you!

**SAVE THE DATE: Summer VBS** The Immanuel Board of Ed is still planning on holding one VBS session on **July 27-31**. We hope that you will be able to join us. Look for volunteer sign-up sheets very soon!

**ALTAR FLOWERS** Study Guild is looking for volunteers to help place altar flowers in upcoming weeks. If able and willing, please contact Kristen Friedrichs at [StudyGuild@ImmanuelMankato.org](mailto:StudyGuild@ImmanuelMankato.org) or at 507-382-5257 (text or call). We are looking for volunteers for the following weekends:

June 21 \_\_\_\_\_

June 28 \_\_\_\_\_

**VOTERS' MEETING** With the news of our call to Mr. Neil Bernthal being returned, President Pro Tempore Mr. Zach Lein has called for a Voters' Meeting on Monday, June 1, at 7:00pm. The meeting will be held via Zoom. Please look for an email with more information coming soon. Agenda items will include: (1) Teacher Call; (2) New Voter Reception; (3) Church Remodel.

# CLC Announcements

**CALL NEWS** Quinn Sprengeler, Redemption, Lynnwood, WA has returned the call to Holy Trinity School, West Columbia, SC. <> Prof. John Ude has been called by St Luke's, Lemmon, SD.

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If you have an announcement or event for next weekend's bulletin, please send it to [Bulletin@ImmanuelMankato.org](mailto:Bulletin@ImmanuelMankato.org) or contact one of the pastors by Thursday at 12 pm. Thank you!