Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church

A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

14th Sunday after Pentecost August 25, 2024



"...they do not eat unless they wash. And there are many other traditions that they observe..." - Mark 7:4.

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Rev. J. Philipp Augustine, Pastor

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

- >> <u>Members</u>, please fill out the Communion Card to inform the church office of your attendance today and any needed prayers and visits.
- >> <u>Guests</u>, 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: "Wonder Upon Wonder" – Isaiah 29:11-19

Hymns:

589 - Speak, O Lord, Your Servant Listens

582 - God's Word Is Our Great Heritage

585 - Lord Jesus Christ, with Us Abide

602 - The Gifts Christ Freely Gives

596 - All Christians Who Have Been Baptized

563 - Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

865 - Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain

Organist: Debra Eggenberger

Elder & Ushers: 9:00 am: Bob Walkes, Alvin Lutringer, Jim Larson

Acolyte/Cross bearer: Elders over summer

September Altar Duty: Tom & Lisa Hoekstra, Jean Wingert

OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP

Sunday, August 18: 80

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS

Sunday, August 18: 13,805.00

OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

<u>Those known to be hospitalized:</u> *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 25: Holly Cichacki

August 26: Ashley Finne

August 27: Weston Dohrn, Brittany Eversman, Heather Grummons

Kathy Lehnertz, Alvin Lutringer

August 28: Shanna (Decker) Lunasin

August 29: Kenneth Bigelow, Sherrie Decker, Jeffrey Threinen

August 31: Blake Dessner, Kasey Schulz

Praise the Lord Celebration!

Sunday, September 8th 2024

- One Church Service @ 10:00am
- Sunday School Rally Adult Bible Study
 @ 9:30am
- Potluck Meal in CLC following the service
 - Fried Chicken provided by Youth Group
- Beverages provided by ILCW Ladies
- Dessert provided by Immanuel's Think
 Tank
- Special Music & Recognition of Teachers
- Church Softball Game (contingent on # of people signed up)
 - Sign up in the Resource Room

Everyone is welcome for fellowship and fun!