

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

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 22, 2021

HYMN - 368 "O Savior, Precious Savior"

We follow Service of the Word on page 38.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift of grace that we come into your presence and offer true and faithful service. Grant that our worship on earth may always be pleasing to you, and in the life to come give us the fulfillment of what 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 LESSON - Proverbs 9:1-6

¹ Wisdom has built her house; she has set up its seven pillars ² She has prepared her meat and mixed her wine; she has also set her table. ³ She has sent out her servants, and she calls from the highest point of the city, ⁴ "Let all who are simple come to my house!" To those who have no sense she says, ⁵ "Come, eat my food and drink the wine I have mixed. ⁶ Leave your simple ways and you will live; walk in the way of insight."

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SECOND LESSON - Ephesians 5:15-20

¹⁵Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. ¹⁷Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. ¹⁸Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹speaking to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. Sing and make music from your heart to the

Lord, ²⁰ always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

VERSE OF THE DAY - Hebrews 4:12

Alleluia. The Word of God is living and active, sharper than any twoedged sword, discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. Alleluia.

GOSPEL - John 6:51-58

⁵¹ I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will live forever. This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world." ⁵² Then the Jews began to argue sharply among themselves, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?"

⁵³ Jesus said to them, "Very truly I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. ⁵⁴ Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day. ⁵⁵ For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. ⁵⁶ Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷ Just as the living Father sent me and I live because of the Father, so the one who feeds on me will live because of me. ⁵⁸ This is the bread that came down from heaven. Your ancestors ate manna and died, but whoever feeds on this bread will live forever."

HYMN - 185 "O Holy Spirit, Grant Us Grace"

SERMON - Proverbs 9:1-6

"Wisdom Raises Her Voice"

APOSTLES' CREED

OFFERING

ADULT CONFIRMATION

LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN - 214 "Jerusalem the Golden"

PRAYER

HYMN - 579 "Lift High the Cross"

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This morning we welcome **Tyler Schmeling** into membership through the rite of adult confirmation. Tyler married Courtney Jahner here at Immanuel in 2014. They have three children: Tyson, Jaxon, and Lennon.

Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek Elder: Jason Horrmann

Video Taping: Mark DeVries Power Point: Mike Heine

Altar Guild: Deb Boelter and Julie Thompson

Ushers: Andy Weber, Jon Hoff, Justin Black, Bruce Trick, Don Dettman,

Dylan Weber, Travis Gauer, Nolan Hoff

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on Nuvera channel 10 or Mediacom channel 107.3

Please note ILS' NEW web site: www.hutchinsonlutheranschool.com

Monthly Calendar (under calendar) Weekly Bulletins (under service) "Like" us on Facebook

Living in God's Grace this Week

Today, Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
Monday: 7:00 p.m. Worship Service
Thursday: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Worship Service

3:00 to 5:00p ILS Back to School Night

Monday: First Day of School for ILS

7:00 p.m. Worship Service

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Choir:

Looking for assistance with directing the choir for the upcoming year, please contact Pastor with questions.

Mark your calendar.... Sunday, September 12th after church

Ice Cream Treats & "Show off your Wheels"



The Fellowship Committee is encouraging those that have collector cars and/or tractors to bring to church to "Show off your wheels". Ice Cream Treats will also be served.



Everyone is welcome to attend the **September 1**st at 7 **p.m**. Ladies' Aid meeting, as our guest speaker is Chris Schlueter. She will be speaking about garden cleanup, preserving produce and touching a bit on planting fall bulbs for spring color.



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First Day of School Monday, August 30

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Thank you! We want to "thank" Sharon Smith for her 8 years of volunteering as our Belle Plaine Congregational Representative. At the end of the year she will be stepping down. If you would be interested in being the representative, please contact Sharon. It would involve coordinating the collection boxes for the Bingo prizes (July) and Christmas gifts (December) for the residents along with delivery and assistance with gifts as needed.



Belle Plaine Lutheran Home Christmas Gifts

Note this year we will not be collecting for BINGO, but instead we will be collecting Christmas gifts for the Belle Plaine Hope Center Residents. These gifts assure that every

resident will receive a Christmas gift. You can get ideas for gifts from the "Needs Gift List" below. A collection box will be available throughout August. It is unsure if we will be able to assist decorating and/or wrapping gifts this year, but we would still like to deliver the gifts for the residents. Please contact Sharon Smith, Belle Plaine Coordinator, with any questions. *Thank you*.

"Needs Gift List"

- Craft paints, water-soluble
- Construction paper -- Sketch pads
- Easy craft kits -- Snap-on care models
- Markers -- Scissors
- Puzzles, 300 piece -- Word search puzzles
- Leather making kits -- Manicure sets
- Hand lotion Hand-held game videos
- CD players, CD's easy-listening music
- Small snack items for bingo prizes
- Large print books -- Necklaces
- $\bullet \ Washable \ slippers-Men's \ after shave$
- Scarves Baseball caps
- Open-front sweatshirts or cardigans
- Bottled "ice" water any flavor
- Puddings -- Word search books
- Small Hershey bars
- Body and Bath Lotion
- Dollar Store Adult Coloring Books



Interested in learning how to support WELS missions?

Attend the LWMS Crow River Circuit

Fall Rally!

Sat., Sept. 25, 2021

Registration at 10:15 – Coffee & Rolls & Shop the Thai Village Event begins at 11:00

Calvary Lutheran - Glenwood

411 SE 2nd St. Glenwood, MN 56334

Rally Schedule:

Devotion & Bible Study

Luncheon and shop Thai Village crafts to support economic self-sufficiency and Christian Education in Thailand. Mission Speaker – Kate Tohal, "Equipping Christian Witnesses" Business Meeting

Interested in attending via Zoom? Contact Teresa Ross at taross316@gmail.com Or watch Livestream on CRC Facebook page.

All women of the Crow River Circuit are invited and encouraged to bring guests. Children & families welcome!

LWMS Congregation Reporters please RSVP participants by Sept. 20 to: Barb Schutt at bas2838@hotmail.com

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Kindergarten through 8th Grade Children of Grace Pre-School

NEW WEBSITE: www.hutchinsonlutheranschool.com https://www.facebook.com/immanuellutheranschoolhutchinson



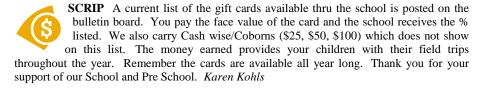
Looking for afternoon caregivers with **Latch Key** for the 2021/2022 school year. It would be 2-5 days a week (either just a few days or everyday) from after school at 3:00 until the last child is picked up no later than 6:00, but typically around 5:00. Looking for someone with lots of energy and loves playing with kids. Please contact Brittany Clark, ILS Secretary, at the school 587-4858, if interested.



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



- **New** 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 Mall Fundraiser www.SchoolMall.com
- Amazon Fundraiser www.smile.amazon.com
- Cash Wise Points-enroll at 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.



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program - including Immanuel Lutheran Church and School!