



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

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 25, 2019

HYMN - 417 "I'm But a Stranger Here"

We follow Service of the Word on page 38.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, you reveal your mighty power chiefly in showing mercy and kindness. Grant us the full measure of your grace that we may obtain your promises and become partakers of your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST LESSON - Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:18-26

² "Meaningless! Meaningless!" says the Teacher. "Utterly meaningless! Everything is meaningless."

¹⁸ I hated all the things I had toiled for under the sun, because I must leave them to the one who comes after me. ¹⁹ And who knows whether he will be a wise man or a fool? Yet he will have control over all the work into which I have poured my effort and skill under the sun. This too is meaningless. ²⁰ So my heart began to despair over all my toilsome labor under the sun. ²¹ For a man may do his work with wisdom, knowledge and skill, and then he must leave all he owns to someone who has not worked for it. This too is meaningless and a great misfortune. ²² What does a man get for all the toil and anxious striving with which he labors under the sun? ²³ All his days his work is pain and grief; even at night his mind does not rest. This too is meaningless.

²⁴ A man can do nothing better than to eat and drink and find satisfaction in his work. This too, I see, is from the hand of God, ²⁵ for without him, who can eat or find enjoyment? ²⁶ To the man who pleases him, God gives wisdom, knowledge and happiness, but to the

sinner he gives the task of gathering and storing up wealth to hand it over to the one who pleases God. This too is meaningless, a chasing after the wind.

PSALM 34 on page 80

SECOND LESSON - Colossians 3:1-11

¹ Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. ² Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. ³ For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. ⁴ When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

⁵ Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. ⁶ Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. ⁷ You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived. ⁸ But now you must rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips. ⁹ Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices ¹⁰ and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator. ¹¹ Here there is no Greek or Jew, circumcised or uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave or free, but Christ is all, and is in all.

VERSE OF THE DAY - John 14:23

Alleluia. Jesus replied, "If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him." Alleluia.

GOSPEL - Luke 12:13-21

¹³ Someone in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me."

¹⁴ Jesus replied, "Man, who appointed me a judge or an arbiter between you?" ¹⁵ Then he said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions."

¹⁶ And he told them this parable: "The ground of a certain rich man produced a good crop. ¹⁷ He thought to himself, 'What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.'

¹⁸ “Then he said, ‘This is what I’ll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹ And I’ll say to myself, ‘You have plenty of good things laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry.’”

²⁰ “But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?’

²¹ “This is how it will be with anyone who stores up things for himself but is not rich toward God.”

HYMN - 484 “Brothers, Sisters, Let Us Gladly”

SERMON - Ecclesiastes 1:2,2:18-26

“It Won’t Make You Happy”

APOSTLES’ CREED

OFFERING

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN - 477 “What Is the World to Me”

PRAYER

HYMN - 125 “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

All our guests are welcome to worship Jesus the Savior with us again. Kindly sign our friendship register. Graciously receive the greetings & introductions of our church family.

Serving today:

Organist: Jane Vacek

Altar Guild: Elaine Prieve **Elder:** Kurt Leske

Video: Mike Heine **Video:** Nolan

Ushers: Jeremy Prieve, Joshua Prieve, Alex Prieve, Andy Prieve,

Del Prieve, Michael and Julie Thompson, Eric Thompson, Kyle Podratz

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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:	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
	2:00	p.m.	Fellowship Committee
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	Worship Service at ILC
Monday:			First Day of School for ILS
Tuesday:	2:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Grace
	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study at Grace
Thursday:	10:00	a.m.	Bible Study at Immanuel
Sunday:	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service



Monday Night Service
August 26 at 7 p.m.

Joint Council Meeting

At Zion

Tuesday, September 3 at 7 p.m.



Thank you to all who donated money and/or goods for the Belle Plaine Bingo Party. All of the items are greatly appreciated. The residents enjoyed the prizes and treats served to them. Also, thank you to those that came and helped during the day. It was a successful Bingo Party as evident by all of the smiles.

Sharon Smith, Belle Plaine Representative

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Mark your calendar....  
Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> after church

**Ice Cream Social**

&

**“Show off your Wheels” & “Fair Projects”**

The Fellowship Committee is planning an Ice Cream Social for **Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>** after church. BBQ Pork Sandwiches will be served by the committee, however, they are looking for some pies! If you are willing to bring a pie to share, please sign-up sheet in the entryway.



Also, in conjunction with the Ice Cream Social, we are encouraging those that have collector cars and/or tractors to bring to church to **“Show off your wheels”**. New this year is **“Show off your Fair Projects”**. If you participated in a county fair, please bring your project and/or ribbons to the basement to share.



**The LWMS Fall Rally** is coming up on September 28<sup>th</sup>. Also, there will be a **special Door Offering** on Sundays, September 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>.

The Ladies Aid will be **touring the high school**, Wednesday, September 4 at 6 pm. Meet in the front of the high school and the tour guide will be the Assistant Principal, Jen Telecky.

**Everybody is invited to join us!!**

*At the August 21 Council meeting it was discussed and approved to purchase the propane gas for the heating season at a contract price of \$1.249/gallon for 3,500 gallons. However, this option needs to be paid for upfront at the cost of \$4,371. It was approved to use the line of credit to pay for this. However, the Council is asking for your help to pay off this purchase on the line of credit relatively quickly. Please consider giving an additional gift in your offering towards this expense. Thank you.*

**Ignite your  
passion for  
Missions !**



**LWMS Crow River Circuit  
Fall Rally**

**Saturday, September 28, 2019**

*Hosted by*

**St. Paul's Lutheran**

227 Ramsey Ave. South, Litchfield, Minnesota 55355

**Guest Speaker is Leigh  
McGrath, member of the  
National LWMS Spiritual  
Awareness Committee**



Registration 10:30 a.m.  
Opening Devotion 11 a.m.

**All women of the Crow River Circuit are invited and encouraged to bring guests.**

If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet in the entryway.

Thank you, as the ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran would like a count for preparations.

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

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

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

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



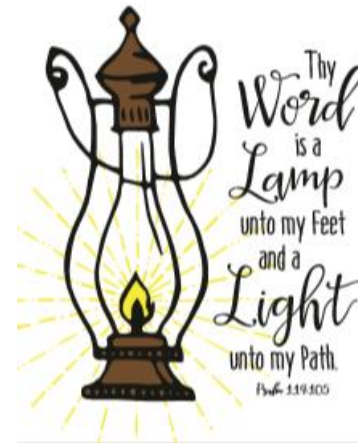
*The latchkey program is in need of caregivers for the students before and after school for the 2019-2020 school year. If you are willing to help, please contact Barbara DeVries 320-587-6138 or [devriesfamilyinbox@gmail.com](mailto:devriesfamilyinbox@gmail.com)*

**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*

- **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)



*A complete listing with details is on the table in the entry way by the school display. Thank you for your help.*



2019 – 2020  
**Immanuel Lutheran School  
And  
Children of Grace**

Theme

**First Day of School  
Monday, August 26**

(ILS) No School - Friday, August 30th

**G.I.L.L. – Grace and Immanuel Luther League**



*Sunday, September 8 at 5:30  
Bonfire at Immanuel*



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