

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Divine Service 4, p. 203

HYMN #905

"Come, Thou Almighty King"



1 Come, Thou al - might - y King, Help us Thy
2 Come, Thou in - car - nate Word, Gird on Thy
3 Come, ho - ly Com - fort - er, Thy sa - cred
△ 4 To Thee, great One in Three, E - ter - nal



name to sing; Help us to praise; Fa - ther all -
might - y sword; Our prayer at - tend. Come and Thy
wit - ness bear In this glad hour! Thou, who al -
prais - es be Hence ev - er - more! Thy sov - 'reign



glo - ri - ous, O'er all vic - to - ri - ous,
peo - ple bless, And give Thy Word suc - cess,
might - y art, Now rule in ev - 'ry heart,
maj - es - ty May we in glo - ry see,



Come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.
And let Thy righ - teous - ness On us de - scend.
And ne'er from us de - part, Spir - it of pow'r.
And to e - ter - ni - ty Love and a - dore.

Text: English, before 1760, alt. Tune: Felice de Giardini, 1716–96

Stand

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

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

C Amen.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word and call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Service of the Word

INTROIT

Psalm 117; antiphon: Psalm 96:6a; 115:18

Splendor and majesty are before him;

we will bless the LORD from this time forth and forevermore.

Praise the LORD!

Praise the LORD, all nations!

Extol him, all peoples!

For great is his steadfast love toward us,

and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever. Praise the LORD!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Splendor and majesty are before him;

we will bless the LORD from this time forth and forevermore.

Praise the LORD!

KYRIE



C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro- claimed at Je-sus' birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor-shipped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King.
Where You in pow'r are seat-ed At God's right hand on high—
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

O Lord, You have called us to enter Your kingdom through the narrow door. Guide us by Your Word and Spirit, and lead us now and always into the feast of Your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

P This is the Word of the Lord.

Isaiah 66:18–23

C Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE

P This is the Word of the Lord.

Hebrews 12:4–24

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

ALLELUIA AND VERSE



HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 13:22–30

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the thirteenth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

APOSTLES' CREED

**☐ I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the
dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life ✚ everlasting. Amen.**

Sit

HYMN #583

“God Has Spoken by His Prophets”



1 God has spo - ken by His proph - ets, Spo - ken His un - chang - ing Word;
2 God has spo - ken by Christ Je - sus, Christ, the ev - er - last - ing Son,
3 God is speak - ing by His Spir - it, Speak - ing to our hearts a - gain,



Each from age to age pro - claim - ing God, the one, the righ - teous Lord.
Bright - ness of the Fa - ther's glo - ry, With the Fa - ther ev - er one;
In the age - less Word de - clar - ing His own mes - sage, now as then.



In the world's de - spair and tur - moil, One firm an - chor holds us fast:
Spo - ken by the Word In - car - nate, God of God, be - fore time was;
Through the rise and fall of na - tions One sure faith yet stand - ing fast;



God is king, His throne e - ter - nal; God the first, and God the last.
Light of Light, to earth de - scend - ing, He re - veals our God to us.
God a - bides, His Word un - chang - ing; God the first, and God the last.

Text: George W. Briggs, 1875–1959, alt. Tune: Henry T. Smart, 1813–79

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SERMON “Old Covenant vs New Covenant” Jeremiah 23:16-29

OFFERING

Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

C 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 glory
forever and ever. Amen.

THE CREED OF THE LIFE THAT IS OURS IN CHRIST

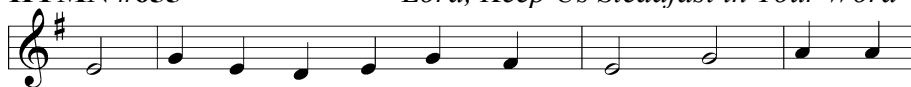
I believe in the Triune God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. I believe all of the Bible is inspired by God and is therefore His Word. When God proclaims something to be, it therefore is.

I believe that I am saved by grace through faith which places me in the state of grace and therefore, I walk in God's light where there is no darkness. At the moment I was saved, God proclaimed me to be a new creation, to be the righteousness of God in Christ, to be sinless in His sight, to be holy, to be at peace with Him, to be under His favor, and to be His child.

Therefore, I go forth in peace and joy to live as a child of God and to serve the Lord and His people. Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION

- 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 ✠ give you peace.
- C** Amen.

HYMN #655*"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"*

1 Lord, keep us stead - fast in Your Word; Curb those who
2 Lord Je - sus Christ, Your pow'r make known, For You are
3 O Com - fort - er of price - less worth, Send peace and



by de - ceit or sword Would wrest the king - dom from Your
Lord of lords a - lone; De - fend Your ho - ly Church that
u - ni - ty on earth; Sup - port us in our fi - nal



Son And bring to naught all He has done.
we May sing Your praise e - ter - nal - ly.
strife And lead us out of death to life.

Text: Martin Luther, 1483–1546; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–78, alt.
Tune: Geistliche Lieder auff's new gebessert, 1543, Wittenberg, ed. Joseph Klug

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ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 24, 2025

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WELCOME TO IMMANUEL

A warm welcome to our friends and visitors this day! Thanks for joining us at church or online. If you are looking for a church home, please talk to Pastor Lee. We hope you will join us again!

WORSHIP PREP

In Jeremiah 23:16-29 God speaks about false and true prophets. You can find these words on pages 826-827 in your pew Bible. They serve as today's sermon text. There continue to be lots of false prophets in our day. We cling to the true Word of God delivered by His faithful preachers.

WORSHIP INFORMATION

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Hymns 905, 583, 655
Sermon: "Old Covenant vs New Covenant" Jeremiah 23:16-29
Organist: Saturday: Billy Bastyr Sunday: Maureen Diedrich

PARISH PRAYERS

God's healing for Jeanette Bast, Geneva Paulson, Deb Marquard, Dennis Karger, Mary Springer, Gene Payne, Ivy McKane, Westie Revering, Al Riedel, Lois Zimmerman, Mike McDaniel, Steph Wilde, Michelle Woida, Joan Drevlow, Kevin Scott, Kenny Allen (bil M Wilde), Naomi Lahman, Jackson Drum, Bonnie Salto, Rosemary O'Brien, Donna Koester (n L Ashbaugh) and Ardis Ebnet (s of M Pooler).

We pray for our missionaries.

We pray for our local, state, national and world leaders.

THIS WEEK

Saturday, August 23

7:00 PM Worship

Sunday, August 24

9:00 AM Worship, also Livestreamed

10:00 AM Coffee

7:00 PM Service on Cable Ch 14

Tuesday, August 26

9:00 AM Bible Breakfast

Wednesday, August 27

10:00 AM Bible Class at Church & Zoom

Thursday, August 28

7:00 PM Sunday School Teachers Meeting

Saturday, August 30

7:00 PM Worship w/Communion, also Livestreamed

Sunday, August 31

9:00 AM Parking Lot Worship w/Communion

10:00 AM Coffee

7:00 PM Service on Cable Ch 14

WORSHIP HELPERS

August 23: Carol Klimek, Marilyn Johnson and Aiden Moran. August 24: Marcia Ratajesak Family, Shane & Molly Pauly Family and Kellen O'Brien. August 30: John & Diane Potratz and Katie Pexsa.

Life Thoughts: Proverbs 3:8 promises that fearing the Lord and turning from evil brings healing to "your navel." Belly buttons testify to gestation. Scripture's prescription for surprise pregnancy encourages rejecting death. If the Apostle Bartholomew gave his very skin trusting in the resurrection body (tradition suggests his martyrdom flayed him alive), the Gospel leaves no room for "my body, my choice."

Footcare toenail cutting is offered the first Thursday of the month at Immanuel. Please arrive between 8:45-10:30 AM. Bring a towel, do not wear gel toenail polish. This is a free service. Anyone is welcome.

We are in need of another current or former nurse to join our footcare team. Please contact JuAnn Riedel or Pastor.

Senior Nutrition Service, Inc offers meals on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday for those 60 and older (and spouse of any age). Call 338-6211 between 9-10:30 AM to order your meal. Volunteers are also welcome to help assemble and deliver meals.

INFORMATION FOR YOU

Next Sunday's Lutheran Hour is "Life Narrows Down" with Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer. "Life narrows down and crisis comes. There, in the narrow place stands Jesus." (John 1:6-8, 19-28)

Watch Main Street Living on TV, a service led by local LCMS pastors. See it Sundays on Ch 15 KVRN Fargo (Ch 10 on Arvig) at 9 am, on Ch 29 WFTC at 9:30 am from the Cities (including on DISH if you have the Twin Cities stations or on Selective TV 9.2) or at mainstreetliving.com anytime. Rev. Michael Suelzle, Fargo, preaches August 31.

Check out our website at www.immanuelparkersprairie.com.

We are in need of facilitators for two work groups. Please contact the office if interested. The church office is coordinating the work groups.

Eggs (farm fresh and unwashed) are available at the desk in the Fellowship Hall for a freewill offering. Proceeds benefit Jackson Drum.

Sacred Heart, Urbank, invites you to their parish bazaar August 31 with a braised beef and ham dinner served from 11-1 for \$15, ages 6-12 \$7.

The MN North Lutheran Laymen's League Conference will be September 6 from 10-3 at Lutheran Island Camp. Steve Schulz of Mission Central is the speaker. Call David Gilster at 218-639-3403 to register.

Grace Church in Parkers Prairie invites you to an evening of uplifting songs with Jackson Burns on Sept. 6 from 6:30-8 PM.

Trinity Lutheran in Deer Creek invites you to their chicken supper September 7 from 4:30-7 PM at the Deer Creek Community Center. Proceeds benefit Lutheran Island Camp.

Any men interested in playing dartball in a church league on the second Monday of the month, contact Pastor Lee.

The Parkers Prairie Food Shelf is in need of volunteers. Call First Lutheran at 218-338-5731 if you would like to help.

Want to give electronically? You can make a text gift by texting \$xx (the amount) to 844-330-1376. Or you can give through the church website.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Attend 8-16	10	Communed	9
Attend 8-17	79	Communed	63
Offering	\$3,862.00	Home Use	\$150.00
Total	\$4,012.00		
Offering for August			\$19,973.00
Offerings Needed each Month			\$23,009.00
TIM Goal:	\$3,000	Receipts:	\$1,130.00

OUR MISSION:

Empowered by God's Word; we know, love and share Jesus Christ.

INFORMATION FOR TODAY

Who can I tell about the blessings of the New Covenant?

Thank you to Pastor Winter for leading worship this weekend.

Sign up at the narthex counter to serve coffee after worship.

ACT has hotdogs, ketchup, mustard, nacho cheese, tortilla chips, Lays, Doritos, and water for sale in the kitchen. Hot dog buns are available free with purchase, located in the flower room freezers.

The trustees borrowed \$10,000 from Dedicated Funds to the General Fund at 3% interest to pay bills that are due. Please consider a special offering to the General Fund.

Our last Sunday parking lot service with communion will be August 31 at 9 AM. The Saturday service will be inside.

Next Block Party Planning Meeting is September 2 at 7 PM. Block Party will be September 28.

Wanted: Bikes in good condition to give away at the Block Party. They can be left in the ed building.

Wanted: Door prizes for the Block Party.

6th Grade Confirmation Student and Parent meeting is Wednesday, September 3 at 6:15 PM.

7th and 8th Grade Confirmation Student and Parent meeting is Wednesday, September 3 at 7 PM.

Sunday School starts September 7. Register online on our website. Sunday School teachers meeting will be August 28 at 7 PM. If you are willing to be a teacher, helper or substitute, contact Dedra.

LWML invites you to come and hear Joyce Malmgren and JoAnn Reineke speak about the national LWML convention, on Saturday, September 13 at 1:30 PM. Refreshments will be served after.

Cabin Lois Salad Dinner will be Sunday, September 14 from 10:30-12:30. Sign up at the narthex counter to bring a salad in an ice cream pail.

If you are interested in an evening Bible Study on the Book of Revelation beginning in mid-September, let Pastor know of your preference for a Sunday, Tuesday or Thursday evening meeting time.

1-2 of our elders are available in the fellowship hall for an hour before worship if you would like to visit with them. Elders are also normally available in the back narthex before worship.