



JESUS DECLARED,
"I am the bread of life."

WHOEVER COMES TO ME
SHALL NOT HUNGER."

John 6:35

11th Sunday after Pentecost

Immanuel Lutheran Church, ~ LCMS

Lakefield, Minnesota

August 4, 2024

Hymn: 905 Come, Thou Almighty King



1 Come, Thou al - might - y King, Help us Thy
 2 Come, Thou in - car - nate Word, Gird on Thy
 3 Come, ho - ly Com - fort - er, Thy sa - cred
 △ 4 To Thee, great One in Three, E - ter - nal



name to sing; Help us to praise; Fa - ther all -
 might - y sword; Our prayer at - tend. Come and Thy
 wit - ness bear In this glad hour! Thou, who al -
 prais - es be Hence ev - er - more! Thy sov - 'reign



glo - ri - ous, O'er all vic - to - ri - ous,
 peo - ple bless, And give Thy Word suc - cess,
 might - y art, Now rule in ev - 'ry heart,
 maj - es - ty May we in glo - ry see,



Come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.
 And let Thy righ - teous - ness On us de - scend.
 And ne'er from us de - part, Spir - it of pow'r.
 And to e - ter - ni - ty Love and a - dore.

Text: English, before 1760, alt.

Tune: Felice de Giardini, 1716-96

Text and tune: Public domain

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.

Kneel/Stand

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.**

Stand

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 78:23–25; antiphon: v. 72

With upright heart he shepherded them
and guided them with his skillful hand.

He commanded the skies above
and opened the doors of heaven,
and he rained down on them manna to eat
and gave them the grain of heaven.

Man ate of the bread of the angels;

he sent them food in abundance.
 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.
 With upright heart he shepherded them
 and guided them with his skillful hand.

Kyrie

LSB 204



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

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 204



C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
 2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
 3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro- claimed at Je-sus' birth!
 O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
 For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor-shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
 Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
 You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King.
 Where You in pow'r are seat-ed At God's right hand on high—
 In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

Merciful Father, You gave Your Son Jesus as the heavenly bread of life. Grant us faith to feast on Him in Your Word and Sacraments that we may be nourished unto life everlasting; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 16:2–15

The whole congregation of the people of Israel grumbled against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness, and the people of Israel said to them, “Would that we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger.”

Then the LORD said to Moses, “Behold, I am about to rain bread from heaven for you, and the people shall go out and gather a day’s portion every day, that I may test them, whether they will walk in my law or not. On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather daily.” So Moses and Aaron said to all the people of Israel, “At evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your grumbling against the LORD. For what are we, that you grumble against us?” And Moses said, “When the LORD gives you in the evening meat to eat and in the morning bread to the full, because the LORD has heard your grumbling that you grumble against him—what are we? Your grumbling is not against us but against the LORD.”

Then Moses said to Aaron, “Say to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, ‘Come near before

the LORD, for he has heard your grumbling.” And as soon as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, they looked toward the wilderness, and behold, the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. And the LORD said to Moses, “I have heard the grumbling of the people of Israel. Say to them, ‘At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall be filled with bread. Then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.’”

In the evening quail came up and covered the camp, and in the morning dew lay around the camp. And when the dew had gone up, there was on the face of the wilderness a fine, flake-like thing, fine as frost on the ground. When the people of Israel saw it, they said to one another, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was. And Moses said to them, “It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat.”

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 4:1–16

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call— one

Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it says,

“When he ascended on high he led a host of captives,
and he gave gifts to men.”

(In saying, “He ascended,” what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is the one who also ascended far above all the heavens, that he might fill all things.) And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse



Holy Gospel

John 6:22–35

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

C Glory to You, O Lord.

On the next day the crowd that remained on the other side of the sea saw that there had been only one boat there, and that Jesus had not entered the boat with his disciples, but that his disciples had gone away alone. Other boats from Tiberias came near the place where they had eaten the bread after the Lord had given thanks. So when the crowd saw that Jesus was not there, nor his disciples, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum, seeking Jesus.

When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, “Rabbi, when did you come here?” Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, you are seeking me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not labor for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you. For on him God the Father has set his seal.” Then they said to him,

“What must we do, to be doing the works of God?” Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” So they said to him, “Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What work do you perform? Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” Jesus then said to them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.”

Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

C I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came
down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the
virgin Mary

**and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius
Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to
the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge
both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.
And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is
worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and
apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission
of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life ✝ of the world to come. Amen.**

Sit

Hymn: 648 Glorious Things of You Are Spoken



1 Glo - rious things of you are spo - ken, Zi - on, cit - y
2 See, the streams of liv - ing wa - ters, Spring - ing from e -
3 Round each hab - i - ta - tion hov - 'ring, See the cloud and
4 Sav - ior, since of Zi - on's cit - y I through grace a



of our God; He whose word can - not be bro - ken Formed you
ter - nal love, Well sup - ply your sons and daugh - ters And all
fire ap - pear For a glo - ry and a cov - 'ring, Show - ing
mem - ber am, Let the world de - ride or pit - y, I will



for His own a - bode. On the Rock of A - ges found - ed,
fear of want re - move. Who can faint while such a riv - er
that the Lord is near. Thus de - riv - ing from their ban - ner
glo - ry in Your name. Fad - ing are the world's vain plea - sures,



What can shake your sure re - pose? With sal - va - tion's
Ev - er will their thirst as - suage? Grace, which like the
Light by night and shade by day, Safe they feed up -
All their boast - ed pomp and show; Sol - id joys and



walls sur - round - ed, You may smile at all your foes.
Lord, the giv - er, Nev - er fails from age to age.
on the man - na Which God gives them on their way.
last - ing trea - sures None but Zi - on's chil - dren know.

Text: John Newton, 1725-1807, alt.

Tune: Franz Joseph Haydn, 1732-1809

Text and tune: Public domain

Sermon *Wonder of Wonders ~ Text: John 6:32-35*

Prayer of the Church

Sit

Offering

Service of the Sacrament

Stand

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.

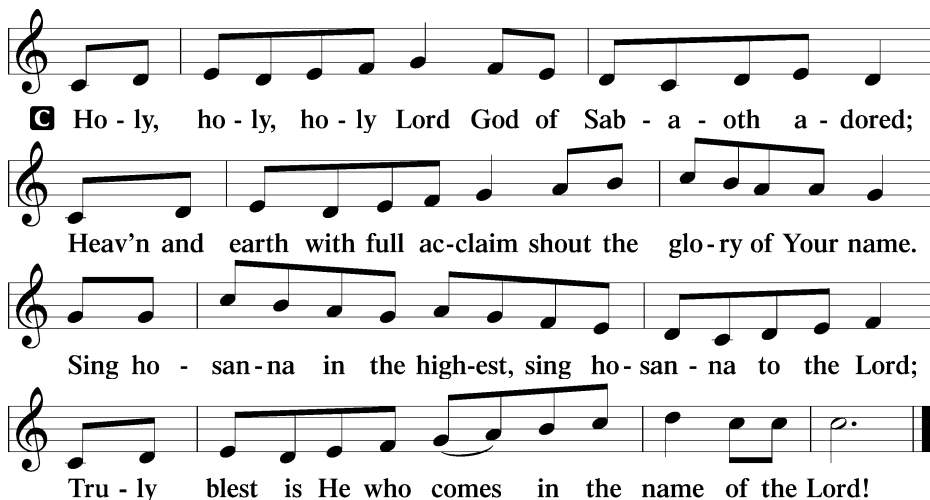
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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!

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 ✠ 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

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

Hymn: 907 God Himself Is Present

Hymn: 642 O Living Bread from Heaven

Hymn: 524 How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds

Hymn: 636 Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness

Stand

Nunc Dimittis

LSB 211

1 O Lord, now let Your ser - vant De -
2 All glo - ry to the the Fa - ther, All
part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the
glo - ry to the 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 the Gen - tiles Un -
For as in the the be - gin - ning, Is
to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your
now, shall ev - er be, The 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 and Benediction

LSB 212

A Let us bless the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

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: 664 Fight the Good Fight



1 Fight the good fight with all your might; Christ is your
2 Run the straight race through God's good grace; Lift up your
3 Cast care a - side, lean on your guide; His bound - less
4 Faint not nor fear, His arms are near; He chang - es



strength, and Christ your right. Lay hold on life, and
eyes, and seek His face. Life with its way be -
mer - cy will pro - vide. Trust, and en - dur - ing
not who holds you dear; On - ly be - lieve, and



it shall be Your joy and crown e - ter - nal - ly.
fore us lies; Christ is the path, and Christ the prize.
faith shall prove Christ is your life and Christ your love.
you will see That Christ is all e - ter - nal - ly.

Text: John S. B. Monsell, 1811–75, alt. Tune: The Methodist Harmonist, 1821, New York
Text and tune: Public domain

Assisting with the Service

Preacher Rev. Glenn Bohmer

Elder Jim Berkevich & Albert Henning

Organist Jayson Matasovsky

Acolyte Zadi Farmer & Kaelyn Swanson-Voight

Usher Wes and Amber Liepold

We Remember in our Prayers

*Kailey Koep and Kyle Espenson on their upcoming wedding
8/17*

Ken Pohlman hospitalized following a car accident

Loren Burmeister, brother of Joel Burmeister, hospitalized

*Brent Baumann, brother of Myleen Swanson and LaNell
Rossow, undergoing surgery*

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

Esther Cornelius in Hospice

Marlene Hendricksen, 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; 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

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

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.

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.

OUR PRAYERS are with Kailey Koep and Kyle Espenson as they will be united in marriage on August 17th. We pray that God would be a cornerstone of their marriage.

GARDENERS' MARKET is open Saturday mornings from 9:00-10:30 a.m. or until they've sold out during the month of August. If anyone has any garden produce ready they want to give, 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.

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.

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.

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.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS

- 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.
- 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.
- ILS 125th Anniversary Celebration is August 17th-18th.
- Back to School Night is Monday, August 19th from 2:00-6:00
- First Day of School is Tuesday, September 3rd.

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.

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.

FACE PAINTING: Anyone interested in helping with face painting during the 125th Anniversary Celebration on Saturday 8/17, please text Sheila Scholten at 507-840-0383.

IMMANUEL CONGREGATION,

Recently, our Board of Education made the decision to leave the Federal/State Hot Lunch Program. This was done thoughtfully and prayerfully as the government does provide funding that covers much of the costs for families. However, the program also requires we, as a school and church, affirm expectations that are contrary to God's Word. Additionally, the government's "free meals" were not free as the reimbursement rate did not cover all of the cost. Finally, the majority of our families felt we should leave the government program.

Not receiving this funding means we are back to paid school lunches by our families. We hope to keep these costs low by receiving donations of food, money and volunteer time. Many have asked, "How can I help?" We are in the process of hiring a Cook, so their input will be critical to answer this question. First of all, pray for the program and the Cook we are in the process of hiring. We know that God will provide the wisdom and resources we need.

If you would be interested in making a monetary donation to the program, it will be used to provide supplies we need and to create an "Angel Fund" for families that will need help with the cost of meals. Hot or Cold lunches will be an option, but there will undoubtedly be a need. Additionally, if you have the ability to help in the kitchen with meal prep, serving, clean-up, etc on a regular or sporadic basis, your name and availability would be great to know. In terms of making food donations, we'll share more once our Cook is aboard.

To share your gifts or for questions, contact:

Dean Jennissen, ILS Principal

ilspincipal@immanuellakefield.com or 320-224-6238

ILS STAFF DEDICATION will take place during a Sunday worship service in August. Staff includes:

- ◆ Dean Jennissen: Principal & Early Childhood Director
- ◆ Sarah Mattila: Grades 7-8
- ◆ Gretchen Benda: Grades 5-6
- ◆ Kelly Ackermann: Grades 3-4
- ◆ Stacie Soleta: Grade 2
- ◆ LaDonna Peterson: Grade 1
- ◆ Natalie Schlager: Kindergarten
- ◆ Cassie Ulbricht: PreK
- ◆ Stacy Soderholm: Preschool
- ◆ Raeleen Grein: Computer & Accelerated Reader
- ◆ Sheila Freking: Teacher Aide
- ◆ Amy Altman: Administrative Assistant

ICE CREAM SOCIAL is at Belmont Lutheran Church on Sunday, August 4th from 4:30-7:00 p.m. Serving BBQs, ice cream, homemade pies, coffee and lemonade. Freewill offering - suggested donation \$6.00. All are welcome. Belmont Lutheran Church is located at 83571 510th Ave., Jackson (east of Lakefield and south of Windom).

BEEF DINNER at Trinity Lutheran Church Sioux Valley is Sunday, August 11th from 11:00-1:00. On the menu is slow-cooked roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, sweet corn, glazed carrots, coleslaw, and desserts. Cost is \$15 for adults, \$5 for children age 4-10, and free for children age 3 and under. Trinity Sioux Valley is located at 38523 730th St., rural Lakefield.

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

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.

POINTS OF INFORMATION July 28, 2024

<i>Current Fund received this past week.....</i>	<i>\$13,036</i>
<i>Needed each week.....</i>	<i>\$15,170</i>
<i>Non-Budget Giving</i>	
<i>Video Ministry.....</i>	<i>\$25</i>
<i>Memorials given in memory of:</i>	
<i>Carol Frantsen to Immanuel School.....</i>	<i>\$50</i>
<i>Rollie Roesner to Immanuel School.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Carol Frantsen to Teacher Salary Fund.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Chuck Bergmann to Teacher Salary Fund.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Adele Hage to Teacher Salary Fund.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>David Ackermann to Teacher Salary Fund.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Ruby Ackermann to Teacher Salary Fund.....</i>	<i>\$20</i>
<i>Current Fund needed for July.....</i>	<i>\$62,396</i>
<i>Offering Received in July.....</i>	<i>\$34,316</i>
<i>+ Tuition Received in July.....</i>	<i>\$6,809</i>
<i>= Current Fund Total July.....</i>	<i>\$41,125</i>

Worshipping on Sunday, July 28: 125

If you have any questions, please call Jesse Ackermann

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL...

Sunday, August 4

10:45 AM Worship with Communion

Saturday, August 10

9:00-10:30 Gardeners Market

Sunday, August 11

10:45 AM Worship

Monday, August 12

5:15 PM Board of Congregational Services Meeting

6:30 PM Youth Group Planning Meeting

Acknowledgments

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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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