

Divine Worship at 10:30



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Here are a few things we'd like you to know...



CHILDREN IN WORSHIP



We are so happy you are here!

We've got tot bags and children's bulletins that are located in the east and west rear entrances of the church. Also, check out our Visual Faith page in the back of the bulletin.

Please feel free to bring your kids up during the distribution of Holy Communion for a personal blessing.

The unstaffed Church Nursery is available for children three years of age and younger and is located in the lower level. If you need help finding it, please ask one of our ushers who will gladly guide you.

PRAYER REQUESTS



If you have a prayer request that you would like announced to the congregation, you will find a prayer request card on the tables located near each entrance into the sanctuary. Drop the completed card into one of the boxes located at each entrance, or simply hand it to an usher.

CONNECTIONS COUNTER



Visit the Connections Counter located in Ebenezer Hall. We've been expecting you and have a gift for our visitors. You can also pick up information on all we have to offer and sign up for events too!

SPECIAL NEEDS



We offer a hearing loop, large print bulletins and printed copies of today's sermon. If these would be helpful, please ask one of our ushers who would be delighted to assist you.

GATHERING TIME



Join us for coffee, donuts and fellowship on Sunday mornings, after the early service and before Sunday school and Bible classes begin.

EMMANUEL APP



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Found in the gathering space we call Ebenezer Hall.

BUILDING FAITH IN THE CITY

“The Miraculous Seed”

AS WE GATHER

One of the most amazing aspects of today's parable is that the Sower sows His seed with abandon. The Sower doesn't take soil samples, or cultivate the path, or clear the rocks, or cut out the thorns. Instead, against all reason, He sows freely, and He scatters His life-giving seed on all the land, knowing that it will indeed produce a harvest. That's exactly how it is with the kingdom of God. In ways we would never predict and could never engineer, the seed brings life. So it is with God's saving Word.

+ THE ORDER OF DIVINE SERVICE IV AT 10:30 A.M. +

THE GATHERING TIME

During the Gathering Time, we encourage our members to greet each other with God's peace and to welcome visitors. Kindly turn off all cellphones and please sit toward the center of the pew so there is room for all who worship.

THE PRELUDE: “From All That Dwell”

T. Pavlechko

THE RINGING OF THE BELLS

THE WORDS OF WELCOME

THE OPENING HYMN: “From All That Dwell Below the Skies”
(Please stand for verse 3)

Hymn 816

THE PRESENTATION OF PRAYER REQUESTS

THE INVOCATION

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

People: **Amen.**

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: **who made heaven and earth.**

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

People: **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

Leader: Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the forgiveness of sins, 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.

(Silence for reflection and confession)

Leader: Almighty God,

People: Have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life.
Amen.

Leader: 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.

People: Amen.

THE INTROIT

Psalm 103:15–19; antiphon: v. 8



The LORD is merciful and | gracious,*
slow to anger and abounding in | steadfast love.

As for man, his days | are like grass,*
he flourishes like a flower | of the field;
for the wind passes over it, and | it is gone,*
and its place knows | it no more.

But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting
on those who | fear him,*

and his righteousness to children's | children,
to those who keep his | covenant*
and remember to do his com- | mandments.

The LORD has established his throne in the | heavens,*
and his kingdom rules | over all.

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

The LORD is merciful and | gracious,*
slow to anger and abounding in | steadfast love.

THE KYRIE: (Congregation sings)

LSB, 204



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

THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS: (Congregation sings)



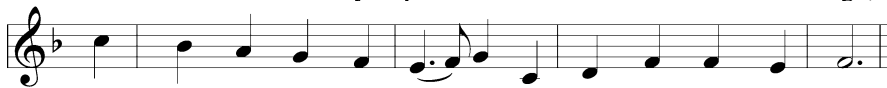
C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole-be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



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-shipped 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.

THE COLLECT

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray. Blessed Lord, since You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning, grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

(Please be seated)

THE FIRST READING: Isaiah 55:10-13

"For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, ¹so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not

return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it. ¹²“For you shall go out in joy and be led forth in peace; the mountains and the hills before you shall break forth into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. ¹³Instead of the thorn shall come up the cypress; instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle; and it shall make a name for the LORD, an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.”

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING: Romans 8:12-17

So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. ¹³For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. ¹⁴For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. ¹⁵For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, “Abba! Father!” ¹⁶The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Liz Bejot

(Please stand as you are able)

THE ALLELUIA AND VERSE

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

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

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

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

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Leader: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 13th chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord!

That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat beside the sea. ²And great crowds gathered about him, so that he got into a boat and sat down. And the whole crowd stood on the beach. ³And he told them many things in parables, saying: “A sower went out to sow. ⁴And as he sowed, some seeds fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured them. ⁵Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and immediately they sprang up, since they had no depth of soil, ⁶but when the sun rose they were scorched. And since they had no root, they withered away. ⁷Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. ⁸Other seeds fell on good soil and produced grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. ⁹He who has ears, let him hear. . . . ¹⁸“Hear then the parable of the sower: ¹⁹When anyone hears the word of the kingdom and does not understand it, the evil one comes and snatches away what has been sown in his heart. This is what was sown along the path. ²⁰As for what was sown on rocky ground, this is the one who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy, ²¹yet he has no root in himself, but endures for a while, and when tribulation or persecution arises on account of the word, immediately he falls away. ²²As for what was sown among thorns, this is the one who hears the word, but the cares of the world and the deceitfulness of riches choke the word, and it proves unfruitful. ²³As for what was sown on good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it. He indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty.”

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

Inside back cover of hymnal

(Please be seated)

THE SERMON HYMN: “Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast”

Hymn 577

THE SERMON

Pastor Thomas A. Eggold

THE GATHERING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Please take the black binder at the end of each pew, and fill out the appropriate info. We encourage our members to greet our visitors after the service.

THE MUSICAL OFFERING: “Improvisation”

THANKSGIVING FOR GOD'S GIFTS

(Please stand as you are able)

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: In peace, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For repentance, that God would warn us of sin and temptation, so that we would place all trust in His promise of everlasting life, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For devotion to the Holy Word, which God sends as abundantly as rain on the earth, that we may never take it for granted but seek its help and refreshment in every circumstance, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For an abundant harvest of believers, that God would bless pastors and missionaries as they sow His Word to the nations, preparing the hearts of all who hear to believe and yield abundant fruit, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For parents, that the Lord would bless them with faithfulness as they plant His Word into their children; and for children, that by His Word the Lord would protect them amid the cares and troubles of this world, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For seasonable weather and bountiful harvest, that according to our Creator's Word, He would send rain on the earth to make it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: For those suffering from illnesses of body or mind, that the Lord would give them healing, comfort them with His loving presence, grant them patience to endure suffering and assure them always of the glory of Christ that awaits them, let us pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: Almighty God, Your Spirit calls us by the Gospel to the new life of faith. We praise You and acknowledge You as our Lord. Deliver us from the devil's temptations, that we may live under You and serve You in righteousness, innocence and blessedness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the same Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (spoken together)

THE BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

Leader: Let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

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

People: Amen.

THE CLOSING HYMN: "Almighty Father, Bless the Word"

Hymn 923

THE POSTLUDE: "Quick Fix Toccata"

C. Williams

NEXT WEEK READINGS: Is. 44:6-8; Ps. 119:57-64; Rom. 8:18-27; Matt. 13:24-30, 36-43

THE FLOWERS adorning the altar were given to the glory of God in honor of our 49th Wedding Anniversary from Steve and Pam Bryan; and in honor of the July birthdays of my husband, Bob Dietrich and daughters, Lindsay and Nikki from Jeanne Dietrich.

SERVING

Organ	Matt Johnston
Piano	Judah Stellwagen
Acolyte	Mason Longworth
Altar Guild	Carolyn Beitz, Judy Huesner, Joyce Schumm, Debbie Schumm, Jen Tweedy
Usher Crew 4	Thim Reed, Mike Shively, Ron Ahrens, Thomas Bay, Dave Behling, Troy Hockemeyer, Hudson Kraft, Dick Shively, Steve Williams, David Wyss
Closer	Wentland Family
Audio Engineer	Mike Milholland

The Prayers of the Church

Prayer Requests

- Our congregation continues to care for one another through a faithful prayer ministry. Please pray for the following people this week:
 - Pray for strength, healing, peace and comfort for Carlton Grotrian (father of Karla Neeld), Alycia Williams, Gene Franklin (father of Sandy Behling), Vickie Kidwell (mother of Sandy Behling), Phil Arthur, Deb Percy, Norv McClure, Janine (friend of Lauryn Longworth), Gracelynn Anderson (granddaughter of Tim and Cindy Anderson), Stan Thompson, Deb Epperson, Faith Behling, Wayne McClure, LuAnn Reichhart (mom of Brent Reichhart), Melissa Henry (sister of Judy Huesner), Renee Bleke, Mark Wasson (brother of Cheri Maxwell), Laura Herrick (Caroline Eber's niece), Kevin Hoffman
- Pray for the following people recovering from surgery: Kathy Freimuth, Justin Arkkelin, Christian Puls, Ken Schilf
- Pray for healing, comfort and peace for the following people with cancer: Karen Burtch (sister-in-law of Lori Richey), Amy Krontz (daughter-in-law of David and Karen Wyss), Mary Grosjean, Peg Davis, Sherry (friend of Barb and Gary Lesh), Ed and Barb Hambrock, Julie McMichael (niece of Deb Percy), Bob and Jenny Hobby (brother-in-law and sister of Chris Murphy), Rob Howe, Judi Brunow, Josh Walters (friend of Patty Rouse), Judy Baumgartner

(mother of Kristin Smith), Dennis McFadden, Art Klausmeier, Roger Kuehnert, John Jennings (friend of Dave and Tammy Bair), Bruce Williams, Rob Roehm, Ann Schwartz, Hazel Krenzke (Brian and Anna Snodgrass's niece), Robert Burmeister (Hannah Swor's dad), Roxanne Moore, Jenny Nehrenz (niece of Charlene Hess), Rick Bair (brother of Dave and Tammy Bair), Gary Thompson (father of Carly Bennett), Carol McGuigan (mother of Kevin McGuigan), Linda Raatz, Jeff Dunham (brother-in-law of Scott and Christi Everson), Doug Bennett (father of Ty Bennett), Sean Breininger, Herb Schumm, Karen Bickhart (daughter of Barry Doege), Tara Bustos (sister of Sean Breininger), Jeff Bennett (father of Faith Harless)

- Join our staff in praying for the following members:
 - Jack Gossett
 - Jeff and Jessica Gotsch, Nicholas
 - Steve and Nan Gotsch
 - Trophyce Gray
 - Cindy Greaf
 - Brad Green, Noah
 - Mitch and Allison Green, Frank, Sawyer, Skyler, and Adrian
 - Richard and Jennifer Greene
 - Melissa Greener
- Please pray for the missions supported by Emmanuel's congregation:
 - Rev. James and Deaconess Christel Neuendorf – Ponce, Puerto Rico
 - Lutheran Agency for Missions to Burmese (LAMB)
 - Rev. Michael Paul - Taiwan
 - Heidi Wilkinson – Ethiopia
 - The Lutheran Heritage Foundation
 - Luther Academy
 - Lutheran Senior Care Ministry (LSCM)
 - Lutherans For Life (LFL)
 - Lutheran Bible Translators

If you have a prayer request that you would like to make known to our Emmanuel family, please email me at taeggold@hotmail.com. If you would like to join the Emmanuel Prayer Chain, please email Marsha Sappenfield at marshasappenfield@comcast.net or call 260.616.0679.

Prayer of Thanksgiving for Baptism: Thank God for the baptisms so far in 2026:

Callaghan Miller	Austin Hayward	Calvin Chess	Michael Flanagan
Sean Flanagan	Morgan Flanagan	Mordecai Austin	Theodore Vachon
Emerson Ross	Esther Burns	Cameron Etzler	Niyanni Berry
Callum Dan	Natalie Sheaffer	Jacob Wiehe	

The Teaching of the Church

Sunday Morning Bible Class: Abiding in the Vine, Leader: Stephen Bornheimer
Location: Brandt Hall, Time: 9:15 -10:15 a.m.

Weekday Bible Classes...

CLASS	LOCATION	DAY	TIME
Clay & Iron Devotion	Brandt Hall	Monday	6:30 a.m.
Men's Lectionary Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	6:30 a.m.
Pastor's Bible Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	10:00 a.m.
@917 Bible Class	Ebenezer Hall	Thursdays	7:00 p.m.
This Is Most Certainly Brew	Brandt Hall	Fridays	6:30 a.m.

The News of the Church

Sign Up for Pictorial Directory—If you have not registered to have your picture taken for Emmanuel's new Pictorial Directory, time is running short. We would love to have you (and family) included in the directory, as this booklet will become a part of Emmanuel's history, PLUS you will receive a FREE 8 x 10 photograph. To reserve your photograph time, please follow the instructions below.

1. Go to website www.ucdir.com
2. Click on the RED box that is located on the right side of the homepage entitled "Photography Appointment Scheduling Login"
3. Enter your church code: in2038
4. Enter your church password: photos2038
5. Select your preferred photography date and appointment time. **If you have more than six family members, you must reserve two appointments consecutively (such as 6:00 and 6:10 p.m.).

If you need assistance, please call the church office at 260.423.1369 and ask for Becki or Carolyn. PLEASE NOTE: If you are using your cell phone to schedule your appointment and the scheduling page will not open, turn off your Wi-Fi and try again using your cellular data.

Host and Hostesses for our Pictorial Directory – The response to register to be a host/hostess for our members who will be having their picture taken, has been wonderful. Thank you! We still have openings available, and if you would like to volunteer you can do so by responding to the email/text that was sent out last week, or by calling the church office at 423-1369, asking for Becki or Carolyn.

Playground Playdates - Join us for some summer fun at Krueckeberg Corner playground on Sunday mornings! All kids and their families are invited for a special

time of fellowship and play. These low-key gatherings are a great way to enjoy the outdoors and connect with other families. Dates: July 19; August 2, and 16 from 9:15-10:15 a.m. We can't wait to see you there!

First Impressions – Enjoy fellowship and get to know other women at our First Impressions social gatherings this summer! Our last summer gathering is Wednesday, August 5, 6:00–7:30 p.m. at Vinland Reserve Winery (4494 Provision Parkway). We hope to see you there!

Summer Bible Study for Women - Looking for an evening women's Bible study this summer? Join us for 'Summer in the Word' - a welcoming space for fellowship, encouragement, and growth in God's Word. We'll gather in LL Ebenezer at Emmanuel from 7:00-8:30 p.m. on: July 14 and 28, and August 11. Led by Liz Bejot and Sarah Pennekamp, this study will explore 'The Mighty and the Mysterious', a study on the book of Colossians by Heidi Goehmann. The book can be purchased on Amazon. We would love to have you join us! Feel free to reach out to Liz (LBejot@emmanuelutheran.org) or Sarah (pennekamp6@yahoo.com) if you have any questions.

Bridge 20/30 is a Christian group for adults in their 20s and 30s focused on building community, friendships, faith, and fellowship through social events, devotion, and activities throughout the Fort Wayne area. New participants are always welcome! The next event is on July 14, 7:00 p.m. – Porch Night: 1/4 Life Crisis Series at Holy Cross Youth Center (3420 N. Anthony Blvd).

The Stewardship of the Church

EMMANUEL’S MINISTRIES

Supports the ongoing mission and ministry efforts of Emmanuel congregation.

Year to Date: \$1,190,456	Anticipated Need Through July: \$1,405,524
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DISTRICT AND SYNOD

Used for local, national and world mission efforts.

Last Week: \$315	Year to Date: \$7,671
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CUP OF KINDNESS

Distributed by Lutheran Social Services to local families who have crisis needs.

Last Week: \$195	Year to Date: \$2,637
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IN ALL GENERATIONS

Supports the renovations of the Emmanuel campus school building.

"IAG" Total Received:	Mortgage Balance:	Total Cost*
\$6,930,975	\$548,905	\$7,468,761

*Total Cost = Mortgage Interest Paid to Date + Construction Cost

The Calendar of the Church

Monday, July 13

ESM Basketball Camp

6:30 a.m. Clay & Iron Weekly Devotion

5:30 p.m. LifeLight Book Review

Tuesday, July 14

ESM Basketball Camp

7:00 p.m. Summer in the Word Bible Study

Wednesday, July 15

ESM Basketball Camp

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study

10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study

11:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, July 16

ESM Basketball Camp

8:30 a.m. Thursday Guys

9:00 a.m. Piece Makers

3:30 p.m. Food Bank

7:00 p.m. @917 Bible Class

Friday, July 17

ESM Basketball Camp

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study

Saturday, July 18

5:00 p.m. Divine Service w/ Communion

Sunday, July 19

8:00 a.m. Divine Service

9:15 a.m. Bible Class - Abiding in the Vine

10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/ Communion

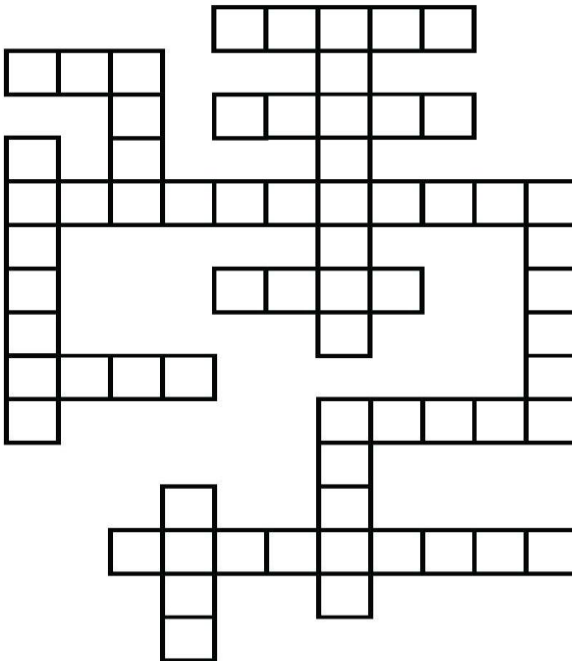
Notes

What was my favorite part of church today?



How can I use this in my life?

Fill-In Word puzzle



UNDERSTANDS
MOUNTAINS
ADOPTION
PURPOSE
SPIRIT

GLORY
HEARS
FRUIT
FAITH
WORD

GROW
SONG
SEED
SOW



EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Building faith in the city

We are a caring family of baptized Christians bound together in the forgiveness which God has provided all people through His Son, Jesus.

This family exists to announce this gift of forgiveness to individuals of all nations and cultures through the preaching of God's Word and the administration of the Sacraments. Emmanuel instructs young and old according to the confessional standard of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, and reaches out through forgiving relationships, working to connect all members of the family through caring friendships.

Emmanuel serves as shepherds of the sheep; seekers of the lost; friends of sinners; and caregivers to the poor, lonely and broken-hearted. It is a family that cares for all people and reaches out to witness to the love and forgiveness found in Jesus Christ.

Emmanuel Worship Services are designed to share God's love and forgiveness through the ministry of Word and Sacrament. We offer a variety of worship styles and we encourage you to worship in the liturgical style that best meets your needs.

Saturday Evening Divine Service—This service offers a contemporary setting and is held on Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning Divine Services—These services are held on Sundays at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. and feature worship in a traditional liturgical setting.

Church Staff

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816 From All That Dwell Below the Skies



1 From all that dwell be - low the skies Let the Cre - a - tor's
 2 E - ter - nal are Thy mer - cies, Lord; E - ter - nal truth at -
 Δ 3 All praise to God the Fa - ther be, All praise, e - ter - nal



praise a - rise; Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 tends Thy Word. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 Son, to Thee. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



Let the Re - deem - er's name be sung Through ev - 'ry land by
 Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore Till suns shall rise and
 Whom with the Spir - it we a - dore For - ev - er and for -



ev - 'ry tongue. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 set no more. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 ev - er - more: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



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

577 Almighty God, Your Word Is Cast



1 Al - might - y God, Your Word is cast Like
 2 Let not the sly sa - tan - ic foe This
 3 Let not the world's de - ceit - ful cares The
 4 So when the pre - cious seed is sown, Life -



seed in - to the ground; Now let the dew of
 ho - ly seed re - move, But give it root in
 ris - ing plant de - stroy, But let it yield a
 giv - ing grace be - stow That all whose souls the



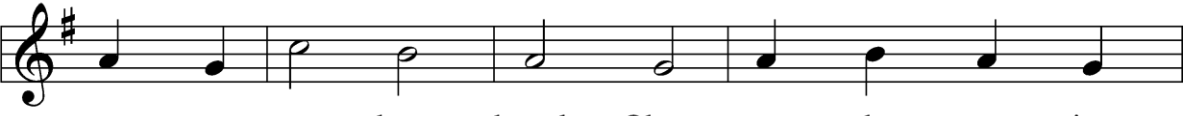
heav'n de - scend And righ - teous fruits a - bound.
 ev - 'ry heart To bring forth fruits of love.
 hun - dred - fold The fruits of peace and joy.
 truth re - ceive Its sav - ing pow'r may know.

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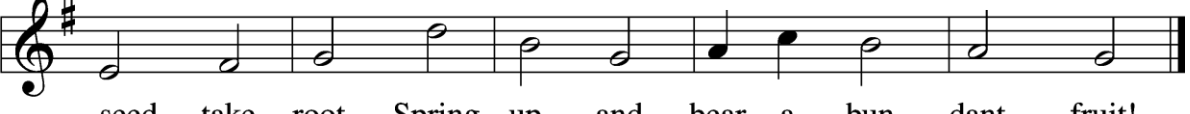
923 Almighty Father, Bless the Word



1 Al - might - y Fa - ther, bless the Word Which through Your
2 We praise You for the means of grace As home - ward
△ 3 Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise Him, all



grace we now have heard. Oh, may the pre - cious
now our steps we trace. Grant, Lord, that we who
crea - tures here be - low; Praise Him a - bove, ye



seed take root, Spring up, and bear a - bun - dant fruit!
wor - shiped here May all at last in heav'n ap - pear.
heav'n - ly host: Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

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