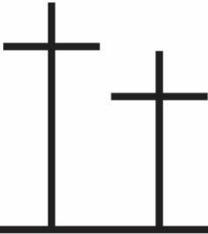


*We love because he first
loved us.*

1 John 4:19



welcome to
IMMANUEL
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

1st Sunday after
Trinity

VISITOR INFORMATION

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

THE MOTHER'S ROOM is next to the bookshelf in the corner of the narthex and is meant only for women and children. Fathers may use the bathroom in the upstairs school hallway.

AMPLIFYING HEADSETS are available in the Deacons room. Please see any usher if you would like assistance.

QUESTIONS? Please contact the Deacon on duty this weekend or any of the ushers or pastors. They would love to assist you!

WHAT DO WE BELIEVE? Take a picture of this QR code to learn more about what we believe 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 402 "O God Forsake Me Not"

Confession and Absolution 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.

P: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Therefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C: O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

P: Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us, and

for His sake forgives us all our sins. To all who believe on His name He gives the privilege of being children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

C: ♪ Amen!

Responsive Psalm

Psalm 1

P: Blessed is the man Who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly, Nor stands in the path of sinners, Nor sits in the seat of the scornful;

C: But his delight is in the law of the LORD, And in His law he meditates day and night.

P: He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, That brings forth its fruit in its season, Whose leaf also shall not wither; And whatever he does shall prosper.

C: The ungodly are not so, But are like the chaff which the wind drives away.

P: Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, Nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.

C: For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, But the way of the ungodly shall perish.

P: Glory be to God!

The Gloria Patri

Glory to the Father

♪ **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.**

The Kyrie

Lord, Have Mercy

♪ **Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

The Gloria

Tune: LSB 820

♪ **All glory, praise, and blessing
to God the holy Trinity,**

**For planting and sustaining
our faith in Him who sets us free,
On whom our trust is founded,
our house built on a rock,
Our life by grace surrounded,
our Shepherd's precious flock,
Dear children to Him clinging,
who welcomed once again,
Join saints and angels singing,
'Amen, Amen, Amen!'**

The Salutation

P: The Lord be with you

C: ♪ **And with your spirit.**

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray... O God -- who never disappoints those who depend on You -- mercifully accept our prayers. Because we are by nature unable to do any good without You, please help us to trust in Your strength, and to keep Your commandments both in our attitudes and in our actions; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and rules with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever. Amen.

C: ♪ **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 15:1-6

“After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision, saying, ‘Do not be afraid, Abram. I am your shield, your exceedingly great reward.’ **2** But Abram said, ‘Lord GOD, what will You give me, seeing I go childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?’ **3** Then Abram said, ‘Look, You have given me no offspring; indeed one born in my house is my heir!’ **4** And behold, the word of the LORD came to him, saying, ‘This one shall not be your heir, but one who will come from your own body shall be your heir.’ **5** Then He brought him outside and said,

‘Look now toward heaven, and count the stars if you are able to number them.’ And He said to him, ‘So shall your descendants be.’ **6** And he believed in the LORD, and He accounted it to him for righteousness.”

C: ♪ Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

New Testament Reading

Luke 16:19-31

C: ♪ Glory be to You, O LORD!

"There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. **20** "But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, **21** "desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table. Moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. **22** "So it was that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. **23** "And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. **24** "Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' **25** "But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented. **26** 'And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' **27** "Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, **28** 'for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' **29** "Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' **30** "And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead,

they will repent.' 31 "But he said to him, `If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.'"

C: ♪ Praise be to You, O Christ!

Confession of Faith

Apostles' 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

WS 760 "Oh, Love, How Deep"

Sermon

1 John 4:16-21

16 And we have known and believed the love that God has for us. God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God, and God in him. **17** Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; because as He is, so are we in this world. **18** There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment. But he who fears has not been made perfect in love.

19 We love Him because He first loved us. **20** If someone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen? **21** And this commandment we have from Him: that he who loves God must love his brother also.

Judgement for the Christian is Fearless Confidence!

1. Christ's love is our confidence.
2. Our love is the evidence.

Preaching today: Vicar Paul Agenten (Seminary Senior)

Offertory

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♪ 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.

Sermon Hymn

TLH 403 "Savior, Thy Dying Love"

Offering of Thankful Hearts

Ancient Of Days – CityALight

Though the nations rage, Kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King, Reigning over all
So I will not fear, For this truth remains
That my God is the Ancient of Days

None above Him none before Him, All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and ever stand
All the power all the glory, I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of days

Though the dread of night, Overwhelms my soul
He is here with me, I am not alone
O His love is sure, And He knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Though I may not see, What the future brings
I will watch and wait, For the Savior king
Then my joy complete, Standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days

For my God is the Ancient of Days

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The General Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

**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

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.

C: ♪ **Amen! Amen! Amen!**

Closing Hymn *TLH #50 "Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing"*

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LAST WEEK

<p>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (JUNE 3-4 REPORTED) Budgetary <u>\$10,288</u> Current Expenses</p> <p>Non-Budgetary <u>\$45</u> Major Improvement <u>\$130</u> ILS Student Aid <u>\$105</u> Land Purchase <u>\$15</u> ILS Foundation <u>\$60</u> Benevolent <u>\$105</u> Ascension Day</p>	<p>CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION <u>\$515</u> CLC General Budget (CBP) <u>\$250</u> CLC MDF (Missions) <u>\$154</u> CLC Kinship</p> <p>Memorials In Memory of Skip Edwards <u>\$10</u> Undesignated In Memory of Gene Schreyer <u>\$100</u> Undesignated</p>
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Saturday Worship 6/3: **63**

Sunday Worship 10/16: **198**

Location	Active	Time	Day of the week	Type	# Souls
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	1st & 3rd Monday	Worship	11
New Perspective	Yes	9:00 AM	1st, 3rd Tuesday	Study	12
Old Main	Yes	11:00 AM	2 nd & 4 th Monday	Worship	15
Latitude Bible Study	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Tuesday	Study	11
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	11
Laurel's Peak	Yes	10:45 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	7
Wednesday Online	Yes	7:00 PM	Every Wednesday	Study	14
Oak Terrace	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	9
Walnut Towers	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	7
Water's Edge	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	11
Gus Johnson	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	8
Old Main	Yes	1:00 PM	Every Thursday	Study	9
New Perspective	Yes	10:15 AM	2 nd Thursday	Study	9
Men's Breakfast	Yes	6:30 AM	Every Friday	Study	21
Mankato Lodge	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Friday	Study	5
Hillcrest	Yes	10:30 AM	Every Friday	Worship	20
Autumn Grace	Yes	11:15 AM	2 nd & 4 th Friday	Worship	12
Number of souls finding comfort in God's Word this week:					197
Thank you to our volunteer laymen who we've called to continue to help lead these services!					

ONGOING IMMANUEL PRAYER LIST

Please keep these individuals in your personal prayers

- Norma Carlson – lung cancer treatment
- Gary Hanel – esophagus cancer treatment
- Will Roettger – lymphoma treatment
- Pastor John Hein – from Grace, Fridley, MN with Thyroid cancer
- Carrie Dahle – Hilary Lien’s sister with cancer

THIS WEEK

Sat June 10	6:00p	WORSHIP
Sun June 11	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP
		Live Stream- www.ImmanuelMankato.org
		Watch - www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/
		Blessings on your week!
Mon June 12		
Tues June 13	3-5p	Pastors Office Hours (contact for a visit)
	6:30p	Board of Deacons Meeting
	7:00p	Board of Education Meeting
	7:00p	Board of Property Meeting
	7:30p	Board of Finance Meeting
	8:00p	Council Meeting
Wed June 14	12:45p	Televised Worship Service, Charter #181; Cons Com #7
	7:00p	Online Bible Study
Thur June 15	8-10a	Pastors Office Hours (let them know if you need a visit)
	5:00p	Sanctuary Reserved- Wedding Rehearsal
	6:00p	VBS Head Teacher Meeting
	5:45p	Televised Worship Service, Chart #181; Cons Comm #7
Fri June 16	6:30a	Men’s Breakfast & Bible Study
	12-6p	Sanctuary Reserved- Wedding
Sat June 17	1-3:30p	Outdoor Adventure Day! Sculpture Tour & Sundaes!
	6:00p	WORSHIP, 3 rd Sunday Communion
Sun June 18	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP 3 rd Sunday Communion
		Happy Father’s Day!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Outdoor Adventure Day Sculpture Walk- June 17th

CLC Pastoral Conference- June 20-22nd

4th of July St Peter Parade- July 4th

Fun Days Parade- July 8th
Vacation Bible School- July 24-28th

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PAID TEACHER AIDE POSITION OPENING Our school has an opening for a teacher's aide position for about 26 hours per week beginning in August. If you are interested in this position, please contact Principal Brandon Heinze at brandan.heinze@immanuelmankato.org or (507)-519-0470 for more details.

YARD SALE Dale Redlin is gearing up to move closer to his family at the end of June. To get ready for this move **on Friday June 16 from 3:00 to 7:00** there will be a "yard sale" of a sorts and people can come and take whatever they would like. If they want to give Dale a donation for it that would be fine but not necessary.

PANS IN KITCHEN There are a number of cake pans and a muffin tin, in the church kitchen that needs a owner. If they are not claimed **by June 26th**, they will be taken to the thrift store.

RENEWALS The time is here for The Lutheran Spokesman & Daily Rest renewals and subscriptions. If you are interested in renewing or signing up for either of these publications, please let Hilary in the church office know. **Payments are due June 20th**. Spokesman issues are \$14 and Daily Rest issues are \$15.

COMMUNICATION AT IMMANUEL is very important to the ministry that God has entrusted to us all. 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 Pastor James Naumann of Our Savior's Lutheran in Jamestown, ND is considering the call to Calvary Lutheran of Marquette, MI. <> Noah Ohlmann has accepted the call to be a fulltime assistant for the lower grades of Grace School in Valentine, NE for the 2023-2024 school year. <> Pastor Matthew Hanel of St. Matthew Lutheran in Dallas, TX has returned the call to Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI to be their third pastor. <> St. Stephen Lutheran Church has called Isaac Schmitt to serve as part time teacher of kindergarten and lower grades at St. Stephen Lutheran School. Isaac accepted the call. <> St. Stephen's current teacher and principal, Mikkela Hammond, will be marrying Isaac this summer. She has asked to be relieved of her position as principal. St. Stephen's pastor, Luke Bernthal, has been called to serve as principal of the school next school year. Pastor Bernthal has accepted that call.

MAN UP! WEEKEND The 2023 ManUp! Men's Weekend will be held September 21-24, 2023, at beautiful Wyalusing State Park near Prairie du Chien, WI. The weekend will 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 building, relationship building, worship, and many outdoor bonding activities. Register and send in your payment before August 31st for the discounted rate of \$75. Registration increases to \$150 after September 1st. The registration includes lodging and meals. You can register by going to the Man Up! website here: www.manup.clclutheran.org. and clicking on the Registration Form. Sign up today!

CHRIST'S EXPLORERS CAMP Holy Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church (W. Columbia, SC) will be hosting Christ's Explorers Camp July 20th - 23rd in Sevierville, TN. Camp is open to students entering grades 3-9 for the 2023-24 school year. You may register online at christsexplorerscamp.com.

BLACK HILLS FAMILY BIBLE CAMP Camping in the beauty of the Black Hills, studies in the beauty of God's Word. This year we will be learning about and practicing having a better prayer life. There will also be many outdoor

activities available such as hiking, climbing/repelling, swimming, kayaking etc... The camp runs from the evening of Friday July 7th through the morning of Tuesday July 11th. To sign up or for more information, you can call Pastor Aaron Ude at (605) 393-1311 or email him at aaronude@gmail.com.

ORDINATION Seminary graduate Jonah Albrecht will be ordained and installed as the pastor of Redemption Lutheran Church, Lynnwood WA and Ascension Lutheran Church, Tacoma WA on July 16th. The service will take place at Redemption beginning at 1pm with a fellowship meal to follow. All are welcome!

LOWER MICHIGAN YOUTH CAMP The 20th Annual Lower Michigan Youth Camp will be held July 17-20 (Mon-Thurs) at Pigeon Creek County Park, West Olive, MI. The camp is open to students entering grades 6-12. The cost is \$60 per camper. The deadline for registration is July 12. Information and registration can be found at mtzionlutheran.info/lowermichiganyouthcamp

PORKIES 2023 Porkies 2023 is coming up! The dates for the trip this year are **August 5-9**. All CLC Youth entering grades 8th - 12th are invited to join us for 5 days of hiking, swimming, and devotions in the Porcupine Mountains in upper Michigan. Still, plenty of room for more campers. **Sign up by July 7th**. For more information contact Adam Schmid 715.514.9345 or aschmidy2003@gmail.com.

FISTFUL OF DANDELIONS Deborah Ude's sixth and final book, *Fistful of Dandelions*, is now available. Love – Can it be demanded, bought, manipulated by pity or guilt? Even if we know the answer to that, how often do we venture onto the superficial path? Will the offers of real love be seized? The juxtaposition in passionate character development along with the descriptive dive into the depths of inner struggles for love enlighten the psyche. Yet these master sketches grow out of a homespun backdrop gardening, canning, baking, quilting, training the generation to come and dealing with daily stress in personal interaction with prickly personalities. 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/Fistful-of-Dandelions>. (\$11.99 and \$2.99) For more information on this book or her other books go to this link: <https://tinyurl.com/DeborahUde>.

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!



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Serving Us Today

VICAR Paul Agenten

DEACON Daniel Pfeiffer

ORGANIST Vickie Schreyer

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

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

Serving Us Next Weekend

VICAR Paul Agenten

DEACON Ben Stratton

ORGANIST Grace Schreyer

SCREEN *(Sat.)* Joe Furst *(Sun.)* Russ Schmitt

USHERS Fred Friedrichs, John Heinze, Aaron Busse, Austin Hanel, Hunter Hanel, Jay Hanel, Mason Hanel, Ty Hanel, Brett Kruse, Ross Libby, Austin Lien, William Lien, Wyatt Lien, Andy Olmanson, Luke Olmanson, Chuck Schmid, Ron Wolle, Steve Wolle