



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

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST
OCTOBER 3, 2021

HYMN - 251 “When Morning Gilds the Skies”

We follow the Common Service beginning on page 15.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Mercifully grant, O God, that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts, for without your help we are unable to please you; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST LESSON - Numbers 11:16,24-29

¹⁶The Lord said to Moses: “Bring me seventy of Israel’s elders who are known to you as leaders and officials among the people. Have them come to the tent of meeting, that they may stand there with you. ²⁴So Moses went out and told the people what the Lord had said. He brought together seventy of their elders and had them stand around the tent. ²⁵Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke with him, and he took some of the power of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the Spirit rested on them, they prophesied—but did not do so again.

²⁶However, two men, whose names were Eldad and Medad, had remained in the camp. They were listed among the elders, but did not go out to the tent. Yet the Spirit also rested on them, and they prophesied in the camp. ²⁷A young man ran and told Moses, “Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.”

²⁸Joshua son of Nun, who had been Moses’ aide since youth, spoke up and said, “Moses, my lord, stop them!” ²⁹But Moses replied, “Are you jealous for my sake? I wish that all the Lord’s people were prophets and that the Lord would put his Spirit on them!”

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SECOND LESSON - James 4:7-12

⁷Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Come near to God and he will come near to you. Wash your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Grieve, mourn and wail. Change your laughter to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

¹¹Brothers and sisters, do not slander one another. Anyone who speaks against a brother or sister or judges them speaks against the law and judges it. When you judge the law, you are not keeping it, but sitting in judgment on it. ¹²There is only one Lawgiver and Judge, the one who is able to save and destroy. But you—who are you to judge your neighbor?

VERSE OF THE DAY - Philippians 2:10

Alleluia. At the name of Jesus every knee should bow, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Alleluia.

GOSPEL - Mark 9:38-50

³⁸“Teacher,” said John, “we saw someone driving out demons in your name and we told him to stop, because he was not one of us.” ³⁹“Do not stop him,” Jesus said. “For no one who does a miracle in my name can in the next moment say anything bad about me, ⁴⁰for whoever is not against us is for us. ⁴¹Truly I tell you, anyone who gives you a cup of water in my name because you belong to the Messiah will certainly not lose their reward.

⁴²“If anyone causes one of these little ones—those who believe in me—to stumble, it would be better for them if a large millstone were hung around their neck and they were thrown into the sea. ⁴³If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life maimed than with two hands to go into hell, where the fire never goes out.

⁴⁵And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life crippled than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. ⁴⁷And if your eye causes you to stumble, pluck it out. It is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell, ⁴⁸where “the worms that eat them do not die, and the fire is not quenched.” ⁴⁹Everyone will be salted with fire. ⁵⁰“Salt is good, but if it loses its saltiness, how can you make it salty again? Have salt among yourselves, and be at peace with each other.”

APOSTLES' CREED

HYMN - 193 "Come, Now, Almighty King"

SERMON - Mark 9:41

"You Shall Not Lose Your Reward"

OFFERING

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN - 469 "Take My Life and Let It Be"

BLESSING

HYMN - 462 "Oh, that the Lord Would Guide My Ways"



Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek **Elder:** Justin Black
Video Taping: Mark DeVries **Power Point:** Lily DeVries
Altar Guild: Barb Rasmussen
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Brad Duesterhoeft, Andy Prive, Alex Prieve, Kyle Podratz

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Please note ILS' NEW web site: www.hutchinsonlutherschool.com

Monthly Calendar (under calendar) Weekly Bulletins (under service)
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Pastor has a new cell number.
You may reach him at 320-405-6490.

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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
	11:00	a.m.	Charitable Gifting
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study
Wednesday:	4:15	p.m.	Confirmation
	6:30	p.m.	Decorate Church for Fall
	7:00	p.m.	Ladies Aid
			– Speakers/Farm Girl Fresh
	8:00	p.m.	School Board
Thursday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study
Saturday	9:00	a.m.	MLC Ladies' Auxiliary Day
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion
	2:00	p.m.	Fellowship Meeting
	7:00	p.m.	School Association Meeting

CONGREGATIONAL/VOTER'S MEETING

Sunday, October 17 at 11:00 a.m.

Everyone Welcome to attend.



God's Creation 2022 Calendars: We have 25 calendars for sale. **Cost: \$7.00 each.** Please connect with Julie Thompson if you are interested in purchasing. *Thank you.* Please make checks payable to "Immanuel Fellowship Committee".

Fall Cleaning!



Everyone's help is needed on **Saturday, October 23rd** 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. *Thank you...*



The Council/Voters will consider bids for **snow removal** in October. Anyone who would like to be considered for the job should submit information to Lynn Mackedanz before the October meetings.

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Starting in December, we will need one or more new volunteers to help run the Power Point slides during worship. Speak to Mike Heine for more information.



The Ladies Aid THANKS you for your support for the food shelf drive for the Martin Luther College (MLC) food bank.

2022 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.



Pastor Appreciation Day

On **Sunday, October 10th**, 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.

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Before the next Ladies Aid Meeting October 6th, starting at 6:30 PM we will decorate the church with fall decorations. Anyone interested in helping us out, is more than welcome!



At the October 6th Ladies Aid meeting, (starting at 7:00 PM) we will have speakers Joyce Kaping and Colleen Anderson from Farm Girl Fresh as our highlight for the evening. They will give us ideas, suggestions and recipes on how to cook healthy with the fresh produce we have from our gardens or the local farmers market. Joyce and Colleen are from Litchfield. For a sneak peak at what they have to offer, check out their website www.farmgirlfresh.com. Everyone is welcome!



As part of the Homecoming weekend festivities, the **MLC Wind Symphony will be in concert** at 1:00 pm on Sunday, October 3, in the WCC auditorium. Works on the program include “The Olympic Spirit” composed by John Williams for the 1988 Summer Olympic Games in Seoul, South Korea; “The Crosley March” by Henry Fillmore; Symphonic Dance, No. 3 (“Fiesta”) by Clifton Williams; and “Grace Will Lead Me Home” by Vincent J. Oppido, a work that reminds Christians that our true homecoming awaits us. Please join us for this free concert!

October 9 – Auxiliary Day and More!



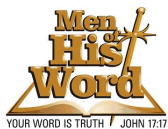
Saturday, October 9, is Ladies’ Auxiliary Day at MLC. But there are **many options for a fun-filled day** in New Ulm on the 9th that both wife and husband can enjoy!

Since this year's Auxiliary Day wraps up at lunch, you can walk over to the gym and take in the **MLC volleyball**

Parents' Day game vs. UM Morris at 1:00 pm.

Oktoberfest will also be in full swing, with music and festivities at New Ulm's Schell's Brewery. **State Street Theater** will perform *Over the River and Through the Woods* at 7:00 pm. **The Grand Center for the Arts** will feature *Zack Hammond Comedy* also at 7:00 pm.

Come to Auxiliary Day - and enjoy both MLC and New Ulm events!



Registration is Open!!

<http://www.menofhisword.org>

The web link, marketing material and registration information for the annual **Men of His Word Conference** at the Mayo Civic Center in Rochester is **AVAILABLE NOW**.

Register at: <https://2021-mohw-rochester-tickets.eventbrite.com>. The conference is scheduled for **Saturday, October 23, 2021** only **5 weeks to-go** until the conference. Please remind and share the registration link with our Brothers in Christ. This year's conference is shaping up to be the biggest and best thus far!! It starts with our keynote speaker, Pastor David Scharf, Professor of Theology at Martin Luther College. Our sincere hope and desire is that as many men as possible join us in-person at this year's event!!

NEW OPPORTUNITY!!!!

The MOHW Rochester team is planning on offering a "LIVE STREAMING" of the limited events taking place in the main conference hall for those unable to attend the conference in person. This is not intended to replace the in-person fellowship of the conference, but is available for persons at a great distance or with compromised health. Each person viewing the live stream is required to register @ <https://2021-mohw-rochester-livestream-tickets.eventbrite.com>

Complete your on line registration as it will **remain open through October 17th**.



Your help, prayers and enthusiasm are essential to fill the Mayo Civic Center for an uplifting day of praise, fellowship and encouragement in His Word. The large convention space and breakout rooms provide plenty of social distancing opportunity. Masks (recommended) and sanitizer will be available the day of the conference. Please share the event information and registration URLs with the men in your congregation. Let's gather together and raise a joyous song to the LORD!



Kindergarten through 8th Grade
Children of Grace Pre-School

NEW WEBSITE: www.hutchinsonlutheralschool.com

<https://www.facebook.com/immanuel Lutheran School Hutchinso>



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
- **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
- **Amazon Fundraiser** - www.smile.amazon.com
- **Cash Wise Rewards**– enroll at www.morewards.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.

~~ School Calendar ~~

- Tuesday, October 5 – Volleyball at Home vs Gaylord
- Wednesday, October 6 – 10 a.m. start for school
- Thursday, October 7 – Volleyball at Arlington
- Saturday, - Volleyball Tournament at MVL, New Ulm
- Sunday, October 10 – School Association Meeting
- Monday, October 11 - PTF



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