



Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church
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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 25, 2025

HYMN – 455 “Alleluia! Jesus Lives”

We follow Setting Two on page 172.

CONFESSION

LORD, HAVE MERCY

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST

The Word

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, you are the giver of everything good. Inspire us, your humble servants, to long for what is right and, through your gracious guidance, accomplish it to your glory; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST READING – Acts 14:8-22

⁸ In Lystra there sat a man who was lame. He had been that way from birth and had never walked. ⁹ He listened to Paul as he was speaking. Paul looked directly at him, saw that he had faith to be healed ¹⁰ and called out, “Stand up on your feet!” At that, the man jumped up and began to walk.

¹¹ When the crowd saw what Paul had done, they shouted in the Lycaonian language, “The gods have come down to us in human form!” ¹² Barnabas they called Zeus, and Paul they called Hermes because he was the chief speaker. ¹³ The priest of Zeus, whose temple was just outside the city, brought bulls and wreaths to the city gates because he and the crowd wanted to offer sacrifices to them.

¹⁴ But when the apostles Barnabas and Paul heard of this, they tore their clothes and rushed out into the crowd, shouting: ¹⁵ “Friends, why are you doing this? We too are only human, like you. We are bringing you good news, telling you to turn from these worthless things to the living God, who made the heavens and the earth and the sea and everything in them. ¹⁶ In the past, he let all nations go their own way. ¹⁷ Yet he has not left himself without testimony: He has shown kindness by giving you rain from heaven and crops in their seasons; he provides you with plenty of food and fills your hearts with joy.” ¹⁸ Even with these words, they had difficulty keeping the crowd from sacrificing to them.

¹⁹ Then some Jews came from Antioch and Iconium and won the crowd over. They stoned Paul and dragged him outside the city, thinking he was dead. ²⁰ But after the disciples had gathered around him, he got up and went back into the city. The next day he and Barnabas left for Derbe.

²¹ They preached the gospel in that city and won a large number of disciples. Then they returned to Lystra, Iconium and Antioch, ²² strengthening the disciples and encouraging them to remain true to the faith. “We must go through many hardships to enter the kingdom of God,” they said.

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SECOND READING – Revelation 21:21-27

²¹ The twelve gates were twelve pearls, each gate made of a single pearl. The great street of the city was of gold, as pure as transparent glass.

²² I did not see a temple in the city, because the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are its temple. ²³ The city does not need the sun or the moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and the Lamb is its lamp. ²⁴ The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their splendor into it. ²⁵ On no day will its gates ever be shut, for there will be no night there. ²⁶ The glory and honor of the nations will be brought into it. ²⁷ Nothing impure will ever enter it, nor will anyone who does what is shameful or deceitful, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb’s book of life.



Refrain: Alle-lu-ia, alle-lu-ia, alle-luia, al-le-lu-ia.



All: Weeping may stay / for the night,
But rejoicing comes in the / morning.

Refrain

GOSPEL – John 16:16-24

¹⁶ Jesus went on to say, “In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me.”

¹⁷ At this, some of his disciples said to one another, “What does he mean by saying, ‘In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me,’ and ‘Because I am going to the Father’?” ¹⁸ They kept asking, “What does he mean by ‘a little while’? We don’t understand what he is saying.”

¹⁹ Jesus saw that they wanted to ask him about this, so he said to them, “Are you asking one another what I meant when I said, ‘In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me’?” ²⁰ Very truly I tell you, you will weep and mourn while the world rejoices. You will grieve, but your grief will turn to joy. ²¹ A woman giving birth to a child has pain because her time has come; but when her baby is born she forgets the anguish because of her joy that a child is born into the world. ²² So with you: Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy. ²³ In that day you will no longer ask me anything. Very truly I tell you, my Father will give you whatever you ask in my name. ²⁴ Until now you have not asked for anything in my name. Ask and you will receive, and your joy will be complete.

HYMN – 557:1-5 “Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice”

“Joy That Spites Sorrow”

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

HYMN – 449 “This Joyful Eastertide”

BLESSING

HYMN – 513 “In You Is Gladness”

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Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek **Elder:** Jason Horrmann
Video Taping: Mark DeVries **Power Point:** Alex/Lily
Altar Guild: Sharon Smith and Wendy Hellwig
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
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study at ILC
Thursday:	7:00	p.m.	Memorial Day
Sunday:	10:00	a.m.	Ascension Service at Zion
			Graduation Sunday



Ascension Service

Thursday, May 29th at 7 p.m. at Zion

Hope Sulzle has been assigned to teach 3-5 grades at IGLS.

Her father is the pastor in Redwood Falls.

Hope is engaged to Jason Horn and they'll be married this July.

*And Thank you to **Isaiah Loersch** – for his talents teaching our students this past year - you will be missed –
 God’s Blessings on your next call.*

~~Calendar of Events & Announcements~~

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

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Graduation Sunday is Sunday, June 1st We will be celebrating the following:



**Isabella Krajsa
Breckyn Telecky
Teagyn Telecky
Tyson Fox
Emma Hoff
Amanda Tews
Lily DeVries
Mark DeVries
Andy Prieve**

Mark your calendars....

**Monday Night Services begin
Monday, June 2 at 7 p.m.**

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Monday Bible Class at 10 a.m. starts: June 2nd

Vacation Bible School: July 7th to 11th



**Outdoor Service: July 13 at the
Fairgrounds**



Food Drive for snacks for Summer Care:
Summer care starts June 2nd we are looking for your help with snacks for the children. We will be collecting for the month of June. Please NO NUTS, due to allergies. Thank you so much for your assistance.

And individual packaged serving portions would be great! Here are some suggestions:

- Graham Cracker Fresh Stacks
- Funyuns (10 count box)
- Cheetos (10 count box)
- Lays (10 count box)
- Doritos (10 count box)
- Veggie Straws (10 count box)
- Smartfood Popcorn (10 count box)
- Cheez-It Original (30 pack box)
- Goldfish Cheddar Crackers (30 pack box)
- Mini Alphabet Cookies (30 pack box)
- Mini Chippers Cookies (30 pack box)
- Fruit Smiles (40 pack box)
- Pringles Snack Stacks Variety pack (27 cups)

If any questions, please feel free to contact Julie Thompson.