

Divine Service at 10:30



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

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“The Story of Discipleship”

AS WE GATHER

The word discipleship has many different meanings in today's world, yet the commission Christ has given his Church is all about discipleship (Matthew 28:19-20). We understand that the Holy Spirit is the only one who can truly make disciples of Christ. He creates faith and makes disciples through His Word and Sacraments, and He uses His people to deliver these life-saving gifts. God has called all of us into the work of discipleship, and no matter who we are or what our role in the world may be, God is always using His people to extend His kingdom work. This is the job of the Church, and today, we focus on this story of discipleship.

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

THE GATHERING TIME

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

THE PRELUDE: “Here I Am, Lord”
“Mighty Fortress”

Kim
Raney

THE RINGING OF THE BELLS

THE WORDS OF WELCOME

THE OPENING HYMN: “I Love to Tell the Story”

I love to tell the story Of unseen things above,
Of Jesus and His glory, Of Jesus and His love.
I love to tell the story, Because I know it's true;
It satisfies my longings As nothing else would do.

(Chorus)

I love to tell the story; 'Twill be my theme in glory
To tell the old, old story Of Jesus and His love.

(Sunday School Kids)

I love to tell the story, For those who know it best
Seem hungering and thirsting To hear it like the rest.
And when in scenes of glory I sing the new, new song,
'Twill be the old, old story That I have loved so long (Chorus)

I love to tell the story, Of how, from heav'n above
Our Lord and Savior Jesus Was sent to show God's love
To ev'ry sinful creature Upon this earthly place

How Christ, the gift from heaven, Is God's great gift of grace. (Chorus)

©Text: Arabella Katherine Hankey, 1834-1911, st. 1-3; Jeffrey E. Burkart, st. 4-9; Tune: Hankey, William Gustavus Fischer, 1835-1912

THE PRESENTATION OF PRAYER REQUESTS

(Please stand as you are able)

THE INVOCATION

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

People: Amen.

THE CONFESSION OF SINS AND ABSOLUTION

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

People: who made heaven and earth.

Leader: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

People: and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination)

Leader: O almighty God, merciful Father,

People: 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.

Leader: 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.

People: Amen.

THE INTROIT (Congregation sings indented lines) Ps. 74:18-19, 21, 20a, 22a; ant: v. 2a



Remember your congregation, which you have pur- | chased of old,*
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your | heritage!

Remember this, O LORD, how the en- | emy scoffs,*
and a foolish people re- | viles your name.

Do not deliver the soul of your dove to the | wild beasts;*
do not forget the life of your poor for- | ever.

Let not the downtrodden turn | back in shame;*
let the poor and needy | praise your name.

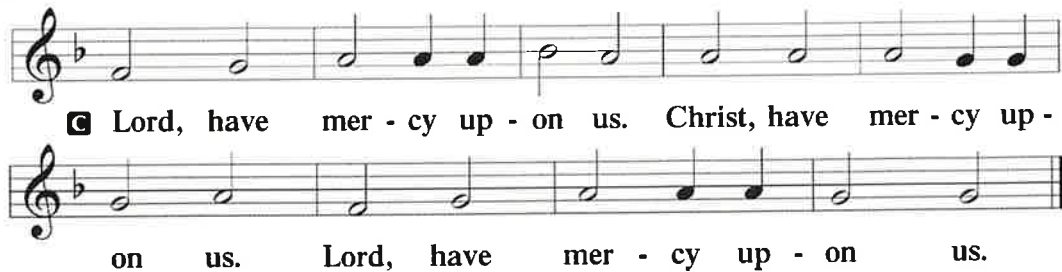
Have regard for the | covenant;*
arise, O God, de- | fend your cause.

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.

Remember your congregation, which you have pur- | chased of old,*
 which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your | heritage!

THE KYRIE

LSB, 186



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

THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

LSB, 187



P Glory be to God on high: **C** 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.

THE COLLECT

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People:

And with thy spir - it.

Leader: 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.

People:

A - men.

(Please be seated)

THE FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 6:1-9

"Now this is the commandment, the statutes and the just decrees that the LORD your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, ²that you may fear the LORD your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long. ³Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey. ⁴"Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. ⁵You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. ⁶And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. ⁷You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. ⁸You

shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. ⁹You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates."

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 4:14-21

I do not write these things to make you ashamed, but to admonish you as my beloved children. ¹⁵For though you have countless guides in Christ, you do not have many fathers. For I became your father in Christ Jesus through the gospel. ¹⁶I urge you, then, be imitators of me. ¹⁷That is why I sent you Timothy, my beloved and faithful child in the Lord, to remind you of my ways in Christ, as I teach them everywhere in every church. ¹⁸Some are arrogant, as though I were not coming to you. ¹⁹But I will come to you soon, if the Lord wills, and I will find out not the talk of these arrogant people but their power. ²⁰For the kingdom of God does not consist in talk but in power. ²¹What do you wish? Shall I come to you with a rod, or with love in a spirit of gentleness?

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand as you are able)

THE ALLELUIA AND VERSE



THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 28:16-20

Leader: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 28th chapter.

People:



Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People:



THE NICENE CREED (Spoken together)

Inside back cover of hymnal

(Please be seated)

THE SERMON HYMN: "Here I Am, Lord"

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.

All who dwell in deepest sin my hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright

Who will bear my light to them? Who shall I send?

(Chorus)

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.

I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.

I have wept for love of them. They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.

I will speak my word to them. Who shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.

I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.

I will give my life to them. Who shall I send?

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THE SERMON

Pastor Ron Pennekamp

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: "The Gift of Love"

Larson

(Please stand as you are able)

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs. Grant us the blessing of Your grace and faith to hear and heed the voice of Your Word. Give us patience, courage and endurance in time of trial, that we may not despair when we suffer for the sake of the kingdom. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Heavenly Father, guide and protect all families. Grant that husbands and wives might live in faithfulness to each other. Bless all who bring children to Baptism and nurture them in the faith. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Holy One, bless all elected and appointed officials of government. Guide them to promote good and just laws for the benefit of all people. Give them integrity, that they may serve the highest good with their abilities. Bless those whose sacrificial service regularly protects and defends us here and abroad. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Almighty God, because You neither slumber nor sleep, deliver us from evil. Especially we beg You to keep the lives of those who face sickness, injuries and troubles. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: **hear our prayer.**

Leader: Washed in the blood of the Lamb, we are the people of Your promise and the sheep of Your own flock. Grant us to receive with faith and in repentance the blessed food of Your Son's body and blood, and bring this Holy Communion to bear fruit in our lives. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: **hear our prayer.**

Leader: Merciful Father, as You have promised, keep safe our coming in and our going out from this time forth and forevermore, for we pray in the name of Jesus, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

+ THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION +

THE PREFACE: (Spoken responsively by the Congregation)

LSB, 194

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

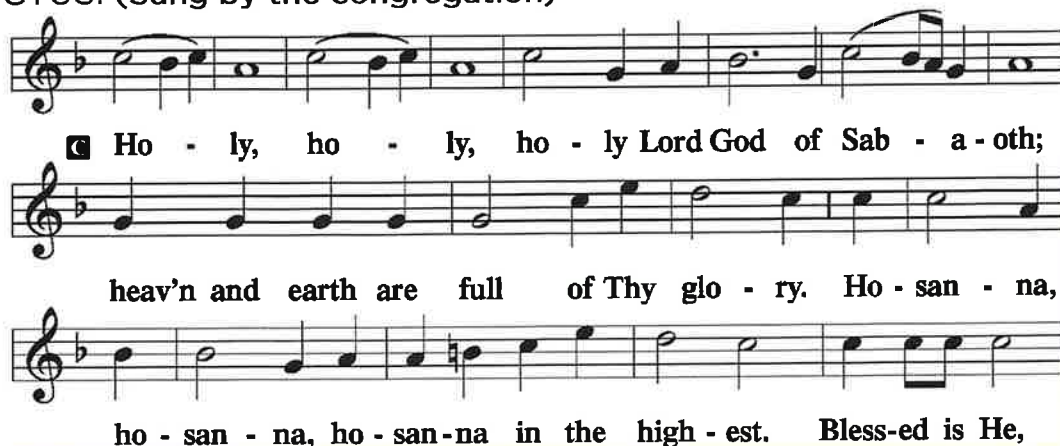
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

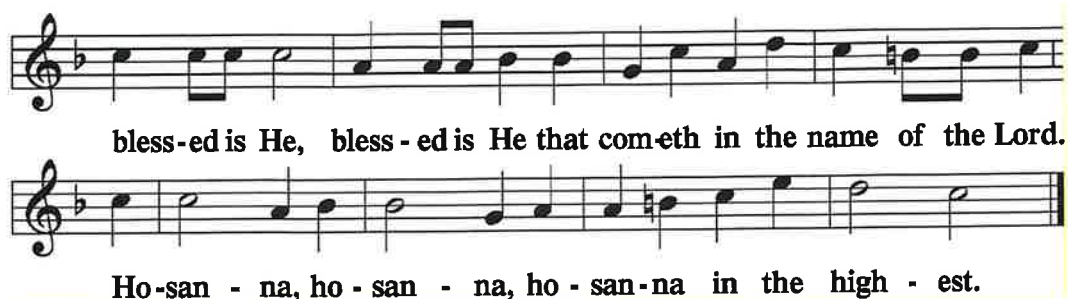
Leader: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, having created all things, took on human flesh and was born of the virgin Mary. For our sake He died on the cross and rose from the dead to put an end to death, thus fulfilling Your will and gaining for You a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

THE SANCTUS: (Sung by the congregation)

LSB, 195



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,



THE LORD'S PRAYER (spoken together)

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

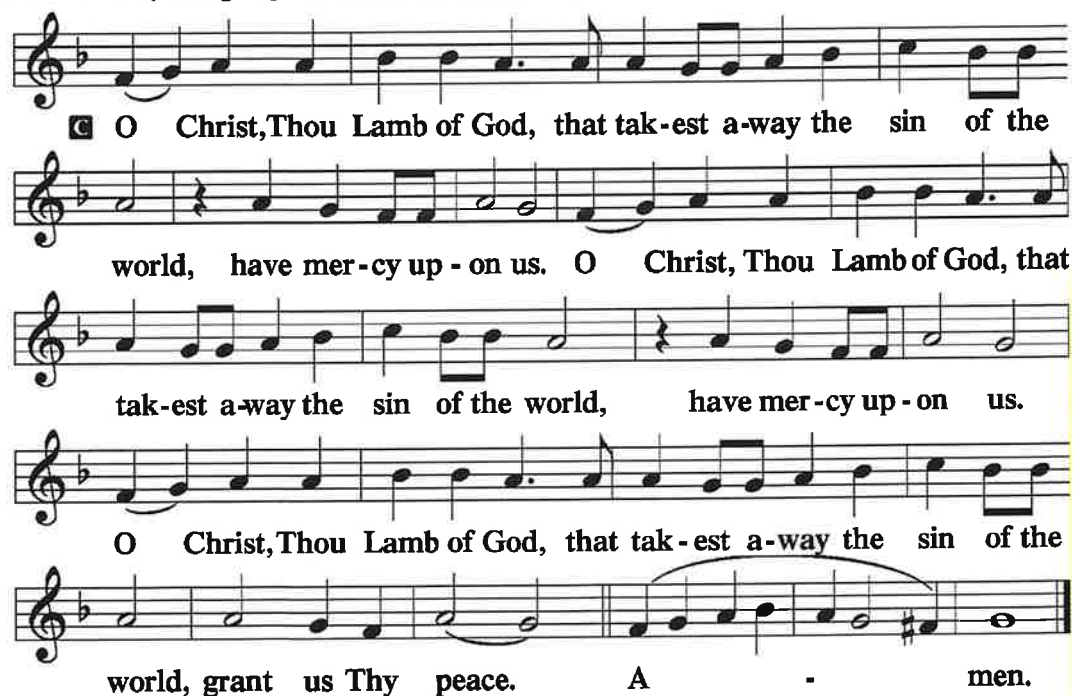
THE PEACE OF THE LORD

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



THE AGNUS DEI: (Sung by the congregation)

LSB, 198



(Please be seated)

THE DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION (Served by stations)

When Jesus said, "This is My Body...This is My Blood," He really meant it. As Lutherans, we believe in the real bodily presence of Christ in the Sacrament, not merely in a figurative or symbolic sense. This means that Jesus' body and blood are actually present in the bread and wine received in Holy Communion. In this meal our faith is strengthened and forgiveness is assured. This gift is an act of

God's love, which we don't deserve, cannot explain, and don't even fully understand. We humbly believe it. It is a request of our congregation that anyone who wishes to commune with us would share this faith. If you are not receiving the Lord's Supper today but desire a blessing, approach the Pastor with your arms crossed over your heart. The individual cups located in the center of each tray contain non-alcoholic wine for those having that medical need. Individually packaged gluten-free communion wafers are available. Please ask the Communion Assistant if you have this dietary need.

THE DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"On Galilee's High Mountain" (Remain seated for v. 6)

Hymn 835

"Dearest Jesus, We Are Here"

Kosche

"Rise, Shine, You People"

Hymn 825

"Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain"

Hymn 865

(Please stand, as you are able)

THE DISMISSAL

THE POST COMMUNION CANTICLE (Sung by the congregation)

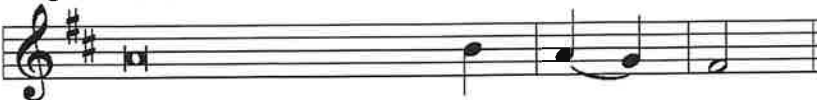
LSB, 199

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 without end. A - men.

THE POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

LSB, 200

Leader: O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

People: 
C and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

Leader: 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 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.

People: 
C A - men.

THE SALUTATION, BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

LSB, 201

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: 
C And with thy spir - it.

Leader: Bless we the Lord.

People: 
C Thanks be to God.

Leader: 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.

People: 
C A-men, a-men, a - men.

THE CLOSING HYMN: "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds"

Hymn 465

THE POSTLUDE: "Now All the Vault"

Miller

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Rev. 14:6-7; Ps. 46; Rom. 3:19-28; John 8:31-36

THE FLOWERS adorning His altar were given to the glory of God in loving memory of Henry and Mary Louise Spice from their family; in loving memory of George Lasselle, Virginia Trial and Beth and Everett Karrick from Chuck and Jan Karrick; and in loving memory of Bertha Lasley from Ed, Darlene and Kaitlyn.

SERVING

Liturgist	Seminarian Brad Larson
Organ	Matt Johnston
Flute	Anna Snodgrass
Trumpet	Maria Snodgrass
Acolyte	Sophie Barnes
Communion	Brent Harring, Jeff Smith, Chuck Werth, Justin Arkkelin
Altar Guild	Becki Elonzae, Kristina Brown, Jan Karrick, Raquel Klug, Chris Winkler
Usher Crew 5	Jasper Downie, Arlan Hogan, Richie Cummins, Everett Cummins, Scott Everson, John Hoham, Dave Huffman, Ethan Kuhmichel, Caleb Layman, Brent Ostermeyer
Closer	Andy and Jennifer Barnes
Audio Engr.	Jim Wudy

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 Pam Carmichael (sister of Deb Percy), Steve Herman, River Garcia (grandson of Raquel Klug), Carlton Grotrian (father of Karla Neeld), Colsen Gage (nephew of Annalissa Smith), Ricky Carmickle (brother-in-law of Deb Percy), Alycia Williams, Dick Reinking, Gene Franklin (father of Sandy Behling), Vickie Kidwell (mother of Sandy Behling), Phil Arthur, Devon Jewel and Niko L. Christlib (friends of Ilona Clenny), Deb Percy, Ed Braun, Norv McClure, Janine (friend of Lauryn Longworth), Graclynn Anderson (granddaughter of Tim and Cindy Anderson), Marilyn Scheumann, Lynn Williams (mother of Steve Williams), Kathy Schweyer
 - Pray for the following people recovering from surgery: Jenny Scheiderer, Dave Bieberich, Cathy Paff, Jan Reche, Vernene Miller, Justin Arkkelin, Elizabeth Johnston, Jan Werth, Jan Rathge, Steve Mueller, Myra Schmidt, Lenore Perry, Ty Bennett
 - Pray for healing, comfort and peace for the following people with cancer: Bonnie Havener (sister-in-law of George and Becki Elonzae), Karen Burtch (sister-in-law of Lori Richey), Amy Krantz (daughter-in-law of David and Karen Wyss), Mary Grosjean, Peg Davis, Ashley Edge (niece of Barb and Gary Lesh), Barb Hambrock, Julie McMichael (niece of Deb Percy), Bob and Jenny Hobby (brother-in-law and sister of Chris Murphy), Shelly Koenig (friend of Matt & Amy Konow), Rob Howe, Judi Brunow, Josh Walters (friend of Patty Rouse), Judy Baumgartner (mother of Kristin Smith), Tina Bennett, Dennis McFadden, Lisa Toth (Peppie), Laura Herrick (Caroline Eber's niece), Art Klausmeier, Roger Kuehnert, John Jennings

(friend of Dave and Tammy Bair), Bruce Williams, Herb Schumm, Mike Huesner, Rob Roehm, Ann Schwartz, Hazel Krenzke (Brian and Anna Snodgrass's niece), Robert Burmeister (Hannah Swor's dad), Roxanne Moore

- Prayers for PALS - PALS is a program in which Emmanuel members partner with Washington School students to build relationships and strengthen reading skills in a Christian environment. Each week we will pray for some of our Washington School PALS or helpers, and we encourage you to join us in the ministry. This week, we are praying for Hendrix and Daisey.
- Join our staff in praying for the following members:
 - Christina Winkler
 - Ryan and Kristen Winsemann, Hudson, Cy and Calla
 - Jim and Diane Witzzenman
 - Kevin and Jennifer Witzigreuter, Sophia, Jax, Grace and Chandler
 - Lucas and Nicki Witzigreuter, Sawyer
 - Brandon and Lindsay Wolf, Tabitha, Ella, and Adeline
 - Paul and Carolyn Wolf
 - Ann Woodward, Charlie
 - JoAnn Woodward
 - John and Kim Woodward
- 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 2025.

Dolores Harper	Parker Schultheis	Mason Gilliom	Atlas Arnold
Renae Smith	Rafael Alberto	Lois Altheide	Lincoln Griffin
Virginia Miller	Amelia Adair	Forrest Clarke	Brandon Cirilo
Charlotte Schmotzer	Lilyth Tittman	Anna Vandercar	William Vogt
Bennett Hoyle	Liam Hill	Rowen Lomont	Owen Light
Kollin Vanderford	Klaire Vanderford	Khloe Vanderford	Walter Vanderford

Wilma Vanderford	Vada Gillum	Valerie Miller	Gary Keller
Terry Buffington	Desirae Rider	Payton Caudill	Benjamin Rider
Alice Gynn	Quinn Brimmer	Parker Hall	Kirstin Lobozzo
Jordyn Christlieb	Devon Jewell	Izaiah Christlieb	Iyla Christlieb
Elyjun Christlieb	Amira Christlieb	Nevaeh Christlieb	Atreus Layman
Theodora Kendrick			

The Teaching of the Church

Want Help Growing in the Word? Regularly visit Pastor Brunow's website <http://www.genesbrunotes.com>. The website offers notes on each chapter of Scripture, Bible studies, tips for preparing for worship, and a weekly devotion based on the Gospel reading for the coming week. You can find these devotions under the "Sermon Notes Plus" option.

Sunday School and Bible Class 9:15 – 10:15 a.m.

CLASS	LOCATION
Little Flock (Birth - Age 3)	School Room A5 (Extended Care)
4-5 Year Olds	School Room A3
K-1 st Grade	School Room A1
2 nd -3 rd Grade	School Room B3
4 th -5 th Grade	School Room B5
6 th -7 th Grade	School Room D3
8 th Grade	LL Ebenezer
High School	Loft
Adults: I Love to Tell the Story	Sanctuary

Weekday Bible Classes...

CLASS	LOCATION	DAY	TIME
Monday Morning Moms	Loft	Monday (every other)	8:30 a.m.
LifeLight: Luke	Ebenezer Hall	Mondays	3:30 p.m.
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Study the Psalms	Chapman's	Tuesday	6:00 p.m.
Men's Lectionary Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	6:30 a.m.
Women's Bible Study	Brandt Hall	Wednesdays	8:30 a.m.
Pastor's Bible Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	10:00 a.m.
Friends in the Word	Loft	Thursday (every other)	8:30 a.m.
Bible Study & Fellowship	Chapman's	Thursdays	6:00 p.m.
@917 (Ages 25-45)	Ebenezer Hall	Thursdays	7:00 p.m.
This Is Most Certainly Brew	Brandt Hall	Fridays	6:30 a.m.

The News of the Church

I Love to Tell the Story- This weekend, Pastor Ron Pennekamp will serve as our preacher, and he and his wife, Barb, will also lead our Sunday morning Bible

class as they tell the Story of Discipleship. Please join us for these inspiring events as I Love to Tell the Story continues this weekend.

Lunch Bunch (60+) will be on Tuesday, October 21st, starting at 11:00 a.m. We will welcome our guest speaker J.D. Stonecypher, Community Engagement Manager-Northern Indiana for the Alzheimer's Association, Greater Indiana Chapter. He will address the impact of Alzheimer's and Dementia in Our Community. The cost is \$10.00, payable that day. Please sign up ASAP.

Visual Faith Ministries – Advent Preparation Workshop: Join us Tuesday, November 4, from 6:00–8:00 p.m., as we prepare our hearts for the season of Advent. Visual Faith invites you to pause and center your heart on Christ. We'll be creating Advent Devotional Journals that connect with Emmanuel's Advent devotions, "Coming Home for Christmas," from 1517. No experience is needed—all supplies and guidance are provided. Sign up at the Connections Counter or by using the QR Code.



Chili Cook-Off and Bingo Night will be on Saturday, November 15, from 6:00–8:00 p.m. in the gym! The evening begins with an hour of chili sampling, plus hot dogs, sides, and desserts, followed by Bingo for gift card prizes. This family-friendly event is sponsored by the Emmanuel Youth Group, with proceeds supporting the Servant Event to Pikeville, KY. Get involved by entering a chili in the competition (details provided on the registration form) or by donating a \$10 gift card for Bingo prizes. Gift cards may be dropped off in the church office or at the Connections Counter on Sunday mornings.



Emmanuel to Help with Trunk or Treat at Washington School - We have the opportunity to partner with Washington School on their Trunk or Treat this fall! The event will be held on Thursday, October 23 from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. at Washington School. We have committed to providing 10 cars and the candy to stock them. If you would like to decorate your car and be part of the fun, please sign up by scanning the QR code. If you'd like to help by donating candy, you can drop off your donation in the church office any time. Thanks for your ongoing outreach to our neighbors at Washington School.



Veterans Appreciation Reception – Let's gather in gratitude of our veterans! On Tuesday November 11 at 11:30 a.m., LL Ebenezer will be filled with good food, warm fellowship, and heartfelt appreciation for those who have served our nation. Veterans are welcome to bring a guest. To help us prepare, please reserve your spot by November 4. As a special treat, we'll enjoy music by Bev Williams on her dulcimer. Call Carolyn Beitz at 260.433.7188 for reservations.

ESM Craft Fair - Come out and support ESM 8th graders at the Craft Show on October 25 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. There will be handmade candles, jewelry,

soaps, home decor, candies, treats, and more. If you're interested in becoming a vendor still, reach out to craftfair@esmeagles.com.

Study the Psalms at Chapman's - In our faith tradition, we are often challenged to set aside how we feel and focus on the truth of God's Word. Yet the Psalms are full of feeling, whether it is joy, sorrow, fear, thankfulness, anger, or anything in between. Join Dr. Ryan Tietz and Scott Fergusson at Chapman's Brewing on the Electric Works campus from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. every Tuesday as we gather to share a meal, explore a psalm, and then finish by praying this psalm together. This new experience with the Psalms starts on October 21!

Cross Border Partners – Help Needed: Cross Border Partners (929 N. Coliseum) are in need of strong individuals who can load and unload trucks. Any amount of help is welcome. We are open Tuesdays and Thursday 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. If you are able to help during any of these hours, please call 260.484.8580. Thank you for your consideration!

Bridge 20/30 is a space for post-high school young adults (single or married) to connect, grow, and have fun in community with others who share similar values. This week, on Tuesday, October 21 at 7:00 p.m. will be Porch Night: Series on Vanity: A Study of the Book of Ecclesiastes, 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: \$1,775,603	Anticipated Need Thru October, 2025: \$1,807,764
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DISTRICT AND SYNOD

Used for local, national and world mission efforts.

Last Week: \$1,946	Year to Date: \$11,561
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CUP OF KINDNESS

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

Last Week: \$160	Year to Date: \$3,680
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IN ALL GENERATIONS

Supports the renovations of the Emmanuel campus school building.

"IAG" Total Received:	Mortgage Balance:	Total Cost*
\$6,091,469	\$1,354,590	\$7,408,920

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

The Calendar of the Church

Monday, October 20

- 8:30 a.m. Monday Morning Moms
- 3:30 p.m. LifeLight Bible Study
- 5:30 p.m. LifeLight Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Practice
- 7:00 p.m. WC Neighborhood Association Meeting

Tuesday, October 21

- 11:00 a.m. Lunch Bunch
- 6:00 p.m. Stephen Training
- 6:00 p.m. Study the Psalms at Chapman's Brewery

Wednesday, October 22

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
- 8:30 a.m. ESM Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Homeschool Religion
- 9:15 a.m. Preschool Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study
- 11:30 a.m. Communion Service
- 3:30 p.m. PALS
- 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 23

- 8:30 a.m. Thursday Guys
- 9:00 a.m. Piece Makers
- 6:00 p.m. Bible Study and Fellowship at Chapman's Brewery
- 7:00 p.m. @917 Bible Class

Friday, October 24

ESM NO SCHOOL

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

Saturday, October 25

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

Sunday, October 26

- 8:00 a.m. Divine Service w/ Communion
- 9:15 a.m. Bible Classes and Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/ Communion

Find Words from the Scripture Readings

Z A T A P K Z G G Z
D F I P L P Z N Z J
I O Z T D E S I A R
S D U G A F D Z V M
C F Z B U G G I N O
I G H D T H H T U M
P U O H H E J P M O
L O L F O D D A S R
E B Y N R G F B D N
S E S U I F A M E I
Z Y P K T Y T O P N
G F I O Y L H R P G
O G R O H I U N I L
O U I O G G P D H O
Z I T O Z H J F S P
H O O F A T H E R N
O D D T A T D Z O P
P Z T E R H Y S W O
Z T E A C H I N G L

WORSHIPPED	BAPTIZING	RAISED
HOLY SPIRIT	TEACHING	LIGHT
AUTHORITY	MORNING	HOPE
DISCIPLES	FATHER	GOOD
DOUBTED	SPIRIT	SON

Go
and make
disciples
of all
nations
Baptizing
them
in the name
of the
Father
and the
Son
and the
Holy
Spirit

Matthew 28:19

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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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825 Rise, Shine, You People



1 Rise, shine, you peo - ple! Christ the Lord has en - tered
 2 See how He sends the pow'rs of e - vil reel - ing;
 3 Come, cel - e - brate, your ban - ners high un - furl - ing,
 4 Tell how the Fa - ther sent His Son to save us.



Our hu - man sto - ry; God in Him is cen - tered.
 He brings us free - dom, light and life and heal - ing.
 Your songs and prayers a - gainst the dark-ness hurl - ing.
 Tell of the Son, who life and free-dom gave us.



He comes to us, by death and sin sur -
 All men and wom - en, who by guilt are
 To all the world go out and tell the
 Tell how the Spir - it calls from ev - 'ry



round - ed, With grace un - bound - ed.
 driv - en, Now are for - giv - en.
 sto - ry Of Je - sus' glo - ry.
 na - tion His new cre - a - tion.

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835 On Galilee's High Mountain



1 On Gal - i - lee's high moun-tain Christ gave the great com - mand
 2 The Lord who, born of Mar - y, Came down as man and died,
 3 His strength with - in my weak-ness Will make me bold to say
 4 And not a - lone to na - tions In far - a - way re - treats,



In words of strength and prom - ise Which all can un - der-stand:
 Who preached to all who lis-tened, For us was cru - ci - fied—
 How His re - deem - ing pow - er Trans-forms my stub-born clay;
 But ev - 'ry-where I broad-cast His love through crowd-ed streets:



“All pow'r to Me is giv - en To do what I shall choose;
 This Lord, our liv - ing broth - er, In pow'r at God's right hand,
 His touch of fire ig - nites me, With cour - age I am sent,
 The lives that my life touch - es, How - ev - er great or small—



There - fore I send My chil-dren, Their wit - ness I will use.”
 Has cho - sen us to car - ry His truth to ev - 'ry land.
 My tongue - tied si - lence bro - ken, With grace made el - o - quent.
 Let them through me see Je - sus, Who served and saved us all.

5 That ev'ryone He chooses, △
 For reasons of His own,
 Will find in Christ his calling
 To live His love alone.
 His presence always leads us
 Till time no more shall be;
 Christ's strength, His love, His comfort
 Give us His victory.

6 Lord, gather all Your children,
 Wherever they may be,
 And lead them on to heaven
 To live eternally
 With You, our loving Father,
 And Christ, our brother dear,
 Whose Spirit guards and gives us
 The joy to persevere.

865 Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain



1 Lord, help us ev - er to re - tain The Cat - e -
 2 Help us Your ho - ly Law to learn, To mourn our
 3 Hear us, dear Fa - ther, when we pray For need - ed
 4 Lord, when we fall or go a - stray, Ab - solve and



chism's — doc - trine plain As Lu - ther taught the
 sin and from it turn In faith to You and
 help from day to day That as Your chil - dren
 lift us up, we pray; And through the Sac - ra -



Word of truth In sim - ple style to ten - der youth.
 to Your Son And Ho - ly Spir - it, Three in One.
 we may live, Whom You bap - tized and so re - ceived.
 ment in - crease Our faith till we de - part in peace.

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465 Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds In
 2 E - ter - nal is the gift He brings, There -
 3 O fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love; Set
 Δ 4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring And



praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has tri - umphed!
 fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has tri - umphed!
 heart and will on things a - bove That we con - quer
 with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has tri - umphed!



He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of an - gels, loud and
 He is liv - ing!" Now still He comes to give us
 through Your tri - umph; Grant grace suf - fi - cient for life's
 Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the Fa - ther and our



clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry
 life And by His pres - ence stills all
 day That by our lives we tru - ly
 Lord, To Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! Christ has tri - umphed!"
 strife. Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!
 say: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
 God, All the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



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, al - le - lu - ia!