IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Rev. Jan Unger Adrienne Stone 7th Sunday of Easter Visiting Pastor Organist May 16, 2021

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

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Prayer of the Day

Blessed Trinity, your deep desire for your people is that we may be one as you are one. You have made us one in Christ through the sacraments of Baptism and Holy Communion. Teach this gathering of Christ's followers to live each day out of our true identity —children of God and one in Christ; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Reading	Acts 1: 12-26
Psalm	Psalm 1
Second Reading	1 John 5: 9-15
Gospel	John 17: 11-19

Sermon Hymn of the Day	Rev. Jan Unger LBW # 364
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Sending	

Welcome to our worship in Jesus' name!

Your presence in worshiping the Lord is our joy! Thank you for your faith which brings you here; please come again.

We are pleased to welcome Rev. Jan Unger to lead our worship today!

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Kevin & Shirley Stanush in honor of their anniversary.

The piano flowers are given to the glory of God by Will & Renee Scull in honor Emma's birthday.

Welcome and Prayer Cards – Please fill in the information and leave in in the plates that are provided in the narthex and annex

Offerings & Attendance on 5/9: \$6,317; 96 attendees plus 14 visitors, and up to 91 views on FaceBook Live.

Holy Communion: All who are baptized and believe that Christ is truly present in the Sacrament are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table. Come forward at the direction of the usher. We will do a continuous communion. If you are unable to come forward to receive the Sacrament, please let the usher know, and the Sacrament will be brought to you. Grape juice and gluten-free wafers are available; let the pastor or communion assistant know of your need as you are served. Any who have not been instructed in the Sacrament may come forward to receive a blessing.

Sunday School - This week the children will be talking about John's vision of a New Jerusalem. **Today** will be the **last get together** for the Sunday School classes until the fall. We appreciate our teachers for all they taught our kiddos week after week and give them a BIG HUG & THANK YOU!

Raffle Tickets – Weather permitting, Lillian Kosub will begin selling raffle tickets for the Festival on Sundays after every service.

Graduates –.Graduate Recognitions will be held on May 23rd. Send in photos / information please!

A New Member Class will begin May 23rd from 9:15 – 10:15 in the Sanctuary. Please contact the office if you are interested in joining Immanuel.

VBS update.....

If you are wishing to help out with VBS this year, please contact the office or find a sign-up sheet which is in the Narthex of the Church. Also, we are looking for Christmas trees...(all sizes) to help set up our Rocky Mountain railway experience. If you have an old one or would like to donate one, please contact the office or Rebe Penshorn.

With the lifting of COVID restrictions, we want to remain committed to the health and welfare of our congregation. The wearing of masks and social distancing as appropriate is encouraged.

FaceBook Live – We will only be using FaceBook Live to live stream our 10:30 AM service. Look for it on the Immanuel Lutheran Church group page on FaceBook. Volunteers needed to 'run the show' especially with summer upon us.

Amazon Smile – When wanting to shop online, why not go to www.smile.amazon.com and support Immanuel Lutheran Church's New Building Fund?

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

Sun	8:00 am 9:15 am 10:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion Last Sunday School Class Worship with Holy Communion
Mon	5:00 pm	Newsletter Deadline
Tues	9 – 12	Sewing Circle
Wed	6:00 pm	Adult Bible Study – P Sr. High Youth
Thur	6:00 pm	Congregational Council - P

UPCOMING EVENTS		
May 23	Graduate Recognition New Member Class	
June 6	New Member Class New Members Received @ 10:30	
June 13	WoF Confirmation Brunch Confirmation	
July 11 – 16	VBS, evenings	
Aug 1	Community Festival	
Aug 2-6	Day Camp, 8:30 am – 3:30 pm	

OUR PRAYER LISTS

Those in our congregation: Pastor Bob Palan, Larry Bailey, Willie Jean Boeck, Garland Coble, Kyle Ferguson, Larry Galyard, Brenda Moore

Those in our community: (will remain on list for three weeks unless otherwise instructed) Sam Bowling, Susan Bruno, Cindy Burks, Darla Bush, Charles George, Bruce Heimbach, Jim Helmke, Reese Homeyer, Steve Keeland, Meg Kravitz, Adalee Lahodny, Karen Maddocks, Kathy Markgraf, Larry Milton, Steve Mooney, Rachel & Amelia Ornelas, Larry Rose, Tammy Saldana, Lisa Saxe, Tucker Sherlock and John Winkler.

For those grieving: The family of Lula Mae Sommer and the family of Bernie Ramzinski

For those affected by natural disasters:

For those dealing with the Corona virus:

For our building project:

For rain:

For our country and for world peace:

For those service in military service here and abroad: Brian Alderson, Thomas Elder, Stephen Ferry, David Freeman, Joe Gawlik, Eric & Katherine Koepp, Stephan Mattke, Nathan Pianfetti, Farrah Schluter, and Michael Troy, Jr.