

The Lord's Week

Sun. 9:00am Communion Service on KMMO 1300
 10:25 SS/BC
 11:00am SPLHS Sausage Dinner
 7:00pm SPLHS Concert at St. Paul's
 Mon. 7:00pm Bible Study: "The Week that Changed the World"
 Fellowship Hall
 Tues. 5:30 Board of Missions
 Wed. 5:30pm Dinner (tacos) Host: Families receiving
 Immanuel Education Scholarship funds
 6:30pm Lent III Service (Rev. Daniel Wing)
 Thurs. 7:00pm H.S./College Age to meet RE: Camp Restore in
 Detroit at Immanuel
 Sun. 9:00am Divine Service on AM 1300
 10:25 SS/BC

Those serving

<i>Musician:</i>	Beverly Hasselbring
<i>The Greeters:</i>	Allen & Sandy Boehmer
<i>The Acolyte</i>	Andrew
<i>The Head Usher:</i>	Tim Close
<i>Radio and Sound</i>	Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
<i>Church Secretary:</i>	Judy Teufel
<i>Church Custodian:</i>	Jim Teufel
<i>Pastor:</i>	Dan Wing

Whether you are a lifelong member or visiting for the first time we are honored to have you here this morning. Please feel free to contact Pastor Wing regarding questions of membership or of a spiritual or personal matter. You may contact him at: (660) 851-3810 or at church: (660) 335-4141. If you get a chance check us out online at: www.lcmsimmanuel.org
 Church office: 110 Main, Sweet Springs, MO 65351
May the Peace of Christ dwell in you!



Immanuel Lutheran Church

Powered by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim the work of the Son, in adoration of the Father.

Sola Gratia. Sola Fide. Sola Scriptura. Solus Christus.



Third Sunday in Lent

March 19, 2017

(Five minutes prior to our service start time we will ring the bell as a marker that the service will soon start. We ask that this time be allowed for prayer and quiet reflection as the prelude is played.)

Hymn #803 (stand v.3)

Welcome

Invocation/Confession/Absolution

pp.184-85

Psalm 95:1-9

Gloria Patri/Kyrie

p.186

Old Testament

Exodus 17:1-7

Epistle

Romans 5:1-8

Gospel Reading

John 4:5-26

The Nicene Creed

Hymn #435

Sermon: Oh...uh...one more thing?

Text: Exodus 17:1-7

Hymn #789 is sung as we receive our offering and sign registers

Prayers of the Church and the Lord's Prayer (stand)

Institution and Distribution of the Sacrament

Distribution Hymns: #570 #611 #643

Combined Choir to Sing once Distribution is complete

Benediction

Closing Hymn #588

To God be glory for 139 years of His grace at Immanuel!



Communion Participation
at Immanuel Lutheran

As members of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS), Immanuel's policy regarding the Lord's Supper is one of closed Communion. We invite all confirmed members who are in good standing with an LCMS congregation to commune with us. Participation in the Lord's Supper is, Scripturally speaking, a communal act and therefore is reserved, in our church body, for those making the same confession. (See I Corinthians 11:17-34)

Members of other church bodies are welcome to participate in our liturgy and in the hearing of God's Word, but are asked to refrain from participation in the Lord's Supper. We would be glad for you to come forward and receive a blessing; simply cross your arms in front of you after kneeling.

We respect the confession you make in the church you attend. Communing with us would signify you are no longer a member of that church body. We, along with the whole Christian Church on earth, look forward to eternal life when all divisions will cease.

If you are not a member of the LCMS and uncertain as to whether you ought to participate please refrain from participation until you have talked with Pastor Wing. He would be glad to discuss the matter with you.

Also, it is important for members of our church body to prepare for receiving the Lord's Supper and that can be done in the following manner: recognize that you are a sinner, repent of your sin, believe that you are receiving Christ's true body and blood in, with, and under the bread and wine, and that what you eat and drink is for the forgiveness of your sins.

Secretary's hours this week: M-T 7:30-2:45pm; W 7:30-11:30; Th 7:30-10:45; F-off. If you need something and the office is not open please call Judy at (660)202-2993.

Communion Committee

March 19

Cora Lee Fuchs
Dana Melies

April 2

Carolyn Luebbert
Donna Howard

Acolytes

March 26 Chase
April 2 Keegan
April 9 Kirsten
April 16 Leah (sunrise)
April 16 Trent (9:00)

A-Adoration

All blessing, thanks, and praise to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ, be given: Thou hast my Brother deigned to be, Thou Lord of earth and heaven. Help me throughout this day of grace to praise Thy love and seek Thy face; and when I stand before Thee forever to adore Thee.

(LSB #378 v.3)

C-Confession

Thou knowest all my griefs and fears, Thy grace abused, my misspent years; yet now to Thee with contrite tears, Christ crucified, I come. Wash me and take away each stain; Let nothing of my sin remain. For cleansing, though it be through pain, Christ crucified, I come.

(LSB #560 vv.2 and 3)

T-Thanksgiving

Rejoice, O pilgrim throng! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing; your festal banner wave on high, the cross of Christ your king. Rejoice! Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing! (LSB #813 v.1)

S-Supplication

We commit these and many others to Your keeping this day:

Randy Brandt, Donna Dielschneider, Pat Duffey, Velda Schelp, Lana Scott, Gabe Stumbaugh, Carol Thurman, Daniel Uricioli, and Lucille Vogelsmeier.

Family and Friends of Immanuel:

Jesse Bartlett, Cindy Bernard, Charlene Bredehoeft, Marlene Bredehoeft, Deven Breland, Becky Brown, Mary L. Brown, Kay Crowder Callahan, Lindy Campbell, Richard Clemens, Janet Jo Clemons, Perry Copus, Cheryl (Koch) Crimm, Boston DeWald, Roger Driver, Melissa Eckhoff, Carolyn Fiedler, Dana Fuerhing, Laverne Gieselman, Tim Hepting, Amanda Huntley, Mandy Johnson, Lane Kirby, Jessica Kreisel, Junior Krause, Annabelle Krop, Keith Lumpkin, Jimmy Moore, John Pittman, Douglas Schroeder, Steven Shultz, Kyle Snyder, Charlotte Tally, Maggie Teufel, Austin Werths, and Darren Woodall.

LGSNH: Sylvia Henley, Marian Horman, and Martha Jane Vogelsmeier

The Villa: Alfred Harms, Mickie Hemme, Dorothy Krause, and Violet Trautman.

The LCMS (Synod and District): President Harrison and President Hagan

Mission Workers: Rev. Jeff and Michelle Kuddes (Madagascar) and Josh, Coco, and John Lange (China).

For the family of Zita Shackles (Ronda Nienheuser's aunt), at her sudden death. We praise You O Lord for her life and faith and pray Your peace and strength for her husband and the whole family.

For the family of Dannie Wulff (Kevin's dad), grant peace and comfort in knowing that he is with our Lord.



Easter Laity Breakfast

Will be held Saturday morning, April 8, 2017 at 7:00am. The hostess church is the Holy Family Catholic Church, 200 Ruby Street, Sweet Springs, MO 65351. For further information you may contact Russell Scott at 660-335-4152 or 660-596-3930. A freewill donation will be accepted to be used as the membership decides. Please make any checks payable to the Holy Family Catholic Church. Food is provided by the hostess church. This breakfast is open to all members old & young, even our children.
Hope to see you there!



Saint Paul Lutheran High School Annual Servants of the Saints (SOS) Sausage Dinner

TODAY! from 11am to 1pm for a freewill donation. The Singing Saints will also be performing their spring concert at St. Paul's Lutheran Church at 7pm tonight.

First Annual Sower Celebration

On Sunday, April 2nd, we will honor the farmers of our congregation by having a special focus on the planting season. We praise God for so many who give so much time and effort to ultimately be God's means for feeding so many. Our service will revolve around the theme of sowing seed and how Scripture consistently utilizes this imagery to teach us about our gracious Lord. This service will be a sending service for our farmers as they lay those "dead" seeds into the ground. We are requesting that all farmers bring a handful of seed to put inside our "Sower Cross". It is my prayer that we can utilize this to honor farmers and be reminded of our task to daily sow the Gospel. -Pastor Wing



We extend our warmest "thank you" to Lucille Vogelsmeier for the lovely Peace Lilies given for our church services. They truly brighten our worship space with God's precious plants. "The Lord delights in you." Isaiah 62:4
May his love and strength surround you each day.



American Legion Post 279 of Sweet Springs

FISH FRY
SATURDAY, March 25th, 2017
All You Can Eat Catfish Fillets,
Trimmings, Drink & Dessert
5:00pm to ?
Adults \$10.00
Children 12 & under \$5.00



Ladies: Consider joining the Altar Guild.

It only requires a little of your time 2-3 times per year—even less if we add more ladies to our group—
And no ironing required!
Contact Ellie Baker @ 660-422-1290.

The Dickinson family would like to thank those that sent cards and offered condolences following Rick's recent passing. We were truly touched by the outpouring of love. We would also like to thank you all for your prayers and support throughout this past year. It has been a long and difficult journey for Rick and his family, but we find comfort in knowing that the pain and suffering has ended.



God's Blessings to all of our Church Family!
The Rick Dickinson Family



Thank you to family and friends for the cards, food, and prayers after my recent surgery. Thanks also to Pastor Wing for his hospital visit. God's blessings.

Shirley Kirchhoff