



Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church
20882 Walden Ave. Hutchinson, MN 55350
Pastor: Eugene DeVries

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
FEBRUARY 22, 2026

HYMN – 556 “All Mankind Fell in Adam’s Fall”

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CONFESSION

LORD, HAVE MERCY

GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST

The Word

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Mighty God and Father, our Lord Jesus walked into the wilderness to face the devil’s temptations, but he did not succumb to Satan’s lies or falter in his resolve to save the world from the prison of hell. Bolster our faith by his mighty victory that we may battle against the forces of evil with courage and confidence; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

FIRST READING – Genesis 3:1-15

Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the Lord God had made. He said to the woman, “Did God really say, ‘You must not eat from any tree in the garden?’”

²The woman said to the serpent, “We may eat fruit from the trees in the garden, ³but God did say, ‘You must not eat fruit from the tree that is in the middle of the garden, and you must not touch it, or you will die.’”

⁴“You will not certainly die,” the serpent said to the woman. ⁵“For God knows that when you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil.”

⁶When the woman saw that the fruit of the tree was good for food and pleasing to the eye, and also desirable for gaining wisdom, she took some and ate it. She also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it. ⁷Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized they were naked; so they sewed fig leaves together and made coverings for themselves.

⁸Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the Lord God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the Lord God among the trees of the garden. ⁹But the Lord God called to the man, “Where are you?”

¹⁰He answered, “I heard you in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; so I hid.”

¹¹And he said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree that I commanded you not to eat from?”

¹²The man said, “The woman you put here with me—she gave me some fruit from the tree, and I ate it.”

¹³Then the Lord God said to the woman, “What is this you have done?”
The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

¹⁴So the Lord God said to the serpent, “Because you have done this,

“Cursed are you above all livestock and all wild animals! You will crawl on your belly and you will eat dust all the days of your life.

¹⁵And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel.”

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SECOND READING – Romans 5:12-19

¹²Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all people, because all sinned—

¹³To be sure, sin was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not charged against anyone’s account where there is no law. ¹⁴Nevertheless, death reigned from the time of Adam to the time of Moses, even over those who did not sin by breaking a command, as did Adam, who is a pattern of the one to come.

¹⁵ But the gift is not like the trespass. For if the many died by the trespass of the one man, how much more did God's grace and the gift that came by the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ, overflow to the many! ¹⁶ Nor can the gift of God be compared with the result of one man's sin: The judgment followed one sin and brought condemnation, but the gift followed many trespasses and brought justification. ¹⁷ For if, by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through that one man, how much more will those who receive God's abundant provision of grace and of the gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ!

¹⁸ Consequently, just as one trespass resulted in condemnation for all people, so also one righteous act resulted in justification and life for all people. ¹⁹ For just as through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners, so also through the obedience of the one man the many will be made righteous.

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Refrain: Glory and praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ.

⁴ Glory and praise to you, Lord Je - sus Christ.

All (sing): We do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weak- / nesses;

We have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he / did not sin.

Refrain

GOSPEL – Matthew 4:1-11

Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. ² After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. ³ The tempter came to him and said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread.”

⁴ Jesus answered, “It is written: ‘Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.’”

⁵ Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. ⁶ “If you are the Son of God,” he said, “throw yourself down. For it is written:

“‘He will command his angels concerning you, and they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.’”

⁷ Jesus answered him, “It is also written: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’”

⁸ Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. ⁹ “All this I will give you,” he said, “if you will bow down and worship me.”

¹⁰ Jesus said to him, “Away from me, Satan! For it is written: ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.’”

¹¹ Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.

HYMN – 864 “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

SERMON – Genesis 3:15

“The Victory Is Won!”

APOSTLES' CREED

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

HYMN – 836 “I Walk in Danger All the Way”

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING

HYMN – 842 “Jesus, Still Lead On”

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Serving today at Immanuel:

Organist: Jane Vacek **Elder:** Jason Horrmann
Video Taping: Mark DeVries **Power Point:** Kate Black
Altar Guild: Karen Plath and Betty Rusch
Ushers: Andy Weber, Jon Hoff, Justin Black, Bruce Trick, Don Dettman, Dylan Weber, Brad Weber, Travis Gauer, Nolan Hoff, Zach Markgraf, Samuel DeVries

Living in God's Grace this Week

Today, Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study at ILC
Wednesday:	2:00	p.m.	Worship at Zion
	4:15	p.m.	Confirmation
	5:30	p.m.	Supper served in ILC Basement
	7:00	p.m.	Worship at ILC
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service
			<i>IGLS Children sing at Grace</i>

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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



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

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

Immanuel Grace Lutheran School

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Wednesday, February 25

2p Worship at Zion

5:30 to 6:30p Supper Served at ILC

7p Worship at Immanuel

Group 1 is serving supper

To be served before church starting at 5:30 p.m.

Menu: Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Beans, Salads and Dessert

Free will offering



Easter Lilies: Anyone interested in purchasing an Easter Lily in memory of a loved one, please sign up on the sheet in the entry way **by March 22, 2026**. The cost is \$14. Please pay Donna Telecky.



In March, we will be collecting for the McLeod County Food Shelf. March is the MN Food Share Campaign. All donations, including monetary, during the campaign are multiplied by the Food Fund. Collection boxes will be in the entryway. Thank you for your help.

**The 2026 Church Directory and 2025 Annual Report are available.
Please pick up on the table in the entry way.**

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Weather Closings – PROCESS UPDATE

Winter weather is here. On Sundays with questionable weather, worship cancellations will be determined by Pastor and the Elders by 9 p.m. Saturday night before church. Announcements will be made via: Email, Facebook and the Church's Website. If the weather is questionable, and not cancelled by 9 p.m., each member can make their own determination if they are comfortable to drive to church or not. During the week, Pastor's policy is this: if Hutchinson Public Schools are closed for the day, evening events at both Immanuel and Zion will also be postponed on that day.

Ms. Brittany Trimmer
Of St. Stephen's Lutheran School
in Beaver Dam, Wisconsin has returned our call.

The next call meeting will be Sunday,
March 1 at 7 p.m. in the school.



School Calendar

Saturday, February 28 from 9 to noon – Preschool & Kindergarten
Open House.

Sunday, March 1 – Children sing at Grace

Monday, March 2 at 6:30 - PTF



KWIK TRIP CARWASH CARD FUNDRAISER

It is that time of year, with the mud, snow (not so much this year) and salt, our cars need washing every other week! Well, here is your chance to purchase and sell Kwik Trip carwash cards for yourself and your family/friends. You get 5 Ultimate car washes for just \$36; individually bought at the store they are \$10/wash. Pre-sales sign up sheet on the school table in the church entryway. Please pay Julie Thompson.



BUY A BRICK PROGRAM

This program will help beautify our campus and help us raise money for our school. The bricks will be placed in front of school. Whether you are a student, graduate, or a supporter of Immanuel Grace Lutheran School, add your name to the history books. Buy a 4 x 8 brick for \$40 or an 8 x 8 brick for \$60. Order forms are located on the school table in the church entryway. Please pay Julie Thompson by March 2.

Immanuel Grace Lutheran School

PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN

2026

OPEN HOUSE

Our Programs

- Preschool age 3-4 (turning 3 before Sept. 1)
- Prekindergarten age 4-5 (turning 4 before Sept. 1)
- Kindergarten age 5 (turning 5 before Sept. 1)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH

From 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

20849 Walden Ave, Hutchinson MN 55350

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If you would like to purchase **Scrip cards** (*now called Raise Right*) - On hand is a supply of popular cards for

anything last minute. Cash Wise is not on the list, but I do have cards for Cash Wise/Coborns.

Just a reminder, the cards pay the face value of the card and the school gets the rebate % which is used for trips during the year.

Please see Karen Kohls or reach out to her via email kohls@hutchtel.net or text 320-444-0170.