

Divine Service at 8:00



Emmanuel Lutheran Church

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

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



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.

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!

GATHERING TIME



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

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Found in the gathering space we call Ebenezer Hall.

BUILDING FAITH IN THE CITY

“Living Bread”

AS WE GATHER

Christ is the one who comes. Christ is the one who feeds. And just as the Angel of the Lord spoke to Elijah, today He speaks to us and says, “the journey is too great for us” (1 Kings 19:7) and then He gives us Living Bread. When the world breaks down, when our best efforts can’t make things better, when we feel alone and afraid and we don’t know if we can go on, the Lord is present and He feeds us for the journey...and we will live.

+THE ORDER OF DIVINE SERVICE 8:00 A.M. +

THE GATHERING TIME

During this time, we encourage our members to greet each other and to warmly welcome visitors into our fellowship. Kindly turn off all cellphones and please sit toward the center of the pew so there is room for all who worship.

THE PRELUDE

THE RINGING OF THE BELLS

THE OPENING HYMN: “Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”

Hymn 843

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 OF SINS AND ABSOLUTION (John 7:37-39)

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.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray. O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; 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: 1 Kings 19:1-8

Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword. ²Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, "So may the gods do to me and more also, if I do not make your life as the life of one of them by this time tomorrow." ³Then he was afraid, and he arose and ran for his life and came to Beersheba, which belongs to Judah, and left his servant there. ⁴But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness and came and sat down under a broom tree. And he asked that he might die, saying, "It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my fathers." ⁵And he lay down and slept under a broom tree. And behold, an angel touched him and said to him, "Arise and eat." ⁶And he looked, and behold, there was at his head a cake baked on hot stones and a jar of water. And he ate and drank and lay down again. ⁷And the angel of the Lord came again a second time and touched him and said, "Arise and eat, for the journey is too great for you." ⁸And he arose and ate and drank, and went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb, the mount of God.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SECOND READING: Ephesians 4:17-5:2

This I say and testify in the Lord, that you must no longer walk as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds. ¹⁸They are darkened in their understanding,

alienated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them, due to their hardness of heart. ¹⁹They have become callous and have given themselves up to sensuality, greedy to practice every kind of impurity. ²⁰But that is not the way you learned Christ!— ²¹assuming that you have heard about him and were taught in him, as the truth is in Jesus, ²²to put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, ²³and to be renewed in the spirit of your minds, ²⁴and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness. ²⁵Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another. ²⁶Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷and give no opportunity to the devil. ²⁸Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need. ²⁹Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. ³¹Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. ³²Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. ¹Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. ²And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand, as you are able)

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 6:35-51

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. ³⁶But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. ³⁷All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out. ³⁸For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will but the will of him who sent me. ³⁹And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. ⁴⁰For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day.” ⁴¹So the Jews grumbled about him, because he said, “I am the bread that came down from heaven.” ⁴²They said, “Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How does he now say, ‘I have come down from heaven’?” ⁴³Jesus answered them, “Do not grumble among yourselves. ⁴⁴No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws him. And I will raise him up on the last day. ⁴⁵It is written in the Prophets, ‘And they will all be taught by God.’ Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me— ⁴⁶not that anyone has seen the Father except he who is from God; he has seen the Father. ⁴⁷Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes has eternal life. ⁴⁸I am the bread of life. ⁴⁹Your fathers ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. ⁵⁰This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so

that one may eat of it and not die. ⁵¹I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. And the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.”

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

THE NICENE CREED (Spoken together) Inside back cover of hymnal
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 worshipped 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.

(Please be seated)

THE SERMON HYMN: “Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus”

Hymn 685

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

(Please stand, as you are able)

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: Blessed Lord, once our fathers ate manna in the wilderness and died. Give us heaven’s bread that by our communion of the body and blood of Jesus we may live forever. Nourish us upon Christ, our Lord, that we may be sustained in faith and delivered at last into Your presence on

high forevermore. Lord, in Your mercy,
People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Gracious Redeemer, Your compassion reigns over all our trouble. Grant us grace that we show forth Your care to those in need and sustain all who are afflicted. Keep them through the day of their trouble until at last You deliver them into Your perfect peace. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Mighty Lord, You manifest Your power over all things through the leaders in this and every land. By Your grace, make all those who serve us in government wise, just, and honest, and guide them toward the common good that we may serve You without fear. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Gentle Savior, You came not to condemn but to heal and save. Grant to us hearts of mercy that we may forgive as we have been forgiven, and by our acts of mercy display Your great compassion. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Good Shepherd, raise up good and faithful shepherds for Your people that the church may be blessed with passionate preaching and faithful teaching. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Merciful Lord, give guidance and counsel to those unemployed and underemployed, that they may be equipped to supply the bread of the day to their families and share with the hungry from their abundance. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Blessed Father, in our wounds, You are wounded. Be with those who suffer any burden of the body or mind, and deliver them from all their sufferings according to Your mercy. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Leader: Almighty God, You have not withheld from us anything needful for this body and life. Help us now to trust in You for answer to our prayers, and give to us such confidence in Your fatherly wisdom that we may be content and at peace with Your answer; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, we pray.

People: Amen.

+ THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION +

THE PREFACE: (Spoken responsively by the Congregation)

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up 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 ascended above the heavens and, sitting at Your right hand, poured out on this day the promised Holy Spirit on His chosen disciples. For all this the whole earth rejoices with exceeding joy. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

THE SANCTUS (Congregation sings)

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,
bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE PEACE OF THE LORD

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE AGNUS DEI (Congregation sings)

LSB, 198

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

(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 with that medical need. Individually packaged gluten-free communion wafers are available. Please ask the Communion Assistant if needed.

THE DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“Blessed Jesus, Living Bread”



1 Bless - ed Je - sus, liv - ing Bread, By Your
2 Word of God by which we live: What we
3 All we ev - er need and more, Flow - ing
4 Ah, what wel - come words You speak: Com - fort



self our souls are fed: Give us all the
hun - ger for You give— For the bod - y
from Your bound - less store; At Your ta - ble
to re - vive the weak, God's own wis - dom,



eyes to see All that You were sent to be.
and the soul, Life with God, life new and whole.
ev - 'ry guest Sees Your mer - cy man - i - fest.
hope, and cheer Starv - ing souls are blest to hear.

5 Word Incarnate, Word divine
Word that comes in bread and wine:
Love that we have come to know:
Lord, to whom else shall we go?

6 We are in that crowd You fed
With Your blest, abundant Bread.
Moved by every human care,
Bless the Bread we eat and share.

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“What Is This Bread?”

Hymn 629

“Where Charity and Love Prevail”

Hymn 845

(Please stand, as you are able)
THE DISMISSAL

THE POST COMMUNION COLLECT

LSB, 166

Leader: 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: Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

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: Amen.

THE CLOSING HYMN: “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Hymn 803

THE POSTLUDE

NEXT WEEK’S READINGS: Prov. 9:1-10; Ps. 34:12-22; Eph. 5:6-21; John 6:51-69

THE FLOWERS adorning His altar were given to the glory of God in honor of the Emmanuel Staff, from the Steve Bryan family; in loving memory of Beverly Payne, Willis, Evangeline and Edna Rump and Paul and Vera Payne from Stan Payne and family; in loving memory of Craig Waikel, from his Emmanuel family; and in loving memory of the August 15th birthday of Beverly Linnemeier, from David.

SERVING

Liturgist	Pastor Dan Sheafer
Organ	Noah Vancia
Acolyte	Stanley Tiefel
Altar Guild	Beth Igney, Cathy Elkins, Faith Harless, Liz Hincks, Diane Witzenman
Opener	Don and Maureen Gentry
Communion	Dave Smith, Bryan Stout, Ryan Tietz, Greg Wasson
Usher Crew 2	Jim Braun, Mike Huesner, Jason Kaiser, Fred Peterson, Dave Scheppele, David Scheppele, John Wright
Audio Engineer	Tom Anderson

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 the families of Maury Springer, Marj Hathaway, and Mike Berry, as they mourn the passing of their loved ones. Ask God to comfort them in their grief, give them His peace, and assure them of the victory over death that is ours through Christ.
- Pray for strength, healing, peace and comfort for Harlen Miller (father of Noni Hoham), Pam Carmichael (sister of Deb Percy), Marlin Culy, Vickie Kidwell (mother of Sandy Behling), Susan (aunt of Deb Percy), Marie Kanning, Larry Linnemeier, Steve Herman, River Garcia (grandson of Raquel Klug), Parker Vachon, Carlton Grotrian (father of Karla Neeld), Colsen Gage (nephew of Annalissa Smith), Ricky Carmickle (brother-in-law of Deb Percy), Alycia Merkler, Deb Bryan (sister-in-law of Steve and Pam Bryan), Dewey Senger, Dick Reinking, Dottie Coppolino (sister of Sherry Baker), Curt Rees (brother-in-law of Sandra Nahrwold), Marcia Hines
- Pray for the following people recovering from surgery: Donna Cotter, Angie Dean, Sharon Springer
- Pray for healing, comfort and peace for the following people with cancer: Art Klausmeier, Karen Burtch (sister-in-law of Lori Richey), Albert Bloom (brother of Wanda Rogers), Rosie (friend of Sandy Behling), Amy Krontz (daughter-in-law of David and Karen Wyss), Mary Grosjean, Gretchen Schilb, Jolene Rider, Peg Davis, Ashley Edge (niece of Barb and Gary Lesh), Barb Hambrock, Jeannine Felabom and Julie McMichael (niece of Deb Percy), Rod Teeple (cousin of Ruth Anne Teeple), Bob and Jenny Hobby (brother-in-law and sister of Chris Murphy), Jamie McConnell, Shelly Koenig (friend of Matt & Amy Konow), Rob Howe, Judi Brunow, Angela Osborn, Beth Woodward, Josh Walters (friend of Patty Rouse), and Judy Baumgartner (mother of Kristin Smith), Tina Bennett
- Join our staff in praying for the following members this week:
 - Anne Kelly
 - Margo Kelly
 - Stand Karen Ketzler
 - Alex and Dani Kiefer, Amelia and Becca
 - Kevin and Gale Kilcline
 - Colin and Madeline King
 - Joe and Amy Kissinger
 - Barbara Klaehn
 - Edward and Dawn Klaehn, Kelli, Kevin and Nicole
 - Kenny and Amy Klaehn, Corbin and Preston
- 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
- 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.

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.

Adult Sunday Bible Classes 9:15 - 10:30 A.M.

CLASS	LOCATION	DATES	INSTRUCTOR
Study of Colossians	Ebenezer, LL	6/2-8/25	Pastor McFadden

Weekday Bible Classes...

CLASS	LOCATION	DAY	TIME
Bible Study & Fellowship (6:00pm fellowship, 7:00pm Bible Study)	Chapman's Brewing	Tuesdays	6:00 pm
Women's Bible Study	The Loft	1 st & 3 rd Tuesdays	7:30 pm
Men's Lectionary Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	6:30 am
Pastor's Bible Study	Ebenezer Hall	Wednesdays	10:00 am
@917 Bible Study (Ages 25-45)	Ebenezer Hall	Thursdays	7:00 pm
Men's Lectionary Study	Brandt Hall	Fridays	6:30 am

The News of the Church

Registration is Now Open for Emmanuel's 39th Annual GOLF OUTING set for Saturday, August 24, at the Eel River Golf Course in Churubusco, IN. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. with a Shotgun Start at 8:00. Cost is \$80 per golfer, which includes 18 holes of golf, cart, coffee/donuts, snacks and beverages, a delicious lunch and prizes. To participate, contribute or to sponsor the outing, you can do so by going to Emmanuel's website at www.emmanuelutheran.org or by scanning this QR code. You can pay when you register by credit card, or the day of the outing. **Deadline to participate is Friday, August 16.** For questions, please email Becki at becki@emmanuelutheran.org. Emmanuel's Golf Outing serves as the sole source to The Heidbrink Scholarship fund which offers financial assistance to our graduating students who are pursuing careers in church work, and to provide need-based grants to our students wishing to attend Concordia Lutheran High School. Last year we netted over \$10,700 in what was an incredible show of support for this scholarship fund and our students. We are striving to have a great turnout for this year's outing, and possibly match or surpass the amount we raised last year. Thank you for your prayers and support.



Emmanuel Members Join the CLHS Athletic Hall of Fame - Congratulations to Tim Reinking and Hannah (Osborn) Hoffman who will be inducted into the CLHS Athletic Hall of Fame. Tim and Hannah will be honored along with the other 2024 inductees at halftime of Concordia's home football game on August 23 and then recognized at the Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet Celebration on August 24.

Help Emmanuel Provide School Supplies for Washington Elementary - For over a decade, Emmanuel has extended care to the children and families of Washington Elementary School by providing school supplies for every student at Washington. This year is no exception. Last week members of our Mission Task Force were blessed to deliver school supplies for the entire student body of Washington. These supplies will be provided to the students on the first day of school. If you would like to help support our school supplies project you may use your offering envelope and include "Washington School Supplies" and the amount of your contribution on the "Other" line of your envelope.

Sunday Playground Playdates - Join us for some summer fun at Krueckeberg Corner playground on one more Sunday morning, August 11 from 9:15-10:15 a.m.! All kids and their families are invited for a special time of fellowship, play, and snacks. These low-key gatherings are a great way to enjoy the outdoors and connect with other families. We can't wait to see you there!

Seeking Candidates for Emmanuel's Minister of Music - As directed by the voters of Emmanuel, a search committee has begun to seek the individual the

Lord has prepared to serve us as our Minister of Music. As part of this search process, the congregation is invited to submit names to the committee for consideration. For a job description or more information about this process, please email committee chairman, Charlie Pratt at crpratt612@gmail.com.

Home and Garden Tour Needs Volunteers - The 42nd Annual West Central Home & Garden Tour will take place on Saturday/Sunday, September 7th and 8th, and your help is needed to make it a great success. With 10 amazing homes lined up, we need to fill a whopping 172 docent volunteer shifts to fully staff our tour stops! Docents are the volunteers at each tour stop who greet tour attendees at the door, check-off tickets, help direct foot-traffic through the homes & gardens, and help to supervise the tour stop while attendees are walking through the home. As a volunteer, you will receive a free ticket to this year's tour, which you can pick up at the ArtsFest ticket booth during tour hours or on Friday night at Chapman's Brewing at Electric Works (from 5-7pm where you can grab a free drink and some snacks on us!). Volunteers receive one free tour ticket per shift worked. You can read more about the West Central H & G Tour at <https://westcentralneighborhood.org>.

Save the Date for a Men's Retreat - Join with men from Concordia, St. Michael, Emmanuel, and Suburban Bethlehem Lutheran Churches for an insightful, inspiring, and restful weekend retreat at Camp Lutherhaven on September 20-22. More information to come!

LFL Fall Banquet: What if one evening could inspire a lifetime of impact? Join us for an unforgettable night with Jim Caviezel, the acclaimed actor known for his moving performances in "The Passion of the Christ" and "The Sound of Freedom." His powerful story and testimony will leave you inspired and uplifted. Don't miss the 27th Annual Fall Banquet hosted by Right to Life of Northeast Indiana on October 14, 2024, at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum. Doors open at 5:30 pm, and dinner begins at 6:30 pm. When you register, be sure to mention if you wish to sit with fellow Emmanuel members. Secure your spot now at www.ichooselife.org or call 260-471-1849, or you can call Emmanuel member, Carolyn Beitz at 260.432.9198.

Emmanuel-St.Michael Fall Craft Show will be taking place on Saturday, October 26th. All proceeds from table rentals, the bake sale, and raffle tickets will be going towards the 8th grade class trip. If you are interested in being a vendor for this event or have any questions, please contact Rachel at (260)222-0082 or email reckert@esmeagles.com.

The Stewardship of the Church

EMMANUEL'S MINISTRIES

Supports the ongoing mission and ministry efforts of Emmanuel congregation.

Year to Date: \$1,096,395	Anticipated Need Thru July, 2024: \$1,179,050
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DISTRICT AND SYNOD

Used for local, national and world mission efforts.

Last Week: \$300	Year to Date: \$7,778
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CUP OF KINDNESS

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

Last Week: \$145	Year to Date: \$3,703
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IN ALL GENERATIONS

Supports the renovations of the Emmanuel campus school building.

"IAG" Total Received: \$5,002,628	Mortgage Balance: \$ 2,438,680	Projected Cost: \$7,269,751
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The Calendar of the Church

Monday, August 12

- 12:00 p.m. Property Meeting
- 1:00 p.m. Caregivers' Support Group
- 5:30 p.m. Bible Study
- 7:00 p.m. Mission Meeting

Tuesday, August 13

- 6:00 p.m. Fellowship and Bible Study at Chapman's Brewery
- 6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministries

Wednesday, August 14

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
- 7:30 a.m. Finance Committee Meeting
- 10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study
- 11:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, August 15

- 8:30 a.m. Piece Makers
- 8:30 a.m. Thursday Guys
- 3:30 p.m. Food Pantry
- 7:00 p.m. @917 Bible Class

Friday, August 16

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

Saturday, August 17

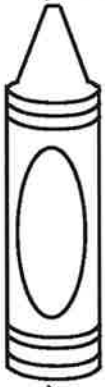
- 3:30 p.m. Praise Team
- 5:00 p.m. Divine Worship with Communion

Sunday, August 18

- 8:00 a.m. Divine Worship Service
- 10:30 a.m. Divine Worship Service with Communion

Notes

Draw a picture about the sermon



Lord
TO WHOM

shall

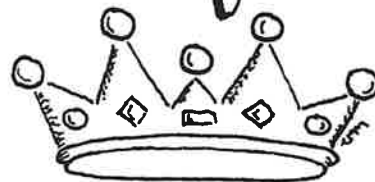
we
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YOU

have
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of



ETERNAL
Life.
JOHN 6:68

The Sacraments

Today we celebrated the Lord's Supper ...

Yes No

Today we had a baptism ...

Yes No

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.

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.

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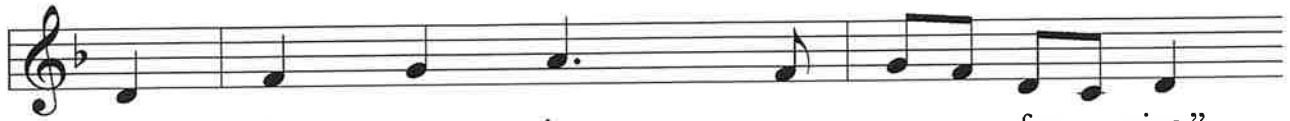
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"Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive"

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1 "For - give our sins as we for - give,"
2 How can Your par - don reach and bless
3 In blaz - ing light Your cross re - veals
4 Lord, cleanse the depths with - in our souls



You taught us, Lord, to pray; But You a - lone can
The un - for - giv - ing heart That broods on wrongs and
The truth we dim - ly knew: What triv - ial debts are
And bid re - sent - ment cease; Then, bound to all in



grant us grace To live the words we say.
will not let Old bit - ter - ness de - part?
owed to us, How great our debt to You!
bonds of love, Our lives will spread Your peace.

Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus

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1 Let us ev - er walk with Je - sus, Fol - low His ex -
 2 Let us suf - fer here with Je - sus And with pa - tience
 3 Let us glad - ly die with Je - sus. Since by death He
 4 Let us al - so live with Je - sus. He has ris - en



am - ple pure, Through a world that would de - ceive us And to
 bear our cross. Joy will fol - low all our sad - ness; Where He
 con - quered death, He will free us from de - struc - tion, Give to
 from the dead That to life we may a - wak - en. Je - sus,



sin our spir - its lure. On - ward in His foot - steps tread - ing,
 is, there is no loss. Though to - day we sow no laugh - ter,
 us im - mor - tal breath. Let us mor - ti - fy all pas - sion
 You are now our head. We are Your own liv - ing mem - bers;



Pil - grims here, our home a - bove, Full of faith and
 We shall reap ce - les - tial joy; All dis - com - forts
 That would lead us in - to sin; And the grave that
 Where You live, there we shall be In Your pres - ence



hope and love, Let us do the Fa - ther's bid - ding. Faith - ful
 that an - noy Shall give way to mirth here - af - ter. Je - sus,
 shuts us in Shall but prove the gate to heav - en. Je - sus,
 con - stant - ly, Liv - ing there with You for - ev - er. Je - sus,



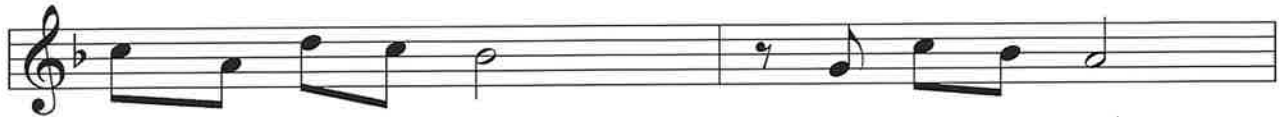
Lord, with me a - bide; I shall fol - low where You guide.
 here I share Your woe; Help me there Your joy to know.
 here with You I die, There to live with You on high.
 let me faith - ful be, Life e - ter - nal grant to me.

What Is This Bread

629



1 What is this bread? Christ's bod - y
2 What is this wine? The blood of
3 So who am I, That I should
4 Yet is God here? Oh, yes! By
5 Is this for me? I am for -



ris - en from the dead: This bread we break,
Je - sus shed for mine; The cup of grace
live and He should die Un - der the rod?
Word and prom - ise clear, In mouth and soul
giv - en and set free! I do be - lieve



This life we take, Was crushed to pay for our re -
Brings His em - brace Of life and love un - til I
My God, my God, Why have You not for - sak - en
He makes us whole— Christ, tru - ly pres - ent in this
That I re - ceive His ver - y bod - y and His



lease. O taste and see— the Lord is peace.
sing! O taste and see— the Lord is King.
me? O taste and see— the Lord is free.
meal. O taste and see— the Lord is real.
blood. O taste and see— the Lord is good.

Where Charity and Love Prevail

845



1 Where char - i - ty and love pre - vail There
2 With grate - ful joy and ho - ly fear His
3 For - give we now each oth - er's faults As
4 Let strife a - mong us be un - known; Let



God is ev - er found; Brought here to - geth - er
char - i - ty we learn; Let us with heart and
we our faults con - fess, And let us love each
all con - ten - tion cease; Be God's the glo - ry



by Christ's love By love are we thus bound.
mind and soul Now love Him in re - turn.
oth - er well In Chris - tian ho - li - ness.
that we seek; Be ours His ho - ly peace.

- 5 Let us recall that in our midst
Dwells Christ, His only Son;
As members of His body joined
We are in Him made one.
- 6 For love excludes no race or clan
That names the Savior's name;
His family embraces all
Whose Father is the same.

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

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1 Joy - ful, joy - ful we a - dore Thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love!
2 All Thy works with joy sur-round Thee, Earth and heav'n re - flect Thy rays,
3 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, Ev - er bless-ing, ev - er blest,



Hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore Thee, Prais-ing Thee, their sun a - bove.
Stars and an-gels sing a-round Thee, Cen - ter of un - bro-ken praise.
Well-spring of the joy of liv - ing, O - cean - depth of hap-py rest!



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness, Drive the gloom of doubt a - way.
Field and for - est, vale and moun-tain, Flow - 'ry mead - ow, flash-ing sea,
Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it, Foun - tain - head of love di-vine:



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad-ness, Fill us with the light of day.
Chant-ing bird, and flow - ing foun-tain Call us to re - joice in Thee.
Joy - ful, we Thy heav'n in - her - it! Joy - ful, we by grace are Thine!