

# IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

*"God With Us"*



*Transfiguration Sunday*

February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022

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

Prelude  
Welcome

# Confession and Absolution

Hymn of Invocation #LSB 537

*Beautiful Savior*

*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

Introit

*Psalm 84:1–2, 9, 11 antiphon: v. 4*

Blessèd are those who dwell in your house,  
ever singing your praise!

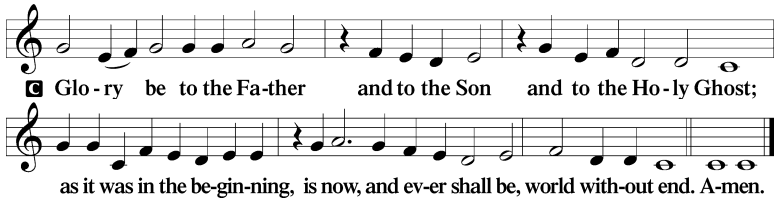
**How lovely is your dwelling place,  
O LORD of hosts!**

My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the LORD;  
**my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.**

Behold our shield, O God;  
look on the face of your anointed!

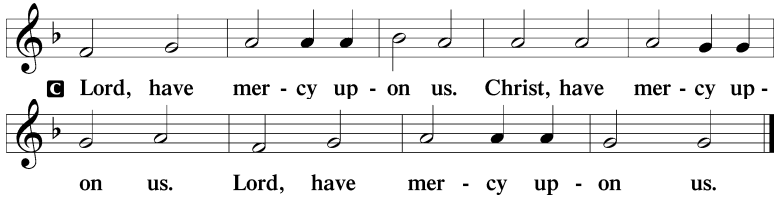
**For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD bestows favor and honor.**

No good thing does he withhold from those who walk uprightly.  
**Blessèd are those who dwell in your house,  
ever singing your praise!**



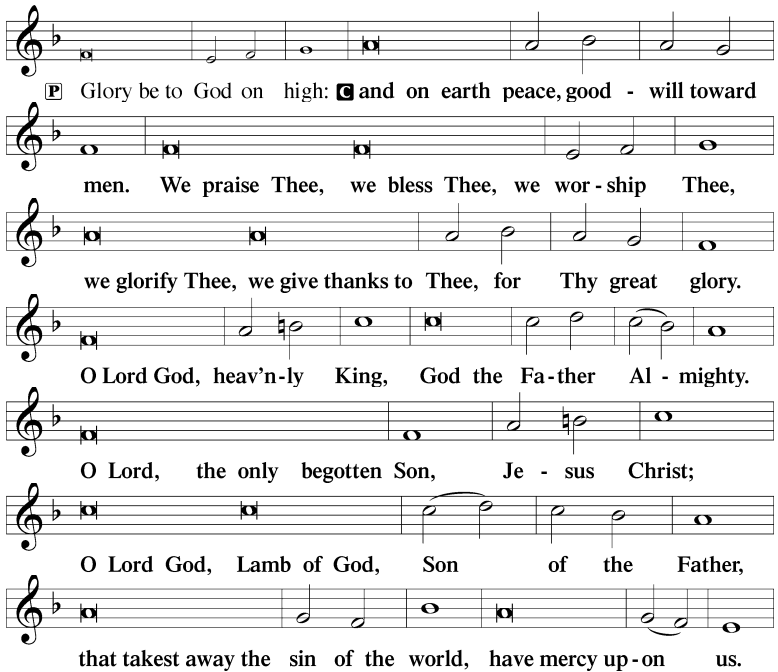
**G**lo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;  
as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

## Kyrie



**G** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -  
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

## Gloria in Excelsis



**P** Glory be to God on high: **G** 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 also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

*Sit*

## Old Testament Reading

*Deuteronomy 34:1–12*

<sup>1</sup>Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho. And the LORD showed him all the land, Gilead as far as Dan, <sup>2</sup>all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the western sea, <sup>3</sup>the Negeb, and the Plain, that is, the Valley of Jericho the city of palm trees, as far as Zoar. <sup>4</sup>And the LORD said to him, “This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, ‘I will give it to your offspring.’ I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not go over there.” <sup>5</sup>So Moses the servant of the LORD died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the LORD, <sup>6</sup>and he buried him in the valley in the land of Moab opposite Beth-peor; but no one knows the place of his burial to this day. <sup>7</sup>Moses

was 120 years old when he died. His eye was undimmed, and his vigor unabated. <sup>8</sup>And the people of Israel wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days. Then the days of weeping and mourning for Moses were ended.

<sup>9</sup>And Joshua the son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, for Moses had laid his hands on him. So the people of Israel obeyed him and did as the LORD had commanded Moses. <sup>10</sup>And there has not arisen a prophet since in Israel like Moses, whom the LORD knew face to face, <sup>11</sup>none like him for all the signs and the wonders that the LORD sent him to do in the land of Egypt, to Pharaoh and to all his servants and to all his land, <sup>12</sup>and for all the mighty power and all the great deeds of terror that Moses did in the sight of all Israel.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Epistle

*Hebrews 3:1–6*

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, holy brothers, you who share in a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the apostle and high priest of our confession, <sup>2</sup>who was faithful to him who appointed him, just as Moses also was faithful in all God’s house. <sup>3</sup>For Jesus has been counted worthy of more glory than Moses—as much more glory as the builder of a house has more honor than the house itself. <sup>4</sup>(For every house is built by someone, but the builder of all things is God.) <sup>5</sup>Now Moses was faithful in all God’s house as a servant, to testify to the things that were to be spoken later, <sup>6</sup>but Christ is faithful over God’s house as a son. And we are his house if indeed we hold fast our confidence and our boasting in our hope.

**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.

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 9:28–36*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.

**C** Glory be to you, O Lord.

<sup>28</sup>Now about eight days after these sayings [Jesus] took with him Peter and John and James and went up on the mountain to pray. <sup>29</sup>And as he was praying, the appearance of his face was altered, and his clothing became dazzling white. <sup>30</sup>And behold, two men were

talking with him, Moses and Elijah, <sup>31</sup>who appeared in glory and spoke of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. <sup>32</sup>Now Peter and those who were with him were heavy with sleep, but when they became fully awake they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. <sup>33</sup>And as the men were parting from him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good that we are here. Let us make three tents, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. <sup>34</sup>As he was saying these things, a cloud came and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. <sup>35</sup>And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, “This is my Son, my Chosen One; listen to him!” <sup>36</sup>And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise to You, O Christ.

## Apostles' Creed

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day He rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From thence He will come to judge the living and the  
dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life † everlasting. Amen.

*Sit*

Hymn #LSB 605

*Father Welcomes*

Children's Message

Hymn of the Day #LSB 700

*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

## Sermon

Title: "It is Good to be Here"

Scripture: Luke 9:28–36

## Hymn for Reflection #LSB 814

*O Bless the Lord, My Soul*

### Offertory

**C** 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.

### Offering

### Prayers of the Church

### Lord's Prayer

### 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** Amen.

## Hymn to Depart #LSB 918

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer*


### Acknowledgments

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# The Lord's Week

<b>Sun.</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300</b>	
	10:15am	BC/SS	
	11:15am	Church Council	
	7:30pm	7 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation	
<b>Mon.</b>	8:30am	Royal Oaks Bible Study	
	1:00pm	Board of Finance	
<b>Wed.</b>	10:00am	Women's Bible Study	
	6:30pm	Ash Wednesday Service	
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Holy Communion Service on KMMO AM 1300</b>	
	10:15am	BC/ SS	
	6:15pm	5 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> Confirmation	
	7:30pm	7 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation	



**Concordia University's A Cappella Choir** will be performing a concert on **Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at St. Paul's Lutheran Church** in Concordia. An offering will be collected to help offset the costs of their Spring Tour.



**The Sedalia Symphony Winter Concert will be held on Sunday, February 27 and is programmed especially for children!** It is a delightful program that will be fun and exciting for all ages. There will be a drawing for a child to conduct the orchestra on one selection! We invite you and your children to join us on **Sunday, Feb. 27, 3:00 p.m at the Heckart Performing Arts Center** on the campus of Smith-Cotton High School in Sedalia.



**HCC NETWORK MEDICAL MOBILE UNIT** is now accepting new patients. Please come see us on Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> from 8:30am-4:00pm at I-70 Hospital, 105 Hospital Drive, Sweet Springs, Mo 65351. To schedule an appointment call Rhiannon Lovercamp at 660-235-6578. *(This is the group that is working with the Sweet Springs Ambulance Board.)*



**St. Matthew Lutheran Church, Ernestville, Missouri is sponsoring a Chili-Soup Dinner in the Church Basement, Sunday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022 from 11:00am to 1:00pm.** The proceeds will be used for the St. Paul's Elementary School Tuition Program. Please come join us for lunch.

## Those Serving

Musician.....	Judy Teufel
Radio and Sound.....	Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
Ushers:.....	Kevin Wulff, Ryan Sims, Ethan Sims, Kevin Scott
Church Secretary.....	Judy Teufel
Church Custodian.....	Jon Dallman
Pastor.....	Pastor Alan Mueller





The owners of the **Davis Theater** in Higginsville are stepping out to show “**The Chosen**” series beginning **Sun. Mar. 6<sup>th</sup> at 1pm**, then on Mar. 13th, 20th & Apr 3rd & 10<sup>th</sup>. The purpose of the series is to have people experience an authentic Jesus. There is no charge for admission.

**3**  
**Important**

**Do you know any young man who would make a great pastor?** How about someone who would be a great Lutheran school teacher, deaconess or DCE? Jesus gives His church people who work full time in service to the Gospel. He told us to pray for such workers. The LCMS continues to pray, and has begun *Set Apart to Serve* (SAS), an intentional effort to encourage young people to consider church work as their career. Your opinion can help improve SAS. Please fill out a brief survey at [lcms.org/set-apart-to-serve-survey](https://lcms.org/set-apart-to-serve-survey) by March 15, and let us know how you think SAS can be beneficial to your congregation. Thank you.



**Sunday, March 6- Trinity Lutheran School** in Alma will be having our Annual Spring PTL Dinner & Auction. The free-will offering dinner will be held from **10:30 am - 1:00 pm** in the school cafeteria/gym. *The menu* is BBQ pulled pork, green beans, corn, cheesy potatoes, bread and dessert. We welcome everyone to dine in **but drive thru** will be available.

**The Auction will be a hybrid event this year, starting March 3rd (online) and ending March 6<sup>th</sup> with a live auction.** There will be online bidding (like last year) on the silent auction items, and you will be able to view the items in person March 6th during the PTL dinner. The live auction will have our class projects and 8th grade quilt. All proceeds from this auction will go towards the school's technology fund.

**Go to: [t1salma2022.ggo.bid](https://t1salma2022.ggo.bid) to get your bidding account set up or update the one you had last year!**



# PRAYER

## Members of Immanuel

Lester & Louise Harms, Ronda Nienhueser, and Carol Thurman

## Family and Friends of Immanuel

Cindy Bernard, Shirley Colson, Gail Foster Horman, Judy Klasing,  
Linda McFadden, Betty McKeage, Neil Meador, David Nelson,  
John Richmond, Keith Ward, and Larry Winfrey.

## Shut-ins and Nursing Home Resident

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

*Ash Wednesday*



*Remember that you are dust,  
and to dust you shall return.*

E C C L E S I A S T E S 3 : 2 0

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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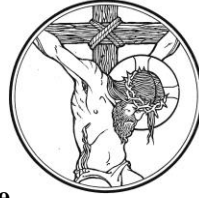
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# THE WOUNDED SAVIOR



## Ash Wednesday Service

March 2 at 6:30

Midweek Meals at 5:30---Midweek Services at 6:30

### Midweek 2 Service & Meal

March 9th

Hostess: *Missions*-(soup)

**Sermon Title: Humbled Head**

### Midweek 3 Service & Meal

March 16th

Hostess: *Altar Guild* -(potato bar)

**Sermon Title: Battered Back**

### Midweek 4 Service & Meal

March 23rd

Hostess: *Care Team*-(taco salad)

**Sermon Title: Unbroken Bones**

### Midweek 5 Service & Meal

March 30th

Hostess: *Ed Board*-(lasagna)

**Sermon Title: His Blood**

### Midweek 6 Service & Meal

April 6

Hostess: *Bell Choir*-(breakfast)

**Sermon Title: Burdened Shoulders**

### Maundy Thursday Service

April 14

**Sermon Title: His Pierced Side**

### Good Friday Service

April 15 at 6:30

### Easter Sunday Services Apr 17

First Service at 6:30am

Breakfast at 7:30am

Second Service at 9:00am

