

Welcome to
Immanuel Lutheran Church
A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

March 7, 2021
Third Sunday in Lent



“And making a whip of cords, he drove them all out of the temple...”
(John 2:15)

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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 church. 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 Three, page 184

Sermon: "Wanted: Fools for Jesus" – 1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Hymns: 427 – In the Cross of Christ I Glory
425 – When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Pianist: Barb Lutringer

Elders/Ushers: 8:00 am: Jim Larson, Mark Bartsh
10:00 am: Brent Wohlers, Eugene Schnell

Altar Duty February: Don & Cindy Lien, Tom & Lisa Hoekstra

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, February 28: 97 Souls

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS:

Sunday, February 28: \$ 5,363.00

OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

Those known to be hospitalized – The office is unaware of anyone hospitalized at this time. For any prayer requests wanted on the Congregational Prayer Chain, or in public worship services, call the church office (534-3700) or Barb Larson (251-2138) or E-mail office@immanuelplainview.org

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

March 8: Austin Flaherty

March 9: Adaylyn Bedtle

March 11: Linda Smith, Marie Manzow, Sawyer Stelling,

March 12: MaryAnn McHugh

March 13: James Gerken, Jase Mussell

March 14: Mary Timm, Jonette Pierce

Life Quote for Sunday, March 7: “Whether you are five or 35 or 65, there will be days when it seems to you that God has dropped it. When that happens, when the darkness threatens to close in on you, just go back to the simple truth that God taught you in your youth. Go back to the Word of Light, the Word that is Christ. ‘Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so.’ That will lighten the way for you, for us all.” *Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer, The Lutheran Hour*

Life Thought in the Church Year for March 7 – Lent III: Abortion occupies an entire business industry. Assisted suicide is driven by financial considerations. And Jesus objects to nothing more strongly than making life and death a matter of commerce (John 2:15-16). He sacrificed Himself instead (John 2:19) so that “you shall not kill” (Exodus 20:13). Why? Because Almighty God chose the lowly for His own (1 Corinthians 1:28-30)—unborn, aged, impaired, even you and me.



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Friday March 5

Friday March 12

Friday March 19

Friday March 26

Friday April 2

Meal Includes:

*Battered or Baked Fish
or Chicken Strips

*Baked Potato or French Fries

*Dinner Roll

*Coleslaw

Dessert (for donation)

Punch cards available at the Hope office!
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