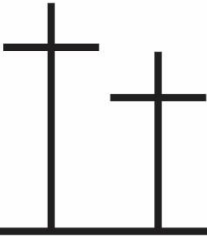


KEEP
YOURSELVES
IN THE
LOVE
OF
GOD

JUDE 1:21



welcome to
IMMANUEL
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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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

Opening Hymn

TLH 12 “This Day at Thy Creating Word”

The Invocation

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

Congregation (C): ♪ Amen.

Opening Prayer

Confession and Absolution of Sins

L: 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.

L: 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!

The Kyrie

Lord, Have Mercy

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

The Gloria in Excelsis

Glory 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

L: Let us pray... O Lord, we humbly ask that You would hear the prayers of Your people, so that we who, by our sins, are deserving only of Your wrath, may be mercifully delivered by Your gracious goodness, for You live and reign with Your Son, our Lord Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, One God forever.

C: ♪ **Amen.**

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 31:31-34

“Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah— **32** not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to lead them out of the land of Egypt, My covenant which they broke, though I was a husband to them, says the Lord. **33** But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put My law in their minds, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people. **34** No more shall every man teach his neighbor, and every man his brother,

saying, ‘Know the Lord,’ for they all shall know Me, from the least of them to the greatest of them, says the Lord. For I will forgive their iniquity, and their sin I will remember no more.”

Psalm of the Day

Psalm 38:15-22

L: For in You, O Lord, I hope

C: You will hear, O Lord my God.

L: For I am ready to fall,

C: And my sorrow is continually before me.

L: For I will declare my iniquity;

C: I will be in anguish over my sin.

L: But my enemies are vigorous, and they are strong;

C: And those who hate me wrongfully have multiplied.

L: Those also who render evil for good,

C: They are my adversaries, because I follow what is good.

L: Do not forsake me, O Lord;

C: O my God, be not far from me!

L: Make haste to help me,

C: O Lord, my salvation!

Immanuel Lutheran Grade School Choir

WS 745

1. Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing: My God and King!
The heav'ns are not too high, His praise my thither fly;
The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow.
Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing: My God and King!
2. Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing: My God and King!
The Father, with the Son, And Spirit, Three in One,
One everlasting Lord, Be evermore adored!
Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing: My God and King!

New Testament Reading

Philippians 4:4-9

Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice! **5** Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord is at hand.
6 Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and

supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; **7** and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. **8** Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy-- meditate on these things. **9** The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.

L: 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!

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

TLH 426 "The Lord My Shepherd Is"

Sermon

Jude 20-25

But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit, **21** keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life. **22** And on some have compassion, making a distinction; **23** but others save with fear, pulling them out of the fire, hating even the garment defiled by the flesh. **24** Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, And to present you faultless Before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, **25** To God our Savior, Who alone is wise, Be glory and majesty, Dominion and power, Both now and forever. Amen.

Trust God to Be God

Preaching today: Mr. Russ Schmitt

Sermon by Pastor Michael J. Roehl

Offertory

WS p16

♪ **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

TLH 428 "I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus"

Offering of Thankful Hearts

Offering Meditation

Amazing Love

And can it be that I should gain
An interest in my Savior's blood? Died He for me who caused
Him pain!
For me who scorned His perfect love
Amazing love! How can it be
That You, my God, would die for me!

You left Your Father's throne above, so free and infinite is Your
grace!

Emptied Yourself of all but love and bled for Adam's helpless
race.

Amazing love! How can it be

That You, my God, would die for me!

Boldly I come before your throne to claim Your mercy immense
and free,

No greater love will there be known, For O my God, it found me!

Amazing love! How can it be

That You, my God would die for me!

Amazing love.

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 53 "Abide, O Dearest Jesus"

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ONGOING IMMANUEL PRAYER LIST

Please keep these individuals in your personal prayers

- Pastor John Hein – from Grace, Fridley, MN with Thymic cancer
- Katie Sauers- Lymphoma
- James Lien- Cancer Treatments
- Marlene Hanel
- CLC Missions in Bangladesh - Details below

LAST WEEK

Location	Active	Time	Day of the week	Type	# Souls
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	1 st 3 rd Monday	Study	12
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	10
Laurel's Peak	Yes	10:45 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	4
Oak Terrace	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	
Walnut Towers	Yes	10:00 AM	Evey Thursday	Study	
Water's Edge	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	
Old Main	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	
New Perspective	Yes	10:00 AM	2 nd Thursday	Worship	
Men's Breakfast	Yes	6:30 AM	Every Friday	Study	
Number of souls finding comfort in God's Word this week:					
Thank you to our volunteer laymen who we've called to continue to help lead these services!					

THIS WEEK

Sat Jan 27	6:00p	WORSHIP
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School
Sun Jan 28	9:00a	Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School/ Ambassadors
	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP
		Live Stream- www.ImmanuelMankato.org
		Watch - www.ImmanuelMankato.org/sermons/
		Food Shelf Sunday
Mon Jan 29		Blessings on your week!
Tues Jan 30	4:00p	BJV Home Game
	5:30p	GV Home Game
	7:00p	BV Home Game
Wed Jan 31	12:45p	Televised Worship Service, Charter #181; Cons Com #7
	5:30p	Catechism Class

Thur Feb 1	4:00p	GSG 4-6 th Home Game
	5:00p	GSB 5-6 th Home Game
	6:00p	GSB 7-8 th Home Game
	6:15p	Immanuel Church Choir Practice
	5:45p	Televised Worship Service, Chart #181; Cons Comm #7
Fri Feb 2	6:30a	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sat Feb 3	6:00p	WORSHIP Communion Weekend
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School
Sun Feb 4	9:00a	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School / Ambassadors
	9:15a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	WORSHIP Communion Weekend
	11:00a	Meet & Greet Coffee Fellowship Hour

UPCOMING EVENTS

Meet and Greet Coffee Fellowship Hour- February 4th 11am
 Soup Supper Lenten Kick Off- February 14th 5pm
 Ash Wednesday Midweek Services- February 14th 2pm & 6pm

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ART CAMP 2024 Camp will run March 22-24 and is an amazing opportunity for creative fun and learning with other young Christians. There will be a variety of sessions based on music, drama, crafts and more for students in grades 5-8. **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 Amber Casto 507-327-3059 artscamp@immanuelmankato.org

MEET AND GREET Bring a treat to share for the coffee fellowship hour after church **next Sunday!** What a good opportunity to meet new members and enjoy some time together. Please join us!

SAVE THE DATE ILS will be hosting the Christian Athletic League (CAL) Basketball Tournament on **March 7th, 8th, and 9th 2024**. Hosting this tournament is our major fundraiser for our athletic program and requires many volunteers to help things run smoothly. Please consider volunteering to help support our program! More information will be coming.

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD CALLS Mr. Dan Roehl is still considering the call to be the new professor at Immanuel Lutheran College, Eau Claire, WI, replacing retiring Professor Mark Kranz. <> Pastor Thomas Schuetze of St. Paul Lutheran of Lakewood, CO is still considering the calls from Calvary Lutheran of Marquette, MI and St. Peter's Lutheran of Iron River, MI <> Pastor Timothy Daub of Hecla, SD has received the call to Immanuel, Mankato

CLC MISSIONS BANGLADESH Pastor Monotosh continues to seek the Lord's blessings in raising funds for constructing a BLCM headquarters, Bible Institute, dormitory, and worship facility on land purchased last year. Pray for the Lord's provision of resources needed for this important building project. Ask for the Lord's continued blessings on the preaching and teaching of His word.

CLC TOURNAMENT BAND Come and join the 20th CLC Tourney Band at the CLC Grade School Basketball Tournament in Eau Claire, WI on Saturday, March 9! Register band players (grades 5-8) at clctourneyband.weebly.com. Music is available on the website. Basketball players and non-basketball players are welcome! **Our one practice will be during that morning (time TBA) with a performance around noon. Please send questions to Laurie Lau music@thelaus.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!



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Serving Us Today

LEADER Russ Schmitt

DEACON Mark Matzke

ORGANIST Bonnie Cornish

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

GREETERS (*Sat*) Sue Jensen (*Sun*) Jen Schmitt

USHERS Ben Busse, Michael Wheaton, Peter Busse, Jason Dick, Mark Geiger, Sam Geschwind, Sam Hagen, Gavis Hensely, Cade Libby, Travis Miller, Kevin Moeri, Bernt Olmanson, Charles Olmanson, Andrew Olmanson, Nick Schmid, Noah Schmid, Wayne Timm, Ben Stratton, Jack Stratton, Troy Williams, Tim Williams

Serving Us Next Weekend

PASTOR Joe Naumann

DEACON Joel Enter

ORGANIST Grace Schreyer

SCREEN (*Sun.*) Russ Schmitt

GREETERS (*Sun*) Jay & Kelly Hanel

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