

Immanuel Lutheran Church
Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod



The Divine Service I
The Day of Pentecost

June 8, 2025

3000 West Main Street
Kalamazoo, MI 49006

PRELUDE

AEDAN McCAULEY, PIANIST/ORGANIST

* *The congregation will stand for sections beginning with an asterisk.*

WELCOME TO IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH!

*ENTRANCE HYMN *HAIL THEE, FESTIVAL DAY* LSB489

The choir will sing the verses, and the congregation will sing the refrain.



Easter Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! Blest day to be hal - lowed for - ev - er;
Ascension Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! Blest day to be hal - lowed for - ev - er;
Pentecost Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! Blest day to be hal - lowed for - ev - er;



Day when our Lord was raised, Break - ing the king - dom of death. death.
Day when our ris - en Lord Rose in the heav - ens to reign. reign.
Day when the Ho - ly Ghost Shone in the world with His grace. grace.



Easter 1 All the fair beau - ty of earth From the death of the
Ascension 1 He who was nailed to the cross Is rul - er and
Pentecost 1 Bright and in like - ness of fire, On those who a -



win - ter a - ris - ing! Ev - 'ry good
Lord of all peo - ple. All things cre -
wait His ap - pear - ing, He whom the



gift of the year Now with its mas - ter re - turns:
at - ed on earth Sing to the glo - ry of God:
Lord had fore - told Sud - den - ly, swift - ly de - scends:

The first staff of music contains the following notes: a quarter note on G4, an eighth note on A4, a quarter note on B4, a quarter note on C5, a quarter note on B4, a quarter note on A4, an eighth note on G4, and a half note on F#4.

The first staff of music is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It contains two measures. The first measure has a quarter note on G4, a quarter note on A4, and an eighth note on B4. The second measure has a quarter note on G4, a quarter note on F4, and an eighth note on E4.

*INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Cong: Amen.

Pastor: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

Cong: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

*CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

Cong: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: 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 ✝ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Cong: Amen.

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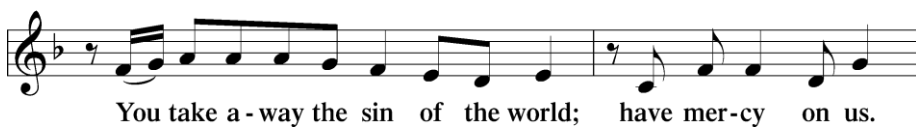
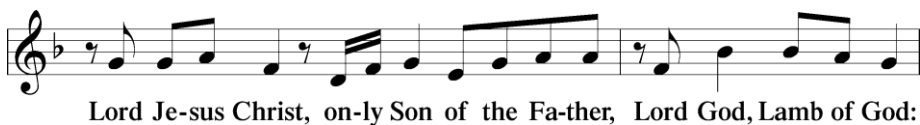
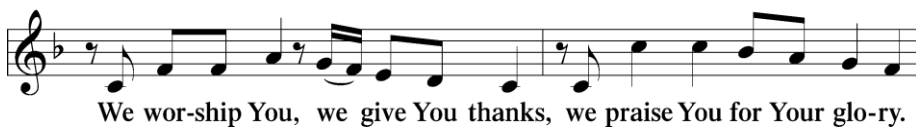
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A Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.



C Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



***SALUTATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Cong: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Cong: Thanks be to God.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

GENESIS 11:1-9 (ESV)

Lector: Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. And as people migrated from the east, they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. And they said to one another, “Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly.” And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. Then they said, “Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be dispersed over the face of the whole earth.” And the Lord came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. And the Lord said, “Behold, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do. And nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another’s speech.” So the Lord dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the Lord confused the language of all the earth. And from there the Lord dispersed them over the face of all the earth.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord

Cong: Thanks be to God.

***PSALM**

PSALM 143 (ESV)

Lector: Hear my prayer, O Lord; give ear to my pleas for mercy!

Cong: In your faithfulness answer me, in your righteousness!

Lector: Enter not into judgment with your servant,

Cong: for no one living is righteous before you.

Lector: For the enemy has pursued my soul;

Cong: he has crushed my life to the ground;

Lector: he has made me sit in darkness like those long dead.

Cong: Therefore my spirit faints within me;

Lector: my heart within me is appalled.

Cong: I remember the days of old;

Lector: I meditate on all that you have done;

Cong: I ponder the work of your hands.

Lector: I stretch out my hands to you;

Cong: my soul thirsts for you like a parched land.

Lector: Answer me quickly, O Lord! My spirit fails!

Cong: Hide not your face from me,

Lector: lest I be like those who go down to the pit.

Cong: Let me hear in the morning of your steadfast love, for in you I trust.

Lector: Make me know the way I should go,

Cong: for to you I lift up my soul.

Lector: Deliver me from my enemies, O Lord!

Cong: I have fled to you for refuge!

Lector: Teach me to do your will,

Cong: for you are my God!

Lector: Let your good Spirit lead me on level ground!
Cong: For your name's sake, O Lord, preserve my life!

Lector: In your righteousness bring my soul out of trouble!
Cong: And in your steadfast love you will cut off my enemies,

Lector: and you will destroy all the adversaries of my soul,
Cong: for I am your servant.

**Cong: 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.**

SECOND READING

ACTS 2:1-21 (ESV)

Lector: When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And they were amazed and astonished, saying, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God.” And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?”³ But others mocking said, “They are filled with new wine.”

But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words.

For these men are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:

“And in the last days it shall be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams;
even on my male servants and female servants
in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy.
And I will show wonders in the heavens above
and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke;
the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood,
before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day.
And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of
the Lord shall be saved.”

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Cong: Thanks be to God.

*ALLELUIA AND VERSE

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the

words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*HOLY GOSPEL

JOHN 14:23-31 (ESV)

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fourteenth chapter.



Jesus answered him, “If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father’s who sent me.

“These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I will come to you.’ If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place you may believe. I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no claim on me, but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go from here.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.



SERMON

REV. VINCENT IQBAL

Pastor: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Cong: Amen.

COME, HOLY GHOST, GOD AND LORD

1 Come, Ho - ly Ghost, God and Lord, With all Your grac - es
 2 Come, ho - ly Light, guide di - vine, Now cause the Word of
 3 Come, ho - ly Fire, com - fort true, Grant us the will Your



now out-poured On each be - liev - er's mind and heart;
 life to shine. Teach us to know our God a - right
 work to do And in Your ser - vice to a - bide;



Your fer - vent love to them im - part. Lord, by the
 And call Him Fa - ther with de - light. From ev - 'ry
 Let tri - als turn us not a - side. Lord, by Your



bright-ness of Your light In ho - ly faith Your Church u - nite;
 er - ror keep us free; Let none but Christ our mas - ter be
 pow'r pre - pare each heart, And to our weak-ness strength im - part



From ev - 'ry land and ev - 'ry tongue This to Your
 That we in liv - ing faith a - bide, In Him, our
 That brave - ly here we may con - tend, Through life and



praise, O Lord, our God, be sung: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Lord, with all our might con - fide. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 death to You, our Lord, as - cend. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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***APOSTLES' CREED**

**Cong: 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.**

***PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**Lector: Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all
people according to their needs.**

**Gracious Lord, Your Spirit fills the world and gladdens Your Church
with the remembrance of all Christ Jesus has spoken. Comfort us with
divine peace, and do not let our hearts be troubled or afraid. Lord, in
Your mercy,**

Cong: hear our prayer.

**Lector: O Lord, bless all translators of the Holy Scriptures, that every nation
may hear the good news of the mighty works of God in their own
language. Lord, in Your mercy,**

Cong: hear our prayer.

Lector: Lord of might, preserve Your people from their enemies, bring peace to the nations and prosper the cause of life. Bless our leaders, especially our president, governor, Congress, legislature, and all judges and magistrates. Give them a relentless pursuit of just laws for the common good of all, with a heart of mercy for the weak and vulnerable. Lord, in Your mercy,

Cong: hear our prayer.

Lector: Light of this dark world, You have sent the Holy Spirit to Your Church as the comforter. Soothe the wounds of Your people. According to Your will, bring restoration to broken families, heal the sick, uplift the depressed, provide for the poor, uphold the forgotten and answer the prayers of all who call out to You for aid, especially those on our prayer list and those held closely in our hearts (*pause*). Lord, in Your mercy,

Cong: hear our prayer.

Lector: O God, by Your Holy Spirit, convict us of sin, of righteousness in Christ and of the judgments of Your Holy Word. Sanctify our hearts by the forgiveness of sins, and make us fit partakers of Christ's holy body and precious blood. Lord, in Your mercy,

Cong: hear our prayer.

Lector: Lord of rest, You know the struggles of Your people and have promised rest from our labors and peace at the last. Give comfort to those who mourn. Raise up our hearts with the promise of the resurrection and the blest reunion when we shall stand before You without fear and enjoy Your perfect peace forevermore. Lord, in Your mercy,

Cong: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Almighty Father, with Your Son, Jesus Christ, send Your Holy Spirit into our hearts through Your Word to rule and govern us according to Your will. Comfort us in every temptation and misfortune and defend us against every error, that we may continue steadfast in the faith, increase in love and good works, and — trusting firmly in Your grace — obtain eternal salvation; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

***PEACE**

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Cong: **And also with you.**

*Please greet one another with a gesture of peace, using these or similar words: **Peace be with you.***

OFFERING

IF YE LOVE ME

BY THOMAS TALLIS

ARR. BY MICHAEL MONTGOMERY



We ask our guests to review our understanding and practice of communion on the back page of this worship folder.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

***PREFACE**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Cong: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

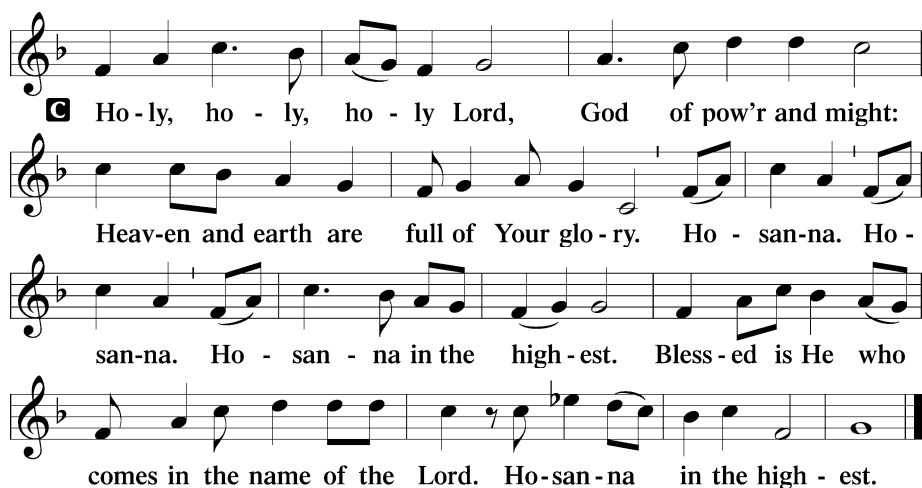
Cong: **We lift them unto the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God

Cong: **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Pastor: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. And most especially are we bound to praise You on this day for the glorious resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ, the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us and bore the sins of the world. By His dying He has destroyed death, and by His rising again He has restored to us everlasting life. Therefore, with Mary Magdalene, Peter and John, and with all the witnesses of the resurrection, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS ~ *HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:
Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit.

Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Cong: Amen.

***THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me." In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

Cong: Amen. Come Lord Jesus.

Pastor: O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

*LORD'S PRAYER

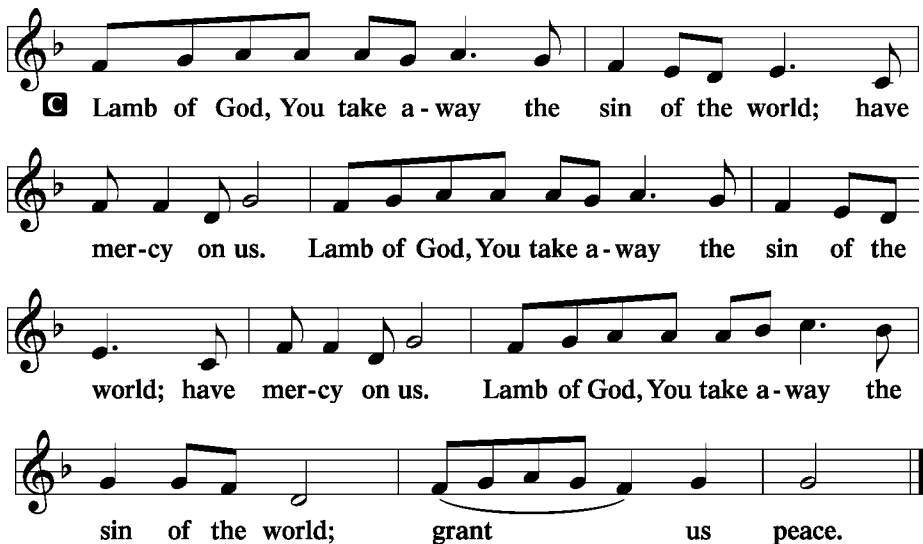
Cong: Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

*PAX DOMINI

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Cong: Amen.

*AGNUS DEI



C Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

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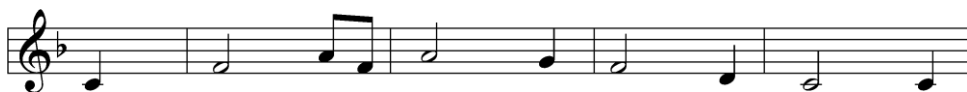
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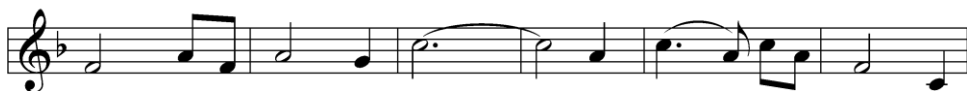
COMMUNION HYMN

AMAZING GRACE

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1 A - maz - ing grace— how sweet the sound— That
2 The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His
3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares I
4 Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail And
5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright



saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but
Word my hope se - cures; He will my shield and
have al - read - y come; His grace has brought me
mor - tal life shall cease, A - maz - ing grace shall
shin - ing as the sun, We've no less days to



now am found, Was blind but now I see!
por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
safe thus far, His grace will lead me home.
then pre - vail In heav - en's joy and peace.
sing God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.

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FATHER MOST HOLY

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1 Fa - ther most ho - ly, mer - ci - ful, and ten - der; Je - sus, our
 2 Trin - i - ty bless - ed, u - ni - ty un - shak - en, Good-ness un -
 3 Mak - er of all things, all Thy crea-tures praise Thee; All for Thy
 △ 4 Lord God Al - might - y, un - to Thee be glo - ry, One in three



Sav - ior, with the Fa - ther reign - ing; Spir - it of com - fort,
 bound - ed, ver - y God of heav - en, Light of the an - gels,
 wor - ship were and are cre - at - ed; Now, as we al - so
 per - sons, o - ver all ex - alt - ed! Glo - ry we of - fer,



ad - vo - cate, de - fend - er, Light nev - er wan - ing;
 joy of those for - sak - en, Hope of all liv - ing,
 wor - ship Thee de - vout - ly, Hear Thou our voic - es.
 praise Thee and a - dore Thee, Now and for - ev - er.

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*POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

Pastor: 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.

Cong: Amen.

JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE

1 Joy - ful, joy - ful we a - dore Thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love!
 2 All Thy works with joy sur-round Thee, Earth and heav'n re - flect Thy rays,
 Δ 3 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, Ev - er bless-ing, ev - er blest,



Hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore Thee, Prais-ing Thee, their sun a - bove.
 Stars and an-gels sing a-round Thee, Cen - ter of un - bro-ken praise.
 Well-spring of the joy of liv - ing, O - cean - depth of hap - py rest!



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness, Drive the gloom of doubt a - way.
 Field and for - est, vale and moun-tain, Flow - 'ry mead-ow, flash-ing sea,
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it, Foun - tain - head of love di-vine:



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad-ness, Fill us with the light of day.
 Chant-ing bird, and flow - ing foun-tain Call us to re - joice in Thee.
 Joy - ful, we Thy heav'n in - her - it! Joy-ful, we by grace are Thine!

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***BENEDICTION**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face to shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

Cong: Amen.

POSTLUDE

AEDAN MCCAULEY, PIANIST/ORGANIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ILLNESS/SPECIAL NEED:

GRIEF:

THANKSGIVING:

HOMEBOUND: Marian Brugh, Ellen Plano, John Curtiss, and Jerome Dirst.

COLLECTIVE PRAYER:

Prayer requests involve sharing your personal concerns, joys, or burdens with others at Immanuel, and are taken very seriously by our Prayer Chain members and congregation. Whether you're asking us to pray for you, a loved one, or a special circumstance, we see your request as a heartfelt call to members of our church to join together in prayer and lift your needs up to the Lord with full expectation that He will hear and respond. Prayer is our way to show support for fellow church members (and visitors), making them feel loved and cared for, while building a stronger community and increasing everyone's sense of belonging.

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

If you would like to submit a prayer request to our Prayer Chain, you may either share them with someone on the Prayer Chain, or call the church office at (269)345-8090 and leave a message, or email your request to either the church office at ILCKalamazoo@gmail.com OR...to Dotty Smith, Prayer Chain Coordinator at cooperrescuemom@gmail.com.

IMMANUEL PRAYER LIST

LONG TERM CONCERNS

Rose Maxum , requested by Chuck and Amber Townsend	Susan & Gregory Fritz , Stephanie Beck's parents
Amy Stillwell , sister of Dave Reynolds	Mary Ann Massey , friend of Dotty Smith
Bob Perri , brother of Phil Perri	Craig Rennhack , requested by Bob & Maryalice Reck
John Blasko , requested by Elizabeth Blasko	Mindy Mitchell , sister of Shelly Reynolds
Kyle Reinbold Family , requested by Kyle's sister, Sonya DeVary	James Leo Brown , requested by Shelly and Dave Reynolds
Karen McDougall , requested by Sue Steuer	Jim Sabo , friend of Susan Steuer
Katie VerKow , former member of Immanuel, requested by Phil Roekle	Lucille and Lawrence Fritz, requested by Jonathan Fritz
Vicki Dilley , requested by Christa & Phil Perri	Suzie Brink , Christie Sidwell's mother and Bill Brink , her brother
Joanne Cleason , Esther Cleason's daughter	Melissa , friend of Dotty Smith and daughter Laura
Marie Winberg , godmother of Bill Bennett	Hannah Bayer , requested by her father
Lisa and David Wentzel , Sue Steuer's cousins	Jerry and Sandi McKenzie , friends of Dotty Smith
Ware Washam , requested by Brian Long	Sandy Hale , requested by Stephen Presdorf
Caroline Barkow	Jeri Noneman
Gene Jennings	Kay Hecht , John Hecht's mother
Loren Gerber , Sue Anderson's father	Beth Mitchell
Alice Schley , Jane Schley's granddaughter	Charlie Miller , Marian Brugh's brother
Toni —Jane Schley's cousin	Jason , son-in-law of Sue & Craig Anderson
Sharon S. , requested by Dotty Smith	Karen Petersen , daughter of Cathy & Tom Mollet
Ruth Krueger	Justin Nickels , requested by Justin Beck
Deb , friend of Sue Steuer	Marilyn Borgeson , Annie Hecht's grandmother
Sophie Rose Verile , Brindley's grandniece	Lynne Partridge , friend of Christa Perri
Linda & Scott Spurlock , req. by Esther C.	Merry Linn , Sally Crawford's sister
Mae Westphal , Vivian's & Wayne's granddaughter	Gus Reck , 3 y.o. grandson of Bob & Maryalice Reck
Thomas Nault , Sue Wagner's cousin	Otto , Pastor Quardokus' grandson
Kim N., Kim M., Emilie H., & Sydney B. , all friends of Kim Sharp; and River Lint , Kim's cousin's baby	
All Crossroads Prison Ministry students from all congregations around the country	
Immanuel members: Gail Stewart, Dolly Bryan, Shelly Reynolds, Tina Lauer, Jerome Dirst & John Miller	

CHURCH CALENDAR

JUNE'S MISSION: **SHALOM KALAMAZOO**

SUNDAY	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
8 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMUNION SERVICE (IQBAL)	9	10 6:30AM MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST 10AM WILLS' BIBLE STUDY @ILC	11	12	13	14 10-11AM "JOY" BIBLE STUDY
15 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMUNION SERVICE (COUCH)	16	17 10AM WILLS' BIBLE STUDY @ILC	18	19	20	21
22 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMUNION SERVICE (IQBAL)	23	24 10AM WILLS' BIBLE STUDY @ILC	25	26 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE	27	28
29 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMUNION SERVICE (COUCH)	30	JULY 1 10AM WILLS' BIBLE STUDY @ILC	2	3	4	5
6 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMUNION SERVICE (??)	7	8 6:30AM MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST 10AM WILLS' BIBLE STUDY @ILC	9	10	11	12 10-11AM "JOY" BIBLE STUDY
13 9:15 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMUNION SERVICE (??)	14	15 10AM WILLS' BIBLE STUDY @ILC	16	17	18	19

Worship Assistants/Serving Schedule

	Acolyte	Altar	Usher	Lector	Worship Assistant	Coffee Hour
Sunday 6/8/2025	Maddie Hernandez & Elijah Lawrence	Rita Clarke	John Wagner	John Quardokus	Mark Miller & Andrew Lustila	Helen & Phil R— coffee Dotty Smith-- snacks
Sunday 6/15/2025	Cailyn Hecht & Norah Lawrence	Patti Wills	Ron Swinehart	Dave Mandrick	Denny Patzer & John Quardokus	Jane S.- coffee Melanie B- snacks
Sunday 6/22/2025	Linus & Ezra Mandrick	Sally Crawford	John Hecht	John Hecht	John Quardokus & John Wagner	Amber & Chuck Townsend
Sunday 6/29/2025	Elliora & Caviion Beck	Vivian Westphal	Ron Swinehart	Andrew Lustila	Larry Baumgart & Craig Anderson	Amber & Chuck Townsend
Sunday 7/6/2025	Genevieve Miller & Adelaide Jefferies	Jane Schley	Kim Sharp	John Krueger	Bill Stewart & Ron Swinehart	Marylalice Reck
Sunday 7/13/2025	Maddie Hernandez & Elijah Lawrence	Amber Townsend	John Wagner	Mark Miller	Mark Miller & Andrew Lustila	Sue & John Wagner
Sunday 7/20/2025	Cailyn Hecht & Norah Lawrence	Kim Sharp	Ron Swinehart	Ninah Miller	Denny Patzer & John Quardokus	Jane S.- coffee Melanie B- Snacks
Sunday 7/27/2025	Linus & Ezra Mandrick	Vivian Westphal	John Hecht	John Quardokus	John Quardokus & John Wagner	Helen & Phil R— coffee Dotty Smith-- snacks



You are cordially invited to attend the Installation Service of
our newcoming
pastor, Josh Grotelueschen,
on Sunday, August 10th, at 3:00pm.
Following this service, we will have a
light reception of cake, cookies,
punch and other goodies.



Also save the date for the following Sunday, August 17th,
directly after the morning worship service, when we will have
a "Meet & Greet" reception for all of you to formally
meet our new pastor.
Hors d'oeuvres and beverages
will be served.

(Please sign up so we know how many to plan for.)



COME CELEBRATE LIFE WHILE RAISING AWARENESS AND FUNDS FOR ALTERNATIVES CARE CENTERS

JUNE 14 8:30AM
Radiant Church
Portage

JUNE 21, 8:30AM
Calhoun Christian School
Battle Creek

About Our Event!

With two locations and dates to walk, choose the location nearest you and join us for a fun-filled morning with food, games, fellowship, and prizes.

We encourage participants to register in advance and raise funds online with our user-friendly fundraising tools. Visit our website to learn more about our incentives and start collecting your donations today!

**Complete registration online by
May 31st to get a shirt!**



Incentives!

As a thank you for your support and fundraising, incentives for qualifying participants will be given out at the walk.

Team Leaders

Team leaders with 10 or more registered walkers will get an Alternative cooler bag.

Individuals

Walkers who raise \$500 will get a large tote,
\$1500 will get a Bluetooth speaker,
\$2500 will get a grill set. (Gifts accumulate.)

Top Fundraisers

Prizes will go to the top fundraising individuals from each location.

Alternative Care Centers
Kalamazoo: 269.345.1740
Battle Creek: 269.288.2890

For more information,
visit our website:
alternativescc.support/events





We want **YOU** to join us for our **St. Michael Lutheran School - GOLF OUTING** on Monday, August 18th, 2025, at the Pine View Golf Club in Three Rivers.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN for individual golfers **AND** or corporate sponsorships!

Reach out if you have any questions. Can't wait to see you on the golf course!

Blessings,
Rev. Dr. Paul Naumann
naumann@mightymessengers.org





THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Our Belief and Practice

Our congregation believes that Holy Communion is a gift of Christ to His Church. Out of loving concern for the communicants and our understanding of the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions, we request that those who commune here:

1. Be Baptized Christians.
2. Are mature enough to examine themselves, recognizing their sin and their need for God's grace. (1 Corinthians 11:28)
3. Believe that in Holy Communion they receive Christ's body and blood in, with, and under the bread and wine for the gracious remission of their sins. (Matthew 26:26-28)
3. Do so without giving offense to others. (i.e., Willing to forgive and be reconciled) (Matthew 18:15-17)

Guests of the congregation, who are instructed in Luther's Small Catechism, are welcome to receive Holy Communion. All others are asked to speak with the pastor regarding the sacrament. Non-communicating children may join their parents. Communicants may choose from the Common Cup or individual cups.

Serving Today at Immanuel Lutheran Church

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Ailene Buchtrup, Secretary

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*Sunday worship services are available on
Facebook Live and YouTube!*