

"Woe to the shepherds
who destroy and
scatter the sheep of

my pasture!"

declares
the LORD.

JEREMIAH 23:1, ESV

9th Sunday after Pentecost

Immanuel Lutheran Church, ~ LCMS

Lakefield, Minnesota

July 21, 2024

Hymn: 902 Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now



1 Lord Je - sus Christ, be pres - ent now; Our hearts in
2 Un - seal our lips to sing Your praise In end - less
3 Then shall we join the hosts that cry, "O ho - ly,
△ 4 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, Son, And Ho - ly



true de - vo - tion bow. Your Spir - it send with
hymns through all our days. In - crease our faith and
ho - ly Lord Most High!" And in the light of
Spir - it, Three in One! To You, O bless - ed



light di - vine, And let Your truth with - in us shine.
light our minds; And set us free from doubt that blinds.
that blest place We then shall see You face to face.
Trin - i - ty, Be praise through-out e - ter - ni - ty!

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.

Kneel/Stand

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 this 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.

Stand

Service of the Word

Introit *Psalm 147:7–11; antiphon: Psalm 145:16*

You open your hand;

you satisfy the desire of every living thing.

Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving;

make melody to our God on the lyre!

He covers the heavens with clouds; he prepares rain for
the earth;

he makes grass grow on the hills.

He gives to the beasts their food,

and to the young ravens that cry.

His delight is not in the strength of the horse,

nor his pleasure in the legs of a man,

but the LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him,

in those who hope in his steadfast love.

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.


You open your hand;

you satisfy the desire of every living thing.

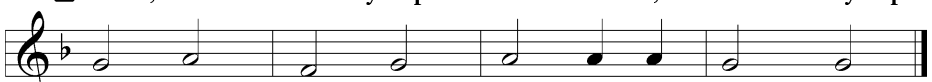


Kyrie

LSB 186



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



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

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187



Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



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



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



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



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



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

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

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

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

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

G And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray.

P Heavenly Father, though we do not deserve Your goodness, still You provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your gifts, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

G A - men.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 23:1-6

“Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture!” declares the LORD. Therefore

thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who care for my people: “You have scattered my flock and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. Behold, I will attend to you for your evil deeds, declares the LORD. Then I will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the countries where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will set shepherds over them who will care for them, and they shall fear no more, nor be dismayed, neither shall any be missing, declares the LORD.

“Behold, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved, and Israel will dwell securely. And this is the name by which he will be called: ‘The LORD is our righteousness.’”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gradual

Romans 11:33, 36

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!

How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

For from him and through him and to him are all things.

To him be glory forever. Amen.

Epistle

Ephesians 2:11–22

Remember that at one time you Gentiles in the flesh, called “the uncircumcision” by what is called the circumcision, which is made in the flesh by hands—remember that you were at that time separated from Christ, alienated from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope

and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he himself is our peace, who has made us both one and has broken down in his flesh the dividing wall of hostility by abolishing the law of commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one new man in place of the two, so making peace, and might reconcile us both to God in one body through the cross, thereby killing the hostility. And he came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near. For through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia

LSB 190



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

Holy Gospel

Mark 6:30-44

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixth chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

The apostles returned to Jesus and told him all that they had done and taught. And he said to them, “Come away by yourselves to a desolate place and rest a while.” For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. And they went away in the boat to a desolate place by themselves. Now many saw them going and recognized them, and they ran there on foot from all the towns and got there ahead of them. When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. And he began to teach them many things. And when it grew late, his disciples came to him and said, “This is a desolate place, and the hour is now late. Send them away to go into the surrounding countryside and villages and buy themselves something to eat.” But he answered them, “You give them something to eat.” And they said to him, “Shall we go and buy two hundred denarii worth of bread and give it to them to eat?” And he said to them, “How many loaves do you have? Go and see.” And when they had found out, they said, “Five, and two fish.” Then he commanded them all to sit down in groups on the green grass. So they sat down in groups, by hundreds and by fifties. And taking the five loaves and the two fish he looked up to heaven and said a blessing and broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples to set before the people. And he divided the two fish among them all. And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of broken pieces and of the fish. And those who ate the loaves were five thousand men.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



G Praise be to Thee, 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: 590 Baptized into Your Name Most Holy



1 Bap-tized in - to Your name most ho - ly, O Fa - ther, Son, and
 2 My lov - ing Fa - ther, here You take me To be hence-forth Your
 3 My faith - ful God, You fail me nev - er; Your prom - ise sure - ly
 4 All that I am and love most dear - ly— Re - ceive it all, O



Ho - ly Ghost, I claim a place, though weak and low - ly,
 child and heir. My faith - ful Sav - ior, here You make me
 will en - dure. O cast me not a - way for - ev - er
 Lord, from me. Let me con - fess my faith sin - cere - ly;



A - mong Your saints, Your cho - sen host. Bur - ied with Christ and
 The fruit of all Your sor - rows share. O Ho - ly Spir - it,
 If words and deeds be - come im - pure. Have mer - cy when I
 Help me Your faith - ful child to be! Let noth - ing that I



dead to sin, Your Spir - it now shall live with - in.
 com - fort me When threat - ning clouds a - round I see.
 come de - filed; For - give, lift up, re - store Your child.
 am or own Serve an - y will but Yours a - lone.

Text: Johann Jacob Rambach, 1693–1735, abr.; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–78,
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Catechism Lesson

The Sacrament of Baptism

P How can water do such great things?

C Certainly not just water, but the word of God in
 and with the water does these things, along with
 the faith which trusts this word of God in the
 water. For without God's word the water is plain
 water and no Baptism. But with the word of God

it is a Baptism, that is, a life-giving water, rich in grace, and a washing of the new birth in the Holy Spirit, as St. Paul says in Titus, chapter three: “He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by His grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life. This is a trustworthy saying.”

Sermon

Stand

Offertory

LSB 192



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.

Sit

Offering

Stand

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

LSB 194



P The Lord be with you.



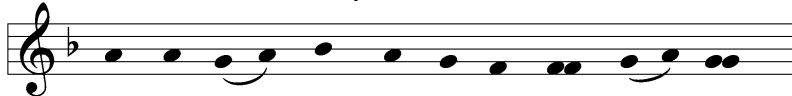
C And with thy spir - it.



P Lift up your hearts.



C We lift them up un - to the Lord.



P Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



C It is meet and right so to do.

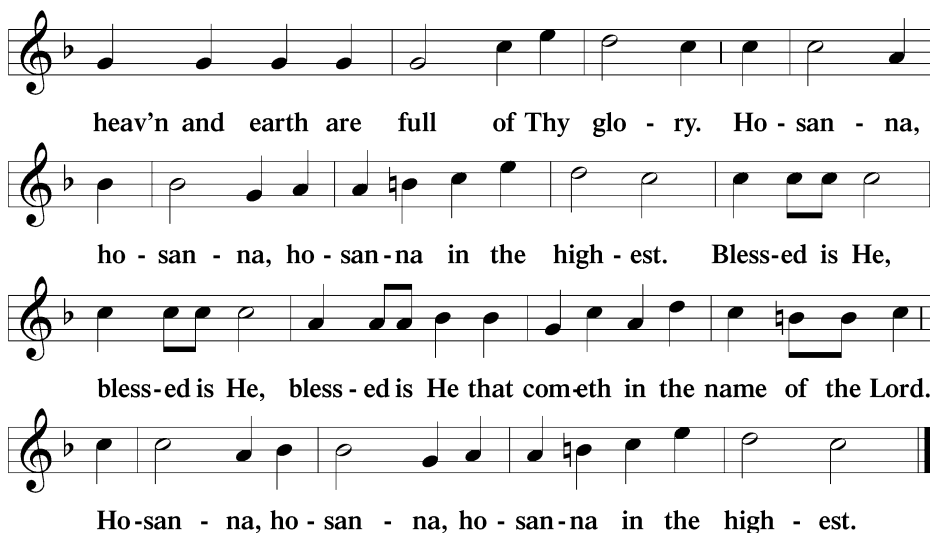
P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. 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 195



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



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

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

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 ✝ 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."

Pax Domini

LSB 197



P The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



G A - men.

Agnus Dei

LSB 198

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

Sit

Distribution

Hymn: 644 The Church's One Foundation

Hymn: 731 O God, Forsake Me Not

Hymn: 649 Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Hymn: 622 Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared

Stand

Nunc Dimittis

LSB 199

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

a light to light-en the Gen-tiles and the glo-ry of Thy
 peo-ple Is - ra-el. Glo-ry be to the Father and
 to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
 is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

Thanksgiving

LSB 200

A O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

C and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

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 A - men.

Salutation and Benedicamus

LSB 201

P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

A Bless we the Lord.



C Thanks be to God.

Benediction

LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.



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

Hymn: 861 Christ Be My Leader



1 Christ be my Lead - er by night as by day; Safe through the
2 Christ be my Teach - er in age as in youth, Drift - ing or
3 Christ be my Sav - ior in calm as in strife; Death can - not



dark - ness, for He is the way. Glad - ly I fol - low, my
doubt - ing, for He is the truth. Grant me to trust Him; though
hold me, for He is the life. Nor dark - ness nor doubt - ing nor



fu - ture His care, Dark - ness is day - light when Je - sus is there.
shift - ing as sand, Doubt can - not daunt me; in Je - sus I stand.
sin and its stain Can touch my sal - va - tion; with Je - sus I reign.

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Assisting with the Service

Preacher Rev. John Schuetz

Elder Steve Matasovsky & Jim Berkevich

Organist Lori Kruger

Acolyte Nick Daberkow & Maddox Boogerd

Usher Leann Henning & Crystal Dafoe

We Remember in our Prayers

Darlene Stender hospitalized

*Merlyn and Phyllis Rossow on their 66th wedding anniversary
7/19*

Marlene Hendricksen recovering from a broken hip

Esther Cornelius in Hospice

Rev. Nicholas Thackery as he considers the Call to Immanuel

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Fort Dodge, IA, where

Rev. Thackery currently serves

Our residents at Colonial Manor, Valley View, Golden

Horizons in Worthington, Good Sam in Jackson, Accura

HealthCare in Milford, Lakeview in Heron Lake

Paul Spoo, Bruce Bakalyar, Ines Henning, Merlyn Rossow,

*Betty Hage, Berniece Kolander, Bev Hall, dealing with
health issues*

Miles Ramsey, infant cousin of Amy Altman; Pastor Dennis

Brech, Lake Shetek; Darcie Follon, granddaughter of

Bruce and Jan Bakalyar; Keith Buresch; Shirley

Crawmer, cousin of Danielle Rossow; Ben Byam, cousin

of Mike Byam; Joyce Urmie, sister-in-law of Vickie

Baumann; Stacey Dunker, mother of ILS student

Janessa Dunker; Lori Koerselman, friend of Amy

Altman; Pastor Ben Rucker; Mitch Voehl, son of Lila

Voehl; Marcus Lere, grandson of Joyce Bretzman;

Denny Daberkow; Jim Salentiny, uncle of Mark

Freking; dealing with cancer

Brent Baumann, brother of Myleen Swanson and LaNell

Rossow; Mary Holt, aunt of Debbi Gettler; Cailee Jo

Pauling, granddaughter of Bob and Mary Pauling; Jeff

Meyer, friend of Bruce and Jan Bakalyar; Rob Pohlman, son of Ken Pohlman; Curt Gates, brother-in-law of Miles Voehl (Lila's son), dealing with health issues

*Our Missionaries in the Field
Our Country and Our Military*



*Outdoor Worship Service
Church Lawn (south side
along 5th Ave. N)
& Potluck Picnic*

Bring a lawn chair to sit on.

Picnic will be in the Church Basement. LWML is providing ham and beverages for the Potluck Picnic along with plates, napkins, and utensils. Please bring a dish to pass if able.

Special donations will be accepted for the Immanuel Lutheran Teacher Salary Fund (Look for one of the wrapped boxes to put your donation into)

Invite your family and friends to join us!

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 or one of the Elders at the end of the service.

A CALL was extended to Rev. Nicholas Thackery. Please pray for Pastor Thackery and his family as he considers the Call to serve us here at Immanuel and his current Call to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Fort Dodge, IA. Pray that the Lord would guide him in his decision.

LADIES NIGHT AT THE WINERY: All women are invited to spend an evening with the Immanuel LWML at the Round Lake Vineyards and Winery Wednesday, August 7th. We will carpool from the church at 5:00 p.m. or you can meet us at the winery at 5:30 p.m. Attendees are responsible for paying for their own food and beverage. Following our meal, we will have our monthly LWML meeting. RSVP's are requested by Sunday, August 4th to Carolyn Hansen (507) 830-2108, Donna Hage (507) 360-4339, or to Amy (507) 329-7464.

GARDENERS' MARKET is open Saturday mornings from 9:00-10:30 a.m. or until they've sold out beginning this Saturday, July 27th and going all through August. If anyone has any garden produce ready they want to give to the gardeners' market, please contact Loretta Palmer at 507-662-5014. In addition to garden produce, baked goods are also sold. If you are able to bake something, please do. All proceeds go to various mission projects, some of which are local (last year they went to Concordia Seminary Food Banks at both Fort Wayne and St. Louis, Lakefield Food Shelf, Jackson County Food 4 Kids, and Missionary Coretta Hedstrom). Please try to have any donations there before 9:00 a.m. if possible. Thank you!



MIRACULOUS MISSION JESUS SAVES THE WORLD

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JULY 29 - AUGUST 1 4:30-7:00

CALLING ALL CHILDREN from age 3-year-old and potty-trained to those who finished 5th grade this spring to join us as we embark on this mission!

Bible lessons, crafts, games, music, and supper!

Pre-register: Call Amy in the office at 507-662-5718.

Families are welcome!

Students who finished 6th-8th grade this spring, we need your help at VBS! If you are able to help out please let Amy in the church know in advance.

If you can't help every day that is okay.

Let us know what days you can.

SUBMISSIONS FOR THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER need to be turned in to Amy in the office by July 25th.

THANK YOU to everyone for all of your support, donations, and help throughout the years of Oktoberfest! The final balance of the Immanuel Oktoberfest account was \$6,464.16, which has been applied towards the cost of the new phone system recently installed at Immanuel. We are thankful that a total of nearly \$70,000 was donated through the years to Immanuel Lutheran Church and School and to Lakefield community organizations as a result of all of the Oktoberfests held.

HELPERS NEEDED FOR VBS (VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL):

VBS is July 29th through August 1st from 4:30-7:00 this year. There is a sign-up sheet on the window in the narthex. Please sign-up if you're able to help out.

DO YOU HAVE A POLICY WITH THRIVENT? If the answer is yes, then would you be able to do a Thrivent Action Team for one of our many projects here at Immanuel? For many of these action teams, it's a matter of getting the card and giving it to Amy in the office to take care of. All you have to do is apply. Some of these projects include:

- Catechisms for 3rd graders
- Confirmation Materials
- Sunday School Materials
- Back to School Mailing

Did you know that even if you do not have a policy through Thrivent you can still do an Action Team? There is a \$19.95 fee, but you still get a \$250 card to use towards a project that is close to your heart. Contact Amy in the office or April at Thrivent if you can help or want more information.

NEW PORTALS OF PRAYER for July through September are available on the welcome center in the narthex in both regular and large print. Please help yourself.

NOW HIRING: SCHOOL LUNCH COOK

Follow a school schedule with evenings, weekends, holidays and summers off! Work in a positive, supportive, close-knit family of adults who support children in an environment guided by Christian values! Make a difference in the lives of children by providing them with nutritious meals to contribute to their overall school experience!

Immanuel Lutheran School is a well-respected Preschool–8th Grade school that has been providing a quality Christian education for students in the Lakefield, MN area for the past 125 years. We'd love to add you to our team!

Qualifications:

- Experience in food service or related fields
- Understanding of a school environment in relationship to serving students, families and staff
- Strong communication, organizational and teamwork skills
- Initiative and creativity
- Preferred, but not essential: Licensure or certifications relevant to the position

Daily Hours:

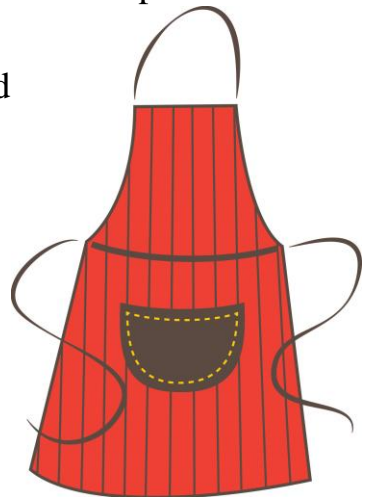
8:00-1:45 p.m. Monday-Friday; Up to 29 hours per week

Salary:

A candidate's salary will be determined based upon their qualifications and experience.

How to apply:

Please email a letter of introduction and your resume to include at least two current references by Wednesday, July 25th @ 5:00 p.m. to Principal Dean Jennissen at ilsprincipal@immanuellakefield.com



BRIDAL SHOWER for Coretta Hedstrom is on Wednesday, July 31st at 6:30 p.m. at St. Peter Lutheran Church, rural Lakefield. This is a card/money shower as Coretta will be going to India to be married in the fall. St. Peter is located at 87977 State Highway 86, rural Lakefield.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS

- Check us out at the Jackson County Fair this summer! We are doing a free craft project for kids on Wednesday, July 24th as part of their Kids Day at the Fair from 10:00-6:00.
- Back to School packets will be mailed out soon. The school supply list and school calendar will be enclosed plus some forms that may need to be completed and returned before school starts.
- ILS 125th Anniversary Celebration is August 17th-18th.
- Back to School Night is Monday, August 19th from 2:00-6:00 p.m.
- We have openings in both our 3-year-old Preschool class and our 4-year-old PreK class. If you know anyone with children this age please let them know about Early Childhood Education here at ILS.
- First Day of School is Tuesday, September 3rd.

FILLING THE BALLOT for Officers of Immanuel Lutheran Church...the Nominating Committee of our Voting Assembly is in the process of nominating officers for Immanuel Lutheran Church. We encourage each and every one of you, if contacted to serve, to prayerfully consider serving your Lord in this capacity. Any questions about boards and duties can be directed to the elders or Amy in the church office. Remember that women can also serve on the Board of Education, Board of Trustees, Board of Finance, Board of Congregational Services, or as Congregational Secretary.

FOUND: A wedding ring was found on the grass here at Immanuel when we had some seeding done. It may have been there a while. To claim it, please contact Amy in the office at 507-662-5718.

RELAY FOR LIFE JACKSON COUNTY is Friday, August 2nd from 4:00-8:00 p.m. at North City Park in Lakefield. This come and go event features a burger meal, silent auction, and local entertainment. The purple ribbons on the "Wall of Honor" in the gazebo will honor our cancer survivors and help us to remember those who have passed on. It's never too late to start or join a team, visit Relay.org/JacksonMN for more information. Come out and help us Celebrate, Remember, and Fight Back!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: The trustees are seeking volunteers to help with painting projects and general repair/maintenance items for the school to be done in advance of our 125th school anniversary celebration which is August 17-18. There is a list of projects to be done on the window in the narthex. Take a look and contact one of the trustees if you can help with one of these items. Trustees are Jared Ackermann, Jeff Frantsen, Mark Freking, Stuart Peterson, Austin Rossow, and Travis Dennis Rossow. We would appreciate any help. Thanks.

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF PASTORAL CARE you may contact Pastor McDonald directly (507-993-1113 or mcdonald.david66@yahoo.com), Amy in the church office (507-662-5718 or immanuel@immanuellakefield.com), or speak to one of the elders. This includes visits, prayer requests, communion for home bound members, among others. Pastor McDonald is our administrative vacancy pastor.

YOUTH GROUP MEETING will be held on Monday, August 12th at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. This is for incoming 6th-12th graders and their parents who want to help plan the calendar for youth group this year.

REMINDER: NO MONDAY EVENING SERVICES DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY, AND AUGUST.

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POINTS OF INFORMATION <i>July 14, 2024</i>	
<i>Current Fund received this past week.....</i>	<i>\$3,897</i>
<i>Needed each week.....</i>	<i>\$15,170</i>
<i>Non-Budget Giving</i>	
<i>Video Ministry.....</i>	<i>\$50</i>
<i>Building.....</i>	<i>\$2</i>
<i>Memorials given in memory of</i>	
<i>Armond & Nancy Dorschner to Phone System.....</i>	<i>\$520</i>
<i>Armond & Nancy Dorschnet to Immanuel LWML...</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Carol Frantsen to Immanuel Church.....</i>	<i>\$200</i>
<i>Carol Frantsen to Immanuel LWML.....</i>	<i>\$100</i>
<i>Carol Frantsen to Immanuel School.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Current Fund needed for June.....</i>	<i>\$62,396</i>
<i>Offering Received in June.....</i>	<i>\$34,504</i>
<i>+ Tuition Received in June.....</i>	<i>\$5,373</i>
<i>= Current Fund Total June.....</i>	<i>\$39,877</i>
<i>Worshipping on Sunday, July 14: 88</i>	
<i>If you have any questions, please call Jesse Ackermann</i>	

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL...

Sunday, July 21

10:45 AM Worship with Communion

Sunday, July 28

*10:45 AM Christmas in July Outdoor Worship
Service on the South Side of Church (along
5th Ave.) with Potluck Picnic to follow in
the church basement*

12:00 PM Board of Finance Meeting

Monday, July 29

4:30-7:00 VBS

7:00 PM Joint Boards

Tuesday, July 30

4:30-7:00 VBS

Wednesday, July 31

4:30-7:00 VBS

6:00 PM Board of Ed Meeting

6:30 PM Board of Finance Meeting

Wondering where you can watch this service?

1. Facebook: "Immanuel Lutheran Church" on Sundays at 10:45 a.m. or any time after.
2. YouTube: "Immanuel Lutheran Church and School Lakefield" on Sundays at 10:45 a.m. or any time after.

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Immanuel Lutheran School 125th Anniversary August 17-18

Saturday, August 17

3:30 Open House, Tour School, Video in Activity Center

5:15 Welcome and Prayer - Principal Dean Jennissen

5:30 Meal (freewill offering accepted)

After the Meal

Master of Ceremony - Doyle Zellar (former Principal)

Awards and Special Recognition

Sing old and current Cougar School Songs

Presentation of 1999 Time Capsule

"Share Your Memories"

Introduction of past and present Staff

Closing Devotion - Rev. Evan Schiller (former Teacher)

Sunday, August 18

9:00 Worship Service in Immanuel Church led by
Rev. Kurt Klaus and Rev. Dustin Lappe (Alumni)

After the Service

Rolls and Beverages in the Activity Center

Presentation by Rev. Fred Hinz - Public Policy

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