

Immanuel Lutheran Church “God With Us”



Second Sunday in Lent

March 13th, 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 825

Rise, Shine, You People

Stand

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

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore, You are feared.**

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word and to call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Service of the Word

Psalm 4

¹Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness!

You have given me relief when I was in distress.

Be gracious to me and hear my prayer!

²O men, how long shall my honor be turned into shame?

How long will you love vain words and seek after lies?

**³But know that the LORD has set apart the godly for himself;
the LORD hears when I call to him.**

⁴Be angry, and do not sin;
ponder in your own hearts on your beds, and be silent.

⁵Offer right sacrifices,
and put your trust in the LORD.

**⁶There are many who say, “Who will show us some good?
Lift up the light of your face upon us, O LORD!”**

⁷You have put more joy in my heart
than they have when their grain and wine abound.

**⁸In peace I will both lie down and sleep;
for you alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Kyrie



☐ Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; 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

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 26:8–15

⁸When Jeremiah had finished speaking all that the LORD had commanded him to speak to all the people, then the priests and the prophets and all the people laid hold of him, saying, “You shall die!

⁹Why have you prophesied in the name of the LORD, saying, ‘This house shall be like Shiloh, and this city shall be desolate, without inhabitant?’” And all the people gathered around Jeremiah in the house of the LORD.

¹⁰When the officials of Judah heard these things, they came up from the king's house to the house of the LORD and took their seat in the entry of the New Gate of the house of the LORD. ¹¹Then the priests and the prophets said to the officials and to all the people, "This man deserves the sentence of death, because he has prophesied against this city, as you have heard with your own ears."

¹²Then Jeremiah spoke to all the officials and all the people, saying, "The LORD sent me to prophesy against this house and this city all the words you have heard. ¹³Now therefore mend your ways and your deeds, and obey the voice of the LORD your God, and the LORD will relent of the disaster that he has pronounced against you. ¹⁴But as for me, behold, I am in your hands. Do with me as seems good and right to you. ¹⁵Only know for certain that if you put me to death, you will bring innocent blood upon yourselves and upon this city and its inhabitants, for in truth the LORD sent me to you to speak all these words in your ears."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Epistle

Philippians 3:17—4:1

¹⁷Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. ¹⁸For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. ¹⁹Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. ²⁰But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself.

¹Therefore, my brothers, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

Holy Gospel

Luke 13:31–35

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

C **Glory be to You, O Lord**

³¹At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to [Jesus], "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." ³²And he said to them, "Go and tell that fox, 'Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I finish my course.

³³Nevertheless, I must go on my way today and tomorrow and the day following, for it cannot be that a prophet should perish away

from Jerusalem.' ³⁴O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often would I have gathered your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you would not! ³⁵Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, 'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'"

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

Nicene Creed

C **I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.**

**And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.**

**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 of the world to come. Amen.**

Sit

Hymn #LSB 740

I Am Jesus' Little Lamb

Children's Message

Hymn of the Day #LSB 728

How Firm a Foundation

Sermon

Title: How Often

Scripture: Luke 13:31–35

Reflection Hymn #LSB 725

Children of the Heavenly Father

Offering

Stand

Prayers of the Church

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
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. 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 on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and T give you peace.**

C Amen.

Hymn to Depart #LSB 748

I'm But a Stranger Here

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The Lord's Week

Sun.	9:00am	Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300
	10:00am	<i>Endowment Committee</i> meets with Greg Bushman
	10:15am	Sunday School
	10:30am	Voter's Meet
	7:30pm	7 th -8 th Grade Confirmation
Mon.	8:30am	Royal Oaks Bible Study
	1:00pm	Finance Board
	6:00pm	Board of Properties
Tues.	8-10:30am	Braille Bible Work at Concordia
Wed.	10:00am	Women's Bible Study
	5:30pm	Lent Meal by Altar Guild (potato bar)
	6:30pm	<i>Lent Service-Battered Back</i>
Thurs.		Happy St. Patrick's Day
Sun.	9:00am	Holy Communion Service on KMMO AM 1300
	10:15am	BC/SS
	6:15pm	5 th -6 th Confirmation
	7:30pm	7 th -8 th Grade Confirmation



Our radio broadcast this morning is sponsored in loving memory of **Frosty and Allene Dohrman by their children & grandchildren.** Thank you for remembering you loved ones by sharing God's word with our radio listeners.

EASTER EGG HUNT: *SUPPLIES REQUESTED*

- There will be an Easter Egg Hunt on Palm Sunday, April 10th, at 11:00 am following Sunday School.
- **All members** are invited to stay so they can watch the egg hunt & enjoy hotdogs, chips, cookies.
- **A signup sheet for those who would like to donate items for this event will be on Judy's door.**
- **ITEMS NEEDED:** *Plastic eggs, individually wrapped candy, cookies (baked or purchased)*
 - Donated items should be brought to the church by April 8th.
 - Label all items "Easter Egg Hunt" and leave on the kitchen counter.

QUESTIONS: Contact Ellie Baker at 660-422-1290

Those Serving

Musician.....Judy Teufel
 Radio and Sound.....Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
 Ushers:.....Ron Meyer, Dalyn Johnson, Marc Johnson, Stanley Bredehoeft
 Church Secretary.....Judy Teufel
 Church Custodian.....Jon Dallman
 Pastor.....Pastor Alan Mueller



Dear Parents and Church Family,

It is time to make plans for Easter. *The Sunday School children* will be singing on **April 10th, Palm Sunday**. We will be singing the song we have tried to sing for 2 years now but due to NO church and then NO Sunday School we have held on to it for this year. We will need "all" of our singers for this song which we think will be a blessing to all in attendance. Please let us know if you already have other commitments for that day.

The Board of Ed is also planning an **Easter Egg Hunt and lunch following services on Palm Sunday**. To show appreciation to our children for being a part of this event we are going to have a drawing, following the hunt, for some special items that they will love. Each Sunday your child attends Sunday School between Ash Wednesday and Palm Sunday their name will be entered. The more Sundays they attend the more chances they will have to win.

The teachers are also planning a **"Fun Day" for the children on Friday, April 8th, at 5:30 PM**. We will be decorating eggs to hide at the hunt, doing a service project for Royal Oaks residents and our members in the Nursing Home, and watching a movie while eating PIZZA!

We will have more details to follow as the time gets closer. **This will be for all ages and we want everyone to come join the fun**. Covid has taken a toll on many areas of our lives. We are blessed to have this opportunity to put that aside and to keep our church family strong.

So...mark your calendars!

Friday, April 8th - 5:30PM...Fun Day 10th

Sunday, April 10th - Sing in Church and Easter Egg Hunt

May God bless your week. The Board of Ed and Sunday School teachers



Saint Paul High School Drama Department is performing *The Good Herring* by Pat Cook. We will be performing at 7 p.m. on Saturday, April 2nd and at 2 p.m. on Sunday, April 3rd. 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. We hope you will be able to join us for our production!

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Faith Comes By Hearing

Ann Simmons, Faith Comes By Hearing, has contacted the Board of Missions to see if our congregation would contribute to their project Vision 2033. Like the Military Bible Sticks, this project will be ongoing for the next several years and they are wanting to transfer the Bible via audio into 70+ languages for people who live in oral only communities or cannot read at a functional level, but will be able to listen to the Bible in their own language. **The Board of Missions will have a basket in the back where we are worshipping March 6th and March 13th** for those who would like to donate to this cause. Romans 10:17 reads: So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. We appreciate any donations that you can give. Thanks!

The owners of the **Davis Theater** in Higginsville are stepping out to show **"The Chosen"** series every Sunday at 1pm in March., then continuing to **Apr 3rd & 10th**. The purpose of the series is to have people experience an authentic Jesus. There is no charge for admission.





The Wounded Savior

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

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

Prayer

Members of Immanuel

Randy Brandt, Lester & Louise Harms, Walter Howard,
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, Pastor Martin T. Schnare, 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



Thank
you 

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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.immanuelssweetsprings.com

Church office: 110 Main, Sweet Springs, MO 65351

May the Peace of Christ ~~Easter Lilies~~



Easter lilies may be purchased either in loving memory of an individual(s) or given to the glory of God for blessings received. If you would like to order one or



Memorial Garden

*Memorial Garden flowers/plants may be **brought to the church by 8:30am on Saturday April 15th.***

They may be put on the stage in the basement. Please specify below who brought the flowers and for whom under the proper category.

Please place the form in the offering plate.

For more information see Ellie Baker. Thank you!

Brought by: _____

In Loving Memory of:

To the Glory of God for Blessings Received:

Other (please specify):
