Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church

A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod



"For whatever one sows, that will he also reap." Galatians 6:7b

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Rev. J. Philipp Augustine, Pastor

Welcome to Immanuel! We ask all <u>guests</u> to please fill out the Communication/Communion Card, which has been placed at the entrances. You can place the completed card in the offering plate, hand to an usher or elder, or drop in the basket as you come forward for Holy Communion. We hope you have enjoyed our worship service, and we invite you to join us again soon. <u>Members</u>, please fill out the Communion Card to inform the church office of your attendance today and any needed prayers and visits.

Liturgy: Setting One, page 151

Sermon: "Why We Do What We Do" - Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18

Hymns: 700 - Love Divine, All Loves Excelling 704 - Renew Me, O Eternal Light 702 - My Faith Looks Up to Thee 684 - Come unto Me, Ye Weary 966 - Before You, Lord, We Bow

Organist: Debra Eggenberger

Elders/Ushers: 9:00 am: Bob Walkes, Eugene Schnell Brent Wohlers

Acolyte & Cross Bearer: Elders over the summer

Altar Duty July: Leo & Barb Larson, Dawn Schroeder

Busy Bags: Available at the entrance are 'Busy Bags' = activity bags of color crayons/books, for any child. Borrow and use them for the service and return them to their hook for the next time!

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 26th: 85

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS

Sunday, June 26th: \$8,822.00

OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

Those known to be hospitalized Beverly Petersen, 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 (251-2138) or E-mail office@immanuelplainview.org

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

- July 4: Logan Haack, James Severson, Sophia Stelling
- July 5: Sara Bantley, Alayna Murphy
- July 6: Roenik Walters
- July 7: Scott Bratberg
- July 8: Therese Jacobs
- July 9: Easton Dessner, Judith Schwantz

If someone's name was inadvertently omitted, please call the church office.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCMENTS July 3, 2022

Monday – Friday office hours	8:00 am – 12:00 pm
Sunday, July 3: Divine Service	9:00 am
Tuesday, July 5: Board of Education	6:00 pm
Board of Elders	7:00 pm
Sunday, July 10: Divine Service	9:00 am
Youth Summer Series	6:00 pm

Ice Cream Social - Immanuel Lutheran Church of Potsdam invites everyone to their Ice Cream Social on Sunday, July 17th from 4:30 to 7:30 pm. Join in for food, jokes, fellowship, games for kids, and music by Warrior Revival. There will be a good will donation with funds donated to Back Pack for Food. This is a Thrivent Action Team Event. Join in the fun!

Vacation Bible School at St. John Lutheran Church, Hammond Children ages 3 through 6th grade are invited to St. John's Hammond <u>Monday July 18-Thursday, July 21</u>, 6:30-8:00 pm to come and learn about Jesus' love for us. Contact St. John's Hammond for more information.

The CLC will be closed for one more week for floor refinishing in the gym, lobby, kitchen, and hallways. Please use the school doors for building access.

<u>Church stained-glass windows update</u>: To date we have raised $\frac{60,097.50}{50}$ Total cost of this project is 107,000. Additional funding such as memorials, donations, other fundraisers, etc., are appreciated. Make checks payable to Immanuel Lutheran Church – Stained-glass Window Fund, or use special envelopes provided at the entrances.

ILS is looking for donations of yarn for our art program. Whatever color or amount you are willing to donate would be greatly appreciated! Please drop it off in the school office. Thank you!

Office Secretary announcement: Due to family circumstances, Megan Erickson, one of our church/school secretaries has resigned to pursue a full-time employment opportunity. Her last day was June 24. The Board of Elders considered many options at a special meeting last Monday night but decided to keep the two part-time secretary positions. If you know of anyone with good office skills looking for part-time work, please forward any names to the office or Elders. We thank God for giving us Megan for almost three years and pray His blessings upon her and her new job. If you would like to reach out to her with a personal note of thanks, you can email her at megminn@yahoo.com

Letter from Trinity Lutheran Church, Elgin

Dear Fellow Redeemed in Christ,

This letter is sent to you to announce the up-coming retirement of our pastor, and one of God's faithful servants, the Rev. Terrill Bramstedt.

At our January voters meeting at Trinity Lutheran Church, Pastor Bramstedt announced that he would be retiring at the end of July. This year would mark the 49th year of his Ordination.

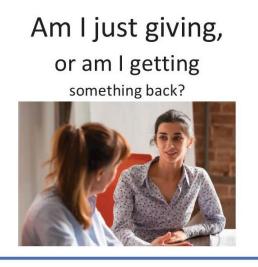
We would like to invite you, his friends, and former members of his past parishes to come to Trinity Lutheran Church, Elgin, MN to attend Pastor Bramstedrt's last Sunday as our Pastor. Please come and help us wish Pastor and Mary well on the new chapter in their life. Pastor Bramstedt's last Sunday will be July 24th. The church service will

be at 10:00 am with a potluck dinner to follow.

If you are unable to join us, please feel free to send Pastor and Mary a card at the below address:

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church 305 First Street Northwest PO Box 366 Elgin, MN 55932

Lee Peterson Congregation Chairman



"Stephen Ministry has been a blessing for my Care Receivers and for me! The initial training, I received almost 9 years ago to become a Stephen Minister has been powerful. It has helped me to be a good listener and it has strengthened the faith of others and me in my daily life. The ongoing supervision meetings have been very supportive and educational. Our congregation is fortunate to have such a program. I thank you for your support and your continued prayers for our leaders, our Stephen Ministers, and our Care Receivers. Through this program I have found God's purpose in life. I pray that you, too, will consider being a part of this valuable program." Marjean H., Stephen Minister

Since 2012 members of Immanuel have lovingly given their time to care for one another through the Stephen Ministry program and are ready to provide focused, confidential, one-to-one Christian care. To grow this important work, we are

organizing a class to welcome new Stephen Ministers into the important work God has called us to do.

To learn more, contact one of our Stephen Leaders – Becky Luckstein (534-2236 or 951-1716) or Val Aarsvold (259-3586).

