



**Celebrate ~ Grow ~ Serve**

## Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church

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*In response to the call of Jesus Christ,  
we the people of  
Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran  
Church are committed to:*

***Celebrating** the excitement of God's  
influence in life by being visible witnesses  
of Christ and*

***Ministering** to the spiritual and physical  
needs of our community and the world,  
through our God given talents.*

**Welcome to Immanuel! Thank you  
for worshipping with us today. Please  
sign the worship welcome pad (red  
binder) during the offering. Thank  
you!**

**Worship with Holy Communion  
9:30 AM.**

The nursery is available for children in  
kindergarten and younger following the  
Children's Message.

Office Hours 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
Monday to Friday

**FM hearing loops and large print  
hymnals** are available at the back of the  
church. Please see an usher to assist  
you. The church is equipped for hearing  
aids with T-coil (telephone) switches.

### **Invitation to Holy Communion**

We welcome to the Lord's communion table all  
baptized Christians who have been admitted to  
the Lord's Table in their own church and  
acknowledge the real presence of Jesus Christ in  
the gift of his body and blood for the forgiveness  
of sins and renewal of life. It is our practice to  
offer white grape juice to those not desiring red  
wine. Pre-filled white grape juice glasses are  
next to the communion assistants. Please  
indicate your desire for grape juice to the  
communion assistant. Empty communion  
glasses are deposited on the end of the front  
pews. All who commune are asked to check the  
"will commune" box in the red worship  
welcome pad.

**This week's Memory Verse is  
Philippians 4:6-7.  
(New Testament p 212)**

**The August Memory Verse is  
Roman 8:31-35, 37-39.  
(New Testament, p 165)**

Prior to the start of worship, please turn off **cel-  
lular phones, pagers or watch alarms** that  
may sound during the worship service.

**The Service of Holy Communion**  
**August 21, 2011 9:30AM**  
**Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**GATHERING**

**PRELUDE**

*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* - arr. McChesney  
*Shine, Jesus, Shine* - arr. Bettcher  
Immanubells

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*SHARING OF THE PEACE**

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**Congregation: And also with you.**

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

**C: Amen**

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: God of heaven and earth,

**C: we name before you the sin that enslaves us, the sin that wounds us and others, the sin that scars our world. Forgive us and heal us. Guard us from all evil. Give to us and the whole creation the freedom of the glory of the children of God. Amen**

P: Come, all who are weary, all who carry heavy burdens. As tender as parent to child, so gentle is God to us. As high as heaven is above earth, so vast is God's love for us. As far as east is from west, so far God removes our sin, renewing our lives in + Jesus Christ.

**C: Amen**

**\*ENTRANCE HYMN**

*Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now*

**ELW #527**

**GREETING**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God from which nothing can separate us, and the life-giving Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

# KYRIE

**A** In peace, in peace let us pray to the Lord. **A** For the

**G** Lord, have mer - cy.

peace from a - bove, and for our sal - va - tion, let us pray to the

Lord. **A** For the peace of the whole world, the well - be - ing of the

**G** Lord, have mer - cy.

Church of God, and for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the

Lord. **A** For this ho - ly house, and for all who of - fer here their

**G** Lord, have mer - cy.

wor - ship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**G** Lord, have mer - cy.

**A** Help, save, com - fort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.

**G** A - men

# HYMN OF PRAISE



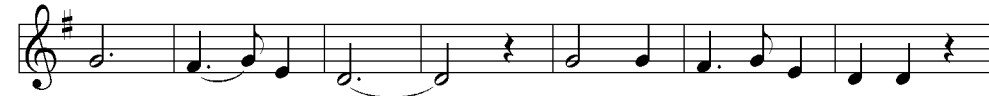
Glo-ry to God in the high - est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



1 Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa-ther, we



wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.



2 Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa-ther,



Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the



world: have mer - cy, have mer-cy on us; you are seat - ed



at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.



3 For you a - lone are the Ho-ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,



you a - lone are the Most High, Je- sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it,



in the glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray.

**C: O God, with all your faithful followers of every age, we praise you, the rock of our life. Be our strong foundation and form us into the body of your Son, that we may gladly minister to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**

*(Please be seated.)*

## WORD

### FIRST READING

Isaiah 51:1-6

Listen to me, you that pursue righteousness,

you that seek the LORD.

Look to the rock from which you were hewn,

and to the quarry from which you were dug.

<sup>2</sup>Look to Abraham your father

and to Sarah who bore you;

for he was but one when I called him,

but I blessed him and made him many.

<sup>3</sup>For the LORD will comfort Zion;

he will comfort all her waste places,

and will make her wilderness like Eden,

her desert like the garden of the LORD;

joy and gladness will be found in her,

thanksgiving and the voice of song.

<sup>4</sup>Listen to me, my people,

and give heed to me, my nation;

for a teaching will go out from me,

and my justice for a light to the peoples.

<sup>5</sup>I will bring near my deliverance swiftly,

my salvation has gone out

and my arms will rule the peoples;

the coastlands wait for me,

and for my arm they hope.

<sup>6</sup>Lift up your eyes to the heavens,

and look at the earth beneath;

for the heavens will vanish like smoke,

the earth will wear out like a garment,

and those who live on it will die like gnats;

but my salvation will be forever,

and my deliverance will never be ended.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM** Psalm 138 *(Read responsively by whole verse.)*

I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart;  
before the gods I will sing your praise.

**<sup>2</sup>I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your name,  
because of your love and faithfulness;**

<sup>3</sup>for you have glorified your name  
and your word above all things.

**<sup>4</sup>When I called, you answered me;  
you increased my strength within me.**

<sup>5</sup>All the kings of the earth will praise you, O LORD,  
when they have heard the words of your mouth.

**<sup>6</sup>They will sing of the ways of the LORD,  
that great is the glory of the LORD.**

<sup>7</sup>Though the LORD be high, he cares for the lowly;  
he perceives the haughty from afar.

**<sup>8</sup>Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe;  
you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies;  
your right hand shall save me.**

<sup>9</sup>The LORD will make good his purpose for me;  
O LORD, your love endures forever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

**SECOND READING** Romans 12:1-8

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. <sup>2</sup>Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God  $\hat{o}$  what is good and acceptable and perfect.

<sup>3</sup>For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. <sup>4</sup>For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, <sup>5</sup>so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. <sup>6</sup>We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; <sup>7</sup>ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; <sup>8</sup>the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**



**\*APOSTLES CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH** D/AM: Lord, in your mercy, **Respond: hear our prayer.**

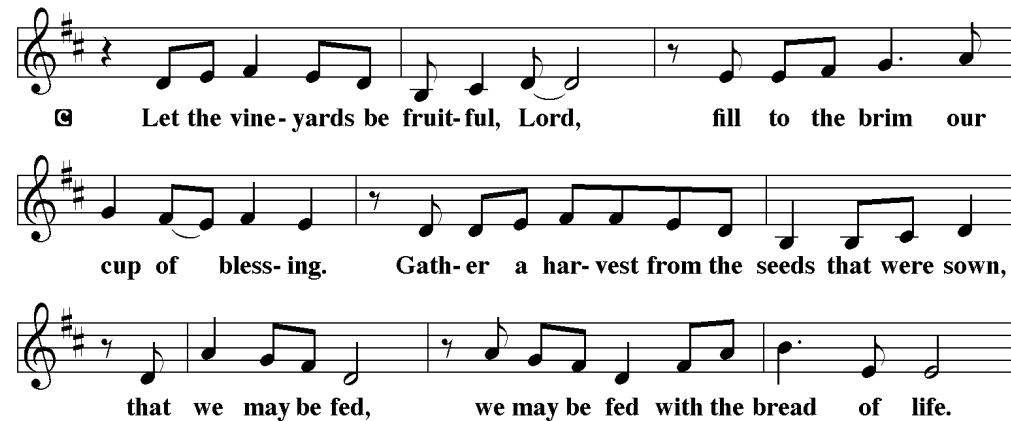
**MEAL**

**OFFERING**

*The Chief Cornerstone* - Bradley Ellingboe  
Summer Gathering Choir

*(Please sign the worship welcome pad, red binder, in your pew during the offering.)*

**\*OFFERTORY HYMN**



Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, fill to the brim our  
cup of bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown,  
that we may be fed, we may be fed with the bread of life.



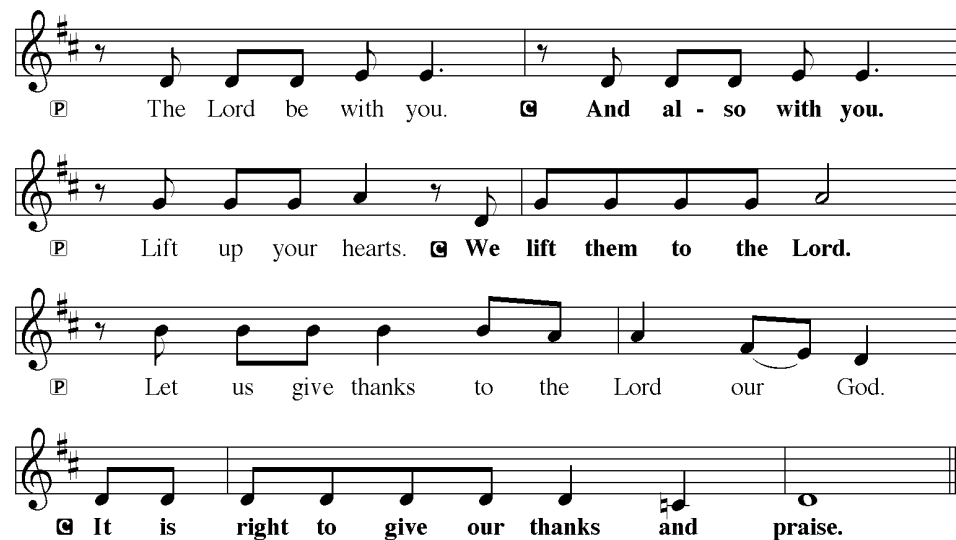
Gath- er the hopes and the dreams of all; u- nite them with the  
 prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta- ble with your pres- ence,  
 and give us a fore- taste of the feast to come.

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**A:** Let us pray. God of mercy and grace,

**C:** the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. Amen

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**



**P** The Lord be with you. **C** And al - so with you.  
**P** Lift up your hearts. **C** We lift them to the Lord.  
**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**C** It is right to give our thanks and praise.

## HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, LORD

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,  
Lord God of pow'r and might, heav-en and earth are  
full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed, bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the  
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical score is written on five staves in treble clef with a common time signature. The lyrics are placed below the notes. The first staff begins with a common time signature. The second staff has a triplet of eighth notes marked with a '3'. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

### INVITATION TO COMMUNE

P: Come to the table prepared before you. Taste of God's goodness and mercy.

C: Thanks be to God!



SENDING

**BENEDICTION**

P: Continue to walk in Christ Jesus, rooted and built up in him. Almighty God, Father,  
+ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.      **C: Amen**

**SENDING HYMN**

*We All Are One in Mission*

**ELW #576**

**DISMISSAL**

D: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

**POSTLUDE**

*Hosannah* - Franz Liszt

Stephen Hughes, trombone

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**IMMANUEL PRAYS:** Jim White, Pastor John Kroschel, Rev. Garth E. Brokaw, Brenda Toal, Catherine Kuhn, Dorothy Sawyer, Dave Gibson, Christine Bergeman, Darlene Lowry-Sample and the grieving family and friends of Rick Nelson and Jeanette Valone.

If you have a prayer request, please contact the church office (immanev@frontiernet.net or 872-5180). We will pray for those requests for two or three weeks.

**The rose on the altar is in celebration of the birth of Sydney Lynn Mastowski, daughter of Dale & Amy Mastowski, who was born on August 15, 2011.** Sydney is the great granddaughter of Arlene Wackerow.



**Join us for Wellness on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM!** Come and enjoy fun, food and friendship, with a program, chair exercise, blood pressure check and a delicious lunch.

The program schedule is:

**August 10** – The Webster Folk Group – Enjoy this group's upbeat music with banjos, singing and more! Don Mooney, one of the group's members and also a frequent cook extraordinaire in WOW's kitchen, has great musical talent.

**August 17** – Oldies Music with Harv Evans – Sit back and listen to those songs we all still love. Harv promises to include some surprises along with lots of fun memories!

**August 24** – The Beauty of Handbells – Our own Marguerite Manning together with Su Buchholz will share their expertise on the handbells. Come and learn about this beautiful type of music and enjoy their amazing duets!

**August 31** – The New Israel – Take a trip to the New Israel through the pictures and experience of Christopher Schwartz.

Come and join the fun and bring a friend to share it with! Transportation is available by calling the church office (872-5180) by Tuesday at 10:00AM. A \$2 donation for lunch is requested. We look forward to seeing you!



## SCHOOL KIT TIME AGAIN!

School has just stopped but pretty soon the stores will be featuring back-to-school supplies sales!! The Social Ministry Committee will pack up school kits to send to Lutheran World Relief again this fall, and we need your help in gathering supplies. Included in each school kit are:

- 6 pencils
- a 12-inch ruler with centimeter markings
- pencil sharpener
- 2-inch eraser
- child's scissors
- 12 sheets of colored construction paper
- 24-pack of crayons
- 150-200 page lined notebook

Many stores have great deals on these items long before September rolls around. Check out the sales, buy some items, and bring them to church and place them in the box in the lower hallway across from the elevator. And if anyone would like to sew bags for the school kits to be packed in, speak to Debbie Huehn or Marguerite Manning. We have packed around 100 bags in the past few years!!!!

### WORSHIP SERVICES

**Sundays – 8:15 and 11:00AM**

**9:30AM Sunday School**

**Beginning September 11th**

The Immanuel Lutheran Church holds worship services on Sunday mornings at 8:15 and 11:00AM beginning September 11th.

*Please mark your calendars and tell your friends... worship at Immanuel is at 8:15 and 11:00AM on Sunday. Sunday Church School begins on September 11th at 9:30AM.*

### Rally Day

Come help us kick off the 2011-2012 Sunday school year on Sunday September 11, 2011 @ 9:30AM. You will have a chance to meet your teacher, visit your class room, play some games & enjoy some refreshments. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Grades 6-12 will also be doing their annual car wash so wear old clothes because you might get wet!

I look forward to seeing you all in September for another faith filled journey of growing and learning. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

### **Bell Ringers - new and not-so-new!**

Are you curious about handbells? Would you like to learn how to ring? Or have you rung in the past and would like to ring again? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, we can get enough ringers and/or wanna-be ringers together for several rehearsals and a convenient play date! The music will not be challenging and you will learn it quickly!! Call Marguerite (265-1825) by the end of August to express interest and we will go from there!

### **WEEKDAY BIBLE STUDIES**

Starting in September, Pastor Paul leads two Bible Studies. The topic of this year's Bible Studies is **Great Stories of the New Testament**. We will immerse ourselves into the wonderful stories recorded in the New Testament and see how God's love is revealed in the stories of Jesus and God's people. Watch in the September Newsletter for a schedule of upcoming themes.

An evening study meets on the first and third Mondays of the month at 7:00 PM starting September 19<sup>th</sup>. The morning study meets at 10:30 AM on the first and third Thursdays beginning September 15<sup>th</sup>. Both Bible Studies meet at Immanuel.

You are welcome (and encouraged!) to participate. Through our discussion and reading, we seek to learn and use God's message of love in our lives. This Bible Study experience is user friendly! If you have your own Bible (a favorite translation) please bring it with you. Or, there are Bibles at church you may use.

### **CHURCH CALENDAR August 21-28**

#### Sunday

8:45 am Summer Gathering Choir  
9:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

#### Monday

9:00 am Music Camp  
8:00 pm AA in Fellowship Hall, Al-Anon in Library, Alateen in Sr. High room, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

#### Tuesday

9:00 am Music Camp

#### Wednesday

9:00 am Music Camp  
10:00 am Wellness on Wednesdays

#### Thursday

9:00 am Music Camp  
7:00 pm Toastmaster's

#### Friday

9:00 am Office Help

#### Saturday

#### Sunday

9:15 am Hymn Sing  
9:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

## Serving God and God's Church

| August 21, 2011             |                                       | Next Sunday, August 28, 2011                         |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| 9:30 AM                     |                                       | 9:30 AM                                              |
| <b>Deacon/Worship Asst.</b> | Charlie Klauck                        | Deacon Ed Huehn                                      |
| <b>Reader</b>               | Kelly Tressler                        | Wendy Pryor                                          |
| <b>Communion Assistant</b>  | Sherry Klauck                         | Gary Cannon                                          |
| <b>Acolyte</b>              | Mac Immesoete                         | Alyssa Wicks                                         |
| <b>Crucifer</b>             | Gary Immesoete                        | Michael Cawley                                       |
| <b>Greeters</b>             | Gary & Heather Immesoete              | Jon & Priscilla Anderson                             |
| <b>Ushers</b>               | Dave, Lori, Olivia & Benjamin Derleth | Ilene Roeger, Helmut Gunkel, Ron Nohe, Janice Durand |
| <b>Nursery</b>              | Carol Dittberner                      | Sandy Colbert                                        |
| <b>Altar Guild</b>          | Heather Sponable                      | Heather Sponable                                     |
| <b>Counters</b>             |                                       |                                                      |

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| Members of Immanuel                      | Ministers                |
| Paul E. Shoop (Residence 6 585/216-2167) | Pastor                   |
| John F. Beeg                             | Pastor Emeritus          |
| Dave Ekimoff                             |                          |
| Assoc. for Congregational Ministries     |                          |
| Barb Rafferty                            | Administrative Associate |
| Thatcher Lyman                           | Director of Music        |
| Marguerite Manning                       | Handbell Director        |
| Ron Corey, Jr.                           | Sexton                   |
| Tom Lombardo                             | Congregational President |

Don't forget to have your blood pressure checked the first and third Sunday of each month between services in the library.

Parish Nurse Leslie Schwartz (265-9229) is available for medical questions or concerns.

**Marguerite Manning is the August shepherd.**

Please contact her (265-1825) if you know of a member in need of help or support.