Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church

A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

June 27, 2021 The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost



Taking her by the hand Jesus said to her, "Talitha cumi," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise."

Mark 5:41

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Rev. J. Philipp Augustine, Pastor

Welcome to Immanuel! 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: "Authority for Life" from Mark 5:21-43

Hymns: 809 - Great Is Thy Faithfulness

846 - Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old

620 - Jesus Comes Today with Healing

820 - My Soul, Now Praise Your Maker

782 - Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings

Pianist: Barb Lutringer

Elders/Ushers: Mark Bartsh, Robert Lamprecht, Brent Wohlers

Altar Duty June: Marion Johnson & Dawn Schroeder

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, June 20: 103

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS:

Sunday, June 20: \$4,321.00

OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

<u>Those known to be hospitalized</u> – no one at this time. Praise God!

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:

June 27: Mark Fitting, Austin Gander

June 28: Bonetta Gander, Michal Mussell

July 1: Alicia Ajuntas, Danita Irish

July 2: Lena Jerdon

When "Pull Yourself Together" Doesn't Work - You've heard it time and time again: "Pull yourself together. . . . Cheer up. . . . Tough it out. . . . It's not that bad." Perhaps people have said it to you. Or perhaps you keep saying it to yourself. But it hasn't helped. You're still hurting. Things are coming apart. Here's the good news: You don't have to go through your struggles alone. Help is available. Our Stephen Ministers are trained caregivers who will walk with you, listen to you, and provide confidential, one-to-one care as you search through the pieces and find what is truly in your heart. To find out more about Stephen Ministry for you or someone you know, talk with one of our Stephen Ministry Leaders: Becky Luckstein (534-2236 or 951-1716) or Pastor Augustine (884-7390).

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCMENTS June 27, 2021

Monday – Friday office hours 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Sunday, June 27: Divine Service (CLC)

9:00 am

Monday, June 28: Stephen Ministry

7:00 pm

Sunday, July 4: Divine Service (CLC)

9:00 am

<u>Help is needed!</u> The Board of Trustees is looking for some assistance for the summer lawn mowing. Please, any time that you can offer would be greatly appreciated. There are 3 mowers: a push mower, a zero turn & the tractor. An estimate was received in case the need comes to hire it done. It would be \$450.00 each time. If at all possible, we would like to avoid that cost but we **NEED** volunteers. If we can get a pool of people to choose from, you wouldn't have to commit to doing it often. Please call or text Randy Boettcher at 259-1875

<u>To all who helped in anyway</u> – large or small – with the celebration of life service for Joan Mussell, her children thank you.

Ark Encounter and Creation Museum trip is scheduled for Sunday, August 1st – Thursday, August 5th. Jay Schmidt (Journeys by Jay) has put together an itinerary. Brochures are on the tables and includes a registration form. We will need at least 20 people to go. Youth group will pay for the cost of the trip for our youth (\$600) with each person bringing their own spending money. This is now open to the entire congregation. If your child would like go to we will need a commitment by June 30. If we do not get 20 people to go, we will have to cancel the trip. Turn in or mail completed registration forms to a Youth Board member or to the church office. Email boardofyouth@immanuelplainview.org with questions or call/text Kim Feils at (507) 266-0676.

<u>Youth Summer Series</u> event THIS Sunday, June 27th. Matthew Feils will be leading this wonderful summer event. Start time is 6:00 p.m. and we will be having popsicles and drinks, playing soccer and bible study. We will be done by 8:00 p.m. If anyone needs a ride, please contact Kim Feils (507-273-4153) and she would be happy to come and pick them up and bring them home. Also, if they want to bring a friend, they are welcome to. **ALL** are welcome. This will be very informal and a way for our youth to grow in their Christian faith with others.

<u>Sunday School teachers</u> will be needed for this fall as we resume our regular Sunday School schedule. We are in need of someone to teach (or team teach) the PreK-Kindergarten group and the $4^{th} - 6^{th}$ grade group. We use CPH materials that guide you through the whole lesson. You do not have to have a teaching background, just a love of children! Contact Deb Bigelow to sign up or for more information or questions: 507-272-2125 or kard@midco.net.

<u>Camp Omega scholarships</u> are available for Immanuel's children to attend the camp of their choice. This is funded by Sunday School offerings. We have over \$2,000 of available funds. Simply provide proof of registration or attendance to the church office and you will receive reimbursement for the camp registration fee. See available camp options at campomega.org.

<u>VBS is Just about here!</u> The dates are JULY 7TH & 8TH, from 6-8 pm. We have teachers and helpers lined up, (and snack people). There will be a meeting on June 28, at 6 pm. We are asking that all people who have said they would help to PLEASE come to this meeting, so we can organize our VBS.

If you haven't enrolled your child please do so, by texting Barb Larson at 507-251-2138, or by calling the church office at 507-534-3700. If you haven't enrolled your child, and at the last minute, please feel free to come regardless.

<u>Plainview Community Clothesline</u> is now open. Hours are 1-7 pm on Thursdays. The Clothesline is in need of volunteers to help run a shift (1-4, 4-7) on Thursdays. The goal is to get enough volunteers so each person will only have to do a shift or two this summer. For more information contact Community Presbyterian Church at 507-534-2298 or Diane Ellringer at <u>dellringer@kreofsky.net</u>.

House Parent(s) Needed Hope Lutheran High School has the position of House Parent/Program Director available. Duties include living with exchange students (between 5-11 students), shopping for meals, making meals, and light programming, among other duties. A responsible college student could do this. Please contact Rocky rsandcork@hopelhs.org 313-3551

<u>Lutheran's for life booth</u> Prayerfully consider signing up to volunteer at the Lutherans For Life Booth at the Winona County Fair July 7-11. Please contact Rocky <u>rsandcork@hopelhs.org</u> 313-3551

<u>Host Families Needed</u> Prayerfully consider hosting a student or more. We have students from Ghana, Turkey, Spain, Ecuador, Haiti, Dominican Republic, and Brazil that desire to learn more about Jesus! The families from Ghana are from our partner Lutheran Church and School of Ghana. Please contact Rocky <u>rsandcork@hopelhs.org</u> 313-3551

<u>Guardian Angels Needed</u> We have some families that desire a Christian Education but are financially strained. Consider sponsoring a family. Contact Rocky <u>rsandcork@hopelhs.org</u> 313-3551

Enrolling Now! Hope Lutheran High School is accepting applications for the fall. An Excellent Academic, Christ Centered Biblically based Education for your Teen!

<u>COVID19/Mask update</u>: In compliance with CDC and Minnesota Health Department guidance, masks are not required for the fully vaccinated. Masks are encouraged, but not required, for those not fully vaccinated. Social distancing and capacity limits are no longer in effect. The Elders and Pastor will continue to sanitize before distributing the Lord's Supper but do not plan to mask or wear gloves. The common cup will return for use in the Lord's Supper. If you have questions or concerns, please visit with Pastor or an Elder.