

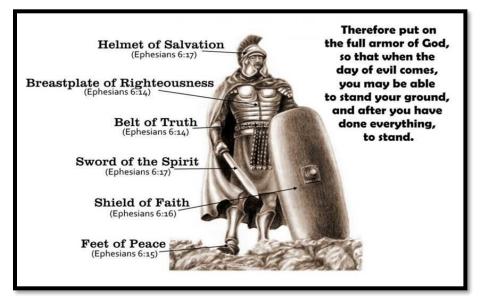
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7TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



Why "Put on the Full armor of God?"

SERVING US THIS WEEK

PASTOR Neal Radichel <> DEACON Ty Hanel <> ORGANIST Grace Schreyer SCREEN (Sat.) Joe Furst (Sun.) Russ Schmitt <> ALTAR FLOWERS Daryl Pischner USHERS Council Members

SERVING US **NEXT** WEEK

PASTOR Joe Naumann <> DEACON Daniel Pfeiffer<> ORGANIST Karla Olmanson SCREEN (Sat.) Joe Furst (Sun.) Russ Schmitt <> ALTAR FLOWERS ____ <> USHERS Kyle Hulke, Karl Friedrichs, Riley Anderson, Aaron Casto, Andrew Clobes, Mac Friedrichs, Matt Hagen, Austin Hart, Andrew Lentz, Gary Mittlesteadt, Alan Olmanson, Alex Schmitt, Brent Schreyer, Ted Schreyer, Philip Stelter, Ross Theneman

ORDER OF SERVICE

Tan Worship Supplement 2000 pg 22

INVOCATION We invoke ("call upon") the name of our Triune God.

Pastor (P): In the name of the Father, the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Opening Hymns 332 & 451 TLH (Red Hymnal)
(The Draft) 332:1,2,6 Arm These Thy Soldiers, Mighty Lord
(The Response) 451:1,3,4 Stand Up! Stand Up for Jesus
Hymns sung responsively to each verse

CONFESSION OF SINS & ABSOLUTION

P: God is light and in Him is no darkness at all.

C: If we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

P: Let us pray.

C: Almighty God, merciful Father, we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. But we are sorry for our transgressions and pray You, of Your bountiful mercy, to be gracious and merciful unto us. Forgive us for Jesus' sake, renew us by Your Spirit, and lead us in the way everlasting. Amen.

P: Jesus Christ is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. We are forgiven. With boldness and confidence we may approach the throne to find grace to help in time of need. In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord!.

C: ♪ Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray... through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING JOEL 3:1-8

"For behold, in those days and at that time, When I bring back the captives of Judah and Jerusalem, 2 I will also gather all nations, And bring them down to the Valley of Jehoshaphat; And I will enter into judgment with them there On account of My people, My heritage Israel, Whom they have scattered among the nations; They have also divided up My land. 3 They have cast lots for My people, Have given a boy as payment for a harlot, And sold a girl for wine, that they may drink. 4 "Indeed, what have you to do with Me, O Tyre and Sidon, and all the coasts of Philistia? Will you retaliate against Me? But if you retaliate against Me, Swiftly and speedily I will return your retaliation upon your own head; 5 Because you have taken My silver and My gold, And have carried into your temples My prized possessions. 6 Also the people of Judah and the people of Jerusalem You have sold to the Greeks, That you may remove them far from their borders.

7 "Behold, I will raise them out of the place to which you have sold them, And will return your retaliation upon your own head. **8** I will sell your sons and your daughters Into the hand of the people of Judah, And they will sell them to the Sabeans, To a people far off; For the LORD has spoken."

PSALM OF THE DAY PSALM 144:1-4; 9,15

P: Blessed be the LORD my Rock,

C: Who trains my hands for war, And my fingers for battle--

P: My lovingkindness and my fortress,

C: My high tower and my deliverer,

P: My shield...

C:And the One in whom I take refuge, Who subdues my people under me.

P: LORD, what is man, that You take knowledge of him?

C: Or the son of man, that You are mindful of him?

P: Man is like a breath;

C: His days are like a passing shadow.

P: I will sing a new song to You, O God;

C: On a harp of ten strings I will sing praises to You,

P: Happy are the people who are in such a state;

C: Happy are the people whose God is the LORD! Amen!

NEW TESTAMENT READING JOHN 18:1-11, 33-37

When Jesus had spoken these words, He went out with His disciples over the Brook Kidron, where there was a garden, which He and His disciples entered. 2 And Judas, who betrayed Him, also knew the place; for Jesus often met there with His disciples. 3 Then Judas, having received a detachment of troops, and officers from the chief priests and Pharisees, came there with lanterns, torches, and weapons. 4 Jesus therefore, knowing all things that would come upon Him, went forward and said to them, "Whom are you seeking?" 5 They answered Him, "Jesus of Nazareth." Jesus said to them, "I am He." And Judas, who betrayed Him, also stood with them. 6 Now when He said to them, "I am He," they drew back and fell to the ground. 7 Then He asked them again, "Whom are you seeking?" And they said, "Jesus of Nazareth." 8 Jesus answered, "I have told you that I am He. Therefore, if you seek Me, let these go their way," 9 that the saying might be fulfilled which He spoke, "Of those whom You gave Me I have lost none." 10 Then Simon Peter, having a sword, drew it and struck the high priest's servant, and cut off his right ear. The servant's name was Malchus. 11 So Jesus said to Peter, "Put your sword into the sheath. Shall I not drink the cup which My Father has aiven Me?"

33 Then Pilate entered the Praetorium again, called Jesus, and said to Him, "Are You the King of the Jews?" 34 Jesus answered him, "Are you speaking for yourself about this, or did others tell you this concerning Me?" 35 Pilate answered, "Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have delivered You to me. What have You done?" 36 Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not of this world. If My kingdom were of this world, My servants would fight, so that I should not be delivered to the Jews; but now My kingdom is not from here."
37 Pilate therefore said to Him, "Are You a king then?" Jesus answered, "You say rightly that I am a king. For this cause I was born, and for this cause I have come into the world, that I should bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice."

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 IN THE 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.

Ensemble Hymn (Bulletin)
Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me
Please join on verses 3 and 4

Verse 1

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me

Verse 2

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Saviour he will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed
To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me

Verse 3

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
The future sure the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And he was raised to overthrow the grave
To this I hold my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free
Yet not I but through Christ in me

Verse 4

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For he has said that he will bring me home
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me
Ending

When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me Yet not I but through Christ in me

CHILDREN'S SERMON / SERMON TEXT: EPHESIANS 6:10-18 (NIV)

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. 11 Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. 12 For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. 13 Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. 14 Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, 15 and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. 16 In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. 17 Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. 18 And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.

Why "Put on the Full Armor of God?"

- 1. For Battle.
- 2. For the Home.
- 3. For School/Work.
- 4. For the Day.
- 5. For Every Part of your Lives.

Preaching today: Pastor Neal Radichel Sermon Notes Sheets in the Entryway

Sermon Hymn 444 TLH (Red Hymnal)
Rise! To Arms! With Prayer Employ You
Sung interspersed with Sermon Parts

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

OFFERING MEDITATION (DURING COLLECTION)

N. Radichel - 3.1.18; Based off TLH #445 and 1 Cor. 16:13

Am I a soldier of the Cross, And shall I blush or fear His cause, Must I be carried to the skies, A foll'wer of the Lamb? to speak His Holy name? On flow'ry beds of ease And sailed thro' bloody seas?

While others fought to win the prize,

Sure I must fight if I would reign; So increase my courage, Lord for Your Word sustains

A follower of the Lamb.

Yes, I am a soldier of the Cross!

Thy saints in all this glorious war,

They see the triumph from afar

With

Yes. I am a soldier of the Cross!

ross! A child of God, I am. Shall conquer though they die;

When that illustrious Day shall rise In robes of victory through the skies,

With faith's discerning eye.
And all Thine armies shine!
All glory shall be Thine!

Are there no foes for me to face? Is this vile world a friend to grace,

Must I not stop the flood?

To help me on to God?

Sure I must fight if I would reign; So increase my courage, Lord for Your Word sustains

Yes, I am a soldier of the Cross! Yes, I am a soldier of the Cross! A follower of the Lamb. A child of God, I am!

SPECIAL 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.

Congregational Response: Amen! Amen! Amen!

Closing Hymn 447 TLH (Red Hymnal)
Fight the Good Fight with All Thy Might

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LAST WEEK

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

(JULY 23-24 REPORTED)

Budgetary (\$13,461.54 budgeted per week)

\$9,191.02 Current Expenses General Budget

Non-Budgetary

\$250 Major Improvement

\$60 Land Purchase Fund

\$15 ILS Foundation

\$665 Student Aid

\$60 Benevolent

\$100 Scoreboards

\$90 MPF Floor Replacement Fund

\$1 Ascension Day

\$62 MPF Free Will Offering

\$13.65 Aluminum Cans- Scoreboard

CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION

\$759 CLC General Budget (CBP)

\$2 Kinship

Memorial:

In Memory of Dylan Miller

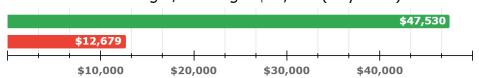
\$50 Undesignated

\$10 ILS Undesignated

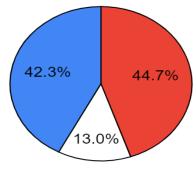
Immanuel Budget/Offerings: \$732,990 (Jan-Dec)



Immanuel CLC Budget/Offerings: \$47,530 (July-June)



Immanuel Budget to Offerings Expected



Given: \$327,695

Missing Expected: \$95,184

Future Need: \$310,111

Saturday	Worship	7/23: 78

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Location	Active	Time	Day of the week	Type	# Souls	
Latitude Bible Study	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Tuesday	Study	5	
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	8	
Laurel's Peak	Yes	10:45 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	3	
Ladies Auxiliary Study	Yes	2:00 PM	3 rd Wednesday	Study	10	
Wednesday Online	Yes	7:00 PM	Every Wednesday	Study	14	
Walnut Towers	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	8	
Old Main	Yes	1:30 PM	Every Thursday	Study	13	
Water's Edge	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	8	
Men's Breakfast	Yes	6:30 AM	Every Friday	Study	28	
Number of souls finding comfort in God's Word this week: 97						
Thank you to our volunteer laymen who we've called to continue to help lead these services!						

THIS WEEK

Sat July 30	6:00p	WORSHIP, In-Person
Sun July 31	9:15a	Food Shelf Sunday Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP, In-Person or Live Stream-
		Live Stream- <u>www.lmmanuelMankato.org</u>
		Watch - <u>www.lmmanuelMankato.org/sermons/</u>
Mon Aug 1		Blessings on your week!
Tues Aug 2	3-5p	Pastors Office Hours (let them know if you need a visit)
	7:00p	Gym Reserved
	7:00p	Outreach Committee Meeting
Wed Aug 3	12:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Com #7
	7:00p	Online Bible Study
Thur Aug 4	8-10a	Pastors Office Hours (let them know if you need a visit)
Fri Aug 5	6:30a	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sat Aug 6	6:00p	WORSHIP, In- Person- Communion Weekend
Sun Aug 7	10:00a	WORSHIP In-Person or Live Stream-Communion Weekend

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUMMER PASTORAL VISITS Our Pastors would like to extend the invitation to all our members to visit with them this summer! If you need a pastoral visit, or would simply like to touch base with them, email or call the church office to set up an appointment! They would love to see you!

SCHOOL COOK NEEDED We need a school cook for the upcoming year! Anyone who would like to be considered for the position should contact Brandan Heinze Brandan.heinze@immanuelmankato.org or Matthew Kranz matthew.kranz@immanuelmankato.org. We would also like to thank Michelle Stratton for her years of service!

PARKING LOT CLOSED The parking lot will be closed Monday, August 1st-Wednesday, August 3rd for seal coating and stripping.

NATIONAL WOMENS RETREAT (VITRUAL) You're Invited! A women's event is planned for two hours on Saturday, August 27, 2022, from 11:00am to 1:00pm via Zoom. The event theme is: "Press Pause: God's Daily Encouragement in the Moments of Life." The two hours will include speakers from CLC congregations around the country. Register at: https://tinyurl.com/Gethsemane-Lutheran This is a free event. You can participate from home via Zoom or at church with Immanuel participants. Immanuel will host a potluck style lunch in the fellowship hall for who would like to attend. If you are interested in participating and helping plan the potluck please let Hilary Lien know!

ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY CLEAN UP Our second clean up day has been scheduled! If you are able to help, **August 13th starting at 9am** our church will be cleaning Monks Ave for the city. This project will need volunteers to come out and clean up trash and debris. Wear any Immanuel Gear you may have and we will see you there! We plan to meet at the 'Free Lot 23' for MSU (right across from the Kwik Trip) before we get started! Please bring trashbags and work gloves. Hope to see you there!

SYNOD ANNOUCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS Pastor Samuel Naumann of Resurrection Lutheran Church, Corpus Christi, TX, is still considering the call to Immanuel Lutheran Church, Winter Haven, FL

KENYA & UGANDA MISSION TRIO BLOG Bwana asafiwe! (Swahi for "Praise the Lord!"). Pastor Luke Bernthal of St. Stephen, Mountain View & Hayward, CA, and Pastor Michael Gurath of Holy Cross, Phoenix, AZ are currently in their final week of a 3-week mission trip visiting our CLC Kinshipsponsored schools (St. David's in Etago, and Emmaus in the Moi's Bridge area) as well as our churches and pastors in Kenya and Uganda. A daily blog with pictures and videos documenting their trip and the work of the Lord in these churches and schools can be found by clicking this link; https://clckenyauganda.blogspot.com

NEW BOOK Deborah Ude's fifth book, Called Katie Belle, is now available. Journey with Katie on a generational trek of discovery. The comparisons are a driving force in the modern girl's development.

Annabelle Kathleen Delainey (Katie Belle) is born 100 years to the day after Nan of Steeple in the Distance, in the same house, and with the same last name. Much of the story will, however, take place on the campus of the Lutheran boarding school, Emmaus. It is available in printed form at the CLC Bookstore or directly from John Ude, john.ude@ilc.edu (\$12.00). It is available on Amazon in print or digital format: https://tinyurl.com/CalledKatieBelle. (\$11.99 and \$2.99) For more information on this book or her other books go to this link: https://tinyurl.com/CalledKatieBelle5

CLC Financial Report - June

CLC Financial Report Operating Funds	Balance 7/1/2021	YTD Revenue	YTD Disbursed	Budget 12 Month	Balance 6/30/2022
General Fund ILC Operations (incl. CLC subsidy)	0	1,049,264 1,533,160	1,147,935 1,443,888	1,260,000 1,447,200	- 98,671 89,272
Auxiliary Funds					
ILC Improvement Fund (IIF) ** ILC Building Projects **	124,590 1,096,716	413,793 173,408	315,039 24,392		223,344 1,245,732
Mission Development Fund (MDF) Kinship	132,313 182,119	212,179 181,496	175,759 169,177		168,733 194,438
Church Extension Fund (CEF) ** Student Aid Fund (SAF) **	3,527,885 133,585	242,915 97,302	1,231,645 103,481		2,539,155 127,406
CLC Reserve Fund**(YTDgains/losses)	300,222	3,311	0		303,533
Auxiliary Funds Totals	\$5,497,430	\$1,324,404	\$2,019,493		\$4,802,341

General Fund – June offerings were \$100,519 (incl \$4,900 special) **VS** disbursements of \$17,216, a very **positive** monthly cash flow of **\$83,303**, to reduce the year end General Fund shortfall to –\$98,671, despite the best efforts of our 4 Boards to stay under budget & of our membership to bring their offerings for the Lord's work. But the Lord has blessed us with a Reserve Fund from previous years of His blessings, which the CLC Trustees will use to cover this shortfall in these difficult times! Best of all, despite our shortfalls our Lord has paid for & covered our eternal debt with His blood! What a great incentive for us to start a new fiscal year with the promise of His continued blessing!

- **ILC Operations June** student revenue \$12,087 **VS** disbursements of \$111,603. With the positive balance of \$89,272, no subsidy was needed this final month, which has aided the General Fund!
- IIF June receipts: \$26,188 (\$23,500 special gift), VS \$4,928 disbursed. Div/Int income FY22: \$4,002.
- ILC Bldg June recpt: \$3,348 (\$2,453/mo bequest) VS disb :\$10,097. Div/Int income FY22: \$48,860.
- **CEF June** receipts: \$32,119 loan repayments, \$70 gifts **VS** disbursed: \$8,359 Admin, Notes. <u>Div/Int income FY22</u>: \$81,233.
- **MDF June** receipts: \$32,315 (\$17,089 sp gift) **VS** disbursed \$36,687: (\$25,000 church building assistance; \$1,500 Pastor Conf; \$8,497 part-time Missionaries' travel; \$1,111 admin expenses).
- **SAF June** receipts: \$5,201 (\$3753 loan repayments; \$1,448 special gift) **VS** disb \$2,357 grants. <u>Div/Int</u> income FY22: SAF: \$57,989; PMP grant: \$70,975; Scholarship Fund: \$4,687.
- **Kinship June** receipts: \$12,993: (\$6,234 offerings, \$6,748 sponsors) **VS** disbursed: \$4,803 (\$180, Sem student sponsorships; \$4,000 medical aid; \$495 orphan support; \$590 widow support).

** Positive & negative fluctuations in the chart <u>revenue</u> column for the ILC Building Projects, IIF, CEF, SAF, & Reserve Fund reflect gains & losses in portfolio values from market fluctuations each month.

James E. Sandeen, CLC Treasurer Thomas J. Lentz, Chairman, CLC Board of Trustees

