## Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church

A Congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

# October 2, 2022 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost LWML Sunday



And the Lord said, "If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you." *Luke 17:6* 

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*Welcome to Immanuel!* We ask everyone to please fill out a white postcard-sized Communication/Communion Card, which has been placed at the entrances.

- >> <u>Guests</u>, please fill out the card with your name and address. Place in the offering basket, hand to an usher or elder, or drop in the basket as you come forward for Holy Communion. If desiring to commune, please visit with the pastor (see Communion statement below) and note your home congregation. 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.

## **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 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.

**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!

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**Sermon:** "Holy Callings" – 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Hymns: 814 - O Bless the Lord, My Soul

587 - I Know My Faith Is Founded

637 - Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord

857 - Lord, Help Us Walk Your Servant Way

602 - The Gifts Christ Freely Gives

**Organist:** Barb Lutringer

Elders/Ushers 8:00 am: Alvin Lutringer, Bob Walkes

10:15 am: Brent Wohlers, Don Luckstein

Acolyte/cross bearer 8:00 am: Rily Irish

10:15 am: Caleb Miller

Altar Duty October: Todd & Sandy Wohlers, Sarah Dohrn

**OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP** 

Sunday, September 18: 179

**OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS** 

Sunday, September 18: Unified: \$9,360.00

#### OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

<u>Those known to be hospitalized</u> Ron Bartz, St. Mary's Rochester. Roger Durgin at Methodist Hospital. 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:

October 2: Levi Murphy, Tyler Murphy, Cynthia Lien, Rana Lamprecht

October 3: Randy Boettcher

October 4: Andrea Dessner, Jessica Aarsvold, Brenda Pierce

Heather Eggler-Lentz

October 5: Jonathon Mussell

October 6: Eugene Schnell, Lisa Hoekstra, Aaron Pretzer

October 8: Lisa McCabe-Evans

# Mighty Mites! Today is LWML Sunday. Please join us in making a joyful noise to the Lord!

For 80 years, Lutheran Women in Mission have used the Mite Box to gather funds in support of national, district & local ministries. If you are so moved, please continue to save your mites & turn them in to the ILC office or bring them to our Church services & put them in the large mite box. Instead of using the term "Mite Box", think of it as a "blessing box, thank offering box, or mission box". Save your coins & add them to the box for the noted reasons. Yes, these coins have & will continue to make a difference. Thank you for contributing to the Mite Box & providing the opportunity to spread the Gospel to the world.

<u>ILCW will have a Door Offering today towards "Gifts from the Heart</u>" bundles for the Whitewater Conference Fall Rally October 15<sup>th</sup> at St John's – Hart, rural Rushford. Our goal is to purchase the following items & assemble the bundles. Items needed are: New bath towel, new wash cloth, toothbrush, large comb, nail clipper, small tissue packet, 6 band-aids, bar soap, & plastic soap dish. We will set an assembly date to put these together. The Whitewater conference, that ILCW is a part of, has a goal of 80 bundles. These bundles will be going to the Orphan Grain Train for distribution to disaster victims. LWML has been in existence for 80 years so the theme is "What's your 80?" With a grateful heart, we ask for your donations so we can share with those that are less fortunate. If you have questions, please call Bonnie Boettcher at 534-3045.