

The Lord's Week

Sun. 9:00am **Holy Communion Service on KMMO AM 1300**
10:30am SS/BC
11:30am Board of Ed

Mon. 8:30am Bible Study at Royal Oaks

Tues. 9:30am Pastor's Study in Emma

Wed. 4:00pmm Care Team Meeting

Thurs. 5:30-7:30pm Orphan Grain Train Volunteers-Concordia

Sun. 9:00am **Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300**
10:15am Blood Pressure Checks
10:30am SS/BC

Those serving

Musician: Megan Dennis
The Greeters: Tim & Charlotte Schelp
The Acolyte: Andrea
The Head Usher: Allen Bredehoeft
Radio and Sound: Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
Church Secretary: Judy Teufel
Church Custodian: Jim Teufel
Pastor: Rev. Alan Mueller

Whether you are a lifelong member or visiting for the first time we are honored to have you here this morning. Please feel free to contact the office regarding questions of membership or of a spiritual or personal matter. You may contact the office at: (660) 335-4141. If you get a chance check us out online at:

www.lcmsimmanuel.org

Church office: 110 Main, Sweet Springs, MO 65351

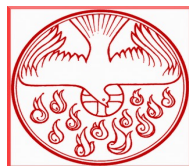
May the Peace of Christ dwell in you!



Immanuel Lutheran Church

Powered by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim the work of the Son, in adoration of the Father.

Sola Gratia. Sola Fide. Sola Scriptura. Solus Christus.



Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

*Ringing of Bell
Welcome*

Aug. 18, 2019

Hymn # 828 “We Are Called to Stand Together”

Confession and Absolution (stand) p.203

Psalm 119:81-88

Kyrie, Gloria In Excelsis p.204

Salutation and Collect p.205

Scripture Lessons

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:16-29

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:17-12:1-3

Alleluia & Verse p.205

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

The Nicene Creed (inside back cover of hymnal) (sit)

Hymn of the Day # 655 “Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word”

Sermon: “What’s Left Behind”

Text:- Hebrews 12:1-3

Offering (as we receive our offering please sign the friendship register)

Prayers of the Church

Service of the Sacrament p.208-210

Distribution Hymns #623 #618 #643

Nunc Dimittis p.211

Post Communion Collect & Benediction pp.211-212

Closing Hymn #924 “Lord Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”

To God be glory for 141 years of His grace at Immanuel and 69 years of proclaiming Jesus on our radio broadcast!



**Communion Participation
at Immanuel Lutheran**

As members of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS), Immanuel's policy regarding the Lord's Supper is one of closed Communion. We invite all confirmed members who are in good standing with an LCMS congregation to commune with us. Participation in the Lord's Supper is, Scripturally speaking, a communal act and therefore is reserved, in our church body, for those making the same confession. (See I Corinthians 11:17-34)

Members of other church bodies are welcome to participate in our liturgy and in the hearing of God's Word, but are asked to refrain from participation in the Lord's Supper. We would be glad for you to come forward and receive a blessing; simply cross your arms in front of you after kneeling.

We respect the confession you make in the church you attend. Communing with us would signify you are no longer a member of that church body. We, along with the whole Christian Church on earth, look forward to eternal life when all divisions will cease.

If you are not a member of the LCMS and uncertain as to whether you ought to participate please refrain from participation until you have talked with Pastor or one of the Elders.. They would be glad to discuss the matter with you.

Also, it is important for members of our church body to prepare for receiving the Lord's Supper and that can be done in the following manner: recognize that you are a sinner, repent of your sin, believe that you are receiving Christ's true body and blood in, with, and under the bread and wine, and that what you eat and drink is for the forgiveness of your sins.

If you have time check out pp. 329-30 of the Lutheran Service Book. Walk through these Christian Questions and Answers as you prepare for worship this morning.

OFFICE HOURS

Pastor Mueller's Office Hours this week: Tues. 2:00pm-5:00pm; Wed. 6:00pm-8:00pm; Thurs. 8:00am-12:00pm. **Please come in and visit with him. He will be in and out of the office the rest of the week. You may reach him at 770-548-8869 or at PastorAlanMueller@yahoo.com.**

Secretary's hours this week: Office hours will be: M W-TH 8:00am-1:00pm; T-12:00-4:00; F-Closed. If you need something please call or text Judy Teufel at 660-202-2993.

Communion Committee

Aug. 21 Vicki Meyer
Allison Schowengerdt
Sept. 1 Judy Staples
Judy Vogelsmeier

Acolytes

Aug. 18 Andrea
Aug. 25 Ashtyn
Sept. 1 Andrea
Sept. 8 Levi

A- Adoration

You, O LORD, are a shield around me, my glory, the One who lifts my head high (Psalm 3:3).

C - Confession

I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my iniquity. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," And you forgave the guilt of my sin (Psalm 32:5)

T - Thanksgiving

Let them give thanks to the LORD for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for mankind, for he satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things (Psalm 107:8-9).

S - Supplication

On behalf of our neighbors, we commit these and many others to Your keeping this day.

Betty Brandt, Pat Duffey, Norma Gieseke, Mary Opfer, Charles Swopes, and Carol Thurman.

Family and Friends of Immanuel:

Nancy Abbuhl, Cindy Bernard, Amy Masters, Terry Nelson, Erika Rothacher (Gudde's granddaughter), Judy Schick, Bill & Kathy (Harms) Taylor, Chad Taylor (Harm's grandson), and Debbie Walgren.

LGSNH: Sylvia Henley, Millie Heins, LoWanda Pinkepank, Sharon Swopes and Martha Jane Vogelsmeier

The Villa: Dorothy Krause

Laurie Care Center: Mickie Hemme

For President Harrison and his family (LCMS President) and President Hagan and his family (MO District President).

Mission Workers:

Josh, Coco, John, and Sophia Lange (China), Rev. Peter & Kristie Kolb (Thailand), those serving POBLO

Military: Rodney Haesemeyer, Chad Ziegelbein

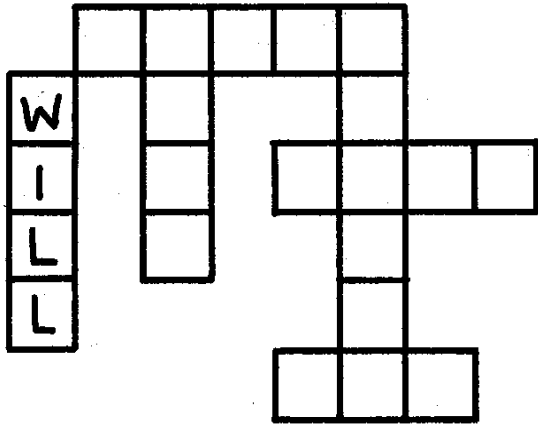
For Friends and Family of Dusty Brandt: Lord, we ask for your peace to come upon and comfort all who mourn the loss of Dusty. Give us the assurance that all who believe in you will not die, but have eternal life.

PRAYERS

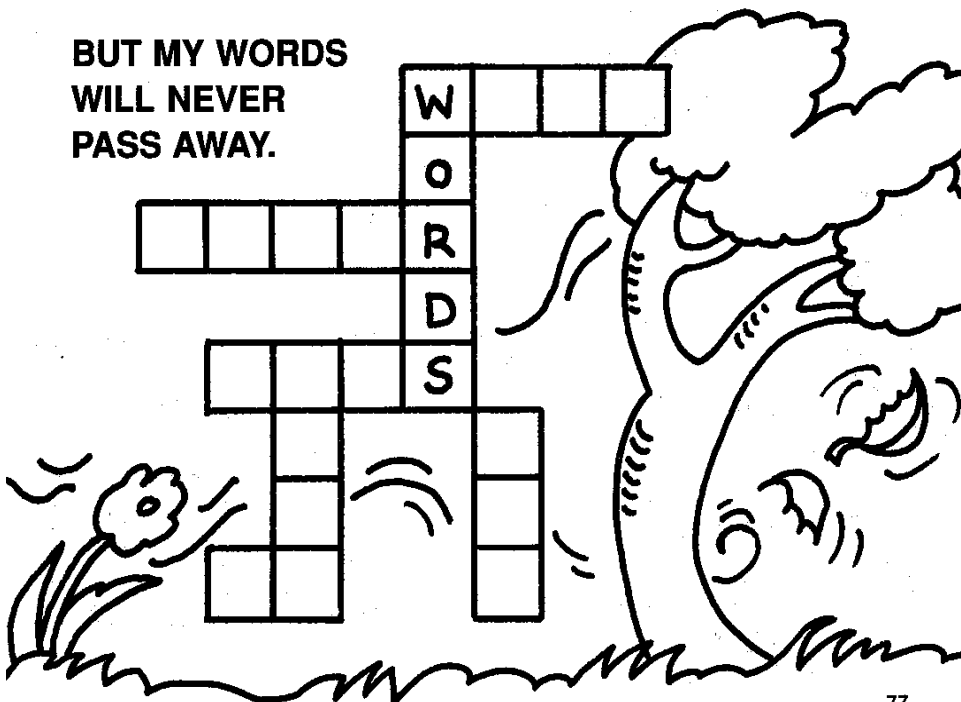
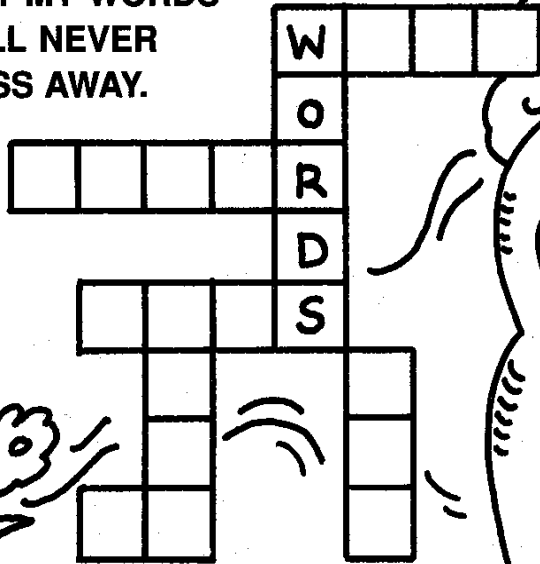
EMPTY SQUARES

Try to fit each group of Jesus' words into the squares beside it. One word of each set has been done for you.

HEAVEN
AND
EARTH
WILL
PASS
AWAY,



BUT MY WORDS
WILL NEVER
PASS AWAY.



Holy Cross church is offering the After School Program again this year. There is bus service from all 3 schools (Sweet Springs, Concordia, St. Paul's). *There are no openings* at this time, but you may be put on the waiting list. Please call Holy Cross for more information at: 660-463-7869. Begins August 20th. **AFTER SCHOOL CARE**



THRIVENT BACK TO SCHOOL SHOE DRIVE August 1-30, 2019

At Thrivent, we believe a key part of being wise with your gifts is sharing them. That's why we've teamed up with Samaritan's Feet to help bring shoes to children in need. *A new pair of shoes can help a child start the new school year with confidence*—confidence in the classroom, with their friends, and to pursue their dreams. **Join us as we provide new shoes to kids in need by bringing new children's athletic shoes and dropping them off.** These shoes will spread a message of hope to children across the US. **There is box in Narthex to collect the shoes.**



Change of Time!
Care Team Meeting: The next meeting for the team will be August 21 @ 4pm.
Mark your calendars.

Capital Improvement=Capital Fund Raiser!!

At the Voter's Meeting in May it was moved and approved to put Insulation above the sanctuary and above the ceilings in the education building. The cost should be approximately \$18,000. This work will begin this week, so that we should begin to see savings soon on our utilities. However, the upfront cost of \$18,000 is needed to be covered. For example if this is broken down by 100 households it would be \$180 per household. Please use the envelopes in your mailboxes or in the narthex and/or label your donation:
"For insulation. Project".
THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!



Mission of Immanuel Lutheran Church
We commit ourselves to preach the Word of God, to administer the Sacraments and religious instruction to young and old according to the confessional standards of the Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Check us out on: www.immanuel Lutheran media.org We have wonderful music (appropriate for the office) the occasional devotion from LHM, live audio feed of worship services, and archived audio and some video of previous services. Please make use of this wonderful tool alongside our regular broadcast on 1300AM KMMO.

The family of Leland Schelp would like to express our sincere gratitude to members of Immanuel. Thank you for the continued prayers during his year and a half at the Veterans Home. Also many thanks for the prayers during his numerous bouts of pneumonia and visits to the hospital.

Thank you to the Care Team for always remembering him with cards with birthday wishes, get well wishes and those just to let him know you were thinking of him.

Thank you to Pastor Mueller for visiting and providing a service with us on Monday, your visit on Tuesday and being with us during the planning process. Thank you for the wonderful message at the funeral. Even though you hadn't really gotten acquainted with Dad, your service was spot on.

Thank you to the Ladies of the Congregation for the luncheon you provided on Saturday. The food was delicious. A special thank you to those who organized, worked and prepared dishes.

The love and support shown during this difficult time is truly a blessing. It's so comforting to know we have such a wonderful church family that we love.

God's Blessings,
Tim & Charlotte Schelp
Mark Schelp



HOLY LAND TOUR – Visiting the Biblical sites (Beersheba, Jordon River, Capernaum, Caesarea, Jericho, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Masada, Petra, etc) in Israel & Jordan in a smaller group with other Midwest LCMS Lutherans! (Nov 12-23, 2019) (This is the trip Pastor Wing took). Contact Darold Reiner – retired LCMS Pastor: 406-890-1149 or reiner@centurytel.net

Attendance & Giving July 2019

Sunday Church Service Attendance				Giving (weeks 5-8)			
Date	Members	Visitors	Total	'19	Amount	'18	Amount
July 7	81	15	96	27	\$ 4,261.00	27	\$ 3,354.00
July 14	85	54	139	28	\$ 2,635.00	28	\$ 1,532.00
July 21	109	21	130	29	\$ 2,037.00	29	\$ 2,500.00
July 28	96	19	115	30	\$ 1,789.00	30	\$ 1,828.00
Installation			194				
Total Giving for the Weeks of 27-30					\$ 10,722.00		\$ 9,214.00
Total On Line Giving for the month					\$ 639.00		\$ 1,467.10
Total Other Giving							
Total Giving for the Weeks of 27-30					\$ 11,361.00		\$ 86,808.24
Total Giving (offering & tithes) YTD					\$ 85,768.26		

SS/BC Attendance			SS/BC Attendance			
Date	SS Total	BC Total	Date	SS Total	BC Total	
July 7	9	13				
July 14	No SS	No BC				
July 21	No SS	8				
July 28	No SS	No BC				

Changes in Membership July 2019					
Deaths	0	Baptisms	0	Marriages	0
Confirmations	0	Transfers Out	0	Transfers In	0

Church Budget 2019-\$172,000
 Needed tithes and offerings for July 2019 \$13,230.
 Actual amount of tithes and offerings July 2019 \$.11,361.
 Shortfall June 2019 \$1,869.00.

Immanuel had a great turnout for the Installation dinner on July 28. The freewill offering totaled \$1,020.00. A Thrivent card and a nice discount provided by Vicki and Ron reduced the cost of catering to \$740.00. The remaining \$280.00 has been allocated to the insulation project. Thanks to all who attended and generously donated.