

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

**13th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**August 18, 2024**



*Simon Peter answered Jesus, “Lord, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of eternal life.” - John 6:68*

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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 Three, page 184

**Sermon:** "Chewing on Jesus" – John 6:51-69

### **Hymns:**

697 - Awake, O Sleeper, Rise from Death

536 - One Thing's Needful (*skip verse 2*)

625 - Lord Jesus Christ, Life-Giving Bread

636 - Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness

825 - Rise, Shine, You People

**Organist:** Barb Lutringer

**Elder & Ushers:** 9:00 am: Brent Wohlers, Eugene Schnell  
Butch Mussell

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

**August Altar Duty:** Dawn Schroeder, Don & Becky Luckstein

**OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP**

Sunday, August 11: 114

**OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS**

Sunday, August 11: \$ 3,288.00

**OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING**

**Those known to be hospitalized:** *No one at this time.* 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**

*August 18: Jeremy Bantley, Jameson Brinkman, Paige Haley  
James Patzner*

*August 19: Sam Evans*

*August 20: Jason Brinkman, Brent Stelling*

*August 21: Tricia Stelling*

*August 22: Sawyer Cichacki, Connie Walkes, Mark Walters  
Jean Wingert*

*August 23: Megan Smith, Sandy Wohlers*

*August 24: William Welke, Lori Zabel*

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## Our directory will not be complete without you!

Help us put names with faces, introduce our church to the community and tell our story to new church families!

Each family that is photographed and selects a directory pose will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and a free directory.

Update your professional portraits with various backgrounds and package options that best suit your family. Share these memories with your loved ones.

Help our families connect with one another and build fellowship in our church.

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