



Two women
will be grinding
at the mill;
one will be taken
and one left.

MATTHEW 24:41



welcome to
IMMANUEL
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcome in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior!

Thank you for joining our church family for worship this morning. Immanuel is a Bible based Christian congregation and so our worship reflects deep devotion to God and to His Holy Word. We especially welcome any guests or visitors and invite you to sign our guest book in the entryway of the church and invite you to join us again.

THE ORDER OF SERVICE is printed in this bulletin and will be projected on the screen in the front of the sanctuary.

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

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

THE MOTHER'S ROOM is next to the bookshelf and stained glass window in the corner of the entryway and is meant only for women and children. Fathers may use the bathroom in the upstairs school hallway. Kid's bulletins and quiet bags can also be found in the entryway.

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

WHAT DO WE BELIEVE? Scan this QR code to learn more about what we believe at ImmanuelMankato.org



20th Weekend in the Season of

Trinity

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Worship Supplement Setting One

The Invocation

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. *Matthew 28:19*

Congregation (C): ♪ Amen.

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

TLH 605:1-4 "The World Is Very Evil"

Confession and Absolution of Sins

P: Beloved of God: Let us draw near with a true heart, and confess our sins to God our Father, asking Him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

C: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.

P: God, our Heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

John 20:19-23

C: ♪ Amen!

The Kyrie † *O Lord*

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

Mark 10:47

Gloria in Excelsis † *Glory in the Highest*

♪ **Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to all people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father:
We worship You, we give You thanks,
we praise You for Your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God:
You take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.
You are seated at the right hand of the Father;
receive our prayer.
For You alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord.
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.**

Luke 2:14; John 1:29

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray... Merciful God, please grant to Your people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve You without fear; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and rules with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever.

C: ♪ Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Ezekiel 34:17-24

`And as for you, O My flock, thus says the Lord GOD:
 "Behold, I shall judge between sheep and sheep, between
 rams and goats. **18** "Is it too little for you to have eaten up
 the good pasture, that you must tread down with your feet
 the residue of your pasture-- and to have drunk of the clear
 waters, that you must foul the residue with your feet? **19**
 "And as for My flock, they eat what you have trampled with
 your feet, and they drink what you have fouled with your
 feet." **20** `Therefore thus says the Lord GOD to them:
 "Behold, I Myself will judge between the fat and the lean
 sheep. **21** "Because you have pushed with side and
 shoulder, butted all the weak ones with your horns, and
 scattered them abroad, **22** "therefore I will save My flock,
 and they shall no longer be a prey; and I will judge between
 sheep and sheep. **23** "I will establish one shepherd over
 them, and he shall feed them-- My servant David. He shall
 feed them and be their shepherd. **24** "And I, the LORD,
 will be their God, and My servant David a prince among
 them; I, the LORD, have spoken."

Psalm of the Day

Psalm 115:1-8

P: Not unto us, O LORD, not unto us, But to Your name
 give glory,

C: Because of Your mercy, Because of Your truth.

P: Why should the Gentiles say, "So where is their God?"

**C: But our God is in heaven; He does whatever He
 pleases.**

P: Their idols are silver and gold, The work of men's hands.

**C: They have mouths, but they do not speak; Eyes they
 have, but they do not see;**

P: They have ears, but they do not hear; Noses they have,
 but they do not smell;

**C: They have hands, but they do not handle; Feet they
 have, but they do not walk; Nor do they mutter through
 their throat.**

P: Those who make them are like them;

C: So is everyone who trusts in them.

High School Choir

"All My Hope Is in Jesus"

Epistle Reading

Revelation 22:6-11

Then he said to me, "These words are faithful and true."

And the Lord God of the holy prophets sent His angel to show His servants the things which must shortly take place.

7 "Behold, I am coming quickly! Blessed is he who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book." **8** Now I, John, saw and heard these things. And when I heard and saw, I fell down to worship before the feet of the angel who showed me these things. **9** Then he said to me, "See that you do not do that. For I am your fellow servant, and of your brethren the prophets, and of those who keep the words of this book. Worship God." **10** And he said to me, "Do not seal the words of the prophecy of this book, for the time is at hand.

11 "He who is unjust, let him be unjust still; he who is filthy, let him be filthy still; he who is righteous, let him be righteous still; he who is holy, let him be holy still."

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!

Luke 11:28; John 20:31

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 783 "Jesus, Shepherd of the Sheep"

Sermon

Matthew 24:37-44

"But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. **38** "For as in the days before the flood, they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noah entered the ark, **39** "and did not know until the flood came and took them all away, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. **40** "Then two men will be in the field: one will be taken and the other left. **41** "Two women will be grinding at the mill: one will be taken and the other left. **42** "Watch therefore, for you do not know what hour your Lord is coming. **43** "But know this, that if the master of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched and not allowed his house to be broken into. **44** "Therefore you also be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect."

Ready or Not, He Comes

1. Life Will Continue as Normal
2. Until the Son of Man Returns

Preaching today: Pastor Joe Naumann

Offertory

C: ♪ Create in me a clean heart, O God.

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 me with Your free Spirit.

Psalm 51:10-12

Hymn

TLH 611:1-2,5,7 “The Day is Surely Drawing Near”

Offering of Thankful Hearts

TLH 442:2

**C: ♪ Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to give You
Gladly, freely of Your own.
With the sunshine of Your goodness
Melt our thankless hearts of stone
Till our cold and selfish natures,
Warmed by You, at length believe
That more happy and more blessed
‘Tis to give than to receive.**

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.**

Matthew 6:9-13

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.**

Numbers 6:24-26

C: ♪ Amen! Amen! Amen!

Closing Hymn

TLH 613 “Jerusalem the Golden”

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LAST WEEK

<u>IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH</u>	<u>CHURCH OF THE LUTHERAN CONFESSION</u>
<u>(Nov 15-16 REPORTED)</u>	<u>\$391</u> CLC General Budget (CBP)
<u>Budgetary</u>	<u>\$25</u> ILC Student Aid
<u>\$10,222</u> Current Expenses	<u>\$24</u> CLC Kinship
<u>Non-Budgetary</u>	
<u>\$2</u> Major Improvement	
<u>\$225</u> ILS Student Aid	
<u>\$275</u> Land Purchase	
<u>\$30</u> ILS Foundation	
<u>\$41</u> Benevolent	

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Saturday Worship 11/8: **66**

Saturday Bible Class: **22**

Sunday Worship 11/9: **184**

Sunday Bible Class: **44**

Sunday School: **18**

Location	Active	Time	Day of the week	Type	# Souls
Old Main/AZ Pioneer Home	Yes	10:00 AM	2 nd , 4 th Mondays	Worship	11
Oak Terrace	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Tuesday	Study	6
Latitude Bible Study	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Tuesday	Study	16
Laurel's Edge	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Wednesday	Study	7
Youth Group	Yes	6:15-8:15PM	Monthly	Study	18
Oak Terrace	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	13
New Perspective	Yes	10:00 AM	2 nd Thursday	Study	10
Walnut Towers	Yes	10:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	8
Water's Edge	Yes	11:00 AM	Every Thursday	Study	12
Old Main	Yes	1:30 PM	Every Thursday	Study	7
Men's Breakfast	Yes	6:30 AM	Every Friday	Study	38
Mankato Lodge	Yes	9:00 AM	Every Friday	Study	4
Ladies Bible Study	Yes	7:00 PM	Every Friday	Study	3
Pathstone	Yes	10:00 AM	1 st , 3 rd Friday	Worship	12
Number of souls finding comfort in God's Word this week:					165
Thank you to our volunteer laymen who we've called to continue to help lead these services!					

THIS WEEK

Sat Nov 15	6:00p	Divine Worship Service 3 rd Sunday Communion
Sun Nov 16	9:00a	Adult Bible Class
	9:00a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM

	10:00a	Divine Worship Service 3 rd Sunday Communion Live Stream – CLICK HERE Blessings on your week!
Mon Nov 17		
Tues Nov 18	5:15p	Board of Elders Meeting
	6:30p	Women's Study Guild
Wed Nov 19	6:00p	Immanuel Service Organization Congregational Meeting
Thur Nov 20	6:15p	Church Choir Practice
Fri Nov 21	6:30a	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
	5:00p	ILHS Dinner Theatre
Sat Nov 22	6:00p	Divine Worship Service
	7:00p	Adult Bible Class in Sanctuary
	7:30p	ILHS Drama Performance
Sun Nov 23	9:00a	Adult Bible Class / Sunday School
	9:00a	Radio Sermon: KTOE 1420AM or 102.7FM
	10:00a	Divine Worship Service
	6:00p	Sunday Night Basketball

UPCOMING EVENTS

Immanuel Service Organization (ISO) discussion – 6pm November 19th

ILHS Drama Production- November 21-22nd

Pie Palooza November 26th 7:00pm

Christmas Church Decorating & Potluck- November 29th 9am

IMMANUEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

KIWANIS We're excited to once again take part in Kiwanis Holiday Lights — a joyful opportunity to serve our community, share God's love, and support our school and athletics program. Through set-up, volunteering one evening, and helping with clean-up, we can truly be the hands and feet of Jesus this Christmas season. We'll also decorate a tree for the contest (set up by Nov. 27) and have the option to join the Opening Parade on **Nov. 28 at 6 PM**. ILS Night at the Park: **Dec. 14 Bonus:** Extra incentive if we volunteer on Jan. 1, and concessions opportunities available for groups of 8–12. Let's come together in service and "let our light shine before others" (Matthew 5:16) this holiday season! Contact: Deidre Macias – 507-810-0879 | benedictdeidre@gmail.com

2026 CALENDARS These 2026 calendars with inspirational scripture and beautiful photography are now available for sale by the Women's Study Guild. More information, including a sign-up sheet and payment box, is in the narthex. Deadline for the order is **November 30**.

IMMANUEL SERVICE ORGANIZATION MEETING The Board of Deacons and Board of Elders have been discussing the start of an Immanuel Service Organization (ISO). This would be a congregational wide organization which would unite the members of our congregation into five groups. These groups would be used to serve our congregation in a variety of ways. This would be used as a replacement for the WSO (Women's Service Organization) but would have the potential to be expanded and be used for a variety of other purposes as well. This organization would give members of the congregation a way to plug in, build relationships and have an opportunity to serve their Savior and their fellow members. The initial concept of the ISO was presented to the voters at their last meeting and suggestions were collected. This will be presented to the congregation in a congregational meeting on Wednesday, November 19th at 6pm.

FALL DRAMA & DINNER THEATRE ILS Drama presents "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Death Star" Dinner Theatre: Friday, Nov. 21
*Doors open at 5:00pm, dinner served at 6:00pm with the show to follow!
*\$25 per person with a seating limit of 80 guests. Please call the school office (507-345-3027) and place your reservation with Mrs. Harris. Payments must be made by November 19. Cash or check made payable to ILS. ***RSVPs are due by November 16** as it is a catered meal. Please indicate any dietary restrictions with your RSVP. There will be a second showing on Saturday, Nov. 22 at 7:30pm. Admission: \$5 per person (5 and under are free).

GIVE AWAY FERNS The chancel ferns are free for the taking. If you would like one reserved for you, contact Lane Fischer
(lane.fischer@immanuelmankato.org)

LADIES AUXILIARY will meet on **Wednesday November 19** at 2:00 PM in the church basement. All women are welcome to join us. We are studying **WOMEN IN THE BIBLE**. Please use the south entrance. After our bible study we have a short business meeting and enjoy refreshments and fellowship.

COZY CHRISTMAS PARTY 5-8th grade girls and boys are welcome to join in for a Christmas Party on **December 20th from 3-6pm** in the church fellowship hall. Preparing Phoebe is hosting this party, and our boys 5-8th grade bible study group called Teaching Timothys will be launching! More details to come!

HISTORY TOUR WREATH PICKUP If you ordered a wreath or tree from the sophomores, they will be available for pickup on Saturday, Nov. 22 from 3:00-6:00pm.

STUDY GUILD Ladies, you are invited to attend the Women's Study Guild on **Tuesday, Nov. 18. at 6:30 P.M.** in the church fellowship area. The church office door will be open. We are currently studying Psalms of Ascent. A brief business meeting, fellowship, and refreshments follow.

ADVENT WORSHIP This Advent season, our weekend and midweek services will draw from the ancient Great "O" Antiphons, the traditional prayers sung in the days leading up to Christmas. Each antiphon highlights a different biblical title for Christ, O Wisdom, O Lord and Ruler, O Root of Jesse, O Key of David, O Dayspring, O King of Nations, and O Immanuel. These antiphons are the inspiration for the familiar Advent hymn, "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" and expresses the church's longing for His coming. Together we will explore these rich themes of hope, promise, light, and salvation as we prepare our hearts for the birth of Christ. Please plan to join us for this meaningful journey through Advent.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE TIME CHANGE The Board of Deacons has approved a new start time for this year's Children's Christmas Eve Service. After consulting the school faculty and service director, the service will now begin at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 24, 2025. We look forward to celebrating this special evening together with our church family.

CHURCH FACILITY SAFETY UPDATE The Board of Deacons has received valuable feedback from the congregation regarding building safety. In response, they plan to return to the practice of leaving the South entry door (#5) unlocked during the worship service. The church office door (#3) and the ground level 2nd street door (#1) will be locked 5-10 minutes after the worship service begins. The Deacon on duty will also continue to make rounds of the building throughout the worship service. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we work together to maintain a safe and welcoming environment for all.

JANITORIAL POSITION OPEN The Board of Property is looking for someone to fill the janitorial position. This is a paid part-time position with some 30-35 hours weekly. If you are interested, please contact the Board of Property and/or Ben Busse.

PIE PALOOZA Our 5th Annual Pie Palooza is coming up quickly! Wednesday, November 26th at 7pm. Bring a pie or two to share and enjoy a treat with your church family after service. Questions can be directed to Hilary Lien.

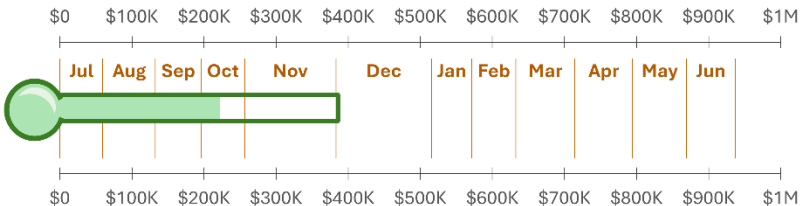
FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Plate Offerings

As Of 11/9/2025

Total Need: \$936,655
Received To Date: \$222,432

Remaining Need (November): \$160,570
Remaining Need (Fiscal Year): \$714,223



* Monthly grid based on past contribution patterns, to give us a convenient pace to follow.

SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYNOD NEWS CALL NEWS Pastor Matthew Ude of Faith Lutheran Church, Markesan, WI, has returned the call to Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI. <> Pastor Johnathan Schnose of Bethel Ev. Lutheran Church, Morris, MN, has received the call to Living Hope Lutheran Church, Appleton, WI. <> Pastor Michael Gurath of Holy Cross Ev. Lutheran Church, Phoenix, AZ, has accepted the call to Peace Thru Christ Lutheran Church, Middleton, WI. <> Pastor Aaron Ude of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Rapid City, SD, has returned the call to Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Spokane, WA. <> Pastor Tom Schuetze of St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church, Lakewood, CO, has received the call to Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Spokane, WA. <> Pastor Emeritus Norman Greve has returned the part-time call to Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church, Red Wing, MN.

CLC YOUTH CAMP ILC 2026 Camp will be held June 14th-20th, 2026 at ILC for campers going into 6-9th grade. Please visit our website for more information <https://youthcampclc.wixsite.com/camp> . Registration will open in March of 2026. Email youthcamp.clc@gmail.com with any questions.

If you have an announcement or event for next weekend's bulletin, please send it to Church@ImmanuelMankato.org or contact Hilary Lien by Friday at 10 am. Thank you!



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We Thank Those Serving Us Today

(3rd Weekend of the Month)

PASTOR Joe Naumann

DEACON Joe Friedrichs

ORGANIST Laura Heinze

SCREEN W Lien

HEAD USHER Fred Friedrichs

ASST USHER John Heinze

USHERS Aaron Busse, Austin Hanel, Hunter Hanel, Jay Hanel, Mason Hanel, Ty Hanel, Brett Kruse, William Lien, Wyatt Lien, Kevin Rykhus

Serving Us Next Weekend

(4th Weekend of the Month)

PASTOR Nathanael Mayhew

DEACON Paul Bade

ORGANIST Debra Mayhew

SCREEN

HEAD USHER Ben Busse

ASST USHER Michael Wheaton

USHERS Peter Busse, Jason Dick, Mark Geiger, Bernt Olmanson, Charles Olmanson, Andrew Olmanson, Ben Stratton, Tim Williams, Troy Williams, Damian Busse

Sermon Notes

Text _____

Theme _____

Notes _____

Specific Law (How does this text point out my sin?)

Specific Gospel (How does this text point to Jesus?)

Specific Application (How does this text teach me to live?)
