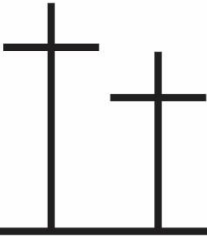


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welcome to
IMMANUEL
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

1st Sunday after
Christmas

VISITOR INFORMATION

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 next to the bookshelf in the corner of the narthex.

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. Or visit our website, ImmanuelMankato.org.



ORDER OF SERVICE

The Invocation

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

Congregation (C): ♪ Amen.

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn *TLH 114:1-3 “Jesus! Name of Wondrous Love”*

Confession and Absolution of Sins

P: Since we are gathered to hear God’s Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying, ‘God, be merciful to me, a sinner.’

C: Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

P: Almighty God, merciful Father, in Holy Baptism You declared us to be Your children and gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst, enliven our faith, and graciously receive our prayer and praise; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen.

Hymns

Congregational Favorites

New Member Affirmation

Joel & Deidre Macias & Starlette

Responsive Reading

Psalm 89:1-4

P: I will sing of the mercies of the LORD forever;

C: With my mouth will I make known Your faithfulness to all generations.

P: For I have said, "Mercy shall be built up forever;

C: Your faithfulness You shall establish in the very heavens."

P: "I have made a covenant with My chosen,

C: I have sworn to My servant David:

P: `Your seed I will establish forever,

C: And build up your throne to all generations."

Hymns

Congregational Favorites

Responsive Reading

Psalm 89:5-8

P: And the heavens will praise Your wonders, O LORD;

C: Your faithfulness also in the assembly of the saints.

P: For who in the heavens can be compared to the LORD?

C: Who among the sons of the mighty can be likened to the LORD?

P: God is greatly to be feared in the assembly of the saints,

C: And to be held in reverence by all those around Him.

P: O LORD God of hosts, Who is mighty like You, O LORD?

C: Your faithfulness also surrounds You.

Hymns

Congregational Favorites

Old Testament Reading

2 Samuel 7:12-16

"When your days are fulfilled and you rest with your fathers, I will set up your seed after you, who will come from your body, and I will establish his kingdom. 13 "He shall build a house for My name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. 14 "I will be his Father, and he shall be My son. If he commits iniquity, I will chasten him with the rod of men and with the blows of the sons of men. 15 "But My mercy shall not depart from him, as I took it from Saul, whom I removed from before you. 16 "And your house and your kingdom shall be established forever before you. Your throne shall be established forever.""

Hymns

Congregational Favorites

New Testament Reading

Galatians 4:4-7

But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, 5 to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons. 6 And because you are sons, God has sent forth the Spirit of His Son into your hearts, crying out, "Abba, Father!" 7 Therefore you are no longer a slave but a son, and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ.

Hymns

Congregational Favorites

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 of the Day *TLH 114:4-6 “Jesus! Name of Wondrous Love”*

Sermon

Luke 2:21

And when eight days were completed for the circumcision of the Child, His name was called JESUS, the name given by the angel before He was conceived in the womb.

His Name was Called Jesus

Preaching today: Pastor Joe Naumann

Offertory

TLH p22

♪ 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

The General Prayer and the 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.

The Words of Institution

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread. And when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take, eat. This is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way He took the cup, after supper, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying, "Drink of it, all of you. This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me." The peace of the Lord be with you always!

C: ♪ Amen.

Distribution

Our Practice of Close Communion	Communing
A Holy Sacrament Holy Communion is correctly called a 'Sacrament' because it is a "Sacred act;" not in what WE do for Christ, but in what Christ does for US.	Kneeling rail Members who have difficulty at the kneeling rail may sit in the front pews. The pastor will bring communion to you there. Balcony Any communicants sitting in the balcony should please come down

<p>Spiritual Unity God’s Word also presents the reception of this Sacrament as a most intimate expression of spiritual and confessional unity (1 Cor. 1:10; 10:16-17; Rom. 15:5,6).</p> <p>Close Communion We ask only those who have publicly professed such oneness of faith and belief with us by membership here or another CLC church to come forward for Communion at this time. This is not a judgment of anyone’s faith, but rather an expression of ours (Rom. 16:17-18).</p> <p>Visitors 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. We’d love to have you!</p>	<p>to the narthex for direction to the table.</p> <p>Direction 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 follow.</p> <p>Gluten Free Bread / Non-alcoholic Wine - Communicants can find these items on the way up to the Lord’s Table.</p> <p>Dispose cup - Please dispose of your individual cup in the baskets located on each side or in the center aisle.</p>
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Distribution Hymns

- TLH #117 “The Ancient Law Departs”
- TLH #123 “Our God, Our Help in Ages Past”
- TLH #115 “O Blessed Day When First was Poured”

Nunc Dimittis

Now Let Depart

C: ♪ 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.

Benediction

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! Amen! Amen!

Closing Hymn

TLH 54 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

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LAST WEEK AT IMMANUEL

<u>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH</u>	<u>CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION</u>
<u>(DEC 17-18.2-25.29 REPORTED)</u>	\$1,164 CLC General Budget (CBP)
<i>Budgetary</i>	\$30 CLC MDF (Missions)
<u>\$44,938.56</u> Current Expenses General Budget	<u>\$33.75</u> CLC Kinship
<i>Non-Budgetary</i>	
<u>\$1,360</u> Advent	Memorials:
<u>\$6,013.74</u> Christmas Eve	In Memory Tom & Katie Bonde
<u>\$13,749.74</u> Christmas Day	<u>\$200</u> Major Improvement
<u>\$10</u> New Year's Eve	
<u>\$830.15</u> Major Improvement	In Memory of Lois Stelter
<u>\$83</u> Benevolent Fund	<u>\$28,955</u> General Fund
<u>\$250</u> Preschool Fund	<u>\$10</u> ILS Foundation
<u>\$780</u> ILS Student Aid	<u>\$10</u> ILS Mankato
<u>\$15</u> ILS Foundation	<u>\$10</u> ILS Music Program- Band
<u>\$10</u> ILS Undesignated	<u>\$20</u> Scoreboards
<u>\$1,348.68</u> Gym Floor Loan	
<u>\$20,100</u> To Be Designated	

Saturday Worship 12/17: **38**

Sunday Worship 12/18: **216**

Sunday Bible Class: **44**

Sunday School: **56**

Sunday Ambassadors: **9**

Christmas Eve Worship: **427**

Christmas Day Worship: **229**

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

Sat Dec 31	6:00p	New Year's Eve WORSHIP
Sun Jan 1	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	New Year's Day WORSHIP
		Live Stream- www.ImmanuelMankato.org
		Watch - www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/
	12-5p	Basement Kitchen & Fellowship Hall Reserved
Mon Jan 2		Blessings on your week!
Tues Jan 3	3-5p	Pastors Office Hours (contact for a visit)
	7:00p	Outreach Meeting
Wed Jan 4	12:45p	Televised Worship Service, Charter #181; Cons Com #7
	5:00p	Catechism Class
	7:00p	Online Bible Study
Thur Jan 5	8-10a	Pastors Office Hours (let them know if you need a visit)
	5:45p	Televised Worship Service, Chart #181; Cons Comm #7
Fri Jan 6	6:30a	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sat Jan 7	6:00p	WORSHIP, In- Person
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School
Sun Jan 8	9:00a	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School / Ambassadors
	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP In-Person

SAVE THE DATES - JANUARY

Annual Voters Meeting- 7pm January 16th

Whitewater Trip- January 27-29th

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS Pastor Tim Daub of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Hecla, SD, has returned the dual call to serve Redemption Lutheran, Lynnwood, WA and Ascension Lutheran, Tacoma, WA.

Favorite Hymns from Past Years

<u><i>The Lutheran Hymnal</i></u>	
1 Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty	656 Behold a Host, Arrayed in White
15 From All that Dwell Below the Skies	657 Beautiful Savior
19 All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above	658 Onward, Christian Soldiers
23 Hallelujah! Let Praises Ring	660 I'm But a Stranger Here
39 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty	
46 On What Has Now Been Sown	

47 Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name
53 Abide, O Dearest Jesus
118 Father, Let Me Dedicate
144 Jesus, Grant that Balm and Healing
153 Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted
187 Christ is Arisen
199 Jesus Christ is Risen Today, Alleluia!
200 I Know that My Redeemer Lives
212 A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing
245 God Loved the World so that He Gave
266 O God, Our Lord, Thy Holy Word
279 Today Thy Mercy Calls Us
297 The Gospel Shows the Father's Grace
341 Crown Him with Many Crowns
342 Chief of Sinners Though I Be
370 My Hope is Built On Nothing Less
371 Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness
376 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me
381 I Know My Faith is Founded
387 Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice
388 Just as I Am, without One Plea
400 Take My Life and Let It Be
410 Jesus, Lead Thou On
416 Oh, that the Lord Would Guide
422 Savior, I Follow On
428 I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus
436 The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want
463 For All the Saints
465 Christ Is Our Cornerstone
473 The Church's One Foundation
496 Hark! the Voice of Jesus Crying
552 Abide with Me, Fast Fall the Eventide
558 All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night
574 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come
577 God Bless Our Native Land
648 I Am Jesus' Little Lamb
651 Be Still, My Soul
652 I Lay My Sins on Jesus

Worship Supplement 2000

706 Go Tell It On The Mountain
709 God Loves Me Dearly
710 Once in Royal David's City
712 What Child is This
715 Where Shepherds Lately Knelt
721 Cross of Jesus, Cross of Sorrow
722 Deep Were His Wounds
723 What Wondrous Love Is This
724 Jesus, Remember Me
732 Now All the Vault of Heaven
738 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!
742 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
744 How Great Thou Art
750 See This Wonder in the Making
751 God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It
755 What Is This Bread
757 Christ Triumphant
759 These Are the Facts
760 Oh, Love, How Deep
764 God of Grace and God of Glory
767 Church of God, Elect and Glorious
769 Lift High the Cross
771 Listen, God Is Calling
774 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
775 Thy Strong Word
777 Amazing Grace
780 Dear Lord, to Your True Servants Give
784 Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me
785 Children of the Heavenly Father
790 Your Love, O God, Has Called Us Here
792 Let All Things Now Living
794 Jerusalem, Jerusalem
798 God, We Praise You
799 This Is the Feast of Victory
800 Go My Children, with My Blessing



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LUTHERAN CHURCH

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	Asst. Principal Matthew Kranz	507-345-3027
	Secretary Amanda Harris	507-345-3027

Serving Us Today

PASTOR Joe Naumann

DEACON Ben Stratton

ORGANIST Kristen Friedrichs/ Bonnie Cornish

SCREEN (Sat.) Joe Furst

(Sun.) Evan Matzke

USHERS Council Members

Serving Us Next Weekend

PASTOR Neal Radichel

DEACON Daniel Pfeiffer

ORGANIST Lane Fischer

SCREEN (Sat.) Joe Furst (Sun.) Austin Lien

FLOWERS Karla Olmanson

USHERS Paul Bade, Justin Mueller, Orrin Gessner, Logan Greve, Jeremy Hanel, Scott Kruse, Kaden Kruse, Todd Kruse, Evan Matzke, Alex Matzke, Bennett Olmanson, Jacob Olmanson, Daniel Pfeiffer, Daryl Pischner, Mike Schweim, Brian Stearns, Ian Stearns