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"After that, Joshua read aloud all the words of the law, the blessing and the curse, exactly as all of it is written in the Book of the Law."

Joshua 8:35

SERVING US THIS WEEK

PASTOR Neal Radichel <> **DEACON** Daniel Pfeiffer <> **ORGANIST** Kristen Friedrichs <>
SCREEN (Sat.) Joe Furst (Sun.) Austin Lien <> **ALTAR FLOWERS** Kristen Friedrichs and
Laura Heinze <> **USHERS** Ben Busse, Michael Wheaton, Peter Busse, Jason Dick, Mark
Geiger, Sam Geschwind, Sam Hagen, Travis Miller, Kevin Moeri, Bernt Olmanson,
Charles Olmanson, Andrew Olmanson, Nick Schmid, Noah Schmid, Wayne Timm

SERVING US NEXT WEEK

PASTOR Neal Radichel <> **DEACON** Ted Schreyer <> **ORGANIST** Vickie Schreyer <>
SCREEN (Sat.) Joe Furst (Sun.) Russ Schmitt <> **ALTAR FLOWERS** Stelter Family <>
USHERS Karl Friedrichs, Kyle Hulke, Aaron Busse, Mac Friedrichs, Matt Hagen, Andrew
Lentz, Austin Lien, Gary Mittelsteadt, Alan Olmanson, Leif Olmanson, Alex Schmitt,
Ben Schreyer, Ted Schreyer, Ross Theneman

ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Prayer: Heavenly Father, You open Your hand and satisfy the desires of every living thing. Help us to respect and love You above all things, so our hearts would not covet that which You have given to our neighbors. Instead, lead us to trust in Your provision of all the things that we need every day, be content with what You provide, and resist enticements to take for ourselves what You have given to others. Enable us to serve our neighbors by helping them keep and guard all that You have given to them, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Congregation (C): 🎵 Amen.

INTROIT: PSALM 37:7-11

P: Rest in the LORD,

C: And wait patiently for Him;

P: Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way,

C: Because of the man who brings wicked schemes to pass.

P: Cease from anger, and forsake wrath; Do not fret-- it only causes harm.

**C: For evildoers shall be cut off; But those who wait on the LORD,
They shall inherit the earth.**

P: For yet a little while and the wicked shall be no more;

C: Indeed, you will look carefully for his place, But it shall be no more.

P: But the meek shall inherit the earth,

C: And shall delight themselves in the abundance of peace.

OPENING HYMN: #25:1-2 "I Will Sing My Maker's Praises" TLH (Red)

Sermon Text: Joshua 7:20-26 (EHV)

Achan answered Joshua, "It is true. I am the one who has sinned against the Lord, the God of Israel, and this is what I did: **21** Among the plunder I saw an expensive Mesopotamian robe, a fine one, and two hundred shekels of silver and one wedge of gold—it weighed fifty shekels. I coveted them and I took them. Now they are hidden in the ground inside my tent, and the silver is underneath it." **22** So Joshua sent agents. They ran to the tent, and

there it was! The robe was hidden in his tent, and the silver was underneath it! **23** They took them from the middle of the tent and brought them to Joshua and to all the people of Israel, where they poured them out before the Lord. **24** Then Joshua took Achan son of Zerah and the silver, the garment, and the wedge of gold, as well as Achan's sons and his daughters, his ox, his donkey and his flock, and his tent and everything that belonged to him—so all Israel, led by Joshua, brought them up to the Valley of Achor. **25** Joshua said, "Why have you brought disaster on us? The Lord will bring disaster on you this day!" Then all Israel stoned Achan to death. They also burned him and them with fire, and they pelted them with stones. **26** They erected a large heap of stones over Achan, which remains to this day. Then the Lord turned from the heat of his anger. For that reason the name of that place is called the Valley of Achor to this day.

SERMON STUDY: PART A

Preaching today: Pastor Neal Radichel

TWO "Great Heaps" Teaching Contentment in the Valley of Trouble

Heap 1: When Coveting broke a Covenant (Joshua 7)

SERMON NOTES:

HYMN OF THE DAY: #425:1-3 "All Depends on Our Possessing" TLH
(Red)

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION


P: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve Him as His dear children. But we have disobeyed Him and deserve only His wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to Him and plead for His mercy.

C: Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against You and do not deserve to be called Your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to Your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

P: God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are His own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to His will.

C:  Amen.

KYRIE LORD, HAVE MERCY

** Lord, have mercy on us.
Christ, have mercy on us.
Lord, have mercy on us.**

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST

**Glory to God, we give You thanks and praise;
Of heav'nly joy and peace on earth we sing.
We worship You, to You our hearts we raise,
Lord God, almighty Father, heav'nly King.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, the Father's only Son,
You bore for us the load of this world's sin.
O Lamb of God, Your glorious vict'ry won,
Receive our prayer, grant us Your peace within.**

**Alone, O Christ, You only are the Lord,
At God's right hand in majesty most high:
Who, with the Spirit worshiped and adored,
With all the heav'nly host we glorify.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray...

C:  Amen.

FIRST LESSON LUKE 12:13-21

Jesus warns his listeners of the danger of thinking that the value of our lives is determined by what we own. God blesses us richly in our lives, not to give our lives value, but to be used for God's glory. Jesus teaches us that the things of this life are inconsequential in comparison to the value of each human soul, which is eternal. The danger of covetousness is that it focuses our attention on the fading things of this life, instead of being "rich toward God" and preparing for the life to come.

Then one from the crowd said to Him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me." **14** But He said to him, "Man, who made Me a judge or an arbitrator over you?" **15** And He said to them, "Take heed and beware of covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of the things he possesses." **16** Then He spoke a parable to them, saying: "The ground of a certain rich man yielded plentifully. **17** "And he thought within himself, saying, 'What shall I do, since I have no room to store my crops?' **18** "So he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods. **19** 'And I will say to my soul, "Soul, you have many goods laid up for many years; take your ease; eat, drink, and be merry." **20** "But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul will be required of you; then whose will those things be which you have provided?' **21** "So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."

CONTINUED INTROIT / PSALM OF THE DAY PSALM 37:12-20

At times it can be difficult to be content. We see wicked people who cheat, lie, and steal their way to the "top." It can cause us to wonder if it is really worth it to be kind, fair, and honest. The Psalmist reminds us that the wicked will ultimately have to stand before God and face the consequences of his actions. Similarly, the righteous will thrive and be satisfied even if it is with little (v.16). May the LORD give us eyes to see His goodness toward us and hearts to trust in His promises to us!

P: The wicked plots against the just, And gnashes at him with his teeth.

C: The Lord laughs at him, For He sees that his day is coming.

P: The wicked have drawn the sword And have bent their bow, To cast down the poor and needy, To slay those who are of upright conduct.

C: Their sword shall enter their own heart, And their bows shall be broken.

P: A little that a righteous man has is better than the riches of many wicked. For the arms of the wicked shall be broken,

C: But the LORD upholds the righteous.

P: The LORD knows the days of the upright,

C: And their inheritance shall be forever.

P: They shall not be ashamed in the evil time,

C: And in the days of famine they shall be satisfied.

P: But the wicked shall perish; And the enemies of the LORD,

C: Like the splendor of the meadows, shall vanish. Into smoke they shall vanish away.

SECOND LESSON 1 TIMOTHY 6:6-19

The contrast to covetousness is contentment. Paul had seen many people in his life who had lost their faith because of their greed and inability to be content. If God is all powerful, we don't need to worry about our lives, because God promises to take care of us and provide us with what we need and He does so "richly" (v.17). This is what motivates the Christian to be "rich in good works" and to store up "a good foundation for the time to come" (v.19).

Now godliness with contentment is great gain. **7** For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. **8** And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content. **9** But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and harmful lusts which drown men in destruction and perdition. **10** For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows. **11** But you, O man of God, flee these things and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, gentleness. **12** Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, to which you were also called and have confessed the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. **13** I urge you in the sight of God who gives life to all things, and before Christ Jesus who witnessed the good confession before Pontius Pilate, **14** that you keep this commandment without spot, blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ's appearing, **15** which He will manifest in His own time, He who is the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings and Lord of lords, **16** who alone has immortality, dwelling in unapproachable light, whom no man has seen or can see, to whom be honor and everlasting power. Amen.

17 Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who

gives us richly all things to enjoy. **18** Let them do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, **19** storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.

P: 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!**

OUR 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: #425:4-6 "All Depends on Our Possessing" TLH
(Red)**

Sermon Text: Joshua 8:1, 28-35 (EHV)

The Lord said to Joshua, "Do not be afraid. Do not be overwhelmed. Take with you the whole military force and get ready to go up to Ai. You see, I have given the king of Ai into your hand with his people, his city, and his land.

28 Then Joshua burned Ai and reduced it to a mound of rubble, which lies in ruins to this day. **29** He hanged the king of Ai on a tree until evening. When the sun was setting, Joshua gave the command, and they took down his corpse from the tree and threw it at the entrance to the gatehouse of the city. Then they erected a large heap of stones over him, which remains to this day. **30** Then Joshua built an altar to the Lord, the God of Israel, on Mount Ebal, **31** just as

Moses, the servant of the Lord, had commanded the people of Israel. According to the directions written in the Book of the Law of Moses, it was an altar of uncut stones, upon which no one had used an iron tool. They offered up burnt offerings to the Lord on it, and they also sacrificed fellowship offerings. **32** There on the stones Joshua wrote a copy of the Law of Moses, which he wrote in the presence of the people of Israel. **33** All Israel with its elders and officers and its judges were standing on both sides of the ark facing the priests from the tribe of Levi who held the Ark of the Covenant of the Lord. Both the resident aliens and the native-born stood there, half in front of Mount Gerizim and half in front of Mount Ebal, just as Moses, the servant of the Lord, had commanded previously, so that the people of Israel could be blessed. **34** After that, Joshua read aloud all the words of the law, the blessing and the curse, exactly as all of it is written in the Book of the Law. **35** There was not one word of all that Moses had commanded that Joshua did not read aloud before the whole assembly of Israel, including the women, the children, and the aliens living among them.

SERMON STUDY: PART B

Two “Great Heaps” Teaching Contentment in the Valley of Trouble

Heap 1: When Coveting broke a Covenant (Joshua 7)

Heap 2: When Sacrifice brought Satisfaction (Joshua 8)

SERMON NOTES:

OFFERTORY

♪ **Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence. Take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation. Uphold with Your Spirit free.**

SERMON HYMN: #764 “God of Grace and God of Glory” (Tan)

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

The War - N.Radichel

It seems like a long, long time ago, when I was just a little baby
No thoughts of others but my own, feed me, hold me, and change me
But a bit of water and His words, made a different person out of me
From then on I desired to learn, the steps of Him who saved me
*Yet quite a bit immature, I've done many things all wrong
And as a teenager I wondered, Will I ever make it home?*

**Oh Lord I cannot, I cannot make it on my own In this dark, cold world of sin
With every breath and struggle in my life, I need Your help to fight and win**

Now it's a peculiar struggle, between powers remain unseen
Still it still feels just like a battle, where only my side feels weak
All my years I have hoped for, an end to all the suffering
Hope seems too much to reach for, when there seems no hope for me
*But I can't give up quite yet, for wars aren't fought on one's own
And how much would I that day regret, to stand before my Maker unknown*

BAPTISM AFFIRMATION (Saturday) of Roman Schreyer

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH & LORD'S PRAYER

ALL: Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be 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.

BENEDICTION *A Good Word or Blessing.*

P: The LORD bless you and keep you;

The LORD make His face shine upon you, And be gracious to you;

The LORD lift up His countenance upon you, And give you peace.

Congregational Response: ♪ Amen!

CLOSING HYMN: #25:6 "I Will Sing My Maker's Praises" (Red)

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LAST WEEK

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

(FEB. 19 & 20 REPORTED)

Budgetary

\$9,374.76 Current Expenses General Budget

Non-Budgetary

\$667 ILS Student Aid

\$15 Foundation

\$20 Benevolent

\$184.97 Floor Replacement

\$15 New Equipment

CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION

\$884 CLC General Budget (CBP)

\$50 CLC MDF (Missions)

\$4 CLC Kinship

Saturday Worship 2/19: **36**

Saturday Sunday School: **0**

Saturday Bible Class: **11**

Sunday Worship 2/20: **247**

Sunday School: **33**

Sunday Bible Class: **52**

Ambassadors: **7**

Location	Active	Time	Day	Freq.	Type	# Souls
Men's Breakfast	Yes	6:30 AM	Fri.	Every	Study	21
Mankato Lodge (Primrose)	Yes	9:00 AM	Fri.	Every	Study	Quarantine
Hillcrest	Yes	10:00 AM	Fri.	Every	Worship	Quarantine
Pathstone	Yes	10:00 AM	Fri.	3rd, 5th	Worship	12
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Mon.	1st, 3rd	Worship	8
Latitude Bible Study	Yes	10:00 AM	Tues.	Every	Study	7
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Wed.	Every	Study	6
Laurel's Peak	Yes	10:45 AM	Wed.	Every	Study	6
Wednesday Online	Yes	7:00 PM	Wed.	Every	Study	15
Walnut Towers	Yes	10:00 AM	Thur.	Every	Study	7
Water's Edge	Yes	11:00 AM	Thur.	Every	Study	7
Old Main	Yes	1:30 PM	Thur.	Every	Study	8
Number of souls finding comfort in God's Word this week:						97
<i>Thank you to our volunteer laymen who we've called to continue to help lead these services!</i>						

THIS WEEK

Sat Feb. 26	9-12p	Facility Clean Up Day
	3:45p	Sanctuary Reserved- Private Event
	4-6pm	Basement Reserved- Private Event
	6:00p	WORSHIP , In-Person
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School
Sun Feb. 27	9:00a	Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School/ Ambassadors
	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP , In-Person or Live Stream
		Live Stream- www.ImmanuelMankato.org
		Watch - www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/
		Blessings on your week!
Mon Feb. 28		
Tues Mar. 1	3-5p	Pastors Office Hours <i>(let them know if you need a visit)</i>
	7:00p	Outreach Committee Meeting
Wed Mar. 2	12:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Com #7
	2:00p	Ash Wednesday Service
	5:30p	Catechism Class
	6:00p	Ash Wednesday Service
	7:00p	NO Online Bible Studay
Thur Mar. 3	8-10a	Pastors Office Hours <i>(let them know if you need a visit)</i>
	5:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Chart #181; Consolidated Comm #7
Fri Mar. 4	6:30a	NO Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sat Mar. 5	6:00p	WORSHIP , In- Person Communion Weekend
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School
Sun Mar. 6	9:00a	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School / Ambassadors
	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP In-Person or Live Stream Communion Weekend

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

IMMANUEL BLOOD DRIVE The Senior Class is putting on a Blood Drive on **March 11th** in the gym. To schedule a time please call 1-800-733-2767 or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter ImmanuelELC. More details to come. Thank you!

LENTEN PRE-SERVICE MUSIC This year the 3-4 graders at Immanuel Lutheran School will be singing during the 10-15 minutes before our 2pm Lenten Services. We hope you can come and enjoy this offering as you meditate on the love and mercy of Jesus Christ. Pamphlets with lyrics will be available in the narthex each week.

95th BIRTHDAY A very happy **95th** birthday to our member and sister in Christ Bernice Geiger! She will celebrate this milestone on March 3rd,

and we thank the Lord for the last 95 years with her on this earth and in our midst. Blessings on the year ahead, Bernice!

NEW MEMBER AT IMMANUEL At our last Church Council meeting, a motion was brought by the Board of Deacons to accept Heather Strand into communicant membership. This motion will be brought to our next Voters' Meeting. We welcome Heather to our fellowship in the name of Jesus, and we give praise and glory to our LORD for His gifts of this like-minded believer to our congregation!

BAPTISM AFFIRMATION During the Saturday evening service this week, Roman Collin Schreyer's baptism will be affirmed before the congregation. Roman was born on December 3rd, 2021 to Collin and Noelle Schreyer, at Iredell Hospital in Statesville North Carolina and baptized there by his father. His sponsors are Jessi Schreyer and Luke Olmanson. What a blessing this little one is!

CAL Our annual high school Christian Athletic League (CAL) Basketball Tournament is coming up March 3rd, 4th, and 5th. Information about the basketball tournament (i.e. game locations, game times, etc.) can be found online at: <https://www.immanuelmankato.org/school/cal/>

Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help monitor halls, help clean up, and work in the concession stand (**We do ask that all students 8th grade and under who wish to work in the concession stand sign up with a parent/guardian**). Also, monetary donations toward boneless, skinless chicken breast are appreciated. **Sign up sheets for volunteers and donations will be available in the school office. Please contact Amanda Harris at 345-3027 or secretary@immanuelmankato.org to sign up. Sign up sheets will also be available after church on Saturday and Sunday, February 26/27.**

Tournament Passes

Tournament passes (wristbands) will be distributed to members of Immanuel congregation at no charge to show our appreciation for your support of our athletic program. Non-member volunteers will also receive complimentary passes. Passes must be picked up after church on the dates listed above or in the school office through Wednesday, March 2nd. **Spectators and volunteers must present a pass or pay the \$8.00 admission fee.** Children ages 12 and under receive free admission and do not need a pass .

Concessions Tabs

All families that have a concessions tab from the basketball season are asked to pay off their tab **before** the start of the CAL Tournament. Please contact the school office (345-3027) to pay off your tab.

If you have any questions concerning the CAL Tournament, please contact Julie Busch 345-3027 or 507-720-4532.

PORTRAITS OF JESUS This year during the lenten season, we are welcoming our members to share any pictures of Jesus Christ that you may have and to display them in the stained glass window alcoves. Feel free to start bringing them any time! Mr. Lane Fischer is the contact person for this project and he can secure any artwork that would be dropped off before Lent begins. Just be sure to indicate in some way what art is yours so that we can be sure to get it back to you after we are done displaying them this year. Thank you for considering this neat sharing opportunity!

ARTS CAMP IS BACK We are excited to again be able to host Arts Camp in 2022! Camp will run **March 25-27** and is an amazing opportunity for creative fun and learning with other young Christians. There will be a variety of sessions based in music, drama, crafts and more for students in grades 5-8. Watch for registration information very soon!

Immanuel, we can use your help! Arts Camp is looking for volunteers; no arts talent required!

How can you help?

- Plan and lead a class
- Lead a preplanned class
- Supervise (overnight/daytime or other)
- Prepare, serve, clean up a meal/snack
- Donate towards supplies or sponsor a camper scholarship
- Many other opportunities!
- Always prayers and encouragement for others to come!

Contact Kym Stelter 507-327-2076 kjstelter@gmail.com

THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE is in need of new members and new ideas! Many of our traditional outreach opportunities have been stalled due to the reaction to the COVID virus. However, the great commission still governs our lives and gives us the goal of spreading Christ crucified for sinners! If you are interested in serving on the Outreach Committee or if you have any ideas for the committee, please contact either of the pastors. All of you are welcome to attend our in-person meeting at church in one of the high school rooms upstairs on **March 1, 2022 at 7pm**. This important work of the ministry at Immanuel needs your support and prayers!

MEET YOUR FACULTY Over the course of the next few weeks, we will be highlighting our faculty in our weekly podcasts. Your called servants have been entrusted with caring for and educating the children of God

at Immanuel Lutheran School. We thank them for their tireless work! Get to know them by listening in to the [Twin Steeples Podcast](#) every week.

READ THE BIBLE The daily readings for our Read the Bible in 2022 program are now being posted every day right on our website. With a few clicks of your mouse you can pull the Daily Bible Readings right up on your computer or phone. You can even leave a comment or a question. This is a great way for us to come together as we read God's Word individually. Check it out!

HOLIDAY GREETING CARDS Women's Study Guild has updated the card display in the back church entry. It now includes Confirmation, Easter, Mother's Day and Graduation. Also available; Sympathy, Birthday, Anniversary, Get Well and Thinking of you. Cards are available for purchase for 50 cents each.

UPCOMING BIBLE CLASSES will be studying confirmation, it's history, usage, format, age customs, and blessings. This study will also align with some of our choir policy discussions. Please join us for digging into God's Word and the wisdom in our application of it.

COMMUNICATION AT IMMANUEL is very important to the ministry that God has entrusted to us all. In an effort to keep those lines of communication open, email groups have been created so that you can voice your thoughts and concerns to the appropriate leaders and boards at Immanuel. To communicate with any of the groups below, simply address an email to the corresponding email address and it will be sent to the entire group.

Board of Education: Board-of-Education@ImmanuelMankato.org

Board of Deacons: Board-of-Deacons@ImmanuelMankato.org

Board of Property: Board-of-Property@ImmanuelMankato.org

Board of Finance: Board-of-Finance@ImmanuelMankato.org

Church Council: Church-Council@ImmanuelMankato.org

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS ILC Professor Joel Gullerud has returned the call to be teacher and principal of Faith Lutheran School, Markesan, WI <> Pastor Aaron Ude of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Rapid City, SD, is still considering the call to Immanuel Lutheran Church, Winter Haven, FL <> Ms. Claire Abbas of Gethsemane Lutheran School, Spokane Valley, WA, is still considering the call to be the lower grade teacher at Berea Lutheran School, Inver Grove Heights, MN <> Mrs. Becky Buck, a member of Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI, is still considering the call to

be the 3rd & 4th grade teacher at Messiah Lutheran School, Eau Claire, WI <> Mrs. Dawn Mayhew, a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church, Cheyenne, WY, is still considering the call to be the teacher and principal of Redeemer Lutheran School, Cheyenne, WY

CHRIST'S EXPLORERS CAMP Holy Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church is excited to announce that we will be hosting our annual summer camp, **Christ's Explorers Camp**. This camp is open to students entering grades 3-9! This year, we will be holding our camp in Pigeon Forge, TN, from July 14-17. (Transportation will be provided to/from our church campus in West Columbia, SC.) Pastors Chad Seybt and Glenn Oster will lead our worship and Bible studies with the theme, "Christmas in July." At this time we have 6 (4 male, 2 female) junior counselor spots available for students entering grade 10 or higher. The applications will be due on Sunday, March 20. They can be downloaded from www.ChristsExplorersCamp.com. The camp will cost approximately \$100, and this will include all lodging, meals, and activities. This camp will be limited to the first 50 campers, so be ready to register when registration opens on May 1 at www.ChristsExplorersCamp.com. If you have any questions at all, please feel free to contact Sara Kloke (runsforfun@aol.com) or Karen Howell (kdhowell32@gmail.com).

CLC TOURNEY BAND Due to popular demand the CLC Tourney Band will again assemble and perform at the CLC Grade School Basketball Tournament. Register band players (grades 5-8) at [Grade School Basketball Tournament for CLC Youth | CLC Lutheran.net](http://GradeSchoolBasketballTournamentforCLCYouth|CLCLutheran.net) Click on the Tourney Band Link. Music is available at the band site. Basketball players and non-basketball players are welcome! Practice (morning) and performance (noon) will be Saturday, March 12. Questions: laurie.lau@ecmessiah.org Looking forward to seeing you all again!

NOMINATION FOR ILC PRESIDENT The Board of Regents announces the following and only person nominated for the office of President of Immanuel Lutheran College: Daniel Schierenbeck. The term of this call is for two years, extending to the end of Academic Year 2024. All comments from members of CLC congregations regarding this candidate are to be received by March 15, 2022 (postmarked by March 1), to: Mr. James Burkhardt; 217 Windy Lane; Rockwall, TX 75087; email: jeb6217@yahoo.com.

If you have an announcement or event for next weekend's bulletin, please send it to Bulletin@ImmanuelMankato.org or contact Hilary Lien by Friday at 10 am. Thank you!