

**The Lord's Week**

Sun. **9:00am** **Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300**  
 10:15 Blood Pressure Checks  
 10:25am Adult Bible Class/Sunday School  
 2:00pm Choir Practice St. Paul's  
**3:00pm** **Reformation Service-Concordia North & South Circuits @ St. Paul's in Concordia**  
 7:00pm Hog Dog Roast @ Bill Gasau's for Choir

Mon. 8:30am SPLGS confirmation  
 9:45am ROBS  
 6:30pm Board of Finance

Tues. 8:30am SPLGS confirmation  
 7:00pm Elders

Wed. 6:30pm WES

Thurs. 8:30AM SPLGS Confirmation  
 5:30-7:30pm Orphan Grain Train @ Concordia (across from Dempsey's)

Fri 8:30am SPLGS Confirmation  
 10:00am LGSNH Devotions

Sat. 9-11:00am 7th & 8th grade Confirmation

Sun. **9:00am** **Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300**  
*11am-1pm Annual Hog Roast Dinner*

**Those serving**

<i>Musician:</i>	Ron Baker
<i>The Greeters:</i>	Jeanette Koch & Paigelyn
<i>The Acolyte:</i>	Matthew
<i>The Head Usher:</i>	James Nowland
<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>	Rev. 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](http://www.lcmsimmanuel.org)  
 Church office: 110 Main, Sweet Springs, MO 65351  
***May the Peace of Christ dwell in you!***



**Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost**

October 22, 2017

**“Praise to the Lord”**-Choir and Congregation (*see printed*)  
**The Sacrament of Holy Baptism for Colby Alan** (pp.268-71)  
 Psalm: 96:1-9  
**Hymn #605**  
**Children's Message**  
 Old Testament Isaiah 45:1-7  
 Epistle 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10  
 Gospel Reading Matthew 22:15-22  
**Hymn #430**  
**Sermon: Called by name**  
**Text: Isaiah 45:1-7**  
**Combined Choir sings “A Mighty Fortress” #656** *as we receive our offerings and fill out the friendship registers*  
 Prayer  
*Luther's Morning Prayer* p.266  
*The Lord's Prayer*  
 Benediction  
**Hymn #825**

***To God be glory for 139 years of His grace at Immanuel and 67 years of proclaiming the Lord through our radio broadcast!***



You're Invited  
 To our  
 Whole Hog Dinner  
 Sunday, October 29  
 Immanuel Lutheran  
 Church  
 Sweet Springs, MO  
 11AM to 1PM

Free Will Offering to benefit the newly installed ramp leading to Immanuel's Sanctuary.



A Festival of Hymns & Lessons in Commemoration of the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation on Sunday, October 22nd at 3:00pm

at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Concordia

Special music will be provided by area musicians, a combined choir, and the SPLHS Singing Saints. Pastor Keith Loesch, of the Wittenberg English Ministry (WEM), will speak on "Proclaiming the Gospel to the World from Wittenberg".

A special offering will be taken to benefit the work of WEM and Lutheran Bible Translators.

**Communion Committee**

**Nov. 5** Sandy Boehmer  
 Carol Brandt  
**Nov. 19** Caroline Close  
 Darlene Dotson

**Acolytes**

Oct. 29 Kendall  
 Nov. 5 Andrew  
 Nov. 12 Chase  
 Nov. 19 Cassady

*Secretary's hours this week: M-TH 7:00am-12:00pm  
 If you need something and the office is closed please call Judy at (660)202-2993 or email:jteufel3354141@gmail.com.*

**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:*  
 Hudson Dohrman, Pat Duffey (surgery on the 26th), Mickie Hemme, Lana Scott, Carol Thurman, and April Uricioli.

**Family and Friends of Immanuel:**

Jesse Bartlett, Cindy Bernard, Jamie Brandt, Alberta Bredehoeft, Deven Breland, Becky Brown, Kay Crowder Callahan, Lindy Campbell, Shirley Colson, Boston DeWald, Mindy Dohrman, Haley Downs, Roger Driver, Eugene Eckhoff, Faye Fritsche, Dana Fuerhing, Tim Hepting, Amy Gerdtts, David Howard, Jim Kalasing, Lane Kirby, Junior Krause, Annabelle Krop, Keith Lumpkin, Jimmy Moore, Irene Pauley, Rick Sarbaugh, Douglas Schroeder, Steven Shultz, Vicki Siegel, Kyle Snyder, Charlotte Tally, Austin Werths, Darren Woodall and Wilmer Ziegelbein.

**LGSNH:** Sylvia Henley, Millie Heins, Leland Schelp, and Martha Jane Vogelsmeier

**The Villa:** 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 Colby Alan,** as he was brought to the waters of Holy Baptism today. We pray for his continued guidance and preservation in the one true faith. Grant, O Lord, continued growth in faith and protection by Your Hand.

**Orphan Grain Train...**the last Thursday of each month will be Immanuel's opportunity to pitch in and help sort clothes at the Orphan Grain Train collection facility in Concordia (across from Dempsey's). This is a ministry that was started by and supported by Immanuel's former interim pastor, Rev. Rodewald. They are always in need of volunteers to help sort through donated clothing, to fold, and box those clothes so that they can be sent to various locations to help meet clothing needs. We will plan to work from 5:30-7:30. All volunteers are welcome. The more volunteers we have the more work we can get accomplished.


**Please consider joining us on Thursday, Oct. 26!**

**Project Warmth– SPLHS** is collecting coats and blankets for Project Warmth, Sponsored by the Kansas City Star. Project Warmth provides help for those in need in the greater Kansas City area. Your donations of coats and blankets may be brought to Heilman Hall (the first building on your right as you enter the campus by the main entrance). A receptacle will be on the porch. Please drop donations off by Friday, October 27th. Thank you!



**Remember to mark your calendar for the Annual Hog Roast on Sunday, October 29th.**

Ladies of the congregation are requested to please bring a salad or dessert (you may bring both if you'd like). Workers will be needed. Please contact Vicki Meyer if you are willing to help. 660-335-4838.

 Dear Friends in Christ,  
Thanks again for your partnership in the Adopt-A-Student program at Concordia Seminary. Your generous gift of \$1,000.00 is a special blessing for the new academic year just begun. Your donation brings with it the assurance of your prayers and continued financial partnership with this ministry of preparing the church's future pastors, missionaries, deaconesses and leaders. Our sincere thanks! Your help the seminary stay strong in the mission of our Lord Jesus. We are grateful to you.

Most cordially yours,  
Dale A. Meyer, PH.D.  
President of Concordia Seminary

**Attendance & Giving for September 2017**

Sunday Church Service Attendance				Giving (weeks 32-35)			
Date	Members	Visitors	Total	'17	Amount	'16	Amount
Sept. 3	115	19	134	36	\$ 3,153.00	36	\$ 3,604.00
Sept. 10	110	0	110	37	\$ 1,273.00	37	\$ 932.00
Sept. 17	112	18	130	38	\$ 1,973.00	38	\$ 3,177.85
Sept. 24	107	23	130	39	\$ 5,859.00	39	\$ 1,899.00
<b>Total Giving for the Month-September</b>					<b>\$ 12,258.00</b>		<b>\$ 9,612.85</b>
<b>Total Giving Year-to-Date</b>					<b>\$ 109,847.85</b>		<b>\$107,801.05</b>

Sunday School & Adult Bible Class Attendance				WES Attendance			
Date	SS Total	BC Total		Date	Member	Visitor	Total
Sept. 3	25	22		Sept. 6	9	1	10
Sept. 10	No SS-Church Picnic			Sept. 13	7	1	8
Sept. 17	22	Voter's		Sept. 20	8	2	10
Sept. 24	21	23		Sept. 27	10	2	12

**Changes in Membership September 2017**

Deaths	1	Baptisms	0	Marriages	1	0
Confirmations	0	Transfers Out	0	Transfers In	0	0

**Changes in Membership September 2017**

**Marriage**

Rebecca Rachael Tyler & Joseph Patrick Ward were united in Holy Matrimony on Sept. 23rd, 2017 at Red Cedars Event Barn with Rev. Daniel Wing officiating.

**Death**

R. Lucille Vogelsmeier was called home to heaven on Sept. 2, 2017 at the age of 94. Her funeral service was held at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Sweet Springs on September 5, 2017 followed by Christian Burial at Fairview Cemetery in Sweet Springs. Both services were officiated by Rev. Daniel Wing.

**Do you struggle to consistently return to God a small portion of what He has blessed you with?** Do you forget your envelope, your checkbook, or struggle to deal in cash? Fear not!

Our church has a new option for you to consistently give a portion of what you earn. You can do one time giving or set it and forget it. You can also specify particular projects you would like for your giving to go. You will also receive a statement for tax purposes at the end of the year.

We would encourage you to visit:

<http://get.tithe.ly/>

or

Search in your preferred app store for: ***Tithe.ly***

You can download the app and walk through setting up your own account. You can search for local churches or simply type in:

***Immanuel Lutheran Sweet Springs***

Once this is done you can choose to link a checking account or use a debit card (higher percent fee).

I have had ours set to draw out a tithe from our checking account the past number of months. It has worked very well.

If you have questions please contact either Cindi Sims or myself and we will do our best to help make this work for you.

-Pastor Wing

Peace in Christ –Pastor

P.S. A link is on our website. Look for this logo:



**TITHE.LY**  
Innovative church giving

**Fundraiser for Concordia Senior Center:** Come & join us for a tasty lunch of chili or soup, a piece of pie, cake, or cookies, and drinks of coffee, tea, or water on Sunday, Oct. 29th, 11:00am-1:00pm. There will be a live auction of Homemade Pies at 12:30pm and a silent auction with bidding starting on Fri. Oct. 27th 10:00am-2:00pm & on Sunday October 29th. All at Concordia Senior Center.

*Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran through  
Holy Baptism*

***Colby Alan***



*Colby is the son of  
Chris Stein*

*Michelle Friedly Williams*

*His grandparents are:*

*Allen & Lynn Schnakenberg*

*Alan & Shirley Friedly*

Colby's address:

1411 South Main

Concordia, MO 64020

*"May the Lord preserve your coming in and your going out from this  
time forth and even forevermore."*



Dear Friends,

Thank you so much for your donation of \$500.00 for Mid-Missouri Lutheran Hospital Ministry.

Your generous gift is greatly appreciated.

In Christian Love,  
Loanna Thompson, Secretary



**CIRCUIT FORUM:** The Concordia North Circuit will hold its forum on Sunday, November 5, at 2:00pm at Trinity in Alma. Election of Circuit Visitor will be conducted. Opportunity will be provided to consider overtures to the District Convention.