
DEATH AND BURIAL

For these things were
done that the
Scripture should be
fulfilled.

John 19:36



REFORMATION





Welcome to Immanuel!

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Reformation Weekend Theme:
Death and Burial (2nd Article)

PRESERVICE MEDITATION PSALM 38 (Front Red Hymnal - pg.132)

Visitors!

RESTROOMS are located at the bottom of the stairs to the right when you exit the narthex into the school building.

MOTHER'S ROOM is in the corner of the narthex.

HEARING HELP for the hearing-impaired amplifying headsets are available in the Deacons room. Please see any usher if you would like assistance.

QUESTIONS? Please contact the Deacon on call this weekend (wearing a "Deacon" badge) or one of the ushers. They would love to assist you!

WHAT DO WE BELIEVE? Take a picture of this QR code to learn more about what we believe here.



Serving Today

- PASTOR** Neal Radichel
- DEACON** Daniel Pfeiffer
- ORGANIST** Colleen Kranz
- COVER ART** Online "fair use"
- SCREEN** (Sat.) Joe Furst
(Sun.) Austin Lien
- FLOWERS** Rachel Greve
- USHERS** Councilmen

Next Weekend

- PASTOR** Joe Naumann
- DEACON** Ted Schreyer
- ORGANIST** Vivian Hanel
- COVER ART** TBD
Interested in helping with the cover?
- SCREEN** (Sat.) Joe Furst
(Sun.) Russ Schmitt
- FLOWERS** Pischners
- USHERS** Kyle Hulke, Karl Friedrichs, Riley Anderson, Aaron Casto, Mac Friedrichs, Matt Hagen, Austin Hart, Andrew Lentz, Gary Mittelsteadt, Alan Olmanson, Brent Schreyer, Ted Schreyer, Philip Stelter, Ross Theneman

Looking to volunteer? Just ask any names above!

Colors: White/Red (Reformation) Season: Trinity/Pentecost

ORDER OF SERVICE

Tan Worship Supplement Pg. 12

OPENING HYMN: #267 [Red Hymnal]

If God Had Not Been on Our Side

PRAYER/INVOCATION

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

Pastor: We begin our Savior's divine service to us in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

ALL (speaks): **Amen!**

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 of 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!**

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

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

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

Pastor: Let us pray...

ALL (speaks): Amen!

1ST READING GROUPING OF OLD TESTAMENT

1 Kings 17:17-24 Now it happened after these things that the son of the woman who owned the house became sick. And his sickness was so serious that there was no breath left in him. **18** So she said to Elijah, "What have I to do with you, O man of God? Have you come to me to bring my sin to remembrance, and to kill my son?" **19** And he said to her, "Give me your son." So he took him out of her arms and carried him to the upper room where he was staying, and laid him on his own bed. **20** Then he cried out to the LORD and said, "O LORD my God, have You also brought tragedy on the widow with whom I lodge, by killing her son?" **21** And he stretched himself out on the child three times, and cried out to the LORD and said, "O LORD my God, I pray, let this child's soul come back to him." **22** Then the LORD heard the voice of Elijah; and the soul of the child came back to him, and he revived. **23** And Elijah took the child and brought him down from the upper room into the house, and gave him to his mother. And Elijah said, "See, your son lives!" **24** Then the woman said to Elijah, "Now by this I know that you are a man of God, and that the word of the LORD in your mouth is the truth."



PSALM OF THE DAY - PSALM 91 (1ST HALF)

*Psalmody - Tan Worship Supplement pg. 33 (front)
"He Who Dwells"*

Job 14:7-17 "For there is hope for a tree, If it is cut down, that it will sprout again, And that its tender shoots will not cease. **8** Though its root may grow old in the earth, And its stump may die

in the ground, **9** Yet at the scent of water it will bud And bring forth branches like a plant. **10** But man dies and is laid away; Indeed he breathes his last And where is he? **11** As water disappears from the sea, And a river becomes parched and dries up, **12** So man lies down and does not rise. Till the heavens are no more, They will not awake Nor be roused from their sleep. **13** "Oh, that You would hide me in the grave, That You would conceal me until Your wrath is past, That You would appoint me a set time, and remember me! **14** If a man dies, shall he live again? All the days of my hard service I will wait, Till my change comes. **15** You shall call, and I will answer You; You shall desire the work of Your hands. **16** For now You number my steps, But do not watch over my sin. **17** My transgression is sealed up in a bag, And You cover my iniquity.

Isaiah 53:7-12 He was oppressed and He was afflicted, Yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, And as a sheep before its shearers is silent, So He opened not His mouth. **8** He was taken from prison and from judgment, And



who will declare His generation? For He was cut off from the land of the living; For the transgressions of My people He was stricken. **9** And they made His grave with the wicked-- But with the rich at His death, Because He had done no violence, Nor was any deceit in His mouth. **10** Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise Him; He has put Him to grief. When You make His soul an offering for sin, He shall see His seed, He shall prolong His days, And the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in His hand. **11** He shall see the labor of His soul, and be satisfied. By His knowledge My righteous Servant shall justify many, For He shall bear their iniquities. **12** Therefore I will divide Him a portion with the great, And He shall divide the spoil with the strong, Because He poured out His soul unto death, And He was numbered with the transgressors, And He bore the sin of many, And made intercession for the transgressors.

PSALM OF THE DAY - PSALM 91 (2ND HALF)

*Psalmody - Tan Worship Supplement pg. 33 (front)
"He Who Dwells"*

2ND READING ACTS 26:25-29

25 But he said, "I am not mad, most noble Festus, but speak the words of truth and reason. 26 "For the king, before whom I also speak freely, knows these things; for I am convinced that none of these things escapes his attention, since this thing was not done in a corner. 27 "King Agrippa, do you believe the prophets? I know that you do believe."

28 Then Agrippa said to Paul, "You almost persuade me to become a Christian." 29 And Paul said, "I would to God that not only you, but also all who hear me today, might become both almost and altogether such as I am, except for these chains."

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 ~ 2nd Article (Redemption) / What does this mean?

All: 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 sits at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord. He has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sin, from death, and from the power of the devil, not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and His innocent suffering and death. He did this that I should be His very own, live under Him in His kingdom, and serve Him in eternal righteousness, innocence, and joy; just as He is risen from death, lives and reigns in eternity. This is most certainly true.

SATURDAY: Hymn 524 (Red Hymnal)

In Thee, Lord, have I Put My Trust

SUNDAY: GRADE SCHOOL CHOIR

SERMON JOHN 19:33-42

33 But when they came to Jesus and saw that He was already dead, they did not break His legs. 34 But one of the soldiers pierced His side with a spear, and immediately blood and water came out. 35 And he who has seen has testified, and his testimony is true; and he knows that he is telling the truth, so that you may believe. 36 For these things were done that the Scripture should be fulfilled,

"Not one of His bones shall be broken."

37 And again another Scripture says,

"They shall look on Him whom they pierced."

38 After this, Joseph of Arimathea, being a disciple of Jesus, but secretly, for fear of the Jews, asked Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus; and Pilate gave him permission. So he came and took the body of Jesus. 39 And Nicodemus, who at first came to Jesus by night, also came, bringing a mixture of myrrh and aloes, about a hundred pounds. 40 Then they took the body of Jesus, and bound it in strips of linen with the spices, as the custom of the Jews is to bury. 41 Now in the place where He was crucified there was a garden, and in the garden a new tomb in which no one had yet been laid. 42 So there they laid Jesus, because of the Jews' Preparation Day, for the tomb was nearby.

Fearless, Even in the Face of Death

*Preaching today: Pastor Neal Radichel
Sermon Notes Sheet in Entryway*

P: The peace of God which surpasses all understanding shall guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus!

SERMON HYMN 264 (Red Hymnal)

Preserve Thy Word, O Savior

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



*A thankful heart is
a happy HEART*

OFFERING MEDITATION: "We Are the Lord's"

FOLLOWED BY THE OFFERING HYMN: [Red Hymnal #400:1,6]

Take my life and let it be, Consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my moments and my days, Let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my love, my Lord, I pour, At Thy feet its treasure-store;
Take myself, and I will be, Ever, only, all, for Thee.

**SPECIAL AND WEEKEND THEME PRAYERS
FOLLOWED BY THE LORD’S PRAYER**

BENEDICTION - “A good word,” God’s blessing on His people. (Numbers 6:24-26)

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.
ALL (speaks): Amen!

**CLOSING HYMN 283 (Red Hymnal)
God’s Word is Our Great Heritage**

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LAST WEEK

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH	CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION
(Oct 22-23 REPORTED)	\$494 CLC General Budget (CBP)
Budgetary	\$50 CLC MDF (Missions)
\$7,952.42 Current Expenses General Budget	\$4 CLC Kinship
Non-Budgetary	Memorials:
\$121 Major Improvement	In Memory of Marion Dummer
\$915 ILS Student Aid	\$100 Major Improvement
\$10 Land Purchase	
\$15 ILS Foundation	
\$60 Benevolent	
\$265.66 Gym Floor Contributions	
\$310 Preschool Fund	

Saturday Worship 10/22: **62**
Saturday Bible Class: **9**
Saturday Sunday School: **3**

Sunday Worship 10/23: **178**
Sunday Bible Class: **52**
Sunday School: **20**
Ambassadors: **7**

Location	Active	Time	Day of the week	Type	# Souls
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	1 st & 3 rd Monday	Worship	6
Old Main	Yes	11:00 AM	2 nd 4 th Monday	Worship	10
New Perspective	Yes	9:00 AM	1st, 3rd Tuesday	Study	9
Latitude Bible Study	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Tuesday	Study	14
Realife	Yes	1:00 PM	Every Tuesday	Study	5
Women's Study Guild	Yes	6:30 PM	3rd Tuesday	Study	8
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	7
Laurel's Peak	Yes	10:45 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	3
Gus Johnson	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	3
Ladies Auxiliary	Yes	2:00 PM	3 rd Wednesday	Study	8
Wednesday Online	Yes	7:00 PM	Every Wednesday	Study	12
Oak Terrace	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	9
Walnut Towers	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	8
Water's Edge	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	11
Old Main	Yes	1:30 PM	Every Thursday	Study	10
Men's Breakfast	Yes	6:30 AM	Every Friday	Study	20
Primrose	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Friday	Study	2
Hillcrest	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Friday	Worship	17
Autumn Grace	Yes	11:15 AM	2nd, 4th Friday	Worship	9
Number of souls finding comfort in God's Word this week:					171
<i>Thank you to our volunteer laymen who we've called to continue to help lead these services!</i>					

THIS WEEK

Sat Oct 29	6:00p	WORSHIP , In-Person
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School
Sun Oct 30	9:00a	Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School/ Ambassadors
	9:15a	Radio Sermon: <i>KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM</i>
	10:00a	WORSHIP , In-Person or Live Stream
		Live Stream- www.ImmanuelMankato.org
	4:00p	Joint CLC Reformation Service
	5:00p	Potluck
Mon Oct 31		Happy Reformation Day!
Tues Nov 1		Happy All Saints Day!
	3-5p	Pastors Office Hours (<i>let them know if you need a visit</i>)
	7:00p	Outreach Meeting
Wed Nov 2	12:45p	Televised WORSHIP Service, Charter #181; Consolidated Com #7
	5:00p	Catechism Class
	7:00p	Online Bible Study
Thur Nov 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

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Fri Nov 4 6:30a Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sat Nov 5 6:00p **WORSHIP**, In- Person- Communion Weekend
7:00p Adult Bible Class / Sunday School
Sun Nov 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

THANK YOU! We had a great Red Cross Blood drive on October 21st here at Immanuel. Thanks to the seniors that spent their day off from school, working hard and representing Immanuel so well. Thanks to the congregation for their donations and support. We were able to collect 29 units of blood. One pint of blood can save up to 3 lives. What a blessing to help so many in need! We are planning another drive for March 10, 2023.

SOPHOMORE 5K Registration is now open for the 2022 Sophomore 5k! This family fun run/walk will take place on Nov. 6 at 2PM at Riverfront Park in Mankato. Registration is only \$20 per person and includes a T-shirt. Children 6th grade and under can run for free! More details and registration available at: sophomore5k.weebly.com.

ALTAR FLOWERS SIGN UP SHEET A sheet for November through April is available on the bulletin board between the school and church. During the colder months two volunteers share a month and may organize that in whatever way that works for them. Volunteers may use the artificial arrangements located in a coat rack closet between the church and school.

CARE HELPER NEED Mike Schweim is looking for one or two home care givers asap for his wife Sue. We've prayed for Sue several times these last few months after her fall and multiple fractured hips. The time needed would be while Mike is at work M-F. Sue is on a waiting list at a local center, but this would be for the immediate future, but only temporarily until a room opens. If you are interested or know someone or a group who would be able to help, please give Mike a quick call at 507-380-6520. Thank you for considering! Please continue to keep Sue and Mike in your prayers as well.

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF SANCTUARY

REDICATION 50 years ago this November, the members of Immanuel joined together in this sanctuary to worship and sing praises to our great God after over a year long absence. Since the July 4, 1971 fire, the members of Immanuel had been worshipping at the public High School auditorium. This November 12-13, 2022, in our regular worship service, we will be praising God for preserving this sanctuary for the past 50 years and pray for His blessings in the years to come. In preparation for this special weekend, we are collecting memorabilia of the old church, of the fire, and of the rededication. If you have anything from that time that you would like to share with others, please drop it off with Pastor Naumann or Mr. Lane Fischer. Thank you!

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS Pastor Luke Bernthal of St. Stephen Lutheran, Mountain View, CA, has received the call to Immanuel Lutheran, Winter Haven, FL <> The CLC Board of Missions has called Pastor David Naumann of St John's Ev. Lutheran, Clarkston WA & Peace Lutheran, Orofino, ID to serve as the CLC's Third Foreign Missionary <> Pastor Joe Naumann of Immanuel Lutheran, Mankato, MN, is still considering the dual call to serve Redemption Lutheran, Lynnwood, WA and Ascension Lutheran, Tacoma, Washington

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN COLLEGE VISTOR'S

DAY is coming up on Friday, November 11th on the ILC campus in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. Activities will begin with chapel at 10:05 A.M. in the Field House, followed by presentations and classroom visits until 2:50 p.m. Come and learn more about your church's college, and consider continuing your education in a solidly Christian setting! Visitors will be our guests for lunch and supper in the cafeteria, and in the evening are invited to join us for ILC's fall theatrical production. Speak with your pastor if you're interested in attending. For questions, contact Academic Dean Paul Naumann. Office: 715-836-6636, cell: 253-228-8736, e-mail: paul.naumann@ilc.edu

SUMMARY of QUARTERLY VOTERS' MEETING

October 17, 2022

In membership matters, Aaron Casto and Brandon Johnson were accepted into voting membership. Jacob and Helena Stevens with children Liam and Olivia were released per their request. Mara Heinze was released per her request. Steve Groth was transferred to Our Redeemer's of Red Wing, MN. Iva Ganske was transferred to Berea of Inver Grove Heights, MN. Karl and Liz Olmanson were transferred to Salem of Eagle Lake, MN. Lois Stelter was transferred to Messiah of Eau Claire, WI. Naomi Wolf, John McClaren, Lauren Zimmerman, and Tychicus Landon were accepted into communicant membership by their confessions of faith. Dan and Ann Hanel were accepted into communicant membership by transfer from Resurrection of Corpus Christi, TX. Tom and Suzanne Jensen were accepted into communicant membership by transfer from Grace of Sleepy Eye, MN. Erika Swanson was accepted into communicant membership by transfer from Grace of Sleepy Eye, MN. Carly Jensen was accepted into communicant membership by transfer from Grace of Sleepy Eye, MN.

In elections, Peter Busse and Will Roettger were elected to the Board of Education. Anthony Greve and Joel Enter were elected to the Board of Deacons. Matt Hagen and Kyle Hulke were elected to the Board of Property. David Busse was elected to the Board of Finance.

The Treasure's report showed a loss on the year of \$147,390. Mission/CLC CBP giving was \$15,349. We still need \$15,988 to pay off the gym floor loan. Our giving (\$414,795) is 86.32% of what was expected (\$480,532) at this point in the year.

The Board of Deacons reported that the joint Reformation service will be held at Mankato on 10/30 at 4:00 p.m. with a potluck following. The Board will be sending out a new time and talents survey. Advent services will be held at 2 p.m. and 6 p.m.. A Trunk or Treat event will be held on 10/27 in the green space by the parking lot. The Deacons are considering a mentor program to keep in touch with new members and elderly members.

The Board of Education reported that there are 125 students in the school with 40 of those in High School. The Board is investigating creating or restarting an HR committee. The basketball coaches for 2022-2023 are set.

An offer was made to host the CLC Teacher's Conference in 2024, or 2023 if another congregation doesn't offer to host in 2023.

"Immanuel Lutheran Church and School Policy on Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation" was adopted.

The committee to create the Immanuel School Singing Policy was given direction to draft a policy which will allow High School non-member participation in practices, but no participation in singing performances.

The meeting was adjourned.

Alan Olmanson, Congregational Secretary