

## **Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church**

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

Worship Service at 9:00 am on Sunday and 11:am on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month

## **Ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve Service**

**Wednesday, November 27, 2019 at 6pm**

## **HAPPY THANKSGIVING**



**The offering tonight will be gifted to the Greater Wausau Christian Services for the juvenile center.**

## **Prelude**

**“Now Thank We All Our God”  
“Praise and Thanksgiving”**

**Manz  
Wood**

## **Announcements**

## **Greetings**

## **Litany of Thanksgiving**

**Opening Hymn**    **“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”**    **#693 vss. 1,2,4**  
*Use Hymnal*

## **Prayer of the Day**

**Hymn**    **“Sing to the Lord of Harvest”**    *Use Hymnal*    **#694**

**First Reading:**    **Deuteronomy 26:1-11**    *Bible in the pew*    **pg. 158**  
*The offering of the first fruits*

**Choir**    **“For the Fruit of All Creation”**    arr. Jane Holstein

**Second Reading:**    **Philippians 4:4-9**    *Bible in the pew*    **pg. 955**  
*Paul urges the Christians at Philippi to rejoice, to be thankful, and to dwell on everything worthy of praise.*

**Gospel Acclamation**    **pg. 205**

## **Gospel: John 6:25-35**

*The day after he multiplies bread to feed five thousand people, Jesus is pursued by the crowds clamoring for more bread. Recalling the image of manna in the wilderness, Jesus promises to provide the true bread from heaven that will never fail. Jesus himself is that bread of life.*

**Pulpit Hymn:**    **“We Praise You, O God”**    *Use Hymnal*    **#870 vss. 1,3**

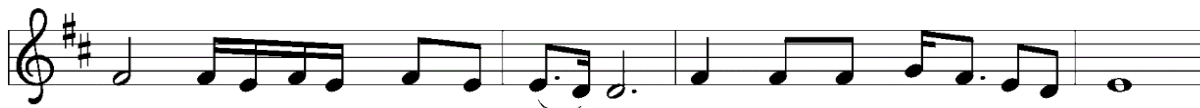
**Sermon**    **Rev. Dr. Niveen Sarras**

**Hymn of the Day**    **“Praise and Thanksgiving”**    **#689 vss. 1,3,4**  
*Lyrics Provided*

**The Nicene Creed**    *Use Insert Located in Hymnal Rack*

## **Prayers of Intercession**

## Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, Lord, send your Spir-it in this place;



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

### The Lord's Prayer

### Sharing of Peace

### Offering

**Offertory**      **"For the Beauty of The Earth"**      *Lyrics Provided*      **#879 vs.1**  
                         **Kremser**                                      **Buserow**

### Offering Prayer

### Blessing

**Closing Hymn**      **"Now Thank We All Our God"**      *Lyrics Provided*      **#840**

### Dismissal

**Postlude**                                      **"Now Thank We All Our God"**                                      **Ore**

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**Prayer Concerns:** Thelma, Esther, Barb Peterson, Pam (Rodney Riese's wife), Kathrine Sylvia, Jezel, Joelle, and Suad (Rev. Niveen's family), Norm, April Winters, Brianna, Alice, Charissa Helling, Scott Kurth, Phyllis, Mary Knott, Ashley Nickolai, Laura Beckman, Joan Bergeth, David Schwarm, Sara Sopiesczyk, and Jeff Groethe.. (Contact ILC office to update.)

**Sunday, December 1, 2019:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent.

**Wednesday, December 4, 2019:** Wednesday Advent Service at 1pm. You are invited to come to the Gathering Room for cookies, coffee and conversation following this service. It will be sponsored by the ILCW. Come and relax and enjoy some delicious Christmas cookies. We anticipate that "take home" treats will be available.

**Wednesday, December 11, 2019:** Wednesday Advent Service at 1pm at the chapel.

**Wednesday, December 18, 2019:** Blue Christmas Service will be at 1pm. If you are finding Christmas a difficult time because of life challenges, you are welcome to attend our Blue Christmas service to experience inner peace and hope this Christmas season. We will meet at the Sanctuary.

**Saturday, December 21, 2019:** Bethlehem Christmas Simulcast Service. Join with congregations at Washington National Cathedral and Christmas Lutheran Church in Bethlehem for this 12th annual Simulcast Christmas Service celebrating the birth of the Prince of Peace. Join audiences from across the globe online at: [youtube.com/wncathedral](https://youtube.com/wncathedral)

**Sunday, December 22, 2019:** Christmas Songfest Service (Carols & Candles) at 9:00am. Choir and Handbells will be part of the service too. This is sure to be a fun service packed with festive music.

*Worship Services are on Charter Cable Channel 980 5:45 pm Tuesday & 9:15 am Thursday or online: Wausau Area Access Media: [waam.viebit.com](http://waam.viebit.com) (Left side, scroll to Immanuel Lutheran.)*

Weekly Schedule		
<b>Thur. Nov 28</b>		<b>Church Office Closed – Happy Thanksgiving</b>
<b>Fri. Nov 29</b>		<b>Church Office Closed</b>
<b>Sun. Dec. 1</b>	<b>9am/11am</b>	<b>Worship Service – First Sunday of Advent</b>
	<b>10:15am</b>	<b>Coffee Hour</b>
<b>Wed. Dec. 4</b>	<b>1pm</b>	<b>Midweek Advent Service – at Chapel</b>

## Ministering you today:

**Rev. Jennifer Hoffman, the Pastor of St. Stephen Lutheran Church.**

**Msgr . Mark Pierce , the Pastor of Saint Michael Catholic Church and The Church of the Resurrection.**

**Host Pastor: Rev. Dr. Niveen Sarras.**