



**Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church**  
**Immanuel Lutheran School &**  
**Children of Grace Preschool**  
20882 Walden Ave. Hutchinson, MN 55350

**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER  
PENTECOST  
OCTOBER 2, 2022**

**HYMN - 736 “Lord, You Call Us as Your People”**

*We follow Setting One on page 154.*

**CONFESSION**

**LORD, HAVE MERCY**

**GLORY BE TO GOD.**

**The Word**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, in your bountiful goodness, keep us safe from every evil of body and soul. Make us ready, with cheerful hearts, to do whatever pleases you; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Immanuel Lutheran School Children sing**

**FIRST READING – 1 Chronicles 29:1-2,10-18**

Then King David said to the whole assembly: “My son Solomon, the one whom God has chosen, is young and inexperienced. The task is great, because this palatial structure is not for man but for the Lord God. <sup>2</sup>With all my resources I have provided for the temple of my God—gold for the gold work, silver for the silver, bronze for the bronze, iron for the iron and wood for the wood, as well as onyx for the settings, turquoise, stones of various colors, and all kinds of fine stone and marble—all of these in large quantities. <sup>10</sup>David praised the Lord in the presence of the whole assembly, saying, “Praise be to you, Lord, the God of our father Israel, from everlasting to everlasting. <sup>11</sup>Yours, Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and

earth is yours. Yours, Lord, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all. <sup>12</sup>Wealth and honor come from you; you are the ruler of all things. In your hands are strength and power to exalt and give strength to all.

<sup>13</sup>Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name.

<sup>14</sup>“But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand. <sup>15</sup>We are foreigners and strangers in your sight, as were all our ancestors. Our days on earth are like a shadow, without hope. <sup>16</sup>Lord our God, all this abundance that we have provided for building you a temple for your Holy Name comes from your hand, and all of it belongs to you. <sup>17</sup>I know, my God, that you test the heart and are pleased with integrity. All these things I have given willingly and with honest intent. And now I have seen with joy how willingly your people who are here have given to you. <sup>18</sup>Lord, the God of our fathers Abraham, Isaac and Israel, keep these desires and thoughts in the hearts of your people forever, and keep their hearts loyal to you.

**PSALM 62**

**SECOND READING – 2 Thessalonians 1:1-5,11-12**

Paul, Silas and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

<sup>2</sup>Grace and peace to you from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

<sup>3</sup>We ought always to thank God for you, brothers and sisters, and rightly so, because your faith is growing more and more, and the love all of you have for one another is increasing. <sup>4</sup>Therefore, among God’s churches we boast about your perseverance and faith in all the persecutions and trials you are enduring.

<sup>5</sup>All this is evidence that God’s judgment is right, and as a result you will be counted worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you are suffering.

<sup>11</sup>With this in mind, we constantly pray for you, that our God may make you worthy of his calling, and that by his power he may bring to fruition your every desire for goodness and your every deed prompted by faith. <sup>12</sup>We pray this so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be

glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION page 161**

Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Verse: Who am I, and who are my / people,

That we should be able to give as generous-/ly as this?

Refrain: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

### **GOSPEL - Luke 17:1-10**

Jesus said to his disciples: “Things that cause people to stumble are bound to come, but woe to anyone through whom they come.<sup>2</sup> It would be better for them to be thrown into the sea with a millstone tied around their neck than to cause one of these little ones to stumble.<sup>3</sup> So watch yourselves.

“If your brother or sister sins against you, rebuke them; and if they repent, forgive them.<sup>4</sup> Even if they sin against you seven times in a day and seven times come back to you saying ‘I repent,’ you must forgive them.”

<sup>5</sup> The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” <sup>6</sup> He replied, “If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it will obey you.

<sup>7</sup> “Suppose one of you has a servant plowing or looking after the sheep. Will he say to the servant when he comes in from the field, ‘Come along now and sit down to eat’? <sup>8</sup> Won’t he rather say, ‘Prepare my supper, get yourself ready and wait on me while I eat and drink; after that you may eat and drink’? <sup>9</sup> Will he thank the servant because he did what he was told to do? <sup>10</sup> So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.’”

### **HYMN – 748 “Brothers, Sisters, Let Us Gladly”**

### **SERMON – 2 Thessalonians 1:1-5,11-12**

**“Let Faith and Love Increase”**

### **APOSTLES’ CREED**

### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

### **OFFERING**

### **HYMN - 602 “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”**

### **PRAYER**

### **LORD’S PRAYER**

### **BLESSING**

### **HYMN - 749 “God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending”**

## **~~Calendar of Events & Announcements~~**

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### **Serving today at Immanuel:**

**Organist:** Jane Vacek

**Elder:** Steve Plamann

**Video Taping:** Mark DeVries

**Power Point:** Lily DeVries

**Altar Guild:** Betty Rusch and Karen Plath

**Ushers:** Jeremy Prieve, Michael Thompson, Chuck Nisse, Brad Duesterhoeft, Andy Prieve, Alex Prieve, Kyle Podratz

### **Attendance**

### **Contacts**

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*Monthly Calendar (under Church/calendar)*

*Weekly Bulletins (under Church/service)*

Church Services Broadcasted Mondays at 10:00 am & Sundays at 9 pmon Nuvera channel 10 or Mediacom channel 107.3



<https://www.facebook.com/immanuelhutch>

Services are streamed live on Sundays at 10 a.m.



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**Living in God’s Grace this Week**

Today, Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service <i>ILS Children Sing</i>
Monday	6:30	p.m.	Choir
	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study
Wednesday	4:15	p.m.	Confirmation
	6:00	p.m.	Decorate Church for fall
	7:00	p.m.	Ladies Aid w/Speaker
	8:00	p.m.	School Board
Thursday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study at ILC
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion



**G.I.L.L.** will be selling pies from Carlson Apple Orchard for \$15 each. Choices will be Traditional Apple, Dutch Apple, Apple Crisp, Pumpkin, and Cherry. Please watch for more details soon.



**Free Family Fun at MLC Homecoming**  
Martin Luther College Homecoming is not just for alumni! All are encouraged to come to campus for a day of FUN. The Saturday, October 8 festivities begin at 8:30 AM with a light-hearted **1-mile Sprinter Fun Run/Walk**. The flat, paved route is perfect for people of all ages

(including those in wheelchairs or strollers). This year it will start and end at the new [Betty Kohn Fieldhouse](#), 1800 Boettger Rd. Visit [bit.ly/MLCFunRun22](http://bit.ly/MLCFunRun22) and register by Oct 6 to be eligible for some awesome door prizes (gift cards, etc.) from local businesses.

The free fun continues in the main campus gymnasium with the **Family Fun Zone** (10-12:30). It's a carnival-like atmosphere complete with complimentary cocoa, coffee, snow cones, along with a bounce house, knocker ball, cash cube, caricatures, QB Challenge, and more.

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**God’s Creation 2023 Calendars:** We have 25 calendars for sale. **Cost: \$8.00 each.** Please connect with Julie Thompson if you are interested in purchasing. *Thank you.* Please make checks payable to “Immanuel Fellowship Committee”.



Ladies Aid will be having guest speaker at their October 5 meeting. **Farm Girl Fresh** (Joyce Kaping and Colleen Anderson of Litchfield) will be showing us healthy ways to preserve garden vegies and their products and recipes. Check out their web site. [www.farmgirlfresh.com](http://www.farmgirlfresh.com)  
**Everyone Welcome to come!!**



Everyone is welcome to come to help decorate the church for fall at 6p and then Farm Girl Fresh demonstration at 7p on Wednesday October 5.

**2023 Altar Guild**

If you are interested in re-enlisting for the guild or if you would like to be a new member, please sign up on the sheet available on the table in the entry.



**Variety of Greeting Cards**

The Ladies’ Aid has a variety cards available for sale in the Church Library. They are sold by the box and/or individual cards. Holiday cards are coming soon. Be sure to check it out! Prices will be marked accordingly.



**Fall Cleaning!**

Everyone’s (*Men and Women*) help is needed on **Thursday, October 13 at 4p** and/or **Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup>** beginning at 9 a.m. as we give the Lord’s house a good “Fall Cleaning” in the basement. If you can give one hour or two, it will be greatly appreciated. The more who come to help the more we can accomplish. A cleaning list and supplies will be set out the week before if the above times do not work with your schedule, please feel free to come anytime during the week, that would be great.  
*Thank you...*

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### CONGREGATIONAL/VOTER'S MEETING

Tuesday, October 18 at 7 p.m.  
Everyone Welcome to attend.



On Sunday, October 9th is Pastor Appreciation Day. Take a moment today (and not just only today) to “Thank” Pastor for all that he does for our congregation.

*Thank You*

for the early Sunday mornings and the late Monday Nights.

*Thank You*

for the seed you plant and the disciples you nurture.

*Thank You*

for the sermons you preach and the prayers you lift up.

*Thank You*

for the wise counsel and the words of encouragement.

*Thank You*

for the sacrifice and service.



*Preschool, Kindergarten,  
1<sup>st</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade*

### School Calendar of Events

Sunday, October 2 – Singing at Immanuel Lutheran Church



#### BUILDING FAITH FOUNDATIONS - New School Building:

Below is a link to our Thrivent page where you, family, alumni, and friends can donate to our building fund. Just click on the link, then push the Make Personal Donation button. We also have this information on our website ([www.hutchinsonlutheralschool.com](http://www.hutchinsonlutheralschool.com)) under Building Project with a Donation button that leads you to the same Thrivent page. For traditional check donations envelopes can be provided if you know someone that would rather go that route than online. **BUILDING PROJECT** | Hutchinsonlutheran ([hutchinsonlutheralschool.com](http://hutchinsonlutheralschool.com))

*The school has a variety of fundraising options to help the school with various activities....won't you help?*



**SCRIP** A current list of the gift cards available thru the school is posted on the bulletin board. You pay the face value of the card and the school receives the % listed. We also carry Cash Wise/Coborns (\$25, \$50, \$100) which does not show on this list. The money earned provides your children with their field trips throughout the year. Remember the cards are available all year long. Thank you for your support of our School and Pre School. *Karen Kohls*

- **Caseys Rewards.** – Go to [www.caseys.com](http://www.caseys.com)
- [cocacola.com/give](http://cocacola.com/give) – for Coke products, enter the code
- **Country Hearth – Loaves4Learning**
- **Ink Cartridges** – There is a collection box in the entryway.
- **School Store Fundraiser** - [www.schoolstore.com](http://www.schoolstore.com)
- **Amazon Fundraiser** - [www.smile.amazon.com](http://www.smile.amazon.com)
- **Cash Wise Rewards**– enroll at [www.more Rewards.com](http://www.more Rewards.com)
- **BoxTops** – This is all digital. For us to get credit, you will need to download the Boxtops for Education App on your smart phone, search Immanuel Lutheran School, Hutchinson and scan your entire receipt.

*A complete listing with details is on the table in the entry way by the school display. Thank you for your help.*



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#### Choice Dollars®

Do you have Choice Dollars® available? Have you directed them? You can direct to thousands of organizations enrolled in the program - **including Immanuel Lutheran Church and School!**