

**Welcome to**  
**Immanuel Lutheran Church**  
*A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod*

**4th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**June 16, 2024**



*Parables of Seeds of the Gospel*  
*Mark 4:26-34*

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Rev. J. Philipp Augustine, Pastor

**Welcome to Immanuel!** We ask everyone to please fill out a white postcard-sized Communication/Communion Card, placed at the entrances.

>> **Members**, please fill out the Communion Card to inform the church office of your attendance today and any needed prayers and visits.

>> **Guests**, please fill out the card with your name and address. Place in the offering plate, hand to an usher or elder, or drop in the basket as you come forward for Holy Communion. If desiring to commune, please visit with the pastor (see Communion statement below) and note your home congregation. We hope you have enjoyed our worship service, and we invite you to join us again soon.

### **Holy Communion Statement**

The Lord's Supper is celebrated in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive this sacrament, are asked to first speak with the pastor.

*For our communicants: gluten-free host is available along with grape juice in the center of the individual cups for those who have allergies or sensitivities to those respective elements.*

*Please request it as you approach the pastor or the elder.*

## **Our Mission**

Immanuel Lutheran Church exists to spread the Gospel in its truth and purity through Word and Sacraments in accordance with the Confession of The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod. Immanuel Lutheran School exists to share the Gospel, so children become disciples of Jesus.

**Busy Bags:** Available at the entrance are ‘Busy Bags’ = activity bags of color crayons/books, for any child. Borrow and use them for the service and return them to their hook for the next time!

**Liturgy:** Divine Service Setting One, page 151

**Sermon:** "Seeds of the Gospel" - Mark 4:26-24

### **Hymns:**

901 - Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty  
601 - All Who Believe and Are Baptized  
577 - Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast  
586 - Preach You the Word  
892 - Come, Ye Thankful People, Come  
921 - On What Has Now Been Sown

**Organist:** Barb Lutringer

**Elder & Ushers:** 9:00 am: Bob Walkes, Alvin Lutringer  
Butch Mussell

**Acolyte/Cross bearer:** *Elders over summer*

**June Altar Duty:** Jim & Sue Miller, Don & Becky Luckstein

**OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP**

Sunday, June 9: 132

## OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS

Sunday, June 9: \$ 10,370.00

## OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

**Those known to be hospitalized:** *No one we know of.* For any prayer requests wanted on the Congregational Prayer Chain, or in public worship services, call the church office (534-3700) or Kim Zabel (507) 272-6301 or E-mail office@immanuelplainview.org

### **God's richest blessing on those celebrating birthdays this week**

*June 16: David Luckstein, Donna Schneider, Kari Welti*

*June 19: Kurt Schnell*

*June 22: Marlene Gilbertson, Kayla Rohlik*



**ANGIE LITTLEFIELD BENEFIT**  
**THURSDAY - SATURDAY**  
**JUNE 20, 21, 22**

@ Immanuel Lutheran Church & School  
22577 County Road 25, Lewiston, MN 55952



**6/21 FISH FRY/CHICKEN STRIPS**

4-8 (OR WHEN GONE)

**6/21 & 22 KICKBALL TOURNAMENT**

**6/21 TALENT SHOW**

**6/21 CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT**

**6/20 - 6/21 RUMMAGE SALE - FREE WILL DONATION**

Hope Office: 507-474-7799 or email [office@hopelhs.org](mailto:office@hopelhs.org)

Angie is a dedicated mom of 3 (and a bonus son-in-law). She was diagnosed in 2016 with Basal Cell Carcinoma and in 2017 with Colon cancer and has been diligently caring for her health.

Angie was recently diagnosed with Bile Duct Cancer. Treatment plans include chemotherapy and a liver transplant. The costs for hospitalizations, future treatment, travel and other related expenses are overwhelming for Angie and her family.

Please, join us and help in any way you are able  
and above all, please PRAY!