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**The Baptism of Our Lord**

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Immanuel is a member congregation of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. We believe that the Bible is God's very own Word. It is inerrant, infallible, and authoritative for life and faith. It offers everyone forgiveness of Sin and Life Everlasting through Jesus Christ. It is He of whom the Scriptures testify. Because it is a living Word, God Himself will be the one speaking to you today through Word and Sacrament.

Welcome to all our GUESTS AND VISITORS. It is our pleasure and honor to have you worship with us this morning. If you do not have a regular place of worship – WELCOME HOME! Please fill out a Welcome card, found in the pocket on the chair back in front of you, and give it to an Usher or the Pastor.

**ABOUT COMMUNION:** The Lord Jesus invites all to receive Him in Holy Communion who rightly believe from Scripture that they are indeed helpless in their sinful condition, that they can do nothing to earn or deserve God's forgiveness, but that in the consecrated bread and wine they receive the very body and blood of Jesus Christ, given and shed for them, for the forgiveness of their sins. If this is your profession of faith, JESUS INVITES YOU to HIS TABLE to RECEIVE HIM! If this is not your profession, you are still invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Children who have not received instruction may also receive a blessing. To receive the blessing, simply cross your arms in front of you. WHITE GRAPE JUICE is provided in the center of each tray of individual cups for those who have a non-alcohol preference.

A CRY ROOM is available in the back of the Sanctuary for use by parents or anyone for whom it is needed.

# The Baptism of Our Lord A

## Divine Worship, Setting Three

### *Pre-Service Music for quiet meditation and prayer*

#### Pastor's Welcome

#### Announcements

#### Opening Hymn –398 Hail to the Lord's Anointed



1 Hail to the Lord's a - noint - ed, Great Da - vid's great - er Son!  
2 He comes with res - cue speed - y To those who suf - fer wrong,  
3 He shall come down like show - ers Up - on the fruit - ful earth;  
4 Kings shall fall down be - fore Him And gold and in - cense bring;



Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, His reign on earth be - gun!  
To help the poor and need - y And bid the weak be strong;  
Love, joy, and hope, like flow - ers, Spring in His path to birth.  
All na - tions shall a - dore Him, His praise all peo - ple sing.



He comes to break op - pres - sion, To set the cap - tive free,  
To give them songs for sigh - ing, Their dark - ness turn to light,  
Be - fore Him on the moun - tains Shall peace, the her - ald, go;  
To Him shall prayer un - ceas - ing And dai - ly vows as - cend;



To take a - way trans - gres - sion And rule in eq - ui - ty.  
Whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, Were pre - cious in His sight.  
And righ - teous - ness in foun - tains From hill to val - ley flow.  
His king - dom still in - creas - ing, A king - dom with - out end.

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*Please stand - The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

## **Invocation**

Matthew 28:19

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

## **Exhortation**

1 John 1:9

P 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.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

Psalms 124:1

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Psalms 32:5

*Please remain silent for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

## **Confession of Sins**

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C **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.**

## **Absolution**

Matthew 16:19

P 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

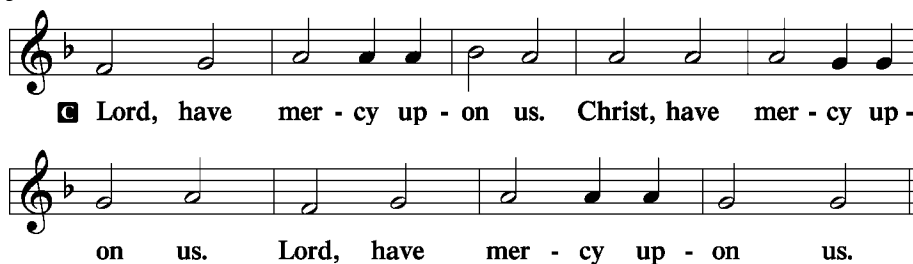
stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C Amen.**

## **+++Service of the Word+++**

### **Kyrie**

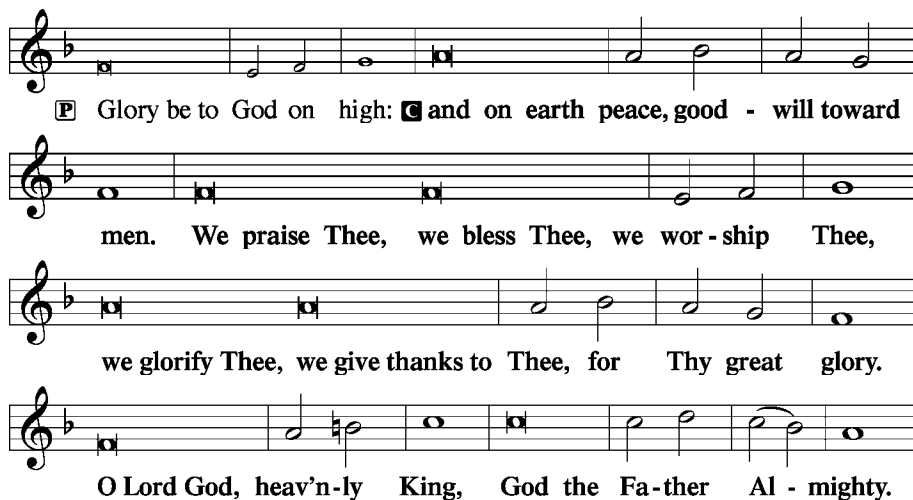
Mark 10:47



**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

### **Gloria in Excelsis**

Luke 2:14, John 1:29




**P** Glory be to God on high: **C** and on earth peace, good - will toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;




O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,




that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.




Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.




Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

## Salutation and Collect of the Day

2 Timothy 4:22



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray.

Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.

*Please be seated*

## First Reading – Isaiah 42:1-9

*The First Reading can be found on the reverse side of this bulletin.*

A This is the Word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

## Epistle – Romans 6:1-11

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**C Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand*

## Alleluia and Verse



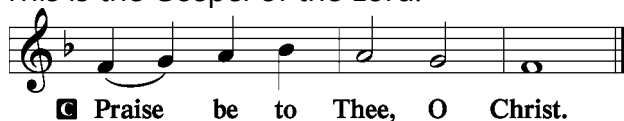
## Holy Gospel – Matthew 3:13-17

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the third chapter.



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P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



## Nicene Creed

**C 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,**

*Matthew 5:45*  
*Genesis 1:1ff, Romans 1:20*  
*Colossians 1:16*  
*Romans 1:7*  
*John 1:18*  
*Hebrews 1:5, John 1:1*  
*John 1:18, John 1:9*  
*John 8:58*  
*John 17:5, Colossians 2:10*

being of one substance with the Father,	<u>John 10:30, 14:9</u>
by whom all things were made;	<u>1 Corinthians 8:6</u>
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven	<u>John 3:16, Ephesians 4:10</u>
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary	<u>Luke 1:34-35</u>
and was made man;	<u>John 1:14</u>
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.	<u>Matthew 20:19</u>
He suffered and was buried.	<u>Mark 15:46</u>
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures	<u>Mk 16:6</u>
and ascended into heaven	<u>Acts 1:9</u>
and sits at the right hand of the Father.	<u>Hebrews 1:3</u>
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,	<u>Matthew 25:31-46</u>
whose kingdom will have no end.	<u>Revelation 11:15</u>
And I believe in the Holy Spirit,	<u>Matthew 28:19</u>
the Lord and giver of life,	<u>John 6:63</u>
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,	<u>John 14:16-17</u>
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,	<u>John 4:24</u>
who spoke by the prophets.	<u>2 Peter 1:21</u>
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,	<u>Revelation 21:14</u>
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,	<u>Acts 2:38</u>
and I look for the resurrection of the dead	<u>1 Corinthians 15:12-13, 16, 52</u>
and the life of the world to come. Amen.	<u>Revelation 22:5</u>

*Please be seated*



## Hymn of the Day –407 To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord



1 To Jor - dan came the Christ, our Lord, To do His Fa - ther's  
 2 O hear and mark the mes - sage well, For God Him - self has  
 3 These truths on Jor - dan's banks were shown By might - y word and  
 4 There stood the Son of God in love, His grace to us ex -



plea - sure; Bap - tized by John, the Fa - ther's Word  
 spo - ken. Let faith, not doubt, a - mong us dwell  
 won - der. The Fa - ther's voice from heav'n came down,  
 tend - ing; The Ho - ly Spir - it like a dove



Was giv - en us to trea - sure. This heav'n - ly wash - ing  
 And so re - ceive this to - ken. Our Lord here with His  
 Which we do well to pon - der: "This man is My be -  
 Up - on the scene de - scend - ing; The tri - une God as -



now shall be A cleans - ing from trans - gres - sion  
 Word en - dows Pure wa - ter, free - ly flow - ing.  
 lov - ed Son, In whom My heart has plea - sure.  
 sur - ing us, With prom - is - es com - pel - ling,



And by His blood and ag - o - ny Re - lease from death's op -  
 God's Ho - ly Spir - it here a - vows Our kin - ship while be -  
 Him you must hear, and Him a - lone, And trust in full - est  
 That in our Bap - tism He will thus A - mong us find a



pres - sion. A new life now a - waits us.  
 stow - ing The Bap - tism of His bless - ing.  
 mea - sure The word that He has spo - ken."  
 dwell - ing To com - fort and sus - tain us.

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## Sermon

## Offering

*Please stand*

## Offertory

Psalm 51:10-12



**C** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

## Prayer of the Church

1 Timothy 2:1-4

P In peace, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P In thanksgiving for the revelation of Jesus Christ to us in His wondrous Epiphany in the Jordan, and for the revelation of God's name and blessing to us in Holy Baptism, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P For all the baptized children of God, that we may daily die to sin and rise to newness of life, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P For all who proclaim Jesus Christ, that through their godly message, many would repent of their sins and join Him in His heavenly kingdom, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P For all those bruised and afflicted in spirit, that Christ would be a servant to them in their hour of need and bring them out of their afflictions, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P For all who have received Holy Baptism, that they would treasure this heavenly gift and so receive the body and blood of Christ for their forgiveness, life and salvation, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P That we who have died to this world in Holy Baptism would ever more and more live in the resurrected life of Christ, let us pray to the Lord:

**C Lord, have mercy.**

P Lord God, heavenly Father, You manifested Yourself with the Holy Spirit in the fullness of grace at the Baptism of Your dear Son. With Your voice, You directed us to the One who has borne our sins, that we may receive grace and forgiveness. Keep us, we implore You, in the true faith. Since we have been baptized in accordance with Your command and the example of Your Son,

strengthen our faith by Your Holy Spirit and lead us to everlasting life and salvation; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

## **+ + + Service of the Sacrament + + +**

**PLEASE READ:** The Lord Jesus invites all to receive Him in Holy Communion who rightly believe from Scripture:

1. That they are indeed helpless in their sinful condition,
2. That they can do nothing to earn or deserve God's forgiveness,
3. That in the consecrated bread and wine they receive the very body and blood of Jesus Christ, given and shed for them, for the forgiveness of their sins, and therefore their sins are forgiven!

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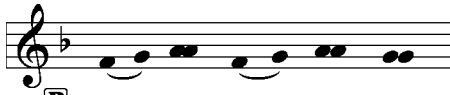
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## Preface

*2 Timothy 4:22, Colossians 3:1, Psalm 136*



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

P 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 on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## Sanctus

*Isaiah 6:3, Matthew 21:9*



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.

## Lord's Prayer

*Matthew 6:9-13*

P Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;  
give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against  
us; and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.



For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the



## The Words of Institution

*Matthew 26:26, Mark 14:22-24, Luke 22:19-20*

## Response

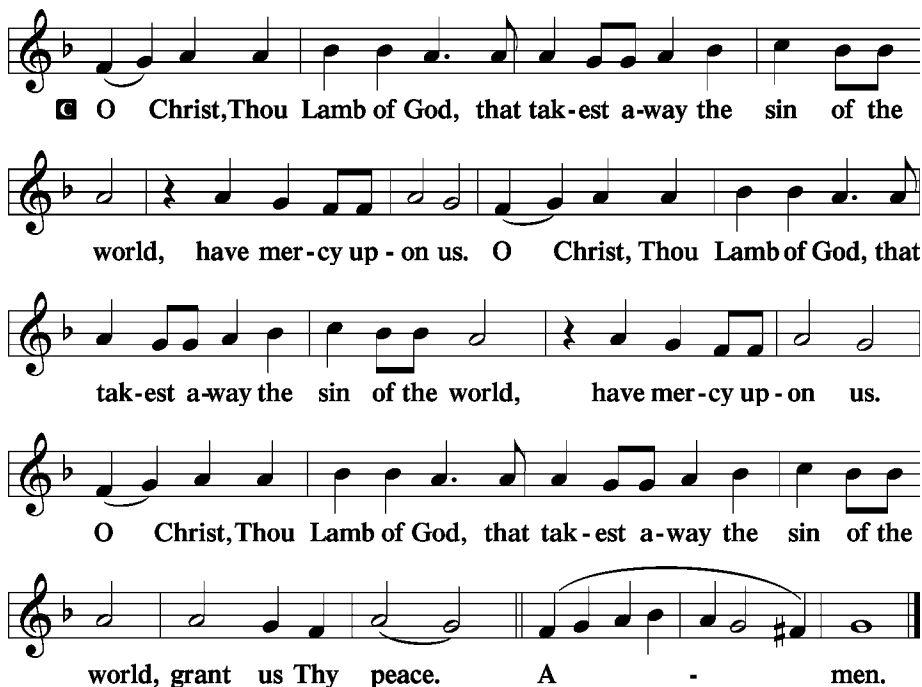
*John 1:29, Matthew 8:8*

P Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Blessed are they who are fed at His Supper.

**C Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.**

## Agnus Dei

*John 1:29*



*Please be seated*

## Distribution Hymns -739 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

1 Pre - cious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, let me stand;  
2 When my way grows drear, Pre - cious Lord, lin - ger near,  
3 When the dark - ness ap - pears And the night draws near

I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.  
When my life is al - most gone,  
And the day is al - most gone,

Through the storm, through the night, Lead me on to the light.  
Hear my cry, hear my call; Hold my hand lest I fall.  
At the riv - er I stand; Guide my feet, hold my hand,

Take my hand, pre - cious Lord; lead me home.  
Take my hand, pre - cious Lord; lead me home.  
Take my hand, pre - cious Lord; lead me home.

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## 537 Beautiful Savior

1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion, Son of  
2 Fair are the mead - ows, Fair are the wood - lands, Robed in  
3 Fair is the sun - shine, Fair is the moon - light, Bright the  
4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions, Son of

God and Son of Man! Tru - ly I'd love Thee, Tru - ly I'd  
flow'rs of bloom - ing spring; Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is  
spar - kling stars on high; Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines  
God and Son of Man! Glo - ry and hon - or, Praise, ad - o -





serve Thee, Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.  
 pur - er, He makes our sor - r'wing spir - it sing.  
 pur - er Than all the an - gels in the sky.  
 ra - tion Now and for - ev - er - more be Thine!

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## 394 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise



1 Songs of thank - ful - ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to Thee we raise,  
 2 Man - i - fest at Jor-dan's stream, Proph-et, Priest, and King su-preme;  
 3 Man - i - fest in mak-ing whole Pal - sied limbs and faint - ing soul;  
 4 Sun and moon shall dark-ened be, Stars shall fall, the heav'ns shall flee;  
 5 Grant us grace to see Thee, Lord, Pres - ent in Thy ho - ly Word—



Man - i - fest-ed by the star To the sa - ges from a - far,  
 And at Ca - na wed - ding guest In Thy God-head man - i - fest;  
 Man - i - fest in val - iant fight, Quell - ing all the dev - il's might;  
 Christ will then like light - ning shine, All will see His glo - rious sign;  
 Grace to im - i - tate Thee now And be pure, as pure art Thou;



Branch of roy - al Da - vid's stem In Thy birth at Beth - le - hem:  
 Man - i - fest in pow'r di - vine, Chang - ing wa - ter in - to wine;  
 Man - i - fest in gra - cious will, Ev - er bring-ing good from ill;  
 All will then the trum - pet hear, All will see the Judge ap - pear;  
 That we might be - come like Thee At Thy great e - pip - ha - ny



An - thems be to Thee ad-dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 An - thems be to Thee ad-dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 An - thems be to Thee ad-dressed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 Thou by all wilt be con-fessed, God in man made man - i - fest.  
 And may praise Thee, ev - er blest, God in man made man - i - fest.

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## Communion with the Fellowship Cups

*Please stand*

### The Dismissal

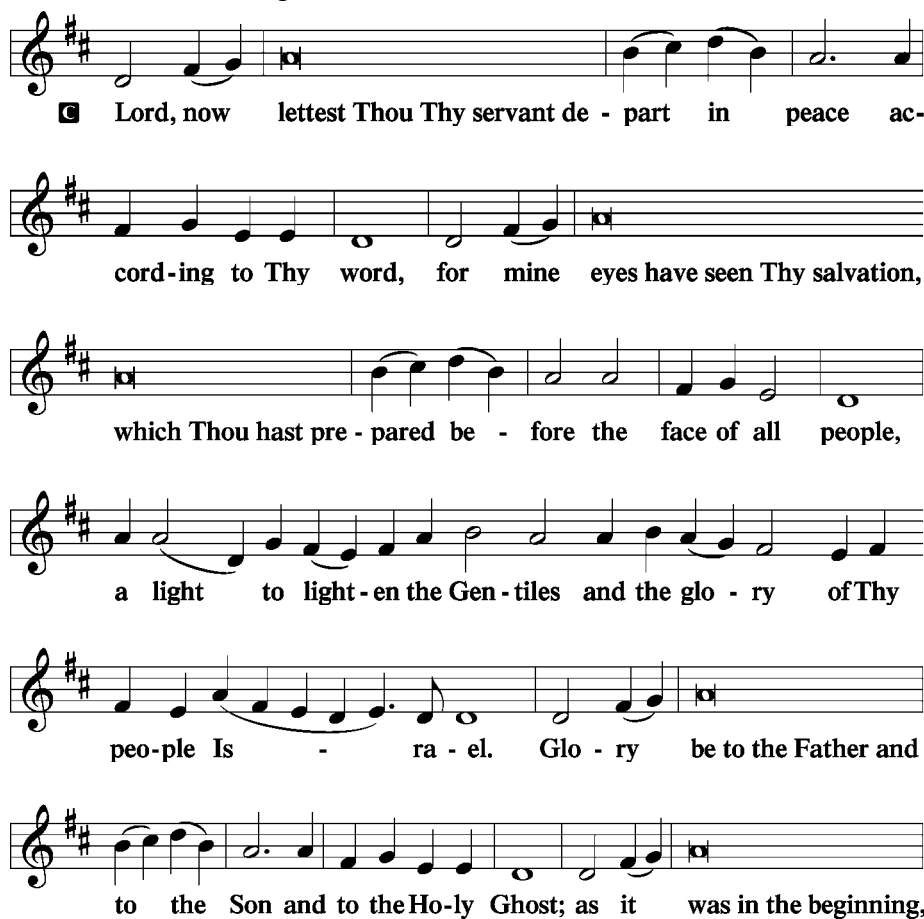
P And now may this, the very body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, bless and keep you in the one true faith, unto life everlasting.

Amen. T Depart in Peace. He has set you free!

**C Amen.**

### Nunc Dimittis – Song of Simeon

Luke :2:29-32



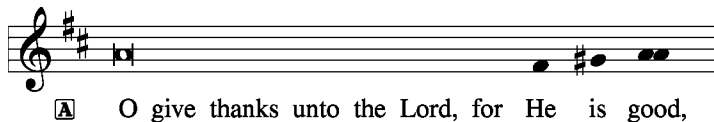
The musical score is written for a single voice part in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are: "Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac- cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people, a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy peo-ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,"

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cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,  
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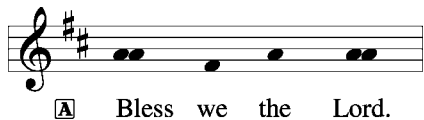
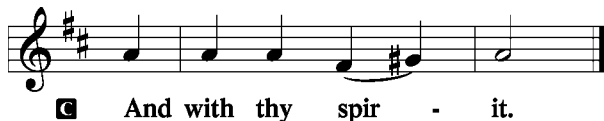
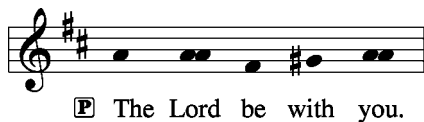
## Thanksgiving

Psalm 107:1



## Salutation and Benedicamus

2 Timothy 4:22



Psalm 103:1

## Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26

P 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 T give you peace.

C Amen.

## Closing Hymn - 590 Baptized into Your Name Most Holy



1 Bap-tized in - to Your name most ho - ly, O Fa - ther, Son, and  
2 My lov - ing Fa - ther, here You take me To be hence-forth Your  
3 My faith - ful God, You fail me nev - er; Your prom - ise sure - ly  
4 All that I am and love most dear-ly— Re - ceive it all, O



Ho - ly Ghost, I claim a place, though weak and low - ly,  
child and heir. My faith - ful Sav - ior, here You make me  
will en - dure. O cast me not a - way for - ev - er  
Lord, from me. Let me con - fess my faith sin - cere - ly;



A - mong Your saints, Your cho - sen host. Bur - ied with Christ and  
The fruit of all Your sor - rows share. O Ho - ly Spir - it,  
If words and deeds be - come im - pure. Have mer - cy when I  
Help me Your faith - ful child to be! Let noth - ing that I



dead to sin, Your Spir - it now shall live with - in.  
com - fort me When threat - ning clouds a - round I see.  
come de - filed; For - give, lift up, re - store Your child.  
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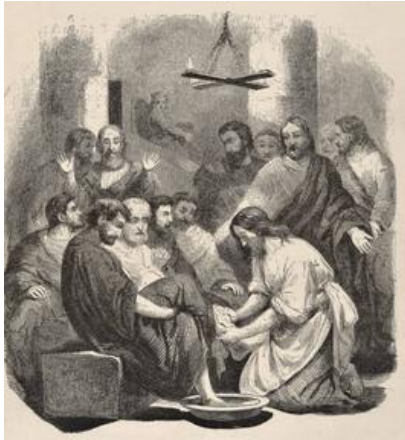
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The flowers on the Altar are given to the glory of God and by  
Jim and Anita Brt.



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Sid Germeroth

#### **E-J**

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Jim Schroeder

#### **K-P**

Rick Rambo  
Jack Shaddy

#### **R-Z**

Rob Yancey  
Eddie Yarbrough



**THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL January 12 – January 18, 2026**

<b>MONDAY:</b>	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	<b>OFFICE OPEN</b> <b>Crafty Ladies</b> <b>LWML</b>
<b>TUESDAY:</b>	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	<b>OFFICE OPEN</b> <b>Council Meeting</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY:</b>	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	<b>OFFICE OPEN</b>
<b>THURSDAY:</b>	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. 10:00 am – 11:00 am	<b>OFFICE OPEN</b> <b>Bible Study</b>
<b>FRIDAY:</b>	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	<b>OFFICE OPEN</b>
<b>SATURDAY:</b>	9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> <b>New Member's Class</b>
<b>SUNDAY:</b>	9:30 a.m. Immediately After Service 11:00 am	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> <b>Sunday Service</b> <b>Fellowship</b> <b>Adult Bible Class</b> <b>Sunday School</b>



**Constitution & Bylaws Review** -We will begin a review of the Immanuel Lutheran Church Constitution and Bylaws in February. I am looking for members who would be willing to serve on the Constitution and Bylaw review committee. The last district approved Constitution and Bylaws are dated April of 2016. If you are interested in serving on this committee, please contact the Church Office at (520) 458-3883 or email at sec@grace2u.org. The plan will be to meet one to two times a month for no more than 2 hours and prayerfully be able to submit any recommendations to the council and congregation by April of 2026.

**2026 Envelopes** –The 2026 Envelopes have been distributed and may be found in your mailbox or on the Greeter's Desk in the Narthex.

**New Member's Class** –New Member's Class on January 17th, 2026 at 9:00 am – 12:00 pm. for anyone interested in becoming a new member at Immanuel Lutheran Church.

**Valentines Day Taco Bar & Bingo** –On February 14<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 am – 1:30 pm. \$10 per ticket, includes Bingo, Taco Bar, Drinks and Cake. Reservations are required.

**Volunteers Needed** – In order to keep BINGO going we need help with a caller every month. We would like to split this between multiple people. If you can help, please contact the Church Office at (520) 458-3883 or email at sec@grace2u.org. It would be on a Saturday from 11:30 am -1:00 pm with breaks in between. We need a commitment in advance due to having to promote, buy food & prizes as well as giving attendees confidence it will not be a sporadic event.

**Men' Bible Breakfast** – The next Men's Bible Breakfast will be on January 31<sup>st</sup>, from 9am to 10:30am. All gentlemen are invited and are welcome to bring a guest.

**Council Meetings** – The Council meetings are open to the membership. Council meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The next Council meeting will be held on January 13, 2026. This is a good opportunity to voice concerns, present thoughts and ideas, and any other discussion concerning the affairs of Immanuel.



**Crafty Ladies** -Going forward, Crafty Ladies will meet once a month, on the second Monday of each month from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. The next Crafty Ladies Meeting will be on January 12, 2026. Any questions about the changes please contact the Church Office at (520) 458-3883 or email at sec@grace2u.org.

**LWML** – Will be having their next meeting on Tuesday, January 12, 2026 from 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm.

**Sunday Adult Bible Study** – We are having Bible study right after Sunday Service and Fellowship time in the Friendship Hall.

**Communion** – If you are not able to make it to the Communion Rail, you have a choice of using the Fellowship Cup or having the Communion Assistants bring communion to you in your seat. If you would like communion at your seat, please let the Communion Assistants know.

**WELCOME CARDS** – are located in the pocket of the chair in front of you. If you are visiting with us, or if you are interested in becoming a new member, please fill out the card and either place it in the offering plate, or place it on the rolling cart in the Narthex after service. (Guests and visitors are always WELCOME here at Immanuel.)

**Becoming A Church Member** – If you are not currently a member here at Immanuel Lutheran Church, and are interested in becoming one, please let our church secretary know. You can leave her a message in her mailbox, stop by the church office during the week, or you may call her at (520) 458-3883. We would love to have you join our church family!

**Good Neighbor Alliance** – There are baskets under the mail boxes in the Narthex, where we collect food, toiletries, and socks for the needy in our community. There is a list in the Narthex of their current needs. Some of the most urgent are: Cereal, Oatmeal, Breakfast Bars, Paper Towels, All Purpose Cleaner, Coffee, and Travel Size Shampoo.

**STEWARDSHIP –The Measure of our Love**  
**For our Lord on January 4, 2026**

**Together in worship: 113    Livestream: 21    Total: 134**

<b>Offerings for budget</b>	<b>\$8,349.04</b>
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**Total Deposit for January 4, 2026** **\$9,069.04**

**Given Year-to-date for “Above & Beyond” \$490.00**

**Offering Envelope Information...** If you are making your offerings by check, please write your check # on the outside of the offering envelope. Our Financial Secretary writes the check numbers on the outside of the offering envelopes for verification. If you could take a moment to do this, it would save her a tremendous amount of time.



You may use the QR- Code below to access our website, which includes an online giving link.





## **Weekly Prayer List – January 11 – January 17, 2026**

### **Jan 7**

**Margaret Harney** – Has been moved to a smaller hospital for speech and physical therapy, please pray for her recovery.

### **Jan 4**

**Debbie** – Friend of Patty Stump. Please pray for Debbie and her neck surgery.

### **Dec 31**

**Denise & Sean Curnyn** – Denise & Sean Curnyn give thanks for your prayers for Denise's sister Joan. She has experienced very significant relief from her symptoms of pain and vertigo thanks to recent acupuncture treatments, but thanks most of all to God!

**Paula Eichelberger & Family** – Prayers for Paula and her family. Paula's mother-in law, mother of her late husband, passed away in hospice on December 27<sup>th</sup>.

### **Dec 30**

**Pastor Behnke** – Please pray for Pastor Behnke. He had a scheduled heart valve replacement on Wednesday, January 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Mary's Hospital.

### **Dec 29**

**Bob Anderson** – Charlie Yarbrough's Maternal Grandfather. Bob is recovering from heart valve replacement surgery. He is dealing with minor complications and will be beginning physical therapy soon.

### **Dec 17**

**Avaleno Bootterar** – Friend of Patti Stump is very sick, please pray for healing.

Dec 8

**Torin Wilson** – Friends of Donna and Wes Hewitt's son. Please pray for Torin who was born premature and is in NICU in Tucson.

Dec 7

**Suzanne Graeber** – Please pray for Darlene Oetgen's dear friend who has cancerous thyroid results pending on modules in lung.

Dec 2

**Mary Ellen Knapp** – Cousin of Sean Curnyn, diagnosed with pancreatic cancer which has metastasized to her liver. Please pray for her healing and that God gives her spirit peace.

Nov 26

**For The Church in Nigeria** – Please pray for The Church and for our Christian brothers and sisters in their suffering and to keep them strong in their faith.

Nov 2

**Wesley Hewitt** – Please pray for continuous healing after his successful surgery.

Oct 20

**Makayla Margulies** – Donna Hewitt's cousin, needs prayers during her treatment for Ewings's Sarcoma.

Sep 28

**Julie** –Patty Stump's niece, needs prayers after undergoing surgery for a pace maker.

Aug 26

**The Rambo's** – Please pray for blessings for their granddaughter Salem.

Aug 11

**Holly Farris** – Robin Bush's niece, needs prayers for chemotherapy treatments she is receiving.

**Jackie Davies** – Friend of Tina Hungerford, needs prayers for health issues and scheduled surgery.

Aug 10

**Danielle & Sean Culpepper** – Friends of Tina Hungerford, please pray for them. They have been unsuccessful in the blessing of having a baby.

Aug 10

**Scott Tom** – Friend of The Rambo's, needs prayers for continuous healing.

Aug 4

**Dartagnon Fuller** – Prayers for safety on his endeavors while stationed at Camp Pendelton, California.

Jul 29

**Brian Phillips** – Marge Phillips stepson, needs prayers for his overall health.

Jul 25

**Ron Witt** – Ron is now at home, please pray for his continuous healing.

June 9

**Peggy Russell** - Friend of Barbara Dicaldo, needs prayers of continuous healing and support as she embarks on a course of chemotherapy after her successful breast cancer surgery.

Dec 6

**Michael and Arianna Conroy** – Need prayers of guidance and blessings on Micheal while he is in seminary.

Nov 15

**Don Pfeifer** – Needs Prayers of guidance in following Gods path.

Oct 28

**Joey Rambo-Pfeifer** - Needs prayers of healing for her current health issue.

***Attention: Please call the office if God has answered the prayers for the people on the list. If they need further prayers, call the office so that they remain on the list.***