



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

**FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**  
FEBRUARY 3, 2019

**HYMN - 452 “Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus”**

*We follow the Common Service on page 15.*

**HYMN - 85 vv 1,4 “O God from God, O Light from Light”**  
*(in place of Glory Be To God)*

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Lord God, you know that we are surrounded by many dangers and that we often stumble and fall. Strengthen us in body and mind, and bring us safely through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**FIRST LESSON - Jeremiah 1:4-10**

<sup>4</sup> The word of the LORD came to me, saying, <sup>5</sup> “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.”

<sup>6</sup> “Ah, Sovereign LORD,” I said, “I do not know how to speak; I am only a child.”

<sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am only a child.’ You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. <sup>8</sup> Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you,” declares the LORD.

<sup>9</sup> Then the LORD reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, “Now, I have put my words in your mouth. <sup>10</sup> See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant.”

**PSALM 78 on page 95**

**SECOND LESSON - 1 Corinthians 12:27—13:13**

<sup>27</sup> Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it.

<sup>28</sup> And in the church God has appointed first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then workers of miracles, also those having gifts of healing, those able to help others, those with gifts of administration, and those speaking in different kinds of tongues. <sup>29</sup> Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? <sup>30</sup> Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? <sup>31</sup> But eagerly desire the greater gifts. And now I will show you the most excellent way.

<sup>1</sup> If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup> If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but have not love, I am nothing.

<sup>3</sup> If I give all I possess to the poor and surrender my body to the flames, but have not love, I gain nothing.

<sup>4</sup> Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. <sup>5</sup> It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. <sup>6</sup> Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. <sup>7</sup> It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

<sup>8</sup> Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away. <sup>9</sup> For we know in part and we prophesy in part, <sup>10</sup> but when perfection comes, the imperfect disappears. <sup>11</sup> When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put childish ways behind me. <sup>12</sup> Now we see but a poor reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.

<sup>13</sup> And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

**VERSE OF THE DAY - Luke 4:18**

Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord is on me; he has anointed me to preach good news. Alleluia.

## GOSPEL - Luke 4:20-32

<sup>20</sup> Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him, <sup>21</sup> and he began by saying to them, “Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.”

<sup>22</sup> All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his lips. “Isn’t this Joseph’s son?” they asked. <sup>23</sup> Jesus said to them, “Surely you will quote this proverb to me: ‘Physician, heal yourself! Do here in your hometown what we have heard that you did in Capernaum.’”

<sup>24</sup> “I tell you the truth,” he continued, “no prophet is accepted in his hometown. <sup>25</sup> I assure you that there were many widows in Israel in Elijah’s time, when the sky was shut for three and a half years and there was a severe famine throughout the land. <sup>26</sup> Yet Elijah was not sent to any of them, but to a widow in Zarephath in the region of Sidon. <sup>27</sup> And there were many in Israel with leprosy in the time of Elisha the prophet, yet not one of them was cleansed—only Naaman the Syrian.”

<sup>28</sup> All the people in the synagogue were furious when they heard this. <sup>29</sup> They got up, drove him out of the town, and took him to the brow of the hill on which the town was built, in order to throw him down the cliff. <sup>30</sup> But he walked right through the crowd and went on his way.

<sup>31</sup> Then he went down to Capernaum, a town in Galilee, and on the Sabbath began to teach the people. <sup>32</sup> They were amazed at his teaching, because his message had authority.

### APOSTLES’ CREED

**HYMN - 556 “Rise, Shine, You People”**

**SERMON - Luke 4:20-32**

**“Speak With Authority”**

**OFFERING**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

**HYMN - 385 “Chief of Sinners Though I Be”**

**BLESSING**

**HYMN - 293 “God’s Word Is Our Great Heritage”**

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

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### Serving today:

**Organist:** Jane Vacek

**Altar Guild:** Chrissy Forcier **Elder:** Kori Leske

**Video:** Mike Heine **Video:** Carl/Mark

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

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Monthly Calendar (under calendar) Weekly Bulletins (under service)

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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.	Choir
	8:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Immanuel
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.	Ladies Aid with Guest Speaker
	8:00	p.m.	School Board
Saturday	9:00	a.m.	ILS Basketball Tournament
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	9:45	a.m.	Hymn Sing
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
	11:00	a.m.	Elder’s Meeting
	11:00	a.m.	Q1 Birthday Celebration
	5:30	p.m.	GILL at Grace

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**Ladies Aid Meeting:** Wednesday, February 6, 2019 at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come and hear DeDe Schaefer of Harmony River to speak about volunteer opportunities within their Auxiliary. We will also make Valentine gifts for the shut-ins. *All ladies are invited to join us!!*



Mark your calendars for February 24, 2019, *after church*: The Fellowship Committee is inviting everyone for a “No Talent, Talent Show” and a “Chili Cook Off”. If you are interested in participating in the No Talent, Talent Show, please see the sign-up sheet in the entryway by February 17, 2019. For the Chili Cook Off, *please call Barb DeVries at 587-6138 to sign up*. Questions, contact Donna Telecky for the Talent Show and Barb DeVries for the Cook Off. *Otherwise Everyone welcome, you don't have to be in the talent show or cook off, but come out and vote for your favorite chili and enjoy the show!*



### Weather Closings

Winter weather will soon be with us again. On Sundays with questionable weather, worship cancellations will be announced on KDUZ -1260 AM radio. During the week, Pastor's policy is this: if Hutchinson Public Schools are closed for the day, evening events at both Immanuel and Zion will also be postponed on that day.



Back in 2016, a listing of volunteers (men & women) was established to be a resource of additional help if the Ladies' Serving Groups needed for the various functions (i.e. Funerals). The current listing is on the table in the entry way. If you would like to be added or removed, please update accordingly. If you have any questions, please contact Deb Plamann. Thank you.



From the Ladies' Annual Meeting, it was decided on to change the structure of the Serving Groups and Group Leaders. *First*, the Groups will be reassigned to 3 new groups. As soon as this is completed, new listings will be made available. All women of the congregation 18 years of age and older are added to this listing. If you would like to be an “Honorary Member”, please contact Deb Plamann. *Second*, the Ladies' Executive Team is looking for 10 volunteers to serve in the Group Leaders' role. The Group Leaders (team of 2) will rotate as the various functions (i.e. Funerals) occur. Meaning, they will only have to coordinate once every 5 functions versus once every three functions. If you would like to volunteer and/or have any questions, please contact Deb Plamann. Thank you.

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Celebrating  
**January, February, March Birthdays  
of the congregation.**

Next Sunday after church there will be cake and coffee in the basement. *Please join us for fellowship.*



Immanuel will have a hymn sing before worship **next Sunday** 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*  
**Grace Lutheran Church**  
**Sunday, February 10 at 5:30**



### PTF

Monday, February 11<sup>th</sup> there is PTF meeting at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome, even kids! There will be a movie and popcorn to keep the children busy.



**ILS Basketball -- Go Mustangs!!**  
**Tuesday, February 5 at 4:30 at Sleep Eye**  
**Thursday, February 7 at 4:00 at Gaylord**



### 2019 Mustang Classic Basketball Tournament

**Saturday, February 9, 2019**

**Rec Center - Hutchinson**

*Looking for volunteers* to work 1 hour time slots beginning at 9 am and going until 4 pm or when the tournament gets done. We're looking for volunteers to help with the admissions table, concessions, score keepers, time clock and sweeping the court. To help out, please contact the school or talk with Brian Gephart.



**Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade  
 Children of Grace Pre-School**

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

*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*



**Schwan's Fundraiser** starting - **42827**

- Immanuel Lutheran School and Children of Grace Preschool are selling **\$20 discount cards**
- **Kwik Trip - Milk Moola**
- **General Mills - BoxTops**



- **Country Hearth -**
- **Ink Cartridges** – There is a collection box in the entryway.
- **School Mall Fundraiser** - [www.SchoolMall.com](http://www.SchoolMall.com)
- **Amazon Fundraiser** - [www.smile.amazon.com](http://www.smile.amazon.com)
- **Cash Wise Points**– enroll at [www.cashwise.com](http://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.*

**Meeting RESCHEDULED TO Wednesday, February 20**

**at the school, beginning at 7pm, there is a meeting to discuss the wants, needs, & possibilities for a new school. We would appreciate everyone's thoughts, ideas, and opinions on this. What rooms, space, gym, parking, storage, ease of movement etc...What would you like for the future of YOUR SCHOOL? Please make plans to attend this meeting. Everyone welcome!**



**Robert Kock was Immanuel Lutheran School's teacher from 1953 to 1957.**

The funeral service for **Robert Kock** was on Wednesday, January 30, at St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church in Red Wing with Rev. Todd Engel officiating.

Robert William Kock, 91, of Red Wing, passed away on Thursday morning, January 24, 2019 at St. Crispin Care Center in Red Wing. He was born January 6, 1928 in Hastings, MN to Theophil and Veronica (Kerkow) Kock. He grew up in the Goodhue, MN area, attended Dr. Martin Luther College in New Ulm, graduating in 1950, with a Bachelor Degree in Education. On August 9, 1953 he married Eunice Habermann in Collins, WI.

Robert taught in various Parochial Schools: Collins, WI, Hutchinson, MN, Hortonville, WI, Watertown, WI, Jenera, Ohio, Red Wing, MN, and Tawas City, MI. After retiring from teaching he and Eunice moved to Winthrop, MN where they worked at Hands, Inc. for many years. He enjoyed music, camping, and wintering in Mesa, AZ. He was a member of St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church.

Robert is survived by his children, Kathy (Ed) Church of Red Wing, Judy (Kim) Seipel of Pepin, WI, Char (Steve) Van Deusen of Red Wing, James Koch of La Crescent, and Doris (Rick) Romeo of Tawas City, MI; grandchildren, Lindsay Wood, Stephanie Hoeft, Aaron Seipel, Jamie Brown, Jackie Garding, Jason Van Deusen, Bryan Koch, Daniel Koch, Mitchell Koch, Nicole and Katie Romeo; 13 great-grandchildren; a brother, Paul (Pearl) Kock; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, wife Eunice, 4 brothers, Ted, Norval, Don, and Dave.



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