

# *The 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Lakefield, Minnesota – LCMS  
 October 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022

## Opening Hymn: 523 O Word of God Incarnate



1 O Word of God in - car-nate, O Wis - dom from on high,  
 2 The Church from You, dear Mas - ter, Re - ceived the gift di - vine;  
 3 O make Your Church, dear Sav - ior, A lamp of bur - nished gold



O Truth un - changed, un - chang - ing, O Light of our dark sky:  
 And still that light is lift - ed O'er all the earth to shine.  
 To bear be - fore the na - tions Your true light as of old!



We praise You for the ra - diance That from the hal - lowed page,  
 It is the chart and com - pass That, all life's voy - age through,  
 O teach Your wan - d'ring pil - grims By this their path to trace



A lan - tern to our foot - steps, Shines on from age to age.  
 Mid mists and rocks and quick - sands Still guides, O Christ, to You.  
 Till, clouds and dark - ness end - ed, They see You face to face!

Text: William W. How, 1823–97, alt.

Tune: Neu-vermehrtes . . . Gesangbuch, 1693, 3rd ed., Meiningen

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## *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** 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, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, 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, merciful Father, in Holy Baptism You declared us to be Your children and gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst, enliven our faith, and graciously receive our prayer and praise;

through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C** Amen.

## *Service of the Word*

### Salutation and Collect of the Day

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

O Lord, almighty and everlasting God, You have commanded us to pray and have promised to hear us. Mercifully grant that Your Holy Spirit may direct and govern our hearts in all things that we may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Your name; 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*

**Psalm**

*Psalm 121; antiphon: vv. 1–2*

I lift up my eyes to the hills.

From where does my help come?

**My help comes from the LORD,  
who made heaven and earth.**

He will not let your foot be moved;  
he who keeps you will not slumber.

**Behold, he who keeps Israel  
will neither slumber nor sleep.**

The LORD is your keeper;  
the LORD is your shade on your right hand.

**The sun shall not strike you by day,  
nor the moon by night.**

The LORD will keep you from all evil;  
he will keep your life.

**The LORD will keep  
your going out and your coming in  
from this time forth and forevermore.**

**Epistle**

*2 Timothy 3:14—4:5*

As for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

**Alleluia and Verse**



**C** Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



**C** These things are writ-ten that you may be-lieve that



Je-sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



**C** Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 18:1-8*

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

### **C** Glory to You, O Lord.

[Jesus] told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, 'Give me justice against my adversary.' For a while he refused, but afterward he said to himself, 'Though I neither fear God nor respect man, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will give her justice, so that she will not beat me down by her continual coming.'" And the Lord said, "Hear what the unrighteous judge says. And will not God give justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long over them? I tell you, he will give justice to them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

**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*

## Children's Message: God Breathed

### Hymn of the Day: 578 Thy Strong Word



1 Thy strong word did cleave the dark - ness; At Thy  
2 Lo, on those who dwelt in dark - ness, Dark as  
3 Thy strong Word be - speaks us righ - teous; Bright with  
4 From the cross Thy wis - dom shin - ing Break - eth



speak - ing it was done. For cre - at - ed  
night and deep as death, Broke the light of  
Thine own ho - li - ness, Glo - rious now, we  
forth in con - qu'ring might; From the cross for -



light we thank Thee, While Thine or - dered sea - sons run.  
Thy sal - va - tion, Breathed Thine own life - breath - ing breath.  
press toward glo - ry, And our lives our hopes con - fess.  
ev - er beam - eth All Thy bright re - deem - ing light.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to



Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,  
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!  
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!

5 Give us lips to sing Thy glory,  
Tongues Thy mercy to proclaim,  
Throats that shout the hope that fills us,  
Mouths to speak Thy holy name.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
May the light which Thou dost send  
Fill our songs with alleluias,  
Alleluias without end!

△ 6 God the Father, light-creator,  
To Thee laud and honor be.  
To Thee, Light of Light begotten,  
Praise be sung eternally.  
Holy Spirit, light-revealer,  
Glory, glory be to Thee.  
Mortals, angels, now and ever  
Praise the holy Trinity!

## Sermon: Sacred Writings

## Offering

*Stand*

## Prayer of the Church

## *Service of the Sacrament*

## Preface

*LSB 208*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** We lift them to the Lord.

**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God,

for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. 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

*LSB 208*



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;



Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.



Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho-san - na to the Lord;



Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Text: Stephen P. Starke

## Prayer of Thanksgiving

**P** Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

### **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.

### **The Words of Our Lord**

**P** 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  $\text{✝}$  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  $\text{✝}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

## Pax Domini

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** Amen.

## Agnus Dei

*LSB 210*



**C** 1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,



You take the sin of the world a - way;  
You take the sin of the world a - way;



O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,



Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.  
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

*Sit*

## Distribution

*The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who*

come to receive, saying:

Hymn: 728 How Firm a Foundation

Hymn: 635 O Gracious Lord, I Firmly Am Believing

Hymn: 643 Sent Forth by God's Blessing

**P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart † in peace.

**C** Amen.

*Stand*

**Nunc Dimittis**

*LSB 211*



**C** 1 O Lord, now let Your ser - vant De -  
2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All



part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the  
glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the



glo - ry Of Your re - deem - ing grace:  
Spir - it, For - ev - er Three in One;



A light to lead the Gen - tiles Un -  
For as in the be - gin - ning, Is



to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your  
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -



peo - ple, Your cho - sen Is - ra - el.  
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

## Post-Communion Collect

**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

*LSB 212*

**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 ✠ give you peace.

**C** Amen.

# Hymn: 941 We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God



1 We praise You and ac-knowl-edge You, O God, to be the Lord,  
2 The band of the a-pos-tles in glo-ry sing Your praise;  
3 You, Christ, are King of glo-ry, the ev-er-last-ing Son,  
4 You sit in splen-did glo-ry, en-throned at God's right hand,



The Fa-ther ev-er-last-ing, by all the earth a-dored.  
The fel-low-ship of proph-ets their death-less voic-es raise.  
Yet You, with bound-less love, sought to res-cue ev-'ry- one:  
Up-hold-ing earth and heav-en by forc-es You com-mand.



To You all an-gel pow-ers cry a-loud, the heav-ens sing,  
The mar-tyrs of Your king-dom, a great and no-ble throng,  
You laid a-side Your glo-ry, were born of vir-gin's womb,  
We know that You will come as our Judge that fi-nal day,



The cher-u-bim and ser-a-phim their prais-es to You bring:  
Sing with the ho-ly Church through-out all the world this song:  
Were cru-ci-fied for us and were placed in-to a tomb;  
So help Your ser-vants You have re-deemed by blood, we pray;



"O ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord God of Sab-a-oth;  
"O all-ma-jes-tic Fa-ther, Your true and on-ly Son,  
Then by Your res-ur-rec-tion You won for us re-prieve—  
May we with saints be num-bered where prais-es nev-er end,



Your maj-es-ty and glo-ry fill the heav-ens and the earth!"  
And Ho-ly Spir-it, Com-fort-er— for-ev-er Three in One!"  
You o-pened heav-en's king-dom to all who would be-lieve.  
In glo-ry ev-er-last-ing. A-men, O Lord, a-men!

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## **Assisting with the Service**

*Preacher Pastor Phil Beukema*

*Elder Dave Bass & Jim Ackermann (Sun)*  
*Joel Poppe (Mon)*

*Organist Lori Kruger*

*Acolyte Braelyn Boogerd & Zadi Farmer (Sun)*  
*Kiara Baumann (Mon)*

*Usher Dave Hansen (Sun)*

## **We Remember in our Prayers**

*Ellen Barkela, sister of Carol Schulz, and her husband Vern,  
as Ellen is dealing with health issues*

*Darlene Wedeking in hospice*

*Steve Hall in hospice*

*Our residents at Colonial Manor, Valley View, Meadows and  
Golden Horizons in Worthington, Keelson Harbour and  
Accura HealthCare in Spirit Lake, Pathstone in  
Mankato, Good Sam in Jackson, Temperance Lake  
Ridge in Sherburn, Accura HealthCare in Milford*

*Ines Henning, Don Schulz, Chuck Bergmann, Darlene  
Froderman, Betty Hage, Dave Ackermann, Berniece  
Kolander, Joyce Rossow, Bev Hall, Darlene Stender,  
dealing with health issues*

*Pastor Ben Rucker; Mitch Voehl, son of Lila Voehl; Glen  
Crowley, nephew of Delores Janssen; Marcus Lere,  
grandson of Joyce Bretzman; Syd Malchow; Carol  
Olson, from Wisconsin; Denny Daberkow; Duwayne  
Hoffman, father of Tracey Beeck; Jim Salentiny, uncle  
of Mark Freking; dealing with cancer*

*Kelly Hatfield, friend of Jan Bakalyar; Presley Hansen,  
granddaughter of Dave and Carolyn Hansen; Pastor  
Travis Loeslie, Bethlehem Morristown; Jeff Meyer,  
friend of Jan Bakalyar; Rob Pohlman, son of Ken  
Pohlman; Jacob Boe, son of Rose Parrington; Brent  
Baumann, brother of Myleen Swanson and LaNell  
Rossow; Curt Gates, brother-in-law of Miles Voehl*

*(Lila's son), dealing with health issues*

*Our Farmers in the Field*

*All those affected by Hurricane Ian*

*All those affected by COVID-19*

*First Responders*

*Our Missionaries in the Field*

*Our Country and Our Military*

**WE WELCOME** all of our guests and visitors this weekend. We invite you to visit us again. If you have no church home and would like to make Immanuel your church home, please speak to Pastor Beukema or to one of the Elders at the end of the service.

**IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF PASTORAL CARE** you may call the church office at 507-662-5718, Pastor Beukema at 715-614-4123, or speak to one of the elders.

**COMMUNION:** The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is being offered to our confirmed communicants today and is administered in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions. It is celebrated in the confidence that we truly receive, under the bread and wine, the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, through which we further truly receive the forgiveness of sins. Besides individually receiving Christ's gift of forgiveness in this Sacrament, all those who commune here make a confession of their unity in the faith as it is believed and taught in our Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod and in this congregation. Therefore, if you are not a confirmed communicant member, in good standing, of a Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod congregation, we kindly ask that you respect our beliefs and refrain from coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament until you have had an opportunity to speak with Pastor.

## **IMMANUEL LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS**

- All School Choir sings at St. Paul Rost Lutheran Church today, Sunday, 10/16 at their 8:30 worship service
- School Picture Retake Day 10/18
- PTL Fall Family Fun Night at Grandpa's Fun Farm in Worthington is 10/19 from 3:00-6:00
- NO SCHOOL – Thursday 10/20 & Friday 10/21
- Upcoming volleyball games:
  - Monday 10/17 at 4:00 at Worthington Christian
  - Monday 10/24 at 4:00 at home vs. Worthington Christian

**HARVEST SUPPER** is today, Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, rural Lakefield. Dine-in or carry-out. On the menu is Turkey, Ham, Dressing, Potatoes and Gravy, Vegetable, Cole Slaw, Rolls, Pies and Desserts, plus Slovak Ethnic Foods. Cost is \$12 for adults, \$5 kids age 5-10 years, and free for kids age 4 and under. Holy Trinity is located at 76084 460<sup>th</sup> Ave., rural Lakefield.

**CATECHISMS** will be given to our 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders during the worship service on Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Students will come forward (along with their parents) to get their catechism from Pastor. Students include: Skylar Beeck, Maddox Boogerd, Karissa Daberkow, Violet Damm, Nora Freking, Gander Grein, Caleb Laabs, Izzy Larsen, Mathias Liepold, Allison Luebben, Jacob Luebben, Jada Milbrath, Knoxville Newell, Simeon Peterson, Atticus Regnier, Sawyer Roslansky, and Ember Wagner.

**MARTIN LUTHER HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2024** is selling Watkins products. To see a catalog or order contact Sarah Matasovsky, Lilah Hubbard, or the MLHS office. Orders close October 24 for a November 15 delivery.

# ILS Shopping Night

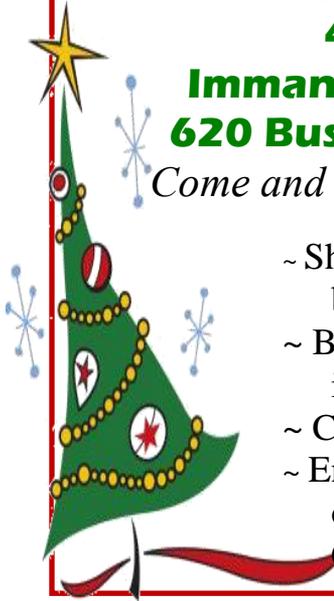
Friday, November 4th

4:30-7:30 PM

Immanuel Activity Center

620 Bush St., Lakefield, MN

*Come and do your Christmas Shopping...*



- ~ Shop the wares of many home-based businesses for unique gifts
- ~ Bid on beautiful decorated baskets in a Silent Auction
- ~ Check out the Book Fair
- ~ Enjoy a meal of homemade Chili or Soup, Cinnamon Rolls and Crackers with a freewill donation

**SILENT AUCTION OF BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED BASKETS** will take place during ILS Shopping Night. If your family would like to create a beautiful basket as part of the auction, please contact Melissa Ackermann, Sarah Laabs, or the church office. The theme (as long as it is in good taste) and the amount you wish to spend is up to you. Proceeds from the sale of the baskets will go to put air conditioning in parts of the school. The baskets will be displayed at ILS Shopping Night on November 4th. Here are some guidelines to follow to make it easier for everyone:

- *Please have your baskets wrapped in cellophane if at all possible. The cellophane may be purchased at Wal-Mart, Village Green, or craft stores such as Hobby Lobby. Village Green will wrap your basket for a small fee.*
- *Baskets need to be brought to the school by November 3rd.*
- *Please make an attractive tag with all your items listed on it, plus the total of your basket.*

**CALLING ALL QUILTERS** and individuals who would like to provide a gift of warmth to those in our community and throughout the world. We will be meeting October 29th, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Lunch will be provided. Come and stay all day or for a couple of hours. We have something for everyone to do, so please join us. Questions Connie Rossow, Loretta Palmer or Joyce Bretzman.

**KIRBY'S CHRISTMAS CLOSET** is early this year. They're hoping to beat the weather and get winter coats to these kids earlier. It is this Saturday, October 22nd from 10:00-2:00 here at the Immanuel Activity Center. Kirby's Christmas Closet is a distribution event for families in need. There is no registration or pre-qualification necessary; if you need their help, and you can get to Lakefield on October 22nd, you are welcome! They will have a selection of books, toys, gifts, and winter clothing for free for families who need our help to provide Christmas gifts for their minor children. Brian and Hilary Rossow are coordinating this event. Interested in helping out? Contact Brian or Hilary.

**TRUNK OR TREAT "HALLOWEEN AT THE PARK"** is on Saturday, October 29th at North City Park in Lakefield from 2:00-4:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity for kids ages baby through 5th grade to wear their costumes and have fun and candy at the park. Sponsored by the Ladies of Lakefield.

**BAKED POTATO BAR DINNER** is at Martin Luther High School in Northrop on Sunday, October 23rd from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The junior class will be serving Russet Baked Potatoes with a variety of toppings, desserts and beverages. Cost is a free will offering. Proceeds will go toward costs of hosting the Martin Luther Junior Class Prom that will be held next spring. Martin Luther High School is located at 315 Martin Luther Drive in Northrop.

**LERT TRAINING (LUTHERAN EARLY RESPONSE TEAMS):** The Minnesota South District is looking to send a Lutheran Early Response Teams (LERT) to Florida in response to the devastation caused by Hurricane Ian. This training will qualify you for this and any other future LERT missions being held locally or around the country. We will be learning the basics of what it means to be a Lutheran Early Response Team member. Topics include everything from theology to the practicalities of what to say to a disaster victim, to how we work together in safety. LERT training is on Saturday, October 22nd from 9:00-3:00 with an 8:30 registration at St. Peter Lutheran Church, 21377 Tetonka Lake Rd, Waterville. Cost is \$20 and includes class materials and lunch. Register online: [http://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need\\_id=739004](http://www.lcms-lert.org/need/detail/?need_id=739004) Who can be trained? Anyone who is interested is welcome to attend this LERT training session. Only LCMS members who are 14 years or older, however, will receive certification as LCMS LERT volunteers. You will receive your certificate of participation, volunteer ID card, and T-shirt from LCMS Disaster Response after the training is complete. Your LERT trainer will distribute all the LERT materials during and after the class.

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER VIGIL:** You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+ volunteers!

Here's how to take part in this local pro-life prayer vigil:

- Vigil hours: September 28-November 6 from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm daily (sign up for 1 hour prayer times by contacting Holly Nestegard, 507-841-0633, [bradholly2000@yahoo.com](mailto:bradholly2000@yahoo.com))
- Vigil location: 821 3<sup>rd</sup> St, Jackson, MN 56143 (next to Lewis Drug)

Learn more and get involved: [40daysforlife.com/jacksonmn](http://40daysforlife.com/jacksonmn)

**SUBMISSIONS FOR THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER** need to be turned in to Amy in the office by October 25<sup>th</sup>.

**HARVEST DINNER** is at St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Worthington on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> from 11:30-1:00. On the menu is a delicious Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings and homemade pies. A freewill offering will be accepted. St. Matthew is located at 1505 Dover St. in Worthington.

***POINTS OF INFORMATION October 9, 2022***

<i>Current Fund received this past week.....</i>	<b><i>\$6,838</i></b>
<i>    Needed each week.....</i>	<b><i>\$15,599</i></b>
<i>Non-Budget Giving</i>	
<i>    Building.....</i>	<b><i>\$124</i></b>
<i>Current Fund needed for September.....</i>	<b><i>\$62,396</i></b>
<b><i>Offering Received in September.....</i></b>	<b><i>\$74,430</i></b>
<b><i>+ Tuition Received in September.....</i></b>	<b><i>\$25,187</i></b>
<b><i>= Current Fund Total September.....</i></b>	<b><i>\$99,617</i></b>
<i>    Worshipping on Sunday, October 9: 149</i>	
<i>If you have any questions, please call Cheryl Ulferts</i>	

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3. Southwest Broadband Stream TV channel 70 on Sundays at 12:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.





**THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL...**

*Sunday, October 16*

- 8:30 AM *Worship with Communion*
- 8:30 AM *Facebook Live Worship Service*
- 8:30 AM *All School Choir sings at St. Paul Rost*
- 9:30 AM *Sunday School and Bible Class*
- 12:30 & 7:00 PM *SW Broadstream Worship Service*

*Monday, October 17*

- 4:00 PM *Volleyball-home vs. Worthington Christian*
- 7:00 PM *Worship with Communion*

*Tuesday, October 18*

*School Picture Retake Day*

*Wednesday, October 19*

- 8:20 AM *Chapel*
- 1:50 PM *Confirmation*
- 3:00-6:00 *PTL Fall Family Fun Night at Grandpa's  
Fun Farm in Worthington*
- 6:10 PM *Bell Choir*
- 7:10 PM *Choir*

*Thursday, October 20*

*NO SCHOOL*

*Friday, October 21*

*NO SCHOOL*

*Saturday, October 22*

*10:00-2:00 Kirby's Christmas Closet in Activity Center*

*Sunday, October 23*

- 8:30 AM *Worship*
- 8:30 AM *Facebook Live Worship Service*
- 9:30 AM *Sunday School and Bible Class*
- 12:30 & 7:00 PM *SW Broadstream Worship Service*

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