



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

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, October 6, 2019

HYMN - 297 “Baptized in Water”

We begin with the baptism of Raelynn James Weber. Following the baptism, the Common Service continues on page 16.



This morning we celebrate the baptism of **Raelynn James Weber**, daughter of Dylan and Ashley Weber.

Her sponsors are Marissa Dufault and Travis Gauer.

May the Lord bless Raelynn as she begins her life of faith!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Lord, we pray that your mercy and grace may always go before and follow after us that, loving you with undivided hearts, we may be ready for every good and useful work; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST LESSON - Exodus 32:7-14

⁷ Then the LORD said to Moses, “Go down, because your people, whom you brought up out of Egypt, have become corrupt. ⁸ They have been quick to turn away from what I commanded them and have made themselves an idol cast in the shape of a calf. They have bowed down to it and sacrificed to it and have said, “These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of Egypt.”

⁹ “I have seen these people,” the LORD said to Moses, “and they are a stiff-necked people. ¹⁰ Now leave me alone so that my anger may burn against them and that I may destroy them. Then I will make you into a great nation.”

¹¹ But Moses sought the favor of the LORD his God. “O LORD,” he said, “why should your anger burn against your people, whom you brought out of Egypt with great power and a mighty hand? ¹² Why should the Egyptians say, ‘It was with evil intent that he brought them out, to kill them in the mountains and to wipe them off the face of the earth?’ Turn from your fierce anger; relent and do not bring disaster on your people. ¹³ Remember your servants Abraham, Isaac and Israel, to whom you swore by your own self: ‘I

will make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and I will give your descendants all this land I promised them, and it will be their inheritance forever.’” ¹⁴ Then the LORD relented and did not bring on his people the disaster he had threatened.

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SECOND LESSON - 1 Timothy 1:12-17

¹² I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who has given me strength, that he considered me faithful, appointing me to his service. ¹³ Even though I was once a blasphemer and a persecutor and a violent man, I was shown mercy because I acted in ignorance and unbelief. ¹⁴ The grace of our Lord was poured out on me abundantly, along with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus.

¹⁵ Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst. ¹⁶ But for that very reason I was shown mercy so that in me, the worst of sinners, Christ Jesus might display his unlimited patience as an example for those who would believe on him and receive eternal life. ¹⁷ Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

VERSE OF THE DAY - Romans 15:4

Alleluia. Everything that was written in the past was written to teach us, so that through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope. Alleluia.

GOSPEL - Luke 15:1-10

¹ Now the tax collectors and “sinners” were all gathering around to hear him.

² But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law muttered, “This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.”

³ Then Jesus told them this parable: ⁴ “Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one of them. Does he not leave the ninety-nine in the open country and go after the lost sheep until he finds it? ⁵ And when he finds it, he joyfully puts it on his shoulders ⁶ and goes home. Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, ‘Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.’ ⁷ I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent.

⁸ “Or suppose a woman has ten silver coins and loses one. Does she not light a lamp, sweep the house and search carefully until she finds it? ⁹ And when she finds it, she calls her friends and neighbors together and says, ‘Rejoice

with me; I have found my lost coin.’¹⁰ In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

APOSTLES’ CREED

HYMN - 748 “Lamb of God”

SERMON - Luke 15:1-10

“Rejoice With the Lord!”

OFFERING

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN - 379 “Amazing Grace—How Sweet the Sound”

BLESSING

HYMN - 388 “Redeemed, Restored, Forgiven”

*Today’s bulletins are in celebration of
David and Marilyn Rusch’s
45th Wedding Anniversary*

All our guests are welcome to worship Jesus the Savior with us again. Kindly sign our friendship register. Graciously receive the greetings & introductions of our church family.

Serving today:

Organist: Jane Vacek

Altar Guild: Barb Rasmussen **Elder:** Kurt Leske

Video: Mike Heine **Video:** Nolan Hoff

Ushers: Kori and Joyce Leske, Steve and Cindy Wendorff, Mike Yerks, Craig Kohls, Carl Horrmann, Jay Mackedanz

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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
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study at ILC
Tuesday:	2:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Grace
	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Grace
Wednesday:	4:15	p.m.	Confirmation
	7:00	p.m.	Council
Thursday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study at Immanuel
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	9:45	a.m.	Hymn Sing
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion
	11:00	a.m.	Elder’s Meeting
	11:00	a.m.	Pastor Appreciation- treats in basement
	2:00	p.m.	Fellowship Meeting
	5:30	p.m.	GILL at Grace
	7:00	p.m.	Association meeting at School



Immanuel will have a hymn sing before worship **next Sunday, October 13** starting about 15 minutes before the service begins, the elder for that Sunday will ask for people to suggest hymns for the congregation to sing.

G.I.L.L. – Grace and Immanuel Luther League



*Sunday, October 13 at 5:30
At Grace Lutheran*

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God's Creation 2020 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".



The school is looking for Latchkey **sub** caregivers for before and after school. We do have caregivers that stepped forward to help full time. If anyone can help out as a sub, they can contact Barbara DeVries home 320-587-6138 or email

devriesfamilyinbox@gmail.com

At the August 21 Council meeting it was discussed and approved to purchase the propane gas for the heating season at a contract price of \$1.249/gallon for 3,500 gallons. However, this option needs to be paid for upfront at the cost of \$4,371. It was approved to use the line of credit to pay for this. However, the Council is asking for your help to pay off this purchase on the line of credit relatively quickly. Please consider giving an additional gift in your offering towards this expense. Thank you.

To date: \$1,100 has been given to assist with the cost.



Fall Cleaning!

Everyone's help is needed on **Saturday, October 26th** 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...*

Upcoming Meeting
Congregational/Voter's Meeting
Tuesday, October 15 at 7 p.m.
Everyone Welcome!

2020 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.

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On **Sunday, October 13th** after church we would like to take the time to "Thank" Pastor for all that he does for our congregation. Please join us for treats and coffee in the basement. There will be a card in the entry way for all to sign.

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.

Calling all Voices!!



If you would like to join the choir, please join us starting on **Monday, October 21st at 7:00 p.m.** Hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please contact Kim Schmeling.



SAVE THE DATE FOR WELCOME HOME SUNDAY: OCTOBER 27TH

When God speaks, reality results. And throughout Scripture, God refers to believers as a family. That is more than a metaphor. That is God calling a new reality into existence. God wants us to seize the power given us through our baptism and live out that reality. We are called by Christ to show the same level of love and self-sacrifice that would show to biological family members.

On October 27th, we will be holding **Welcome Home** Sunday as a celebration of our spiritual family. Think of it as a spiritual family reunion. We want to have 100% of our members in attendance. Why? Because God has told us we are family. And when God speaks, reality results. Please, set aside that date and join your brothers and sisters in Christ! We will have a potluck meal following the special service on October 27th. *(Plates, silverware, beverages will be provided)*

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Kindergarten through 8th
Grade
Children of Grace Pre-School



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School Calendar of Events:



Today, Sunday, October 6 – ILS Children to sing at St. Paul's/Litchfield



Tuesday, October 8 at 4:15 – Volleyball at Gaylord



Thursday, October 10 at 4 – Soccer at PLS/Gibbon
Thursday, October 10 at 5:15 – Volleyball at Fairfax



Saturday, October 12 – MVL Volleyball Tournament

Sunday, October 13 – 7p Association Meeting at School

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



- **General Mills - BoxTops - Thru October 2019**
- **NEW: cocacola.com/give – for Coke products, enter the code**
- **Country Hearth - Loaves4Learning**

- **Ink Cartridges** – There is a collection box in the entryway.
- **School Mall Fundraiser** - www.SchoolMall.com
- **Amazon Fundraiser** - www.smile.amazon.com
- **Cash Wise Points**– enroll at www.cashwise.com



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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