

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

"God With Us"



Reformation Sunday

October 31st, 2021

*To God be glory for 143 years of His grace at Immanuel and
71 years of proclaiming Jesus on our radio broadcast!*

Prelude
Ringing of Bells
Welcome

Confession and Absolution

Hymn of Invocation #LSB 657

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Stand

The sign of the cross ✠ may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** **Amen.**
- P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C** **who made heaven and earth.**
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
- C** **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**
- P** Upon your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** **Amen.**

Service of the Word

Psalm 46:1-7,10-11

¹God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble.

²Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way,
 though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,
³though its waters roar and foam,
 though the mountains tremble at its swelling.

⁴There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,
 the holy habitation of the Most High.

⁵God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved;
 God will help her when morning dawns.

⁶The nations rage, the kingdoms totter;
 he utters his voice, the earth melts.

⁷The LORD of hosts is with us;
 the God of Jacob is our fortress.

¹⁰“Be still, and know that I am God.
 I will be exalted among the nations,
 I will be exalted in the earth!”

¹¹The LORD of hosts is with us;
 the God of Jacob is our fortress.

☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;
 as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

Kyrie

☐ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
 on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Gloria in Excelsis

☐ Glory be to God on high: ☐ and on earth peace, good - will toward
 men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,
 we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
 O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.

O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-

on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Let us pray.

Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

Bell Choir

For All the Saints

First Reading

Revelation 14:6–7

⁶Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. ⁷And he said with a loud voice, “Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water.”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Romans 3:19–28

¹⁹Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. ²⁰For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

²¹But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— ²²the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: ²³for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, ²⁴and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God’s righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. ²⁶It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

²⁷Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. By what kind of law? By a law of works? No, but by the law of faith. ²⁸For we hold that one is justified by faith apart from works of the law.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia



C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life \dagger of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

Hymn of the Day 578 sts. 1-3, 5

Thy Strong Word

Sermon

Title: The Gospel: Free and Freeing

Scripture: John 8 and Romans 3

Offering

Stand

Offertory



Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

Prayers of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

P The Lord be with you.

C **And with thy spirit.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

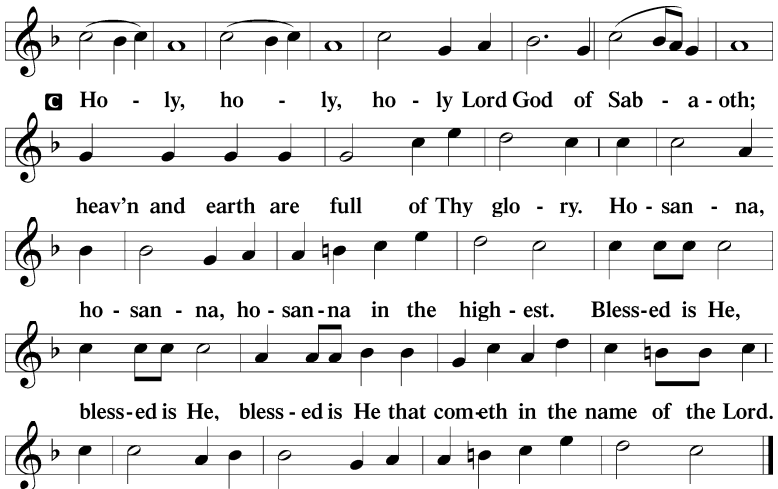
P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

C **It is meet and right so to do.**

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, for what had been hidden from before the foundation of the world You have made known to the nations in Your Son. In Him, being found in the substance of our mortal nature, You have manifested the fullness of Your glory.

Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,
ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,
bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.

Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Lord's Prayer

C **Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who
trespass against us;**

and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 For Thine is the kingdom, the power,
 And the glory forever and ever.
 Amen.

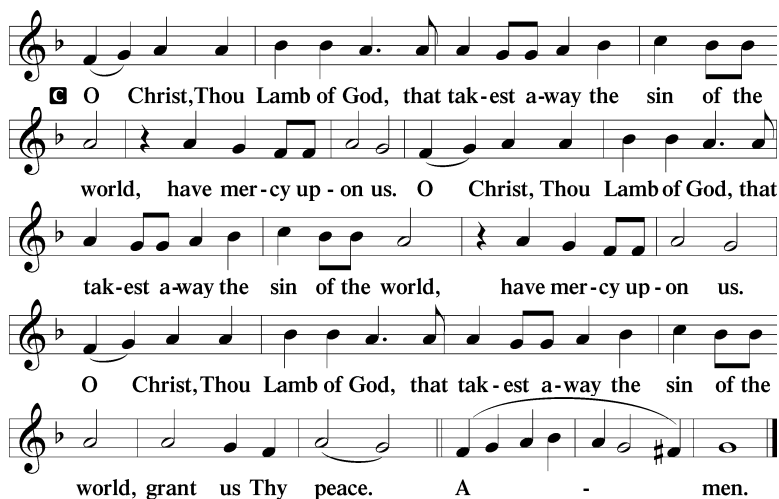
The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

Agnus Dei



C O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

Sit

Distribution

Distribution Hymn #LSB 566

By Grace I'm Saved

Distribution Hymn #LSB 645

Built on the Rock

Distribution Hymn #LSB 794

The Lord, My God, Be Praised

Stand

Nunc Dimittis



C Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de-part in peace accord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast pre-pared be-fore the face of all people,

a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy
 peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and
 to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
 is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

Thanksgiving

- A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
- C** and His mercy endures forever.

- A** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

- C** Amen.

Benedicamus

- A** Let us bless the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Benediction

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

- C** A - men, a - men, a - men.

Hymn to Depart #LSB 555 *sts. 1-2,8-9 Salvation unto Us Has Come*

Acknowledgments

Divine Service, Setting Three from Lutheran Service Book

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The Lord's Week

Sun.	9:00am 10:15am 4:30-7:00pm	Holy Communion Service on KMMO AM 1300 BC/SS <i>Trick-or-Treat</i>
Wed.	10:00am	Women's Bible Study
Thurs.	7:00pm	Combined Choir Practice at Holy Cross
Sat.	5-8pm	<i>Bingo Night/Tacos, Pie & ice cream</i>
Sun.	9:00am 10:15am	Holy Communion Service on KMMO AM 1300 BC/SS

TONIGHT



Immanuel Lutheran Church is having a Trick or Treat event at the church on **October 31st from 4:30 pm to 7 pm**. A sacked meal will be provided along with treats for the children. We will handle it like last year by setting up outside on the west side by the doors to the Educational Building and greeting people there. Missions is sponsoring the event so please stop by, grab some goodies and say hello.

TODAY

Board of Ed and the Sunday School is seeking to purchase new costumes for the children's Christmas Program. They will be **collecting donations** for this project, October 31st. There is a basket in the Narthex to collect donations or you could drop them off at the church office. Thank you for helping to support our Sunday School children.



Hello, my name is Emma Johnson! I'm a part of the promotions crew for the **Saint Paul Lutheran High School Drama Department**. This year for drama we are **performing Clue** written by Sandy Rustin and based on the screenplay of Jonathan Lynn. This production has many working bodies to make it the best and most successful it can be. Our cast and crew have been working hard on this production to make it possible. Our projected dates are **Friday, November 12th at 7 p.m. and Saturday, November 13th at 7 p.m.** We hope you will be able to join us for our production!

Those Serving

Musician.....	Judy Teufel
Acolyte.....	Andrea Renken
Radio and Sound.....	Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
Ushers.....	Dave Gieselman, Allen Bredehoeft, Curtis Kirchhoff, Ron Meyer
Church Secretary.....	Judy Teufel
Church Custodian.....	Jon Dallman
Pastor.....	Pastor Alan Mueller

BINGO Night

Saturday, November 6th from 5-8 pm

Street Tacos, chips, pie and ice cream

Meal is free will donation.

Bingo Prizes for adults and kids

Cost-\$1 per card

Proceeds go to scholarships

Come join the fun & fellowship!



Pies for Bingo Night

Pies needed for Bingo Night

Bring to church on Friday, Nov. 5th

OR by 4 pm on Saturday, Nov. 6th



SAINT PAUL
LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

The **Christmas SOS Rummage Sale & Bake Sale**

will be *Friday, November 5th* from 7:00am-5:00pm

and *Saturday, November 6th* from 8:00am-1:00pm

at 210 S. Main Street, Concordia, MO.

We hope you can make it!



Women's Small Group is getting ready to start a new study

series! It's a perfect time to jump right in and to join the fellowship and study. The new-study kickoff is **Wednesday, Nov. 3rd at 10:00am** as the group will be reading through the book "**Divine Design: 40 Days of Spiritual Makeover**". Copies available to borrow and/or to buy!

Imagine that you have participated in a fashion makeover. You look beautiful, polished, and radiant. Cries of "You look amazing!" and "I can't believe it's you!" reach your ears—and you feel fantastic. Oh, yes, it's exciting, but that kind of transformation doesn't last long. Manicures get chipped. Shoes get scuffed. And dresses become outdated.

This study will lead you through a different kind of transformation: an alteration of attitude. By God's grace, may we experience a spiritual makeover together that will transform our hearts. This renovation of character will not become chipped, scuffed, or passé. Through God's free gift of faith in Jesus, you possess the garment of salvation: the robe of righteousness and eternal life with God. He has begun a spiritual makeover in you!



2nd Annual Saint Paul Christkindlesmarkt



This traditional German Christmas Market will be held outdoors on **Friday, December 10th from 4:00-9:00pm** and **Saturday, December 11th from 11:00am-9:00pm** on the 40-acre campus of Saint Paul Lutheran High School. We had over 40 vendors last year and nearly 2,000 visitors. We are anticipating an even bigger and better event this year! Aside from vendor booths, we will have traditional German food, crafts for children, entertainment on the main stage, and more! Follow us on Facebook (Saint Paul Christkindlesmarkt) or our website (splhs.org/events) for more information and updates as we get closer to the event!

Vendors Wanted

Interested in being a vendor? Our Vendor Application and Contract can be downloaded at splhs.org/events.

Entertainment Wanted

We are looking for quality groups performing Christmas music: various choral (mixed, women, men, youth, children, etc.), brass, percussion, dance, folk, guitar, and more to perform on the main stage during the To submit a video and to apply for a performance at the Christkindlesmarkt, or to request more information, please contact us at ChristmasMarket@splhs.org.

Invite

You are cordially invited to “**Meet the Missionaries**” this week through an online gathering hosted by the Missouri District. On Tuesday, November 2nd, we’ll introduce you to **Rev. Jon-Michael Schweigert of Faith Lutheran in Knob Noster** and Rev. John Perling of Faith Lutheran in St. Robert. Both congregations are ideally located right next to military bases and well-equipped to share the Gospel with service personnel. **The discussion starts at 7:00pm, and the ZOOM link** will be available the day of the event at <https://mo.lcms.org/missionaries>. Log on and learn how you can be involved through prayers and giving. See you all there!



The **Marshall Philharmonic Orchestra** is back! It will begin its 59th Concert Season on **Sunday, October 31st**, featuring Marshall Public Schools instrumental instructors and brass specialists, Jordan and Sara Summers. This admission-free concert will begin at 2:30 p.m. in the Harold L. Lickey Auditorium of Bueker Middle School. As per the current guidelines of Marshall Public Schools, masks are required for this event.



Thank you to all the cookie bakers for your help. The bounty of cookies has been plentiful and our cupboard is full! It is expected that there are enough cookies to last through out harvest. This project could not happen without you. Thanks! The Care Team



CONCORDIA SEMINARY

Dear Friends in Christ,

Thank you for your commitment to serve as an Adopt-A-Student sponsor for Concordia Seminary's 2021-22 academic year. Your support is a wonderful blessing—affording the cost of their education is often mentioned by students as the greatest obstacle to coming to the Seminar. Because your Adopt-A-Student gifts go directly into your seminarian's account, you are tangibly demonstrating that you stand with your student in prayer and financial support.

As an Adopt-A-Student sponsor, you can expect to hear from your student frequently. You also are invited to be in touch with your student, who will love hearing from you! Here is contact information for your seminarian for this academic year.:

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We also have provided your contact information to your student. Thank you again for your partnership in Concordia Seminary's mission. You are making a wonderful difference in the life of your seminarian today and you are making an eternal difference in the kingdom of God as, upon graduation, the Lord blesses the ministry of your student for years to come!

God's richest blessings!
Vicki Biggs
Senior Vice President, Seminary Advancement
Chief Communications Officer



Voters Meeting on November 17th at 10:15am.

PRAYER

Members of Immanuel

Lester Harms, and Carol Thurman

Family and Friends of Immanuel

Tiffany Scott Baker, Cindy Bernard, Christie Boehmer, Shirley Colson, Michael Cordes family, Gail Foster Horman, Melissa Eckhoff, Corey Finkeldei, Alcuin Fischer, Judy Klasing, Linda McFadden, Neil Meador, Fred Murphy, John Richmond, and Keith Ward.

Shut-ins and Nursing Home Residents

Millie Heins, LoWanda Pinkepank, and Martha Jane Vogelsmeier (LGSNH)
Dolores Fischer (GSNH Apartments)
Dorothy Krause (The Villa)

Mission Workers

Josh, Coco, John, and Sophia Lange (China),
Rev. Peter & Kristie Kolb (Thailand),
Jim & Claudia Dahlke (Mission of Christ Network), those serving POBLO

Military

Owen Dobbins, MaKenna Eckhoff, and Chad Ziegelbein



REFORMATION
Sunday

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.*

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May the Peace of Christ dwell in you!

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