

**An invitation to pray:**

**Upon Entering the Church**

Almighty, ever-living God, grant that I may gladly hear Your Word and that all my worship be acceptable unto You. Amen.

**Before Receiving the Sacrament**

O Lord, I am not worthy that You should enter under my roof; but speak only Your Word, and my soul will be healed. I will take the bread of Heaven and call upon the Name of the Lord.

What shall I give to the Lord for all that He has given to me? I will take the Cup of Salvation and call upon the Name of the Lord. Amen.

**During the Distribution of the Sacrament**

The Lord was made flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory; glory as of the only-begotten Son of the Father, full of grace and truth. Amen.

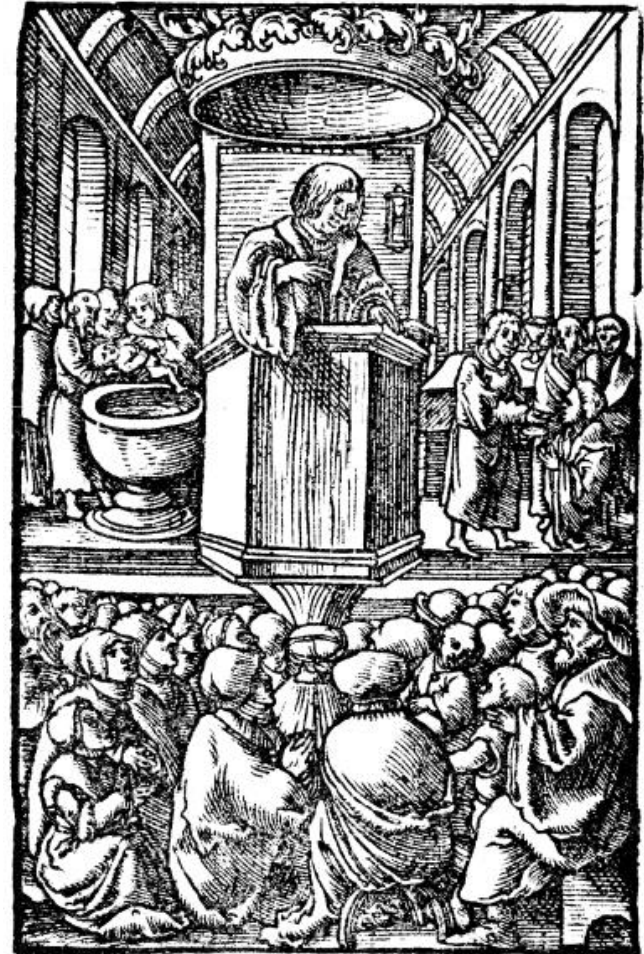
**After Receiving the Sacrament**

I live, and yet not I, but Christ lives in me. What we have received with our mouths, O lord, let us keep with faithful hearts, that this gift given to us in earthly time may bring us to eternal salvation in heaven. Amen

Abide with us, O Lord, that we may abide in You until the end; let not sin and need separate us from You, until we, through the strength of Your Holy Sacrament, enter into heaven, and eternal blessing. Amen.

**At the Close of the Service**

Grant, I beseech Thee, Almighty God, that the Word which I have heard this day may through Thy grace be so engrafted in my heart that I might bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in faith toward You and in fervent love toward my fellow man. Amen.



**“Churches In The Country”**



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of His Death and His Resurrection.”***

**[Romans 6:5]**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SUMMER SCHEDULE:**

Sunday, May 29 thru July 10 at Immanuel at 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, June 4 and July 9 at Trinity at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 17 thru September 4 at Trinity at 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 6 and September 10 at Immanuel at 5:00 p.m.

**BEACON OF HOPE SHELTER:** There are a group of us from Immanuel and Trinity going to visit Beacon of Hope Shelter in Fort Dodge on Thursday, June 9 at 1:00 p.m. BHS is a homeless shelter for men. Let Pastor know if you would like to attend.

**SEMINARIAN UPDATE:** **Daniel Harders** from Hartley, Iowa received his call from St. Peter and Zion Lutheran churches in Holyrood and Claflin, Kansas district. He will be installed this summer. He is supported by Immanuel's LWML. **Timothy Oetting** from Spencer, Iowa has finished his Vicarage assignment and has one more year of seminary instruction before receiving his call. He is supported by Trinity's congregation. Please keep these men and their families in your prayers.

**THANK YOU:** My family and I would like to extend a huge thank you for all of the support you have provided throughout my lifetime. I have always heard that it takes an entire village to raise a child, and I feel that I have had a village looking over me. I also appreciate the use of the church for my graduation reception. I really enjoyed my family and friends celebrating with me for my accomplishment. Another thanks goes out for the lovely reception you provided. The food, company, and gifts were all fabulous! The last thanks is for all of the addition cards and gifts of money. All of your generosity will be used this fall when I attend The Aveda Institute for Cosmetology in West Des Moines. Thanks you again so very much for everything!!  
BreAnn Harman and family

**Cantate – Easter 5**

**May 22, 2011**

**WELCOME!** We are very happy you worshipped with us today. If you are with us for the first time, please sign the guest register, introduce yourself to the Pastor and come again soon!

**THE LORD'S SUPPER:** As Lutherans, we believe and profess the real presence of Christ in the Sacrament, as well as His true power to grant forgiveness, life, and salvation through these visible means of His Grace. *If you, as a guest in our congregation, do not believe in the Sacrament as we do, or belong to a different denomination holding a different belief other than ours, we ask that you respect our practice of "close or closed" communion by not communing.* Please speak with pastor if you are communing here for the first time.

**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK AT IMMANUEL & TRINITY**

**WEDNESDAY:** 9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study at Immanuel

**THURSDAY:** 1:30 p.m. LWML at Immanuel

**NEXT SUNDAY:** 9:00 a.m. Worship/Holy Communion at Immanuel

**BIBLE STUDY:** Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. at Immanuel. We are studying the Book of Concord. All are welcome.

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR:** “*Bringing Christ To The Nations And The Nations To The Church*” Listen to it on the radio on the following stations: KAYL 990AM – Sunday at 8:30am; KJYL 100.7FM - Sunday at 6pm; WHO 1040AM–7:30a.m.KTLB 105.9FM – Sunday at 8am. Or check them out on the web at [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org)

**LUTHERAN FOR LIFE:** The life issues can cause troubled hearts in a variety of ways. The world offers nothing that can truly speak to such hearts. Jesus does. “Let not your heart be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me.” (John 14:1)

**IOWA CUBS:** Join 4,000 Lutherans at Principal Park in Des Moines sponsored by Thrivent Financial. Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. Tickets are \$2.00. Let the church office know if you would like tickets. Deadline is June 2.

**ISSUES ETC: TALK RADIO FOR THE THINKING CHRISTIAN...** You can listen to teachings on topics like: Esther, 1 Corinthians on the Resurrection of Christ, Peter Escapes from Prison, Jesus Promises the Holy Spirit and more. Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen to what you want when you want at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org).



## INTERCESSIONS, PRAYERS & THANKSGIVINGS

*Please remember your fellow parishioners and those dear to them in your daily prayers.*

### *Birthdays:*

Dawson Marine	Stephanie Rautanen	LaVern Gerth
Paul Zimbeck	Daniel Boysen	Kathy Peterson
Philip Fistler	Dolores Hartwig	Ronald Ramthun

### *Anniversary:*

Richard and Beverly Klocko

### *Servicemen in Afghanistan:*

Brian Lindner Todd Essing Matthew Dietrich Travis Folsom

*Lord, looked down from heaven, behold, visit, and relieve Thy servants who stand in need of our prayers; Look upon them with the eyes of Thy mercy' Grant them comfort and a sure confidence in Thee; Defend them from all danger, and keep them in perpetual peace and safety, through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord. Amen.*

**Immanuel, Rockwell City and Trinity, Knierim:** Our members, all fathers and mothers, husbands and wives, all children and those who rejoice in the blessing of God's Kingdom.

**The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod:** The congregations and pastors of the Humboldt Circuit; President of Synod Matthew Harrison; President of Iowa-District West Paul Sieveking; all pastors, missionaries and congregations; Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN and Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO; Seminarians Tim Oetting and Daniel Harders.

**The United States of America:** We give thanks for all the rights, liberties and freedoms that God gives us. All those in authority over us; all those who service in the armed forces, law enforcement, civil service, medical staff and all our citizens.

## Introit

(Oh) sing unto the Lord a / new song: for He hath done / marvelous things.

The Lord hath made known His sal/va-tion: His righteousness hath He openly showed in the sight / of the hea-then.

His right hand and His / holy arm: hath gotten Him /the vic-tory.

## Gloria Patri

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## The Collect of the Day

O God, who makest the minds of the faithful to be of one will, grant unto Thy people that they may love what Thou commandest and desire what Thou doest promise, that among the manifold changes of this world our hearts may there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

**Amen.**

The Old Testament reading is from Isaiah, the 12<sup>th</sup> chapter.

And in that day you will say: "O LORD, I will praise You; Though You were angry with me, Your anger is turned away, and You comfort me. 2 Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; 'For YAH, the LORD, is my strength and song; He also has become my salvation.'" Therefore with joy you will draw water From the wells of salvation. And in that day you will say: "Praise the LORD, call upon His name; Declare His deeds among the peoples, Make mention that His name is exalted. 5 Sing to the LORD, For He has done excellent things; This is known in all the earth. 6 Cry out and shout, O inhabitant of Zion, For great is the Holy One of Israel in your midst!"

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## The Gradual

(The) right hand of the Lord is / exal-ted: the right hand of the Lord doeth valiantly. / Hal-le-lu-jah!

Christ, being raised from the dead, dieth / no more: death hath no more dominion over Him. / Hal-le-lu-jah!

The Epistle Reading is from James the 1<sup>st</sup> Chapter.

Do not be deceived, my beloved brethren. 17 Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning. 18 Of His own will He brought us forth by the word of truth, that we might be a kind of firstfruits of His creatures. So then, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath; 20 for the wrath of man does not produce the righteousness of God. 21 Therefore lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls.

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*stand*

Triple Hallelujah

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The Holy Gospel according to Saint John, the 16<sup>th</sup> chapter.

**Glory be to Thee, O Lord!**

[Jesus said] "But now I go away to Him who sent Me, and none of you asks Me, 'Where are You going?'" 6 But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. 7 Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you. 8 And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: 9 of sin, because they do not believe in Me; 10 of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more; 11 of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. 12 "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. 14 He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. 15 All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you.

Here ends the Gospel of our Lord.

**Praise be to Thee, O Christ!**



## CATECHESIS ON THE GOSPEL LESSON

If Jesus had not gone away, the Comforter would not have come. What does this mean? Jesus is the Way, so goes on His way; He must go to the cross and grave first, for sins, and then, into resurrection and rebirth. But Jesus then continues on His way, for He ascends into heaven, and is no more seen as He was before. Now the Comforter, that is, the Holy Ghost, comes to His church. This happens on Pentecost, when the Holy Ghost came upon Jesus' disciples, and they spoke. Now there are twelve who speak the truth; now Jesus has not one, but twelve voices. And soon the twelve voices multiply and fill the whole earth. The result is that Christ now preaches in many places around the world, by the mouths of His faithful preachers, servants of the Word who He has called and ordained to preach in His stead. How expedient it was that Jesus went away! For He, the Way, went to death, resurrection, ascension, and now, into churches of the faithful all over the earth, so that all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.



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✠ To God Be The Glory ✠

✠ The 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 Ghost,  
Born of the Virgin Mary;  
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
Was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended into hell;  
The third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father  
Almighty;  
From thence He shall come to judge the quick and  
the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
The holy Christian Church,  
The communion of saints;  
The forgiveness of sins;  
The resurrection of the body;  
And the life ✠ everlasting. Amen.**



## ✠ NICENE CREED ✠

**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 of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, Begotten, not made, Being of one substance with the Father, By whom all things were made; Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary And was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father; And He shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, Who spake by the Prophets. And I believe on holy Christian and Apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, And I look for the resurrection of the dead, And the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.**