



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN THE TRINITY SEASON

Simon Peter answered and said,
'You are the Christ, the Son of the
living God.'

Matthew 16:16

SERVING US THIS WEEK

LAY LEADER Russell Schmitt <> DEACON Ty Hanel <> ORGANIST Kristen
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WELCOME!

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

ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Hymn 537 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
Every Morning Mercies New

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

Lay Leader (L): We begin this worship service in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Congregation (C) ♪: Amen.

CONFESSION OF SINS & ABSOLUTION

L: God is light and in Him is no darkness at all.

C: If we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.

L: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

L: Let us pray.

C: Almighty God, merciful Father, we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. But we are sorry for our transgressions and pray You, of Your bountiful mercy, to be gracious and merciful unto us. Forgive us for Jesus' sake, renew us by Your Spirit, and lead us in the way everlasting. Amen.

L: Jesus Christ is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. We are forgiven. With boldness and confidence we may approach the throne to find grace to help in time of need. In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord.

All: Amen!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

L: Let us pray...

C: ♪ Amen.

OUR LORD SPEAKS TO US

FIRST LESSON EXODUS 6:2-8

And God spoke to Moses and said to him: "I am the LORD. **3** "I appeared to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, as God Almighty, but by My name LORD I was not known to them. **4** "I have also established My covenant with them, to give them the land of Canaan, the land of their pilgrimage, in which they were strangers. **5** "And I have also heard the groaning of the children of Israel whom the Egyptians keep in bondage, and I have remembered My covenant. **6** "Therefore say to the children of Israel: 'I am the LORD; I will bring you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians, I will rescue you from their bondage, and I will redeem you with an outstretched arm and with great judgments. **7** 'I will take you as My people, and I will be your God. Then you shall know that I am the LORD your God who brings you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians. **8** 'And I will bring you into the land which I swore to give to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; and I will give it to you as a heritage: I am the LORD.'"

RESPONSIVE READING PSALM 6

L: O LORD, do not rebuke me in Your anger, Nor chasten me in Your hot displeasure.

C: Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am weak; O LORD, heal me, for my bones are troubled.

L: My soul also is greatly troubled; But You, O LORD-- how long?

C: Return, O LORD, deliver me! Oh, save me for Your mercies' sake!

L: For in death there is no remembrance of You;

C: In the grave who will give You thanks?

L: I am weary with my groaning; All night I make my bed swim; I drench my couch with my tears.

C: My eye wastes away because of grief; It grows old because of all my enemies.

L: Depart from me, all you workers of iniquity;

C: For the LORD has heard the voice of my weeping.

L: The LORD has heard my supplication;

C: The LORD will receive my prayer.

L: Let all my enemies be ashamed and greatly troubled;

C: Let them turn back and be ashamed suddenly.

All: Amen.

SECOND LESSON ROMANS 11:33-36

Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and His ways past finding out! **34** "For who has known the mind of the LORD? Or who has become His counselor?" **35** "Or who has first given to Him And it shall be repaid to him?" **36** For of Him and through Him and to Him are all things, to whom be glory forever. Amen.

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

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

CONFESSION OF FAITH APOSTOLIC CREED

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.

Hymn of the Day 364 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds

SERMON MATTHEW 16:13-20

When Jesus came into the region of Caesarea Philippi, He asked His disciples, saying, "Who do men say that I, the Son of Man, am?" **14** So they said, "Some say John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." **15** He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" **16** Simon Peter answered and said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." **17** Jesus answered and said to him, "Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah, for flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but My Father who is in heaven. **18** "And I also say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and the gates of Hades shall not

prevail against it. **19** "And I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." **20** Then He commanded His disciples that they should tell no one that He was Jesus the Christ.

Who Is Jesus?

1. He is the Christ!
2. He is the Son of the living God!
3. He is my Savior!

*Preaching today: Lay Leader Russell Schmitt
Sermon Written By Pastor Michael Eichstadt for Ministry by Mail*

Sermon Hymn 341 TLH (*Red Hymnal*)
Crown Him with Many Crowns

WE OFFER OURSELVES TO OUR LORD

OFFERTORY TLH (RED HYMNAL) PG 12

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

♪ Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with Your free Spirit. Amen.

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

OUR LORD BLESSES US

BENEDICTION *A Good Word or Blessing.*

L: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Congregational Response: ♪ Amen. Amen. Amen.

Closing Hymn 408 TLH (Red Hymnal)
Jesus Christ, My Pride and Glory

THIS WEEK

Sat Aug 14	6:00p	WORSHIP, In-Person 3 rd Sunday Communion
Sun Aug 15	9:15a	Radio Sermon: <i>KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM</i>
	10:00a	WORSHIP, In-Person or Live Stream- Join us live by following the link at the top of the page on our website- 3 rd Sunday Communion- www.ImmanuelMankato.org OR find and watch the recording afterwards at www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/
Mon Aug 16		God bless your week!
Tues Aug 17	3-5p	Pastors Office Hours
Wed Aug 18	12:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Comm #7
Thur Aug 19	5:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Chart #181; Consolidated Comm #7
Fri Aug 20	6:30a	Men's Breakfast
Sat Aug 21	9-12p	Outdoor Adventure Day- Softball Gorman Park St Peter
	6:00p	WORSHIP In-Person
Sun Aug 22	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
- Sept 30 to Oct 3- Man Up! Retreat

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

STUDY GUILD- TOUCH BASE All women at Immanuel are invited to a brief meeting following the services on September 4 or 5 to discuss planning for the 2021-2022 meetings and officer elections. If you are unable to attend either of these dates, please share your ideas via email to studyguild@immanuelmankato.org or via phone to Kristen Friedrichs at 507-382-5257.

BLOOD DRIVE Immanuel will be hosting a Blood Drive 10/22/21. Please mark your calendars and be on the look out for more information to come!

EMERGENCY CONTACTS Pastor Radichel is out of town this weekend, if you have an emergency and need spiritual care while he is gone please contact Pastor George Dummann @ 507-573-1942 or Pastor David Schrienbeck @ 651-202-8602.

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE DAY-SOFTBALL Join your Immanuel Family for a morning of Family Softball Games at **Gorman Park in St Peter, August 21, 2021 9am-12pm**. There will be a 'tee' available for use, just bring any bats and gloves you may have! We will have time to enjoy a picnic lunch, so pack along one for your family to enjoy in the park's large pavilion. The 'Tree-Mendous' Park is also on site for children to enjoy. We are excited for this time together for fun and fellowship. Hope to see you there! Contact the church office with any questions.

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS 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 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<> Pastor Aaron Ude, of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Rapid City, SD has the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO <> Pastor emeritus John Schierenbeck has received *and* returned the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO, to serve as their vacancy pastor <> Pastor Mark Tiefel of Redemption Lutheran Church, Lynnwood, WA, has returned the call to Living Savior Lutheran Church., Eden Prairie, MN

MAN UP! RETREAT The 2021 ManUp! Men's Retreat is on for this fall will be held September 30 - October 3, 2021, at beautiful Wyalusing State Park near Prairie du Chien, WI, about an hour south of La Crosse. The Theme this year is: "No Fear!" and will offer strength and encouragement for men 18 and older for their personal faith, family, and fellowship at church. The weekend will include Bible study, fellowship, leadership training, team building, relationship building, worship, and many outdoor bonding activities. The cost is \$75 before September 1, and includes lodging and meals. You can register by going to the Man Up! website here: www.manup.clclutheran.org. Please plan to join us!

If you have any announcements you would like to put in the bulletin for next weekend please notify the church secretary no later then **10am on Friday**. Thank you!