

*Come, Holy Spirit, and fill the hearts of Your faithful people and kindle in them the fire of Your love: You, who through diverse tongues gathered together the nations in the unity of faith.*

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH** 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
**Church Phone: 812-867-5088 — Pastor's Phone: 812-760-1854**  
**August 4, 2024 – 8 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion**

**Opening Prayer**     *///*     **Opening Hymn:** *“From All That Dwell Below the Skies”* 816

**Invocation:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **C:** *Amen.*

P: O Lord, open my lips.	<b>C:</b> <i>And my mouth will declare Your praise.</i>
P: Make haste, O God, to deliver me;	<b>C:</b> <i>Make haste to help me, O Lord.</i>
P: God the Father, made the Plan	<b>C:</b> <i>He gave to us the Plan of the Gospel.</i>
P: Jesus carried out the Plan.	<b>C:</b> <i>He died on the Cross for our sins</i>
P: The Holy Spirit makes the Plan a part of our lives	<b>C:</b> <i>He opens our hearts</i>
P: The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit	<b>C:</b> <i>The Holy Trinity that grants life</i>
P: Our God made, carried out, and brought	<b>C:</b> <i>His plan of salvation to us.</i>
P: This is the day the Lord has made	<b>C:</b> <i>We will rejoice and be glad in it.</i>

**Confession and Absolution:** pg. 184-185     *///*     **The Introit:** *Psalm 145: 10-21*

P: All Your works shall give thanks to You, O Lord, **C:** *And all Your saints shall bless You!*  
P: They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom **C:** *And tell of Your power.*  
P: To make known to the children of man Your mighty deeds, **C:** *And the glorious splendor of Your kingdom.*  
P: Your kingdom is an everlasting Kingdom, **C:** *And Your dominion endures throughout all generations. The Lord is faithful in all His words and kind in all His works.*  
P: The Lord upholds all who are falling **C:** *And raises up all who are bowed down.*  
P: The eyes of all look to You, **C:** *And You give them their food in due season.*  
P: You open Your hand **C:** *You satisfy the desire of every living thing.*  
P: The Lord is righteous in all His ways **C:** *And kind in all His works.*  
P: The Lord is near to those who call on Him **C:** *To all who call upon Him in truth.*

**Gloria Patri:** Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to the God the Son, Glory be to God the Spirit, Great Jehovah Three in One! Glory, Glory, While eternal ages run. (LSB 506)

**Kyrie:** Have mercy on Your people, Lord. Have mercy Christ, Our King (LSB 733) Renew us by Your mercy, Lord; Accept the prayers we bring.

**Gloria:** Alleluia! Sing to Jesus; His the scepter, His the throne; Alleluia! His the triumph, (LSB 821) His the victory alone. Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion Thunder like a mighty flood: “Jesus out of ev’ry nation Has redeemed us by His blood.”

P: The Lord be with you.     **C:** *And with your spirit.*

**Collect:** Merciful Father, You gave Your Son Jesus as the heavenly bread of life. Grant us faith to feast on Him in Your Word and Sacraments that we may be nourished unto life everlasting; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. **C:** *Amen.*

**Hymn:** *“At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing”* 633

*(Prefatory Remarks)* **O.T. Lesson:** *Exodus 16: 2-15* /// **Epistle Lesson:** *Ephesians 4:1-16*

**(Please rise) Holy Gospel:** *John 6: 22-35* /// **Confession of Faith:** *Nicene Creed-back of hymnal*

**Sermon Hymn:** *“Alleluia! Let Praises Ring”* 822

**Children’s Sermon** /// **Sermon**

**Confessional Hymn:** *“In God We Believe”* (802)

In God we believe: the Creator whose pow’r In mercy has brought us renewal this hour  
In Jesus, the Savior, our hope is secure True God and True Man once the cross He endured

God’s Spirit at work in our lives we confess: With power and truth the church now He does bless  
As saints, God’s forgiven, one day we shall then Be living in glory forever. Amen.

**Offering brought to the Altar**

**Prayers:** The families of Cook, Jim and Brenda; Cooke, Josh and Aylssa; and Croft, Rebecca and Derek.

**Lord’s Prayer** pg 196 /// **Blessing of Elements**

**Distribution Hymn:** *“Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray”* 623

**Closing Hymn:** *“Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer”* 918

**Closing Collect:** *Heavenly Father, You grant us Your Spirit to open our eyes and enlighten our minds to serve You and fellow believers; lead us by Your Spirit to enable us to witness of Your love, live according to Your will, bring Your Word of life to others, rejoice in the goodness You have showered upon us, and reflect Your love in how we reach out to others; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.*

**Benediction**

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**Kirk Horstmeyer, Pastor**  
**Matthew Wilson, Organist**

## **WHAT THE SCRIPTURES TEACH CONCERNING THE LORD'S SUPPER**

In I Corinthians 11 the Holy Spirit led Paul to write, "This is my body" and "This cup is the new covenant in my blood" to explain the spiritual truth of the Supper: Christ is truly present in His body and blood in the bread and wine. This is a mystery, a Heavenly gift; one we can only understand in faith. Paul further says, "Therefore whoever eats the bread and drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner, shall be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord" and, "let a man examine himself...for he who eats and drinks, eats and drinks judgment to himself if he does not judge the body rightly." There is no doubt from our Lord's Word, we are receiving His body and blood. The Father offers us forgiveness, unity of faith, strengthening of faith, etc.; it is never our right, we approach His altar only by His invitation. If you are visiting we ask that you please speak with the Pastor before receiving the Lord's Supper. We strive to lovingly carry out our responsibility to ensure the supper remains a blessing for all, never a curse. May His richest blessing be upon you all.

### **THIS WEEK**

**TODAY:** Worship w/HC 8 am, Adult SS 9:10 am, Fish Fry Follow-Up Meeting 9:15 am, Worship w/HC 10:15am

**THURSDAY:** Bible Study 9:30 am and 6:00 pm

**Next SATURDAY:** Worship w/HC 5:30

**Next SUNDAY:** Worship 8 am, Adult SS 9:10 am, Worship 10:15am

**WEEKLY ATTENDANCE:** Sat, July 27: 54 LS: 47; Sun, July 28: 8 am: 39; 10:15 am: 42

**MEMBER PRAYER LIST:** Next week we will be praying for the families of: Davis, Rob, Christine, Logan, Vernoica, Zoey, Angus and TJ; Deal, Angelina, Wes, Bowdrie and Orrin; and DeBaillie, Ben, Amanda, Owen Hallie, Nolan and Easton.

### **THANK YOU:**

*Dear Pastor and Immanuel Members: Thank you so much for all the lovely cards, well wishes and prayers. I am so Blessed to be a part of Loving and Caring Immanuel family. In Christ's Love, Lori Schutz.*

*I would like to Thank the members of Immanuel that worked on putting the new steps in at my house. They are wonderful and very appreciated. Blessings, Joyce Frazier*

**CHURCH SERVICE VIEWING OPTION:** We have another option for viewing services. We have connected a line to a TV in the Sunday School room off the narthex. This will allow people who may have to step out to both view and hear the service. This area can be used for people who might not be feeling well, parents whose kids get a little too excited in church, or perhaps even for overflow crowds at weddings and funerals. Several people have said when they have to step out they feel they are missing the service. This should allow people who have to step out to stay connected.

### UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS

**Fish Fry Follow-Up Meeting:** August 4th - Between Sunday Services Starts approx 9:15.

1. Write checks to organizations for donations.
2. Discuss how auction went.
3. Storage request for fish fry supplies
4. Any other conversation requests please send to me! 812.457.1688 Sarah Johnson

**Sunday School:** We will begin Sunday School on RALLY DAY, AUGUST 25<sup>TH</sup>.