



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

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
**MAY 5, 2019**

**HYMN - 295 “Dearest Jesus, We Are Here”**

*We begin with the Rite for Holy Baptism on page 12.*



This morning we celebrate the baptism of **Julia Ann Sanchez-Wendorff**. She is the daughter of Kayla Wendorff and Raul Sanchez-Lopez. Her Sponsors are Sara Wersal and Monica Sanchez Lopez. May the Lord bless Julia as she begins her life of faith!

*The Common Service resumes on page 16.*

*We will sing hymn 143 vv. 1,5 “He’s Risen, He’s Risen” in place of “Glory Be to God”*

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

O God, by the humiliation of your Son you lifted up this fallen world from the despair of death. By his resurrection to life, grant your faithful people gladness of heart and the hope of eternal joys; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**FIRST LESSON - Acts 9:1-19**

<sup>1</sup> Meanwhile, Saul was still breathing out murderous threats against the Lord’s disciples. He went to the high priest <sup>2</sup> and asked him for letters to the synagogues in Damascus, so that if he found any there who belonged to the Way, whether men or women, he might take them as prisoners to Jerusalem. <sup>3</sup> As he neared Damascus on his journey, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. <sup>4</sup> He fell to the ground and heard a voice say to him, “Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?”

<sup>5</sup> “Who are you, Lord?” Saul asked. “I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting,” he replied. <sup>6</sup> “Now get up and go into the city, and you will be told what you must do.”

<sup>7</sup> The men traveling with Saul stood there speechless; they heard the sound but did not see anyone. <sup>8</sup> Saul got up from the ground, but when he opened his eyes he could see nothing. So they led him by the hand into Damascus. <sup>9</sup> For three days he was blind, and did not eat or drink anything.

<sup>10</sup> In Damascus there was a disciple named Ananias. The Lord called to him in a vision, “Ananias!” “Yes, Lord,” he answered. <sup>11</sup> The Lord told him, “Go to the house of Judas on Straight Street and ask for a man from Tarsus named Saul, for he is praying. <sup>12</sup> In a vision he has seen a man named Ananias come and place his hands on him to restore his sight.”

<sup>13</sup> “Lord,” Ananias answered, “I have heard many reports about this man and all the harm he has done to your saints in Jerusalem. <sup>14</sup> And he has come here with authority from the chief priests to arrest all who call on your name.”

<sup>15</sup> But the Lord said to Ananias, “Go! This man is my chosen instrument to carry my name before the Gentiles and their kings and before the people of Israel. <sup>16</sup> I will show him how much he must suffer for my name.”

<sup>17</sup> Then Ananias went to the house and entered it. Placing his hands on Saul, he said, “Brother Saul, the Lord—Jesus, who appeared to you on the road as you were coming here—has sent me so that you may see again and be filled with the Holy Spirit.” <sup>18</sup> Immediately, something like scales fell from Saul’s eyes, and he could see again. He got up and was baptized, <sup>19</sup> and after taking some food, he regained his strength.

**PSALM 67 on page 91**

**SECOND LESSON - Revelation 5:11-14**

<sup>11</sup> Then I looked and heard the voice of many angels, numbering thousands upon thousands, and ten thousand times ten thousand. They encircled the throne and the living creatures and the elders. <sup>12</sup> In a loud voice they sang: “Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!”

<sup>13</sup> Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all that is in them, singing: “To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and honor and glory and power, for ever and ever!” <sup>14</sup> The four living creatures said, “Amen,” and the elders fell down and worshiped.

**VERSE OF THE DAY - Luke 24:32**

Alleluia. Alleluia. Christ has risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia. Our hearts were burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us. Alleluia.

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## GOSPEL - John 21:1-14

<sup>1</sup> Afterward Jesus appeared again to his disciples, by the Sea of Tiberias. It happened this way: <sup>2</sup> Simon Peter, Thomas (called Didymus), Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two other disciples were together. <sup>3</sup> “I’m going out to fish,” Simon Peter told them, and they said, “We’ll go with you.” So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

<sup>4</sup> Early in the morning, Jesus stood on the shore, but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus. <sup>5</sup> He called out to them, “Friends, haven’t you any fish?” “No,” they answered. <sup>6</sup> He said, “Throw your net on the right side of the boat and you will find some.” When they did, they were unable to haul the net in because of the large number of fish.

<sup>7</sup> Then the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, “It is the Lord!” As soon as Simon Peter heard him say, “It is the Lord,” he wrapped his outer garment around him (for he had taken it off) and jumped into the water. <sup>8</sup> The other disciples followed in the boat, towing the net full of fish, for they were not far from shore, about a hundred yards. <sup>9</sup> When they landed, they saw a fire of burning coals there with fish on it, and some bread. <sup>10</sup> Jesus said to them, “Bring some of the fish you have just caught.”

<sup>11</sup> Simon Peter climbed aboard and dragged the net ashore. It was full of large fish, 153, but even with so many the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup> Jesus said to them, “Come and have breakfast.” None of the disciples dared ask him, “Who are you?” They knew it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup> Jesus came, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. <sup>14</sup> This was now the third time Jesus appeared to his disciples after he was raised from the dead.

## APOSTLES’ CREED

**HYMN - 160 “This Joyful Eastertide”**

**SERMON - John 21:1-14**

**“They Knew It Was the Lord”**

**OFFERING**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

**HYMN - 714 “The Lamb”**

**BLESSING**

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

*Today’s altar flowers are a special gift to our Savior  
in celebration of the baptism of  
Julia from her family.*

## Serving today:

**Organist:** Jane Vacek

**Altar Guild:** Sharon Smith, Wendy Hellwig **Elder:** Kori Leske

**Video:** Chrissy Forcier **Video:** Nolan Hoff

**Ushers:** Bruce Trick, Kyler Adams, Tessa Adams, Don Dettman, Andy Weber, Brad Weber, Dylan Weber, Travis Gauer, Jon Hoff and Nolan Hoff

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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>MLC Door Offering</i>
			<i>Monday to Wednesday – Pastor’s Conference</i>
<del>Monday:</del>	<del>7:00</del>	<del>p.m.</del>	<del>Bible Study at Immanuel</del>
Tuesday:	2:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Grace
	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Grace
<del>Wednesday:</del>	<del>4:15</del>	<del>p.m.</del>	<del>Confirmation</del>
	7:00	p.m.	Council
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	9:45	a.m.	Hymn Sing
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
			<i>MLC Door Offering</i>

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Immanuel will have a hymn sing before worship on Sunday, May 12th 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.



The Fellowship Committee would like to celebrate  
**April, May and June Birthdays**  
of the congregation.

### Along with New Member Welcome Recognition

Sunday, May 19  
after church  
*Everyone invited!*



The Fellowship Committee invites everyone for treats and coffee/milk after church in the basement. Please join us as we welcome **Josh Paulson** who joined our church in 2018. Along with **Simon Yerks** who was Baptized in 2018.



### 2019 Graduates

Do you have a son or daughter (and/or yourself) graduating this year from college, vocational school, high school or Kindergarten? If so, we would like to include them on the "Board of Honor" and recognized on Graduation Sunday. Please contact Julie Thompson by May 19<sup>th</sup> (mail box 75) with the following information: Picture, School Graduation from & Future Plans.



### Ascension Service

Thursday, May 30 at 7 p.m. at Zion

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Mark your calendars....

**Thursday Bible Study begins**  
**May 9 at 10 a.m.**

**Monday Night Services begin**  
**Monday, June 3 at 7 p.m.**



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

[ilschool@hutchtel.net](mailto:ilschool@hutchtel.net)

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

### Upcoming Events:

- Monday, May 6th Track Meet at Sleepy Eye 9am (4-7 grade only)
- Monday, May 13th PTF meeting 6:30pm
- Wednesday, May 15th Softball tournament at Gaylord 12pm (4-7 grade only)
- Saturday, May 18th Registration for the 2019-2020 school year 9am-11am

*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*

- Immanuel Lutheran School and Children of Grace Preschool are selling **\$20 discount cards**

- **Kwik Trip - Milk Moola**

- **General Mills - BoxTops**

- **Country Hearth - Loaves4Learning**

- **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)



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