

**Welcome to  
Immanuel Lutheran Church**

*A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod*

**October 25, 2020  
Reformation Sunday  
Confirmation**



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***“Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh” (Gen 2:24, KJV). In God’s gift of marriage, we see that God unites hearts and lives for love and laughter and companionship, sharing the joys and sorrows of life together and the blessings of God’s forgiveness and salvation in Jesus Christ. Today’s bulletin is given to the glory of God in honor of Tom & Lisa Hoekstra’s 20th wedding anniversary. They were married at Immanuel on October 28, 2000. Congratulations and God’s blessings!***

*If you would like to dedicate a bulletin in memorial of a loved one or celebration of God’s grace in your life, please contact the church office.*

***Welcome to Immanuel!*** We ask all members and guests to please check in with the attendance person as you wait to be seated in the CLC. We hope you are blessed by God’s grace in the worship service. Members, please inform the church office of needed prayers and visits.

**Liturgy:** Setting One

**Sermon:** “Abide in the Word” from John 8:31-36

**Hymns:** 656 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God  
555 – Salvation unto Us Has Come

**Pianist:** Deb Eggenberger

**Elders/Ushers:** 8:00 am: Bob Walkes & Robert Lamprecht  
10:00 am: Brent Wohlers & Chris Stelling

**Altar Duty October:** Todd & Sandy Wohlers & Becky Luckstein

**Busy Bags:** Will be available once COVID19 concerns are past.

#### **Our Mission**

Immanuel Lutheran Church exists to spread the Gospel in its truth and purity through Word and Sacraments in accordance with the Confession of The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod. Immanuel Lutheran School exists to share the Gospel, so children become disciples of Jesus.

#### **Holy Communion Statement**

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may proclaim His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive this sacrament, are asked to first speak with the pastor.

*For our communicants: gluten-free host is available along with grape juice in the center of the individual cups for those who have allergies or sensitivities to those respective elements. Please request it as you approach the pastor or the elder.*

**OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP:**

Sunday, October 18: 94 Souls

**OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS:**

Sunday, October 18: \$ 3,002.00

**OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING**

**Those known to be hospitalized – Donald Timm at St. Mary’s**

For any prayer requests wanted on the Congregational Prayer Chain, or in public worship services, call the church office (534-3700) or Barb Larson (507-251-2138) or E-mail [office@immanuelplainview.org](mailto:office@immanuelplainview.org)

**God's richest blessing on those celebrating birthdays this week:**

October 25: Bonnie Boettcher, Derek Lockwood, Jaxton Berge,  
Nicholas Grummons, Kami Ohm

October 26: Christina Wohlers

October 27: Joyce Haack, Jacob Grummons

October 28: Lance Lundeen

October 29:

October 30:

October 31:



**STEPHEN  
MINISTRY**

**Christ Caring for People through People** - That's the motto of Stephen Ministry. The Stephen Minister's role is to bring God's love into the lives of people who are going through a difficult time or experiencing a crisis. What do Stephen Ministers do? They listen, care, support, encourage, and pray with and for a person who is hurting. And in the midst of this confidential, one-to-one, caring relationship, God's healing love comes pouring through. If someone you know is facing a crisis—large or small—and could benefit from the caring presence of a Stephen Minister, talk to one of our Stephen Leaders: Pastor Augustine (534-3700) or Becky Luckstein (534-2236 or 951-1716). **Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for you.**

# FISH FRY

## Hope Lutheran High School

312 E Broadway St. Winona, MN

**Friday October 30**

4:30p - 7:00p

**\$9 at Restored Blessings  
or the Hope Office**

**\$10 at the door**



**Dine in, Carry-out, Curbside Pickup**

**or CALL 474-7799 for Delivery (extra fee)**

**Fun Fest from 4-6 pm**

Meal Includes:

- Battered or Baked Fish or Chicken Strips
- Baked Potato or French Fries
- Dinner Roll
- Coleslaw
- Dessert (for donation)



**Preserving and Extending the Kingdom of Jesus Christ**