

Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church
Sunday, August 5, 2018 9:00am
11th Sunday after Pentecost

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Church Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Worship Service at 9:00 am on Sunday

Holy Communion

Prelude

Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

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Canticle of Praise “This Is The Feast”

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Prayer of the Day

Opening Hymn “O Day of Rest and Gladness”

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First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15 Bible in the pew

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Children’s Sermon

Vonnie Solomonson

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, Alleluia

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Gospel: John 6:24-35

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Niveen Sarras

Hymn of the Day “I Am the Bread of Life”

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Prayers of Intercession

Sharing of Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

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Offering Prayer

Holy Communion

Great Thanksgiving

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The Institution of the Holy Communion

The Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to Communion

Lamb of God

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Distribution: *All are welcome at the Lord's table. We believe Christ is truly present in the bread and the wine, that is his body and blood are given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sin. If you do not wish to receive communion but wish to receive a blessing, please come forward during the distribution of communion. If you are unable to come forward during distribution and wish to receive communion, please let the usher know and the pastor will come to your seat. Wine and grape juices are available as well as gluten free wafers upon request.*

Communion Hymn **“Let Us Break the Bread Together”** # 471

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” # 623

Prayer After Communion

Blessing

Closing Hymn **“My Life Flows On in Endless Song”** # 763 vv.1,3,4

Dismissal

Postlude

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Prayer Concerns: Thelma, Jerrilynn, Betty Jane, Esther, Barb Peterson, Dolores, Pam (Rodney Riese’s wife), Kathrine Sylvia, Norm, April Winters, Breanna, Connor Rice, Jezel, Alice, Judy, and Mike Mayer, Judy Kort, Nancy Sekorski (Karen Spoehr’s sister) Laura Beckman, Charissa Helling (Contact ILC office to update.)

The Community Dinner will be held on Sunday, August 5 at First Presbyterian Church.

The Church Council has agreed to engage in studying the “Draft Social Statement on Women and Justice” and to share our reflections with the ELCA Church Wide Office in Chicago. A copy is available for viewing in the Church office. Study periods will be August 19, 2018 at 11:45am.

On August 12, 2018, during worship service, we are going to bless Maggie Westaby, as she is going to Luther Seminary in St. Paul, MN to start her Master of Divinity. Please, keep Maggie and her family in your prayers. After the worship service during coffee hour, there will be a potluck lunch. Please bring a dish to pass.

The Tower of Love is still being built. For the month of August, please bring canned meats (tuna, SPAM, chicken, etc) to build the Tower of Love. Drop off the cans in the Narthex area. The food will be donated to the Neighbor's Place.

The flowers this morning are given in memory of our parents Ben and Polly, Reinhold and Norrine, brother Ron, and sister Sandy. Ben & Claudette Harring

Coffee hour hosts today are Holly & Dan Westaby.

Once again it is time to collect items for Lutheran World Relief. Each year we ask for contributions for the Personal Care Kits, School Kits and for the soap collection basket. The items are sent to those in need in the U.S. and around the world. Please look for the collection boxes near the office and have all items there by September 14, 2018. Bath towels vary in size. The 52" X 27" size listed in the guidelines is the maximum size. 20" x 40" is a good guideline for a minimum size.



Save the date! "God's work. Our hands." will be Sunday, September 9, 2018. This day is an opportunity to celebrate who we are as the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America – one church, freed in Christ to serve and love our neighbor. We are kicking off this event with the Community Dinner this afternoon.

Attention Teens. Plan to join the Pastor on a fun hiking and outdoor adventure on Saturday, 8/25/18. Begin on the Mountain-Bay Trail at the Hatley to Norrie Lake. At Norrie Lake, enjoy some beach time and hike back to the original starting point. Snacks and water will be provided. Just bring your own lunch. The start time will be 10:00 am at the Hatley mark.

The Lutheran World Federation (LWF) Council has voted to welcome with joy three new member churches to the LWF. They are the Christ Lutheran Church (India), the United Evangelical Church in Cuba – Lutheran Synod, and the Augustinian Lutheran Church of Guatemala. This brings the number of member churches to 148 and the countries to 99.

Our Annual Church Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 26, 2018. We will have one worship service at 10:00 am in our courtyard; picnic to follow. Brats, burgers, and hot dogs will be provided. Please bring a dish to pass and your place settings. Chairs are available but feel free to bring your own lawn chairs. Signup sheets are available.

▶ ▶ The last day to submit information for the September 2018 newsletter is **August 16, 2018.**

SERVING US – Today					
Worship Leader: Rev. Dr. Niveen Sarras					
Assisting Minister	Ministers	Organist	Acolyte	Reader	Head Usher
Claudette Harring	All Members of Immanuel	Marino Taylor	Serenity Hulstrom	Reuben Roehl	Mike Schwede
Greeters	Nursery	Video Recorder	Altar Guild	Contact Person	
Jeff Groethe & Kathy Goethe	Deb Case	Floyd Hallberg	Marilyn Feindt & Mary Ann Klinker		
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Assisting Minister	Ministers	Guest Pianist	Acolyte	Reader	Head Usher
Holly Westaby	All Members of Immanuel	Scott Atkinson		Dwala Smail	Bob Doede
Greeters	Nursery	Video Recorder	Altar Guild	Contact Person	
Jack & Babs Fabry	Sue Doede	Al Spoehr			

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sun. Aug.5	9:00a	Worship Service
	10:15a	Coffee Fellowship
	2:30p	Community Dinner
Tues. Aug. 7	5:45p	TV Worship CH 980
Thurs. Aug. 9	9:15a	TV Worship CH 980
Fri. Aug. 10		Church Office Closed

Attendance For 7/29/18: 46

Our Sister Church is the Lobatla Parish. Address is: c/o Moruti (Pastor) Rev. G.M. Nkale, P.O. Box 160, Motswedi 2870, Republic of South Africa. Email for Pastor:

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