



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

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 14, 2022

HYMN - 872 “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

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CONFESSION

LORD, HAVE MERCY

GLORY BE TO GOD

The Word

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O Lord, your ears are always open to the prayers of your humble servants, who come to you in Jesus' name. Teach us always to ask according to your will that we may never fail to obtain the blessings you have promised; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST READING – Jeremiah 23:23-39

“Am I only a God nearby,”
declares the Lord,

“and not a God far away?

²⁴ Who can hide in secret places

so that I cannot see them?”

declares the Lord.

“Do not I fill heaven and earth?”

declares the Lord.

²⁵ “I have heard what the prophets say who prophesy lies in my name. They say, ‘I had a dream! I had a dream!’” ²⁶ How long will this

continue in the hearts of these lying prophets, who prophesy the delusions of their own minds? ²⁷ They think the dreams they tell one another will make my people forget my name, just as their ancestors forgot my name through Baal worship. ²⁸ Let the prophet who has a dream recount the dream, but let the one who has my word speak it faithfully. For what has straw to do with grain?” declares the Lord. ²⁹ “Is not my word like fire,” declares the Lord, “and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?”

³⁰ “Therefore,” declares the Lord, “I am against the prophets who steal from one another words supposedly from me. ³¹ Yes,” declares the Lord, “I am against the prophets who wag their own tongues and yet declare, ‘The Lord declares.’” ³² Indeed, I am against those who prophesy false dreams,” declares the Lord. “They tell them and lead my people astray with their reckless lies, yet I did not send or appoint them. They do not benefit these people in the least,” declares the Lord.

³³ “When these people, or a prophet or a priest, ask you, ‘What is the message from the Lord?’ say to them, ‘What message? I will forsake you, declares the Lord.’” ³⁴ If a prophet or a priest or anyone else claims, ‘This is a message from the Lord,’ I will punish them and their household. ³⁵ This is what each of you keeps saying to your friends and other Israelites: ‘What is the Lord’s answer?’ or ‘What has the Lord spoken?’” ³⁶ But you must not mention ‘a message from the Lord’ again, because each one’s word becomes their own message. So you distort the words of the living God, the Lord Almighty, our God. ³⁷ This is what you keep saying to a prophet: ‘What is the Lord’s answer to you?’ or ‘What has the Lord spoken?’” ³⁸ Although you claim, ‘This is a message from the Lord,’ this is what the Lord says: You used the words, ‘This is a message from the Lord,’ even though I told you that you must not claim, ‘This is a message from the Lord.’” ³⁹ Therefore, I will surely forget you and cast you out of my presence along with the city I gave to you and your ancestors.

PSALM 4

SECOND READING – Hebrews 12:1-13

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. ²⁶ And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for

us, ² fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. ³ Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

⁴ In your struggle against sin, you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding your blood. ⁵ And have you completely forgotten this word of encouragement that addresses you as a father addresses his son? It says,

“My son, do not make light of the Lord’s discipline,
and do not lose heart when he rebukes you,
⁶ because the Lord disciplines the one he loves,
and he chastens everyone he accepts as his son.”

⁷ Endure hardship as discipline; God is treating you as his children. For what children are not disciplined by their father? ⁸ If you are not disciplined—and everyone undergoes discipline—then you are not legitimate, not true sons and daughters at all. ⁹ Moreover, we have all had human fathers who disciplined us and we respected them for it. How much more should we submit to the Father of spirits and live! ¹⁰ They disciplined us for a little while as they thought best; but God disciplines us for our good, in order that we may share in his holiness. ¹¹ No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it.

¹² Therefore, strengthen your feeble arms and weak knees. ¹³ “Make level paths for your feet,” so that the lame may not be disabled, but rather healed.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION page 161

Refrain: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Verse: Always give yourselves fully to the work / of the Lord,

Because you know that your labor in the Lord is / not in vain.

Refrain: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

GOSPEL – Luke 12:49-53

⁴⁹ “I have come to bring fire on the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! ⁵⁰ But I have a baptism to undergo, and what constraint I am under until it is completed! ⁵¹ Do you think I came to bring peace on earth? No, I tell you, but division. ⁵² From now on there will be five in one family divided against each other, three against two and two against three. ⁵³ They will be divided, father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.”

Children’s Sermon

HYMN - 590 “O Holy Spirit, Enter In”

SERMON – Jeremiah 23:23-39

“Speak Faithfully”

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

THE SACRAMENT - *We invite those who agree with the teachings of this church and of the WELS to partake of the true body and blood of Jesus Christ.*

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

838 “The Will of God Is Always Best”

656 “As Surely as I Live, God Said”

BLESSING

HYMN - 876 “Fight the Good Fight”

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Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek **Elder:** Steven Plamann
Video Taping: Mark DeVries **Power Point:** Lily DeVries
Altar Guild: Sharon Smith and Deb Boelter
Ushers: Andy Weber, Jon Hoff, Justin Black, Bruce Trick,
 Don Dettman, Dylan Weber, Travis Gauer, Nolan Hoff

Living in God’s Grace this Week

Today, Sunday:	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	Worship Service in Mtg Room
Thursday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study at ILC
Sunday:	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion
	2:00	p.m.	Fellowship Committee Mtg

Attendance

August 7
August 8

Offerings

Budget:\$ Mission:\$
School Building: \$
Lawn care: \$

Contacts

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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



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Once again it is time for the **McLeod County Fair!** This year the McLeod County WELS Churches and our school will be sponsoring a booth at the Fair.

Volunteers are needed to attend the booth from Thursday, August 18th through Sunday, August 21st. **Please call Teresa Ross at 320.305.9262 with Grace Lutheran to schedule a time slot to volunteer. Thank you.**

Calling all Voices!!

If you would like to join the choir, please join us starting on **Monday, September 19th at 6:30 p.m.** Hope to see you there!



Back to School night is scheduled for Sunday, August 28

First Day of School Monday, August 29th

A Fellowship Committee Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, August 21 at 2 p.m.

If you would like to join us in planning a variety of activities for the congregation, please join us.

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Preschool, Kindergarten, 1st through 8th Grade

BUILDING FAITH FOUNDATIONS - New School Building:

More is needed to help fund a whole new building where our children and school can continue to grow. 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. Fill out the form and submit your payment. It is that easy and you will have the satisfaction of supporting our school and your children's continued faith-based education. Feel free to forward this to anyone you think may have an interest in helping. 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?



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.

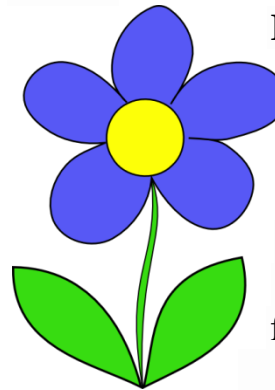
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Fundraising Continues! To date, we've raised and received commitments of nearly \$1 million for the school building project. Thank you for your continued prayers and consideration of a donation as we get closer to our goal of \$2.3 million. To donate, visit: www.hutchinsonlutherschool.com
Or contact Brian Gephart.



Fundraiser: Fall Flowers Gerten's Fundraiser with proceeds going towards the new school.

To order: Starting August 8 go online to www.gertensfundraising.com and enter the Store ID code of **591** into the field and click 'Enter ID to Continue'.

This Fundraiser will close on September 1 and orders will be delivered on September 16.

If any questions, please contact Beth Podratz.

Thank you for your support!



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