## Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church

A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

June 26, 2022 Third Sunday after Pentecost



"No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God" Luke 9:62

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Rev. J. Philipp Augustine, Pastor

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### Today's Bulletin Dedication

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control..." (Gal. 5:22). What a blessing to receive in our baptism, nurtured in the Word and the Supper, and practiced in the lives of those around us. Today's bulletin is given to the glory of God in memory of Dorothy Schulz from Duane and family. She was born May 5, 1939, married May 4, 1958, and called to heavenly glory on June 23, 2016. As we await a reunion in the great day of Resurrection, we remember the gifts of God in her love, kindness, gentleness, and goodness that overflowed from God's love given to her in Jesus.

*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.

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Sermon: is "Following Jesus" – Luke 9:51-62

**Hymns:** 907 - God Himself Is Present 688 - "Come, Follow Me," the Savior Spake 618 - I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table 617 - O Lord, We Praise Thee 685 - Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus

**Organist:** Barb Lutringer

Elders/Ushers: 9:00 am: Mark Bartsh, Robert Lamprecht, Eugene Schnell

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.

Sunday, June 19th: 66

#### OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>: \$4,510.00

#### OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

#### **Those known to be hospitalized** No one 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:

June 26: Glen Zabel, Jenna Ferk, Terry Krusmark June 27: Austin Gander, Mark Fitting June 28: Michal Mussell, Bonnie Bennett July 1: Alicia Marie-Grace Ajuntas, Danita Irish July 2: Lena Jerdon If someone's name was inadvertently omitted, please call the church office.

# I'm interested, but I don't know if I'm

qualified to be a Stephen Minister.



When asked, the majority of Stephen Ministers weren't sure if they had the skills and capability to help people during their time of need. But here's the good news, as a Stephen Minister, you are the Caregiver and God is the Cure Giver.
Knowing God is in control but calls us to share His love with others, will you answer the call to serve?
Do you have questions about Stephen Ministry? Contact one of our Stephen

Leaders - Becky Luckstein (534-2236 or 951-1716) or Val Aarsvold (259-3586) as they would be happy to answer any questions you have and share details on the upcoming class to train Stephen Ministers to do the important work God has called us to do.