



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

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
JULY 2, 2023

In honor of Independence Day, please stand for the “Star Spangled Banner.”

Star Spangled Banner



Oh, say can you see by the dawn’s early light
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight’s last
gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars thru the
perilous fight,

O’er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming?
And the rocket’s red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O’er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

"I **pledge allegiance** to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

HYMN - 620 “O Worship the King”

We follow Setting Two on page 172.

CONFESSION

LORD, HAVE MERCY

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST

The Word

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of all power and might, you are the giver of all that is good. Help us love you with all our heart, strengthen us in true faith, provide us with all we need, and keep us safe in your care; through your Son,

Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST READING – Exodus 32:15-29

¹⁵ Moses turned and went down the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant law in his hands. They were inscribed on both sides, front and back. ¹⁶ The tablets were the work of God; the writing was the writing of God, engraved on the tablets.

¹⁷ When Joshua heard the noise of the people shouting, he said to Moses, “There is the sound of war in the camp.” ¹⁸ Moses replied: “It is not the sound of victory, it is not the sound of defeat; it is the sound of singing that I hear.”

¹⁹ When Moses approached the camp and saw the calf and the dancing, his anger burned and he threw the tablets out of his hands, breaking them to pieces at the foot of the mountain. ²⁰ And he took the calf the people had made and burned it in the fire; then he ground it to powder, scattered it on the water and made the Israelites drink it. ²¹ He said to Aaron, “What did these people do to you, that you led them into such great sin?”

²² “Do not be angry, my lord,” Aaron answered. “You know how prone these people are to evil. ²³ They said to me, ‘Make us gods who will go before us. As for this fellow Moses who brought us up out of Egypt, we don’t know what has happened to him.’ ²⁴ So I told them, ‘Whoever has any gold jewelry, take it off.’ Then they gave me the gold, and I threw it into the fire, and out came this calf!”

²⁵ Moses saw that the people were running wild and that Aaron had let them get out of control and so become a laughingstock to their enemies. ²⁶ So he stood at the entrance to the camp and said, “Whoever is for the LORD, come to me.” And all the Levites rallied to him.

²⁷ Then he said to them, “This is what the LORD, the God of Israel, says: ‘Each man strap a sword to his side. Go back and forth through the camp from one end to the other, each killing his brother and friend and neighbor.’” ²⁸ The Levites did as Moses commanded, and that day about three thousand of the people died. ²⁹ Then Moses said, “You have been set apart to the LORD today, for you were against your own sons and brothers, and he has blessed you this day.”

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SECOND READING – 1 Timothy 6:11-16

¹¹ But you, man of God, flee from all this, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness. ¹² Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confession in the presence of many witnesses. ¹³ In the sight of God, who gives life to everything, and of Christ Jesus, who while testifying before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you ¹⁴ to keep this command without spot or blame until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵ which God will bring about in his own time—God, the blessed and only Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords, ¹⁶ who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, whom no one has seen or can see. To him be honor and might forever. Amen.

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Refrain



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

All: Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and / follow me.

Refrain

GOSPEL – Matthew 10:34-42

³⁴ “Do not suppose that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I did not come to bring peace, but a sword. ³⁵ For I have come to turn “a man against his father, a daughter against her mother, a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law—³⁶ a man’s enemies will be the members of his own household.” ³⁷ “Anyone who loves their father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; anyone who loves their son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. ³⁸ Whoever does not take up their cross and follow me is not worthy of me. ³⁹ Whoever finds their life will lose it, and whoever loses their life for my sake will find it.

⁴⁰ “Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me, and anyone who

welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. ⁴¹ Whoever welcomes a prophet as a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward, and whoever welcomes a righteous person as a righteous person will receive a righteous person’s reward. ⁴² And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones who is my disciple, truly I tell you, that person will certainly not lose their reward.”

HYMN – 543 “O Jesus, King Most Wonderful”

SERMON – Exodus 32:15-49

“Love the Lord Above All”

APOSTLES’ CREED

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

HYMN – 830 “We Walk by Faith”

PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

BLESSING

HYMN - 775 “Before You, Lord We Bow”

Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek

Elder: Jason Horrmann

Video Taping: Mark DeVries

Power Point: Lily DeVries

Altar Guild: Kari Paredes and Julie Thompson

Ushers: Jeremy Prieve, Michael Thompson, Chuck Nisse,

Brad Duesterhoeft, Andy Prieve, Alex Prieve, Kyle Podratz

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Living in God’s Grace this Week

Today, Sunday:	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
Monday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study
	7:00	p.m.	Worship Service
Wednesday:	7:00	p.m.	Choir Practice at Grace for Outdoor service
Thursday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study
Sunday:	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion

Contacts

Pastor Eugene DeVries Pastor’s cell: 320-405-6490

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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 pm on Nuvera channel 10 or Mediacom channel 107.3



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

Services are streamed live on Sundays at 10 a.m.



Teacher, Joel Holz - School office: 320-587-4858

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Attention all Singers, we invite you to share your talents for the joint outdoor worship service on July 16 at 10:30.



Singers will provide several songs during the service.

Please come to the practices scheduled for the following nights at Grace Lutheran.

Wednesday, July 5 at 7 p.m.

Tuesday, July 11 at 7 p.m.

Everyone Welcome!

Vacation Bible School

July 10 - 14, 2023

9:00 - 11:30 am

at Grace Ev. Lutheran Church

430 5th Ave. SW, Hutchinson

Come gather together for a fun week of Bible stories, songs, games, crafts, and snacks. Activities are geared toward children 3 years old through sixth grade.

Friday, July 14 a closing service will be held after VBS at 10:40 AM with a picnic lunch to follow in the basement. Families are invited to attend.

Sunday, July 16 an outdoor worship service will be held at McLeod County Fairgrounds at 10:30 AM. The children will sing the songs they learned at VBS. Please bring your own lawn chairs. Potluck meal to follow.

Call Barbara (320)587-6138 or email libertygirlpower@protonmail.com. Registration forms will be on the table in the entry or on the church’s website.

Up-coming Meetings

Wednesday, July 12

7 p.m.

Ladies Semi-Annual meeting

Tuesday, July 18

7 p.m.

Voter’s/Congregational Meeting

Everyone invited

**You are invited to an
Outdoor Worship Service
&
Potluck Lunch**

10:30 a.m.

July 16th 2023

Hutchinson Fairgrounds



Service will be held in the Pavilion with
Installation of

Miss Amanda Lokensgard and Miss Rebecca Loescher
Loose plate offerings will go towards the new school.



Bring a chair for the service



VBS and Joint Choir will sing



Pot-Luck Lunch

- will be setup in the Commercial Building meeting room
- bring a large dish(es) with serving utensil to share
- outlets are available for crockpots (extension cords will be provided)
- coolers are suggested as refrigeration space is limited
- paper products, silverware and beverage provided



kingdom workers.

There are collection boxes in the church entryway if you would to donate any of the following items for the workers.

Snacks --- Nuts
Chips --- Crackers
Granola bars --- Breakfast items
Gatorade--- Water bottles

Also, if you would like to serve lunch (and dessert) for approximately 15 people, please sign up using the following link.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0A45ADAD2FAAFE3-builders1>

Plates, napkins, silverware and drinks are all provide. All you would have to do is bring by 11:45 a.m. to the Teacherage. We do have volunteers to serve and clean up, but if you'd like to help on the day you sign up for, that would be great as well.

If any questions, please contact Brittany Clark or Julie Thompson.
Thank you.

Donate cash to purchase supplies contact

Brittany Clark at 587-4858

WELS Builders for Christ are looking for area volunteers to work with them. No construction experience is necessary and there are many opportunities to serve. Contact Elwood Heidt at 507-327-3313 for more information.

We are still looking for a few items for the Teacherage:

- 1 Queen bedframe and 1 Queen mattress
OR
- 2 Twin bedframes and 2 Twin mattresses

These can be returned if needed once workers no longer are staying there – Contact Brittany with questions.

If you have any of these items you'd like to donate, please let Brittany Clark know as soon as possible.



Preschool, Kindergarten, 1st through 8th Grade

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
- **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.



BUILDING FAITH

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.hutchinsonlutheralschool.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 (hutchinsonlutheralschool.com)**

FOUNDATIONS -



Thrivent Choice Dollars®

Do you have Choice Dollars® available?
Have you directed them? You can direct to thousands of organizations enrolled in the program - *including Immanuel Lutheran Church and School!*

School Calendar

