



FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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WELCOME

We are excited to share the Good News with you!
Guests, please sign our guestbook in the entry. Please join us again.

SERVING US THIS WEEK

PASTOR Joe Naumann ♦ DEACON Mark Stelter ♦ ORGANIST Grace Schreyer
SOUND Craig Stelter ♦ VIDEO Tony Harris ♦ SCREEN Russ Schmitt
FLOWERS _____ ♦ COMMUNION WARE (SAT) T & J Williams
(SUN), P & N Pfeiffer, K Hoffman, G & G Schreyer, K & R Mueller
HEAD USHER Karl Friedrichs ♦ ASSISTANT Kyle Hulke
USHERS Aaron Busse; Mac Friedrichs; Matt Hagen; Allen Hansen;
Andrew Lentz; Austin Lien; Gary Mittelsteadt; Kyle Ochsner;
Alan Olmanson; Leif Olmanson; Alex Schmitt; Brent Schreyer;
Collin Schreyer; Ted Schreyer; Ben Stratton; Ross Theneman; Tim Williams

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T. Kruse; D. Lueck; E. Matzke; J. Mueller; B. Olmanson; D. Pfeiffer; D.
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*God resists the proud,
but gives grace to the humble.*

I Peter 5:5

PRE-SERVICE MEDITATION

Psalm 125 (Red Hymnal pg 153)

Prayer: *Lord Jesus, cast out all pride and self-righteousness from my heart. Help me to recognize my sin and to turn to you in true contrition. Help me also to look to you for full forgiveness of all of my sins, not doubting, but firmly believing that you have removed each and every transgression from me forever. Maintain a humble and contrite heart within me. Amen!*

COMMUNION ORDER OF SERVICE

Hymn 2 (v. 1-5) *Red Hymnal*

To Thy Temple I Repair

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.

OUR CONFESSION OF SINS

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C: ♪ **Who made heaven and earth.**

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

C: ♪ **And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

ALL: O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have offended You. I justly deserve Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for my sins and sincerely repent of them. I pray that You would of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office as a called servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, 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

PSALM OF THE DAY

PSALM 125

P: Those who trust in the LORD Are like Mount Zion,

C: **Which cannot be moved, but abides forever.**

P: As the mountains surround Jerusalem,

C: **So the LORD surrounds His people From this time forth and forever.**

P: For the scepter of wickedness shall not rest On the land allotted to the righteous,

C: **Lest the righteous reach out their hands to iniquity.**

P: Do good, O LORD, to those who are good,

C: **And to those who are upright in their hearts.**

P: As for such as turn aside to their crooked ways,

C: **The LORD shall lead them away With the workers of iniquity. Peace be upon Israel!**

P: Glory be to God!

♪ **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, forevermore. Amen.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Isaiah, mighty seer in days of old,
The Lord of all in spirit did behold
High on a lofty throne, in splendor bright,
With robes that filled the temple courts with light.
Above the throne were flaming seraphim;
Six wings had they, these messengers of Him.
With two they veiled their faces as was right,
With two they humbly hid their feet from sight,
And with the other two aloft they soared;
One to the other called and praised the Lord:
HOLY IS GOD, THE LORD OF HEAV'NLY HOSTS!
HOLY IS GOD, THE LORD OF HEAV'NLY HOSTS!
HOLY IS GOD, THE LORD OF HEAV'NLY HOSTS!
HIS GLORY FILLS THE HEAVENS AND THE EARTH!
The beams and lintels trembled at the cry,
And clouds of smoke enwrapped the throne on high.

Christian Worship #267

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray...

C: ♪ Amen.

OUR LORD SPEAKS TO US

OLD TESTAMENT READING

2 SAMUEL 24:10-16

And David's heart condemned him after he had numbered the people. So David said to the LORD, "I have sinned greatly in what I have done; but now, I pray, O LORD, take away the iniquity of Your servant, for I have done very foolishly." **11** Now when David arose in the morning, the word of the LORD came to the prophet Gad, David's seer, saying, **12** "Go and tell David, 'Thus says the LORD: "I offer you three things; choose one of them for yourself, that I may do it to you."' **13** So Gad came to David and told him; and he said to him, "Shall seven years of famine come to you in your land? Or shall you flee three months before your enemies, while they pursue you? Or shall there be three days' plague in your land? Now consider and see what answer I should take back to Him who sent me." **14** And David said to Gad, "I am in great distress. Please let us fall into the hand of the LORD, for His mercies are great; but do not let me fall into the hand of man." **15** So the LORD sent a

plague upon Israel from the morning till the appointed time. From Dan to Beersheba seventy thousand men of the people died.

16 And when the angel stretched out His hand over Jerusalem to destroy it, the LORD relented from the destruction, and said to the angel who was destroying the people, "It is enough; now restrain your hand."

Congregational Praise: ♪ Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

NEW TESTAMENT READING

LUKE 15:1-10

Congregational Welcome: ♪ Glory be to You, O Lord!

Then all the tax collectors and the sinners drew near to Him to hear Him. 2 And the Pharisees and scribes complained, saying, "This Man receives sinners and eats with them." 3 So He spoke this parable to them, saying: 4 "What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he loses one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness, and go after the one which is lost until he finds it? 5 "And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing. 6 "And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep which was lost!' 7 "I say to you that likewise there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine just persons who need no repentance. 8 "Or what woman, having ten silver coins, if she loses one coin, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? 9 "And when she has found it, she calls her friends and neighbors together, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the piece which I lost!' 10 "Likewise, I say to you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Congregational Response: ♪ Praise be to You, O Christ!

CONFESSION OF FAITH

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 513 *Red Hymnal*

Art Thou Weary, Art Thou Troubled

SERMON

I PETER 5:6-11

Blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it. Luke 11: 28

Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time, **7** casting all your care upon Him, for He cares for you. **8** Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. **9** Resist him, steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same sufferings are experienced by your brotherhood in the world. **10** But may the God of all grace, who called us to His eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after you have suffered a while, perfect, establish, strengthen, and settle you. **11** To Him be the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

The Problem with Pride

1. God Resists the Proud
2. But Gives Grace to the Humble

*Preaching today Pastor Joe Naumann
sermon note sheets available in the narthex
sermons and services online at www.ImmanuelMankato.org*

WE OFFER OURSELVES TO OUR LORD

OFFERTORY

♪ 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*

PRAYERS

OUR LORD GIVES HIMSELF TO US

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ **And with your spirit.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: ♪ **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

C: ♪ **It is meet and right so to do.**

P: It is truly fitting, right, and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God: . . . Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

♪ **Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth; heav'n and earth are full of Your glory; hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest!**

P: Our Father who art in Heaven, Hallowed by Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;

♪ **For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always!

♪ **Amen. O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.**

O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, grant us Your peace. Amen.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Our Practice of Close Communion: *We believe that God desires unity of faith and confession among all who commune together. All communicant members of Immanuel and of our sister congregations in the CLC (Church of the Lutheran Confession) are welcome at the Lord's Table. If there are visitors present who wish to commune with us in the future, you are invited to speak with the Pastor about this at your convenience. For more info, pick up the tract from the narthex titled "Why Close Communion."*

Communing: *Members who have difficulty at the kneeling rail may sit in the front pew on either side. The pastors will bring communion to you there. Any communicants sitting in the balcony should please come down to the narthex for direction to the table. Communicants are ushered to the communion table. If you desire the bread in your hand, simply extend your hand to the Pastor as he approaches you with the bread. Those desiring an individual cup, please take a cup when the tray is offered. The common cup will immediately follow. Please dispose of your individual cup in the baskets located behind each pillar or in the center aisle.*

Communion Hymns

652 *Red Hymnal*

324 *Red Hymnal*

I Lay My Sins on Jesus

Jesus Sinners Doth Receive

NUNC DIMITTIS

Song of Simeon (Luke 2: 29-32)

♪ **Lord, now let Your servant depart in peace according to Your word. For my eyes have seen Your salvation, which You have prepared before the face of all people. A light to lighten the Gentiles, and the glory of Your people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, forevermore. Amen.**

OUR LORD BLESSES US

BENEDICTION

Congregational Response: ♪ Amen. Amen. Amen.

Hymn 24 *Red Hymnal* Lord of My Life, Whose Tender Care

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LAST WEEK

Gatherings

June 29-30

Saturday Worship: **100**

Sunday Worship: **162**

Weekend Total: **262**

Bible Studies

Jail: **14**

Parade: **62**

Wednesday Bible Study: **18**

Fruits of Faith

Immanuel

Current Expenses **\$7,147.51**

Weekly Need \$14,195.58

ILS Foundation **\$25**

ILS Interactive Display **\$30**

ILS Student Aid **\$210**

ILS Tuition Aid **\$40**

Land Purchase **\$130**

CLC

ILC Building **\$55**

ILC Student Aid **\$50**

Missions (Coop Budget) **\$735**

Weekly Need \$1,419.35

Mission Development Fund (MDF) **\$50**

In memory of Al Ganske

CLC Missions **\$20**

In memory of Rose Kroeger

Immanuel Lutheran School **\$20**

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If you have an announcement or event for next weekend's bulletin, please send it to Bulletin@ImmanuelMankato.org or contact one of the pastors by Thursday at 12 pm. Thank you!

THIS WEEK

- Sat Jul 6 6:00p** **WORSHIP** *with the Lord's Supper*
- Sun Jul 7 8:15a** Radio Sermon: *KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM*
10:00a **WORSHIP** *with the Lord's Supper*
- Mon Jul 8** *Have a blessed week!*
- Tues Jul 9 3p-5p** Pastors Office Hours
6:30p Deacons' Meeting *in the basement conference room*
7:00p Board of Education *in the language classroom*
7:00p Property Board *in the church basement*
7:00p Finance Board
8:00p Council Meeting *in the church basement*
- Wed Jul 10 12:45p** Televised **WORSHIP** Service, *Charter #181; Consolidated Communications #7*
5:30p Summer Bible Study, *Sibley Park Shelter #2*
- Thu Jul 11 10:00a** **WORSHIP**, *New Perspective Senior Living, 100 Dublin Road*
10:00a Bible Study, *Walnut Towers, 105 E. Walnut Street*
1:30p Bible Study, *Old Main, 301 S. Fifth Street*
5:45p Televised **WORSHIP** Service, *Charter #181; Consolidated Communications #7*
6:00p "Marriage Built to Last" study *in the church basement*
- Fri Jul 12 6:30a** Men's Breakfast and Bible Study *in the church basement*
8a-10a Pastors' Office Hours
4:30p Worship Music Practice *in the church sanctuary*
- Sat Jul 13 9-11a** Visitation for Phyllis Spear
10:00a Bible Study, *Primrose, 2nd floor community room, 1360 Adams Street*
11:00a Victory Service for Phyllis Spear
6:00p **WORSHIP**
- Sun Jul 14 8:15a** Radio Sermon: *KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM*
10:00a **WORSHIP**

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR VISIT Pastor Neal would like to have a visit with you this summer, Lord willing! Please take a few seconds to schedule a time to visit at home or here at church by going to this link: https://www.picktime.com/Immanuel_Mankato_Pastor_visit

FLOOR WAXING The next three weekends we need volunteers to move furniture in and out of the school classrooms after services so that the floors can be waxed. The schedule is as follows:

July 1-3	High School Rooms
July 8-12	Basement

JULY 13TH PARADE The Outreach Committee is hopeful you will walk with us in the Fun Day parade on **July 13**. Volunteers are asked to wear Immanuel swag. Come have fun and help us further the work of our Lord by promoting our church and school.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY PLANS There will be no weekend Bible Class or Sunday School this summer. Weekend Bible Class and Sunday School will resume this fall. Please join us at these summer study opportunities:

- **Weekly Bible Study:** on **Wednesdays** at **5:30 pm** beginning on **June 26** followed by an optional (bring your own) picnic at Sibley Park Shelter #2 (south of the Red Barn).
- **Marriage Built to Last:** a 6-week study on **Thursdays through July 18**, from 6-7:30 pm in the Language Classroom. Childcare will be available.
- **Perceptive Parenting with Jesus:** a 5-week study on **Saturdays** starting **July 13 (not July 6)** at 10 am in the Church Basement. Childcare will be available.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Our VBS theme this summer is "Making Tracks in God's Word." Dates are **July 15-19** from 8:30 am - 11:30 am (supervision available from 8 am – 12 pm). Activities will include crafts, music, recess, and Bible lessons. Online VBS registration has begun. For more information or to register, visit www.immanuelmankato.org.

INTERACTIVE DISPLAY FUND UPDATE Over the past two months, the Lord has blessed us with over \$5,000 in offerings to use toward replacing our school's SMART boards. We are already 14% of the way to our goal of \$38,000. May the Lord continue to bless our school.

NEEDED: *Fair Volunteers* Help support ILS students and faculty at the Blue Earth County Fair. Two volunteers are needed to help with shifts at the gate on Saturday, **July 27**, from 2-5 pm and 5-8 pm and on Sunday, **July 28**, from 12-4 pm. Immanuel PTO will receive 50 cents for each car that goes through the gate during our shifts. To sign up and/or for more info, email immanuelpto@gmail.com or call Donnell Olmanson at 507-387-7729.

CLC ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLC CALL NEWS Teacher Matthew Kranz of Immanuel, Mankato, MN, has returned the call extended to him by St. John's, Okabena, MN.

CANDIDATES FOR IMMANUEL PROFESSOR CALL The Board of Regents for Immanuel Lutheran High School, College, and Seminary invites "all pastors, professors, male teachers, and voting members of member congregations of the Church of the Lutheran Confession" (CLC Constitution) to nominate an individual or individuals to fill the vacancy which will be created by the retirement of Professor Paul Sullivan at the end of the 2019-20 academic year. The position would require the ability to teach in a variety of areas, which may include high school and college courses in religion, social sciences, and church history. To fill a current need on campus, this individual would need to be able to provide spiritual counsel and encouragement to students in the Word of God, understanding and addressing the particular challenges that students often face today, and someone who is seminary trained. The position would, God-willing, commence with the 2020-21 academic year. Those submitting nominations are strongly encouraged to verify that the individual would be willing to be nominated and would need to include information regarding their nominee's educational background and teaching and/or professional experience, also

indicating how the person might help our school in supervising extracurricular activities or serving in administrative positions. Nominations are to be received by email no later than midnight July 15, 2019, to Mr. James Burkhardt: jeb6217@yahoo.com. The deadline for regular mail has past.

MAN UP WEEKEND The weekend is intended to 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 and Relationship Building and Worship, as well as many outdoor bonding activities. The retreat will be held September 12-15, 2019, at beautiful Wyalusing State Park near Prairie du Chien, WI, about an hour south of La Crosse. You can also find out more information, see pictures of the park, and register for the retreat online at www.manup.clclutheran.org. The cost is only \$75 for the weekend and includes lodging, meals, and activities. Registration fee is due by August 31, 2019.

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