

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

July 9, 2023
Sixth Sunday After Pentecost



Jesus said, "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls." Matthew 11:28-29

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Rev. J. Philipp Augustine, Pastor

Welcome to Immanuel! We ask everyone to please fill out a white postcard-sized Communication/Communion Card, which has been placed at the entrances. Offerings can be put in the marked grey baskets.

>> **Guests**, 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.

>> **Members**, 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.

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!

Liturgy: Setting Four, page 203

Sermon: "Yoked to Jesus for Wisdom and Rest" – Matthew 11:25-30

Hymns:

605 - Father Welcomes

684 - Come unto Me, Ye Weary

To God Be the Glory (back of bulletin)

763 - When Peace, like a River

752 - Be Still, My Soul

805 - Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Organist: Barb Lutringer

Elders/Ushers: Mark Bartsh, Robert Lamprecht, Eugene Schnell

Acolyte/cross bearer: Elders over summer

Altar Duty July: Leo & Barb Larson

OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP

Sunday July 2: 116

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS

Sunday, July 2: \$ 10,937.52

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 Kim Zabel (507) 272-6301 or E-mail office@immanuelplainview.org

God's richest blessing on those celebrating birthdays this week

July 9: Easton Dessner, Judith Schwantz

July 10: Sandra Bartz

July 11: Joseph Irish, Gertrude Zabel

July 12: James Pederson

July 13: Aiden McCabe-Evans, Emily Zabel

July 14: Ann Mussell

July 15: Gregory Neumann

To God Be the Glory

- 1 To God be the glory, great things He hath done,
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in. *Refrain*

- 2 O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood
To ev'ry believer the promise of God.
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives. *Refrain*

- 3 Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son.
But purer and higher and greater will be
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. *Refrain*

Refrain

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,
and give him the glory, great things he hath done.

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