



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

FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT
NOVEMBER 27, 2022

HYMN - 309 “The Advent of Our King”

We follow Setting Two on page 172.

CONFESSION

LORD, HAVE MERCY (page 174)

In place of GLORY BE TO GOD, sing #939 “O Lord, Our Lord”

O Lord, our Lord, how glorious is your name in all the earth. Almighty God, merciful Father, you crown our life with your love. You take away our sin; you comfort our spirit; you make us pure and holy in your sight. You did not spare your only Son, but gave him up for us all. O Lord, our Lord, how glorious is your name in all the earth.

O Son of God, eternal Word of the Father, you came to live with us; you made your Father known; you washed us from our sins in your own blood. You are the King of glory; you are the Lord! O Lord, our Lord, how glorious is your name in all the earth.

The Word

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Stir up your power, O Lord, and come. Protect us by your strength, and save us from the threatening dangers of our sins; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST READING – Isaiah 2:1-5

This is what Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem: ²In the last days the mountain of the LORD’s temple will be established as the highest of the mountains; it will be exalted above the hills, and all nations will stream to it. ³Many peoples will come and say, “Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, to the temple of the God of Jacob.

He will teach us his ways, so that we may walk in his paths.” The law will go out from Zion, the word of the LORD from Jerusalem. ⁴He will judge between the nations and will settle disputes for many peoples.

They will beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will not take up sword against nation, nor will they train for war anymore. ⁵Come, descendants of Jacob, let us walk in the light of the LORD.

PSALM 24

SECOND READING – Philippians 4:4-7

⁴Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! ⁵Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. ⁶Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION page 179



Refrain



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Pastor: At the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth.

Refrain

GOSPEL –Matthew 21:1-11

As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, ²saying to them, “Go to the village ahead of you, and at once you will find a donkey tied there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me. ³If anyone says anything to you, say that the Lord needs them, and he will send them right away.”

⁴This took place to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet: ⁵“Say to Daughter Zion, ‘See, your king comes to you, gentle and riding on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.’”

⁶The disciples went and did as Jesus had instructed them. ⁷They brought the donkey and the colt and placed their cloaks on them for Jesus to sit on. ⁸A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted,

“Hosanna to the Son of David!” “Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!” “Hosanna in the highest heaven!”

¹⁰When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, “Who is this?” ¹¹The crowds answered, “This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee.”

HYMN – 301 “Savior of the Nations, Come”

SERMON – Matthew 21:1-11

“Who Is This King of Glory?”

APOSTLES’ CREED

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

HYMN - 305 “Lift Up Your Heads, You Mighty Gates”

PRAYER (page 171)

LORD’S PRAYER

BLESSING

HYMN - 524 “Rejoice, the Lord Is King”

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Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek

Elder: Jason Horrmann

Video Taping: Mark DeVries

Power Point: Lily DeVries

Altar Guild: Wanda Gauer

Ushers: Andy Weber, Jon Hoff, Justin Black, Bruce Trick, Don Dettman, Dylan Weber, Travis Gauer, Nolan Hoff

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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 p.m. 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
Monday	6:30	p.m.	Choir
	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study
Wednesday	4:15	p.m.	Confirmation
Saturday	9:00	a.m.	Children’s Christmas Practice
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
			<i>Door Offering for Christmas</i>
			<i>Candy Bags</i>
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	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study

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Church Decorating

Thank you to all those that helped!!



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.



A Door Offering – Will be held on Sundays, December 4th and December 11th for the children's candy bags that will be handed out on Christmas Eve. Thank you.



Christmas Around the World
Sunday, December 4, 2022
Open House/Come-and-Go
5p to 7p in Church Basement
Enjoy samples of Food
See other traditions



Belle Plaine Lutheran Home

We will be collecting BINGO and Christmas gifts for the residents at Belle Plaine Hope Center. A collection box will be available throughout November.

Thank you.



MARTIN LUTHER COLLEGE

MLC invites you to join our campus family in worship of our Savior at the 2022 Christmas concert. The Wind Symphony and all four choirs will perform a variety of Advent and Christmas music under the theme "Dawn of Redeeming Grace."

Concerts will take place on Saturday, December 3, at 7:30 pm and Sunday, December 4, at 4:00 pm in the Chapel of the Christ.

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Poinsettias

If you would like to help beautify our church with poinsettias in celebration of Jesus' birth, please sign up on the sheet in the entry way **by November 26th**. Colors are red, pink and white at a cost of \$11.50 each. If you have any questions, please contact Betty Henke or Donna Telecky.



And if anyone has an update to their address and/or phone, please let Julie Thompson know.
julithompson@mchsi.com or Church Box #75.



If you would like to join in the fun to see The Church Basement Ladies - **Plowin Thru**, on Saturday, January 14, at 3 p.m. at the Ames Center in Burnsville. Please sign up on the sheet in the entryway by Sunday, December 11th.

There are 6 front row seats (no stairs) and 3 rows behind.
\$36 per ticket.

Transportation will be extra provided by the Hutch School Bus. Will stop and eat on the way home at Unhinged Pizza, Glencoe.

"The year is 1975 and all our favorite characters are back!"

Kwik trip has a new promotion going on for in store purchases.

There is a new "GROCERY" card and by using this card, 15% is donated to the school.

(excludes: fuel, tobacco, alcohol, lottery or stamps)

The regular Kwik trip cards are still available for fuel and instore purchases, and will donate 5% to the school.



If you would like to purchase **Scrip cards** (*now called Raise Right*) for Christmas, the deadline for Christmas orders will be **December 11**.

On hand is a supply of popular cards for anything last minute. Cash Wise is not on the list, but I do have cards for Cash Wise/Coborns. Just a reminder, the cards pay the face value of the card and the school gets the rebate % which is used for trips during the year. Please see Karen Kohls.

During the previous school year it paid \$1,322 in bus fares on various trips.



**Preschool, Kindergarten,
1st through 8th Grade**



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.hutchinsonlutherschool.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 (hutchinsonlutherschool.com)**

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



Craft Day - Saturday, December 3

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Repurpose old hymnals into fun crafts and decorations.



Join us at church - There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex, so that we have enough supplies prepared.

A free will donation will be collected to defray expenses.

Contact Deb Plamann or Barbara DeVries with any questions.



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.morerewards.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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