



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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NINTH SUNDAY IN THE TRINITY SEASON

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race,
I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me
the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the
righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not
to me only but also to all who have loved His
appearing.

2 Timothy 4:7-8

SERVING US THIS WEEK

PASTOR Dave Schierenbeck <> DEACON Ted Schreyer <> ORGANIST Colleen
Matzke <> ALTAR FLOWERS Viv Hanel

SCREEN (*Sat.*) Joe Furst (*Sun.*) Russ Schmitt <>

USHERS Kyle Hulke, Karl Friedrichs, Mac Friedrichs, Matt Hagen, Andrew Lentz,
Austin Lien, Zach Lien, Gary Mittelsteadt, Alan Olmason, Alex Schmitt, Brent
Schreyer, Philip Stelter, Ross Theneman

WELCOME!

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

WE PREPARE TO MEET OUR LORD

Entrance Hymn 421 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
Come, Follow Me

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

Pastor (P): In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit
Congregation (C): Amen!

P: Beloved of God: Let us draw near with a true heart, and confess our sins to God our Father, asking Him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

C: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. WE have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

P: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

WE PRAISE OUR LORD

LORD, HAVE MERCY KYRIE PG 2



C: Lord, have mer - cy on us. Christ, have mer-cy



on us. Lord, have mer - cy on us.

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST- PG 2-3

(P:) Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and peace to all peo-ple on
earth. (C:) Lord God, heav - en - ly king, al -
might - y God and Fa - ther: We wor - ship You, we
give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo - ry.
Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the
Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:
You take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on
us. You are seat - ed at the right hand of the
Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer.
For You a - lone are the Ho - ly One, You a - lone
are the Lord, You a - lone are the Most High,
Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

P: Let us pray... ..through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

FIRST LESSON ISAIAH 40: 27-31

27 Why do you say, O Jacob, And speak, O Israel: "My way is hidden from the LORD, And my just claim is passed over by my God"? **28** Have you not known? Have you not heard? The everlasting God, the LORD, The Creator of the ends of the earth, Neither faints nor is weary. His understanding is unsearchable. **29** He gives power to the weak, And to *those who have* no might He increases strength. **30** Even the youths shall faint and be weary, And the young men shall utterly fall, **31** But those who wait on the LORD Shall renew *their* strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint.

PSALM OF THE DAY PSALM 16

P: Preserve me, O God, for in You I put my trust.

C: O my soul, you have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord, My goodness is nothing apart from You."

P: As for the saints who *are* on the earth, "They are the excellent ones, in whom is all my delight."

C: Their sorrows shall be multiplied who hasten *after* another god;
Their drink offerings of blood I will not offer, Nor take up their names on my lips.

P: O LORD, You are the portion of my inheritance and my cup;
You maintain my lot.

C: The lines have fallen to me in pleasant *places*; Yes, I have a good inheritance.

P: I will bless the LORD who has given me counsel; My heart also instructs me in the night seasons.

C: I have set the LORD always before me; Because *He is* at my right hand I shall not be moved.

P: Therefore my heart is glad, and my glory rejoices; My flesh also will rest in hope.

C: For You will not leave my soul in Sheol, Nor will You allow Your Holy One to see corruption.

P: You will show me the path of life; In Your presence *is* fullness of joy; At Your right hand *are* pleasures forevermore.

SECOND LESSON LUKE 9:57-62

Now it happened as they journeyed on the road, that someone said to Him, 'Lord, I will follow You wherever You go.' **58** And Jesus said to him, 'Foxes have holes and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head.' **59** Then He said to another, 'Follow Me.' But he said, 'Lord, let me first go and bury my father.' **60** Jesus said to him, 'Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and preach the kingdom of God.' **61** And another also said, 'Lord, I will follow You, but let me first go and bid them farewell who are at my house.' **62** But Jesus said to him, 'No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.'

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

C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

The image shows a musical score for the Lamentation of the Church. It consists of four staves of music in treble clef, with a common time signature (C). The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff contains three phrases of 'Al - le - lu - ia!'. The second staff contains the text 'These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that'. The third staff contains 'Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.'. The fourth staff contains three phrases of 'Al - le - lu - ia!'.

CONFESSION OF FAITH THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by Whom all things were made; Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, Whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, And I look for the resurrection of the dead And the life of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of the Day 447 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
Fight The Good Fight

SERMON LESSON 1 CORINTHIANS 9:24-27

Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may obtain it. **25** And everyone who competes for the prize is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a perishable crown, but we for an imperishable crown. **26** Therefore I run thus: not with uncertainty. Thus I fight: not as one who beats the air. **27** But I discipline my body and bring it into subjection, lest, when I have preached to others, I myself should become disqualified.

Run for Your Life- Eternal Life!

1. Be Focused on Christ
2. Persevere Amid Challenges
3. Anticipate the Victory Prize

OFFERTORY WS (TAN HYMNAL) PG 6

In this prayer we offer God our hearts, asking Him for that best of all gifts, the Holy Spirit.



C: Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God. Re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Your pres - ence. Take not Your Ho - ly Spir - it from
me. Re - store to me the joy of Your sal -
va - tion. Up - hold me with Your free Spir - it.

OFFERINGS PRAYER OF THE CHURCH & LORD'S PRAYER

OUR LORD GIVES HIMSELF TO US

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT PG 7

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: It is right and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God...

(the appropriate Preface is read)

Therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and saying:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY PG 8

C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and
might, heav'n and earth are full of Your
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blest is He who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the
san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Descant Ho -

The musical score is written on six staves in a single system. The first five staves contain the vocal line, and the sixth staff contains the piano accompaniment. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are printed below the vocal line, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across notes. A 'Descant' section is marked above the sixth staff, starting with the word 'Ho -'.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION PG 8

LAMB OF GOD PG 9

C: Lamb of God, You take a - way the
 sin of the world; have mer - cy up - on us.
 Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world; have
 mer - cy up - on us. Lamb of God, You
 take a - way the sin of the world; grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION PG 9

Hymn 310 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
 Thy Table I Approach

Hymn 306 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
 Lord Jesus Christ, Thou Has Prepared

THANKSGIVING PG 10

C: Thank the Lord; sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what
 He has done. Let all who seek the Lord re-joice and
 bear Christ's ho-ly name. Thank the Lord; sing His praise;
 tell ev-'ry-one what He has done. Send us with Your
 prom-is-es, Lord; lead Your peo-ple forth in joy with
 shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Thank the Lord; sing His praise;
 tell ev-'ry-one what He has done. *Descant* Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-
 lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

OUR LORD BLESSES US

BENEDICTION PG 11 *A Good Word or Blessing*

Closing Hymn 784 WS (Tan Hymnal)
 Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me

LAST WEEK

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Budgetary (\$13,461.54 budgeted per week)

\$8,940 Current Expenses General Budget

Non-Budgetary

\$ 1 Major Improvement

\$ 810 ILS Student Aid

\$ 15 ILS Foundation

\$ 3 Benevolent Fund

\$ 10,000 Sanctuary Remodeling Project

\$ 100 VBS Fund

\$ 43 MPF Free Will Offering

\$ 1 Major Improvement

CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION

\$ 531 CLC General Budget (CBP)

\$ 20 CLC Kinship

Saturday Worship 7/24: 42 Sunday Worship 7/25: 111

THIS WEEK

Sat July 31	6:00p	WORSHIP , In-Person Communion Weekend
Sun Aug 1	9:15a	Radio Sermon: <i>KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM</i>
	10:00a	WORSHIP , In-Person or Live Stream- Communion Weekend-Join us live by following the link at the top of the page on our website www.ImmanuelMankato.org OR find and watch the recording afterwards at www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/
Mon Aug 2		God bless your week!
Tues Aug 3	5:30p	ERC Meeting
	7:00p	Outreach Committee Meeting
	8:00p	Scholarship Committee Meeting
Wed Aug 4	12:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Comm #7
Thur Aug 5	5:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Chart #181; Consolidated Comm #7
Fri Aug 6	11:00a	SIC Meeting
Sat Aug 7	6:00p	WORSHIP In-Person
Sun Aug 8	9:15a	Radio Sermon: <i>KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM</i>
	10:00a	WORSHIP In-Person or Live Stream

LOOKING AHEAD

August 21- Outdoor Adventure Day- Softball Games

August 23- First Day of School for ILS

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

VACATION Reminder that our church secretary, Hilary Lien, is on vacation and will return to the office on August 5th.

CARPET SAMPLES After the service you are encouraged to come to the front of the sanctuary to vote on carpet samples. If you previously voted on the samples that were in the school hallway, you are welcome to come vote again! New carpet installation will be scheduled soon!

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS Greta Brown-Kempenaar has been called as music teacher and preschool aid for one year by Faith, Markesan, WI <> Mr. Andrew Roehl, 5-6th grade teacher Messiah, Eau Claire, WI has been called to be teacher and principal at Valley Bible Academy in Clarkston, WA <> Grace, Valentine, NE has extended a one-year call to David Bernthal, teacher emeritus, living in Fond du Lac, WI to be their principal and upper grade teacher <> Pastor Mark Tiefel of Redemption, Lynnwood, WA, has the call to Living Savior, Eden Prairie, MN <> Pastor Michael Gurath of Holy Cross Lutheran, Phoenix, AZ has been called by Faith Lutheran, Manchester, MO <> Ms. Rebecca McKenney has been called to be the upper grade teacher at Grace School, Valentine, NE, for the 2021-2022 school year

HARVEST FESTIVAL Prince of Peace Lutheran Church of Hecla, SD, welcomes you to their annual Harvest Festival, 4 pm, Sunday, Aug. 8. An outdoor service will be held on the grounds of the Guelph School, followed by a turkey barbecue dinner. This is a different location from last year. Guelph, ND, is between Ellendale and Oakes ND, one mile off ND-11 at the sign which directs you north. Turn right into Guelph, and you will find the school grounds just past the three houses in town. You will see plenty of parked cars. For more information, contact pastor_daub@hotmail.com or (605) 994-2145.