

**The Lord's Week**

Sun. **9:00am** **Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300**  
 10:25am BC /SS  
 2-4pm Open House at Good Shepherd Care Community

Wed. 7:00pm Combined Choir @ Holy Cross

Thurs. 7:00pm Priscilla Guild; Hostess: Louise Harms

Sun. **9:00am** **Holy Communion Service on KMMO AM 1300**  
 10:25am BC/SS  
 6:00pm 5th-6th Grade Confirmation at Holy Cross  
 7:00pm 7th-8th Grade Confirmation at Holy Cross



We are pleased to welcome Rev. Paul Mehl as our guest Pastor this morning and his wife Luci as our organist today.

**Those serving**

<i>Musician:</i>	Luci Mehl
<i>The Greeters:</i>	Cindy & Lauren Eagle
<i>The Acolyte:</i>	Levi
<i>The Head Usher:</i>	Mark Luetjen
<i>Radio and Sound</i>	Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
<i>Church Secretary:</i>	Judy Teufel
<i>Church Custodian:</i>	Jim Teufel
<i>Vacancy Pastor:</i>	Bart Mueller

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 the office regarding questions of membership or of a spiritual or personal matter. You may contact the office at: (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!***



*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.*



*Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

September 30, 2018

**Matins/Psalmody/Venite (stand)**

**pp219-221**

Psalm 104:27-35

(sit)

**Office Hymn #719**

**Readings:**

After each reading: L: O Lord, Have mercy on us.

**C:Thanks be to God.**

*Old Testament (sit)*

*Numbers 11:4-6,10-16,24-29*

*Epistle*

*James 5:13-20*

*Gospel Reading*

*Mark 9:38-50*

**Responsory: Common**

**pp. 221**

**Sermon "Salty Christians"**

**Text: Mark 9:50**

**Canticle: Te Deum (stand)**

**p. 223-225**

(sit)

**Offertory Hymn #670**(as we receive our offerings please sign the friendship registers)

*Prayers of the Church*

**Kyrie(stand)**

**p.227**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Collects/Benedicamus(stand)/Benediction**

**pp.227-228**

*Benediction*

**Closing Hymn # 506**

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**Check it out!**



The Board of Education would like to invite everyone of all ages to come and join Sunday School and Bible Class.

*You're Invited!*

Adult Bible Class will be studying the books of Poetry in the Old Testament during the month of September. Come and join them today as they look at Job,



The Sweet Springs Restoration Foundation is raffling a Green Mountain Daniel Boone pellet grill from Jones Bros Agri Services. Tickets are \$10 each or 3 for \$25. We will be at the Market on Sunday, Sept. 30th from 10am to 2pm for a cookout and to have tickets available for purchase. The grill will also be on display at various businesses around town throughout the month of September for viewing. Thank you for your support!



We are pleased to welcome Pastor Bart Mueller of Concordia as he will be serving as our vacancy Pastor. If you have any Pastoral needs, please contact one of the Elders, or you can call or leave a message for Pastor Mueller at his home number 660-463-1960.



Annual Smorgasbord sponsored by the Dorcas Society of Zion Lutheran Church of Corder on Sunday, September 30th from 11:30am-1:00pm in Zion's Fellowship Hall. Menu will be: turkey & dressings, ham, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, corn, vegetable and sweet salads, dinner rolls, dessert, tea and coffee. Adults are \$8.00; children 6-12-\$5.00; children under 6-free. All proceeds will be used on the renovation of the ceiling in Zion's Fellowship Hall.

**Communion Committee**

**Oct. 7** Barb Clevenger  
Emma Sims  
**Oct. 21** Kay Knipmeyer  
Ruth Roscher

**Acolytes**

**Oct. 7** Dalyn  
**Oct. 14** Gregory  
**Oct. 21** Kendall  
**Oct. 28** Chase

Secretary's hours this week: M-Th 9:30am-2:30pm. If you need something and the office is closed please call Judy Teufel at 660-202-2993 or Ken Hughson at 660-815-7211.

**A-Adoration**

All blessings, 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 #813v.1)

**S-Supplication**

We commit these and many others to Your keeping this day:  
Pat Duffey, Norma Gieseke, Nancy McKeage,  
Sharon Swopes (at I-70 Hospital) and Carol Thurman.

**Family and Friends of Immanuel:**

Dusty Brandt, Scarlett Mackesty, Debbie Walgren, and Christa Ziegelbein

**LGSNH:** Sylvia Henley, Millie Heins, LoWanda Pinkepank, and Martha Jane Vogelsmeier

**The Villa:** Dorothy Krause

**Warrensburg VA:** Leland Schelp

**Laurie Care Center:** Mickie Hemme

**For President Harrison and his family (LCMS President) and President Hagan and his family (MO District President).**

**Mission Workers:**

Josh, Coco, John, and Sophia Lange (China),  
Rev. Peter & Kristie Kolb (Thailand), those serving POBLO

**Military:** Caleb Griffitt, Rodney Haesemeyer, Chad Ziegelbein

**For our Sunday School Children and Teachers** that they may hear God's Word and with the Holy Spirit grow in faith and ever closer to you, Jesus, our Savior.

Glory to God for the gift of the family of Immanuel and please bless her workers as they prepare for a new undershepherd.

Always keep us focused on the Good Shepherd!

Check us out on: [www.immanuelutheranmedia.org](http://www.immanuelutheranmedia.org) We have wonderful music (appropriate for the office) the occasional devotion from LHM, live audio feed of worship services, and archived audio and some video of previous services. Please make use of this wonderful tool alongside our regular broadcast on 1300AM KMMO.



### Cleaning Day at Immanuel

The Board of Properties is having a clean-up day for the church building on Saturday, October 20th. Start time is 8:00am!! All hands are needed and welcome to dust off summer and prepare for the new church year!!

The Board has many projects lined up to accomplish. If we have many workers they hope to finish by noon. Lunch will be furnished. There is a sign-up sheet located in the Narthex if you would prefer to choose your cleaning location.

We hope to see you on the 20th!!



### Attention all 8th-12th grade students and Parents!

The LCMS National Youth Gathering is July 11-15 in Minneapolis, Minnesota. This gathering happens every three years and includes more than 20,000 youth from across the country who come together to worship, serve, learn, and have fun. Holy Cross has several kids interested in going this year. We would like to invite any 8th grade or high school students to come with us. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 17 in the school basement at Holy Cross. Send Pastor Jacob Mueller an email at [rev.jacob.mueller@gmail.com](mailto:rev.jacob.mueller@gmail.com) if you are interested.



**PROJECT WARMTH** - As in the past Saint Paul Lutheran High School is again 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 during the cold months of the year.

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) on the Saint Paul campus. A receptacle will be on the Heilman Hall porch. In order that we may have time to process your donations, the deadline for leaving them at Saint Paul is Friday, October 26. **DONATIONS LEFT IN 39 GALLON OUTDOOR GARBAGE BAGS WILL BE ESPECIALLY APPRECIATED!**

The generosity of donors like you has helped us to show Christian love to others. We thank you in advance for your contributions.



### Cookie Bakers Needed!

Care Team is seeking cookie bakers for our cookie bags for the farmers. If you could bring them to church and just put them in the white freezer in the church basement. The Care Team will get them bagged and delivered to the elevator.

Any kind of quantity is appreciated, just no peanut butter and no nuts please.

They have served over 140 bags of cookies thus far!

Thanks-from the Care Team!!

Dear Members of Immanuel,

Please find below the link to the all congregational survey. This has been put together by our Call Committee and they are requesting the participation of all members and our regularly attending visitors that join us on Sunday mornings.. If you are not comfortable with the online survey a hard copy is available in the Narthex of the Immanuel's sanctuary, in the church office or by contacting a member of the Call Committee.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MXSND7G>

This on-line survey will close on Sunday, October 7th. Hard copies of the survey should be turned in on or before Sunday, October 7th as well.

The Call Committee thanks you for your diligence in completing this survey. Your input is a valuable piece of the call process.

God's Blessing to Each of You!

*The Call Committee*

Tim Schelp, Chairman  
Kevin Wulff

Jill Gieselman, Secretary  
Janet Kirschner  
Debbie Vickrey

Amy Vogelsmeier  
Allen Bredehoeft



Many thanks to Brenda Wulff, Pastor Wing, Ray Dotson, Nelson Guier and Brent Guier for using your God-given talents in the Ed Building Hallway renovation. And for financial support via Thrivent Cards from Dolores Hemme, Jay & Amy Vogelsmeier. These were a great assistance in keeping our expenses minimal.

Have you noticed the process on the basement windows? Curtis Kirchoff has spent many hours doing the less than glamorous job of scraping and caulking in preparation for some new window glass and paint. Thank you, Curtis!!

Also to Don & Judy Vogelsmeier for the financial support via Thrivent cards

Your are all a blessing to Immanuel!

---Board of Properties

Dear Board for Mission, Board of Elders and the Saints at Immanuel,

Thank you so much for your prayers and partnership. By God's grace POBLO Missionaries continue to share the gospel message in 8 districts of LCMS! We are starting Ohio as the 9th in October, with a male and female missionary at 2 locations, Kettering and Columbus, Ohio. Since Easter we were blessed with 13 baptisms, 11 in Michigan and 2 in Minnesota.

Thank you for your generous donation of \$470.00. Your financial partnership allows us to continue meeting the physical, social, and spiritual needs of those we come in contact with in the United States and beyond.

May our good Lord continue to bless you.

Thank you!

Rev. Farrukh Khan

POBLO International Ministries



Dear Friends of Life,

*The Lord be with you!*

We offer our sincerest appreciation for your recent gift of \$500. We rejoice especially for the fellowship that your contribution represents. Your sharing with us in the sufferings and successes of Gospel-motivated voices For Life substantially sustains our courage and compassion.

Thank you for the privilege of participating in changing hearts and saving lives. We count ourselves your servants and ambassadors, taking the hope that is in you to troubled consciences and endangered neighbors. We look forward to future opportunities for fellowship and cooperation!

In truth and love,

Rev. Michael W. Salemink, Executive Director, Lutheran For Life

## Attendance & Giving August 2018

Sunday Church Service Attendance				Giving (weeks 49-53)			
Date	Members	Visitors	Total	'18	Amount	'17	Amount
Aug. 5	90	9	99	30	\$ 3,809.00	30	\$ 1,871.00
Aug. 12	84	8	92	31	\$ 2,271.00	31	\$ 3,407.00
Aug. 19	70	7	77	32	\$ 1,532.00	32	\$ 1,701.00
Aug. 26	90	11	101	33	\$ 1,879.00	33	\$ 2,211.00
<b>Total Giving for the Weeks of 26-30</b>					\$ 9,491.00		\$ 9,190.00
<b>Total On Line Giving YTD</b>					\$ 8,769.60		
<b>Total Giving Year-to-Date *</b>					\$ 93,515.95		\$ 95,554.85
<b>*giving only reflects weekly offering</b>							

Sunday School & Adult Bible Class Attendance			WES Attendance			
Date	SS Total	BC Total	Date	Member	Visitor	Total
Aug. 5	7	20				
Aug. 12	6	24				
Aug. 19	8	19				
Aug. 26	10	23				

## Changes in Membership August 2018

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



**At the end of each month we will delete Family & Friends and start new. Names that you want continued on the list for October must be given to the office.** If you are in need of a Pastor, know of a hospitalized member or shut-in needing a visit, please contact the church office (335-4141), Judy's cell phone (660-202-2993), Pastor Mueller (660-463-1960), or Ken Hughson at his cell phone (660-815-7211). Also continue to alert the office of prayer requests (additions or deletions to the bulletin prayer list.). Thank you for your help.

Judy Teufel, Secretary  
Ken Hughson, Elder



## Confirmation Class Work

This will appear each week in the bulletin-

Also may be found at:

[holycrossemma.org](http://holycrossemma.org)



### 7-8th Grade Memory Work

#### Unit 1: The Ten Commandment

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Sept. 23 YOUTH GROUP 7:00pm			
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Oct. 14	7th & 8th Commandments	105-114	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7th Commandment &amp; Meaning (p.105)</li> <li>#231 Philippians 2:4 (p.107)</li> <li>8th Commandment &amp; Meaning (p.110)</li> <li>#255 1Peter 4:8 (p.112)</li> </ul>
Oct. 21 YOUTH GROUP 7:00pm			

### 5-6th Grade Memory Work The Old Testament

Session	Topics	Pages	Memory
Oct. 7 6:00	Abraham's Visitors Abraham and Isaac Isaac and Rebekah Jacob and Esau	24-31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Books of the New Testament (p. 371)</li> </ul>
Oct. 21 6:00pm  YOUTH GROUP 7:00pm	Jacob's Dream Jacob's Family Esau forgives Jacob Joseph's Dreams	32-39	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First Commandment and Meaning (p.58)</li> <li>2nd Commandment and Meaning (p.67)</li> </ul>



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