

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

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2023 Stewardship Series
Week 2: “Know the Generosity of Jesus”

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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. 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: "Know the Generosity of Jesus" – Matthew 25:14-30

Hymns:

704 - Renew Me, O Eternal Light

536 - One Thing's Needful

782 - Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings

730 - What Is the World to Me

Organist: Barb Lutringer

Elders & Ushers: 8:00 am: Mark Bartsh, Jim Larson, Leo Larson
10:15 am: Brent Wohlers, Eugene Schnell
Andy Barnes

Acolyte/Cross bearer: 8:00 am: Rily Irish
10:15 am: Avery McCabe-Evans

November Altar Duty: Leo & Barb Larson, Tom & Lisa Hoekstra

OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP

Sunday November 12: 176

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS

Sunday, November 12: \$ 14,480.00

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

God's richest blessing on those celebrating birthdays this week

November 19: Michael Zabel

November 21: James Ohm

November 22: Linda Hoiland

November 24: Owen Zabel

November 25: Susan Wohlers

Note: These images are part of Pastor's sermon for today.

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