

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

**March 24, 2024
Palm Sunday**



*“So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out,
‘Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord,
even the King of Israel’” (John 12:13)*

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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.

>> **Guests**, please fill out the card with your name and address. Place in the offering plate, 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 Three, page 184

Sermon: "The Hour Has Come" – John 12:12-43

Hymns:

442 (1, 3, 5) - All Glory, Laud, and Honor

441 - Ride On, Ride On in Majesty

527 - O Savior, Precious Savior

443 - Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

444 - No Tramp of Soldiers' Marching Feet

Organist: Jacob Mikkelson

Elder & Ushers: 8:00 am: Bob Walkes, Jim Larson, Don Schultz
10:15 am: Brent Wohlers, Butch Mussell, Jim Gensmer

Acolyte/Cross bearer: 8:00 am: Julia Barnes
10:15 am: Allie Miller

March Altar Duty: Debra Eggenberger, Don & Cindy Lien
Easter Garden: Mark & Missy Bartsh

OUR OFFERING OF WORSHIP

Wednesday, March 20: 103
Sunday, March 17: 196

OUR OFFERING OF MATERIAL GIFTS

Wednesday, March 13: \$735.00
Sunday, March 17: \$7,951.50

OUR OFFERING OF PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

Those known to be hospitalized: *No one we know of.* 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

March 24: Justin Bauer, Isabell Blattner

March 25: Kayla Hall, Brinley Miller

March 26: Michael Swanson, Carissa Walters, Brent Wohlers

*March 27: Larry Greden, Emily Jacob, Mary Ploof,
Kristen Skelly, Traci Wolf*

March 28: Brooklynn Neumann

March 30: Kimberly Augustine, Roselynn Threinen

*Immanuel Think Tank
Presents
A HAWAIIAN LUAU
Sunday, April 14th
Immanuel Lutheran Church Basement
5:30 – social hour
6:00 – dinner
entertainment to follow
by*

Limited seating, so get your tickets now!

Cost per ticket - \$25

*Serving 3 meats, rice, asparagus,
Coleslaw and dessert – Luau style!*

*Tickets available from Eric, Brenda, Bonnie,
Renee or Lisa
or at the church office*



Thank you for attending the March 20th Lenten Supper served by Immanuel Lutheran Board of Christian Education. What a great turn out! Thank you for your generous donations of \$539.00. To God be the Glory.

What is S.A.G.E.S.? It stands for “Saints Alive, Growing, Ever Serving.” SAGES is organized to enhance the Older Adult Ministry of the Minnesota South District by providing experiences in Christian fellowship, service, and life enrichment. SAGES is trying to get a lay person contact within every congregation of the MN South District to promote older adult ministry opportunities within our congregation, community, and the area. If are 60 or older and are looking for ways to connect our older adults, please let Pastor know or contact Mr. Stan Tordsen (S.A.G.E.S. representative for the Lake Pepin, Winona, and Rochester Circuits) at stordsen@yahoo.com. You can also learn more at <https://www.mnsdistrict.org/sages>.