

Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church Immanuel Lutheran School & Children of Grace Preschool

20882 Walden Ave. Hutchinson, MN 55350

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 12, 2019

HYMN - 239 "Glory Be to God the Father"

We follow the Service of Word and Sacrament on page 26.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O Lord Jesus Christ, you are the Good Shepherd who laid down your life for the sheep. Lead us now to the still waters of your life-giving Word that we may abide in your Father's house forevermore; for you live and reign with him and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST LESSON - Acts 13:15,16,26-33

- ¹⁵ After the reading from the Law and the Prophets, the synagogue rulers sent word to them, saying, "Brothers, if you have a message of encouragement for the people, please speak."
- ¹⁶ Standing up, Paul motioned with his hand and said: ²⁶ "Brothers, children of Abraham, and you God-fearing Gentiles, it is to us that this message of salvation has been sent. ²⁷ The people of Jerusalem and their rulers did not recognize Jesus, yet in condemning him they fulfilled the words of the prophets that are read every Sabbath. ²⁸ Though they found no proper ground for a death sentence, they asked Pilate to have him executed. ²⁹ When they had carried out all that was written about him, they took him down from the tree and laid him in a tomb. ³⁰ But God raised him from the dead, ³¹ and for many days he was seen by those who had traveled with him from Galilee to Jerusalem. They are now his witnesses to our people.
- ³² "We tell you the good news: What God promised our fathers ³³ he has fulfilled for us, their children, by raising up Jesus. As it is written in the second Psalm: "You are my Son; today I have become your Father.'

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SECOND LESSON - Revelation 7:9-17

- ⁹ After this I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands. ¹⁰ And they cried out in a loud voice: "Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb."
- ¹¹ All the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures. They fell down on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹² saying: "Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!"
- ¹³ Then one of the elders asked me, "These in white robes—who are they, and where did they come from?"
- ¹⁴ I answered, "Sir, you know." And he said, "These are they who have come out of the great tribulation; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. ¹⁵ Therefore, "they are before the throne of God and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will spread his tent over them.
- ¹⁶ Never again will they hunger; never again will they thirst. The sun will not beat upon them, nor any scorching heat.
- ¹⁷ For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; he will lead them to springs of living water. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

VERSE OF THE DAY - John 10:14

Alleluia. Alleluia. Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia. I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me. Alleluia.

GOSPEL - John 10:22-30

- ²² Then came the Feast of Dedication at Jerusalem. It was winter, ²³ and Jesus was in the temple area walking in Solomon's Colonnade. ²⁴ The Jews gathered around him, saying, "How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Christ, tell us plainly."
- ²⁵ Jesus answered, "I did tell you, but you do not believe. The miracles I do in my Father's name speak for me, ²⁶ but you do not believe because you are not my sheep. ²⁷ My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸ I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one can snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹ My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand. ³⁰ I and the Father are one."

Children's Sermon

HYMN - 375 "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

SERMON - John 10:22-30

"They Know His Voice"

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

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

384 - "By Grace I'm Saved"

315 - "Here; O My Lord, I See You Face to Face"

BLESSING

HYMN - 360 "The Lord's My Shepherd; I'll Not Want"

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**Serving today:** 

**Organist:** Jane Vacek

Altar Guild: Sharon Smith, Wendy Hellwig Elder: Steve Plamann

Video: Mike Heine Video: Josh/Alex/Andy

Ushers: Bruce Trick, Kyler Adams, Tessa Adams, Don Dettman,

Andy Weber, Brad Weber, Dylan Weber, Travis Gauer, Jon Hoff and Nolan

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## ~~~Calendar of Events & Announcements~~~

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| Living in God's Grace this Week |       |      |                               |
|---------------------------------|-------|------|-------------------------------|
| Today, Sunday:                  | 9:00  | a.m. | Sunday School                 |
|                                 | 9:45  | a.m. | Hymn Sing                     |
|                                 | 10:00 | a.m. | Worship Service               |
|                                 |       |      | MLC Door Offering             |
| Monday:                         | 6:30  | p.m. | PTF                           |
|                                 | 7:00  | p.m. | Bible Study at Immanuel       |
| Tuesday:                        | 2:00  | p.m. | Bible Study at Grace          |
|                                 | 7:00  | p.m. | Bible Study at Grace          |
| Wednesday:                      | 4:15  | p.m. | Confirmation                  |
| Thursday:                       | 10:00 | a.m. | Bible Study at Immanuel       |
| Saturday:                       | 9-11  | a.m. | ILS Early School Registration |
| Sunday:                         | 9:00  | a.m. | Sunday School                 |
|                                 | 10:00 | a.m. | Worship Service               |
|                                 | 11:00 | a.m. | Birthday Celebrations         |
|                                 | 2:00  | p.m. | Fellowship Committee Meeting  |
|                                 |       |      |                               |



Door offering for MLC Ladies' Auxiliary will be on Sunday TODAY - May 12<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you.



Immanuel will have a hymn sing before worship on TODAY, 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.

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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

There will be a brief Voter's meeting after church on Sunday, May 19 to finalize the parsonage A/C project

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## Mark your calendars....

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



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

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## **Upcoming Events:**

- 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
- May 23rd Last day of classes at school, Potluck 5:30pm, closing service 6:30pm followed by student awards. All at Immanuel Church
- May 24th Our Savior's Track Meet Invite at Hutch High School 9am (kindergarten 7th 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* 

• 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
- 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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