

WELCOME

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TODAY'S SERVICE

November 10th, 2019 Liturgy: Setting Two, WS page 12

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Pianist:

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 6

O LORD, do not rebuke me in Your anger, Nor chasten me in Your hot displeasure. ² Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am weak; O LORD, heal me, for my bones are troubled. ³ My soul also is greatly troubled; But You, O LORD-- how long? 4 Return, O LORD, deliver me! Oh, save me for Your mercies' sake! 5 For in death there is no remembrance of You; In the grave who will give You thanks? 6 I am weary with my groaning; All night I make my bed swim; I drench my couch with my tears. 7 My eye wastes away because of grief; It grows old because of all my enemies. 8 Depart from me, all you workers of iniquity; For the LORD has heard the voice of my weeping. ⁹ The LORD has heard my supplication; The LORD will receive my prayer. ¹⁰ Let all my enemies be ashamed and greatly troubled; Let them turn back and be ashamed suddenly.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Hymn 743- Immortal Invisible God Only Wise INVOCATION

p In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

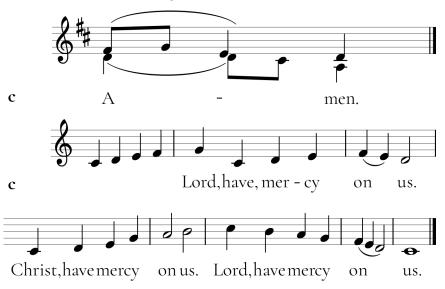


CONFESSION OF SINS

We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children.
But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

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- all Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth, In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray; Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.
- p God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.





p Let us pray . . . Living God, Your almighty power is made known chiefly in showing mercy and pity. Grant us the fullness of Your grace to lay hold of Your promises and live forever in Your presence, through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.



THE WORD

Jeremiah 31:1-11 "At the same time," says the LORD, "I will be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be My people." ² Thus says the LORD: "The people who survived the sword Found grace in the wilderness-- Israel, when I went to give him rest." ³ The LORD has appeared

of old to me, saying: "Yes, I have loved you with an everlasting love; Therefore with lovingkindness I have drawn you. ⁴ Again I will build you, and you shall be rebuilt, O virgin of Israel! You shall again be adorned with your tambourines, And shall go forth in the dances of those who rejoice. 5 You shall yet plant vines on the mountains of Samaria; The planters shall plant and eat them as ordinary food. ⁶ For there shall be a day When the watchmen will cry on Mount Ephraim, 'Arise, and let us go up to Zion, To the LORD our God." 7 For thus says the LORD: "Sing with gladness for Jacob, And shout among the chief of the nations; Proclaim, give praise, and say, O LORD, save Your people, The remnant of Israel!' 8 Behold, I will bring them from the north country, And gather them from the ends of the earth, Among them the blind and the lame, The woman with child And the one who labors with child, together; A great throng shall return there. ⁹ They shall come with weeping, And with supplications I will lead them. I will cause them to walk by the rivers of waters, In a straight way in which they shall not stumble; For I am a Father to Israel, And Ephraim is My firstborn. 10 "Hear the word of the LORD, O nations, And declare it in the isles afar off, and say, 'He who scattered Israel will

gather him, And keep him as a shepherd *does* his flock.' ¹¹ For the LORD has redeemed Jacob, And ransomed him from the hand of one stronger than he.

2 Peter 3:1-10 Beloved, I now write to you this second epistle (in both of which I stir up your pure minds by way of reminder), ² that you may be mindful of the words which were spoken before by the holy prophets, and of the commandment of us, the apostles of the Lord and Savior, ³ knowing this first: that scoffers will come in the last days, walking according to their own lusts, 4 and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming? For since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of creation." 5 For this they willfully forget: that by the word of God the heavens were of old, and the earth standing out of water and in the water, 6 by which the world that then existed perished, being flooded with water. 7 But the heavens and the earth which are now preserved by the same word, are reserved for fire until the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men. 8 But, beloved, do not forget this one thing, that with the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day. 9 The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as

some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance. ¹⁰ But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up.



THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father amighty. From there 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.

Hymn 457- What A Friend We Have In Jesus (MFH 88)

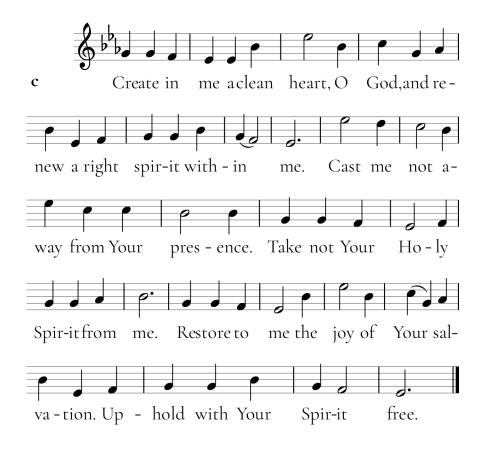
SERMON

Luke 18:1-8 Then He spoke a parable to them, that men always ought to pray and not lose heart, ² saying: "There was in a certain city a judge who did not fear God nor regard man. ³ "Now there was a widow in that city; and she came to him, saying, 'Get justice for me from my adversary.' ⁴ "And he would not for a while; but afterward he said within himself, 'Though I do not fear God nor regard man, ⁵ 'yet because this widow troubles me I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me." ⁶ Then the Lord said, "Hear what the unjust judge said. ⁷ "And shall God not avenge His own elect who cry out day and night to Him, though He bears long with them? ⁸ "I tell you that He will avenge them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will He really find faith on the earth?"

WHAT IS A FATHER?

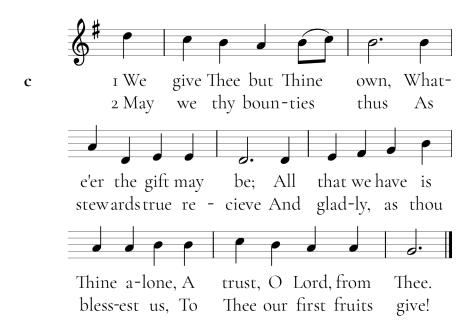
A FATHER IS PATIENT

Our Father is patient. He is patient with us and therefore we can be confident when we come before Him in prayer. He is patient with others and therefore does not destroy them. His longsuffering patience should not discourage our prayers but strengthen them.



Hymn 552:1,2,6-8 - Abide With Me (MFH 108)

OFFERING AND OFFERING HYMN: 441 VS. 1-2



PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

all 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 BENEDICTION

p The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



Hymn 47- Savior Again To Thy Dear Name We Raise

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEEK

Sunday 11 / 10

9am Worship Service 10am Sunday School 10am Choir Practice 10:15 Call Meeting 5 pm Faith Alive

Tuesday 11 / 12

7 pm Elders7:30 pm Church Council

Wednesday 11 / 13

4 pm Confirmation

Sunday 11 / 17

9am Worship Service 10am Sunday School 10am Choir Practice 10:15am Bible Class

FRUITS OF FAITH

Attendance - 100 Bible Class- 7 Sunday School - 14 General:- \$3550.00 Missions- \$255.00

UPCOMING:

November 10th - Call Meeting
November 22nd - Craft Fair
November 28th - 10am Thanksgiving Service
December 7th - Christmas Decorating
December 4, 11, 18 - 7pm Advent
Service
December 24th - 6pm Christmas
Eve Service
December 25th - 10am Christmas
Day Service
December 31st - 7pm New Year's
Eve Service

ENVELOPE COMMITTEE

This Week: Team #5 Steve Meilan, Dean Bremer

Next Week: Team # 1 Dennis Jones, Jeff Jones

NOVEMBER USHERS - SUNDAYS AND THANKDGIVING

John Bobek, Dan Thiem, Jeremy Golz, Frank Quade

HOMESPUN HOLIDAYS BOOTH

Faith is again sponsoring our annual booth at Homespun Holidays. We would like to encourage as many musicians as possible to sign up to play live music. If you aren't a musician you can still sign up and we will have CDs available to play. The sign up sheet is on the table in the hallway.

FAITH GENERAL FUND

Faith's general checking account is low. Over the last two months it became necessary to borrow a total of \$6,000 from the bank. Please keep this issue in your prayers.

SCHOOL CLEANING

More help is needed cleaning the school. We are looking for someone to clean once or twice a month. It takes about 5-6 hours and the pay is \$12 an hour. Contact Pastor Ude or Marsha Brown if interested.

Marsha Brown will NOT be available to clean the week-end of Nov 15. Please let her know if you are able to help. Call her home, 920-398-3279 or cell 920-570-1076.

FOOD DRIVE

Boxes for the Markesan food pantry are in the hallway. November 17th is the deadline for donations.

CALL NEWS

Mr. Allen Durham has returned the call extended to him by Redeemer and Zion of Bowdle and Ipswich, SD.

Mr. Stephen Sydow has been called by Berea, Sioux Falls, SD.

2020 CLC MHT TO NEPAL

The CLC Mission Helper Program is now accepting applications for the 2020 Trip to Nepal in July. This trip will be limited to eight volunteers so please apply early. An online application and more information can be found

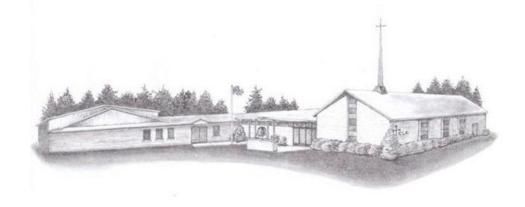
at: MHT.LutheranMissions.org

NOMINTIONS FOR ILC PRESIDENT:

The Board of Regents invites nominations for the office of President of Immanuel Lutheran College. Nominations are to be received by email or letter no later than midnight December 15, 2019 (letters postmarked December 1, 2019) to: Mr. James Burkhardt; 217 Windy Lane; Rockwall, TX 75087; email: jeb6217@yahoo.com.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN COLLEGE VISITORS DAY

Immanuel Lutheran College Visitors Day is November 15th, beginning at 10:05 a.m. in the ILC gymnasium for chapel. The ILC fall musical will be performed both Friday and Saturday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Please speak with your pastor about questions and attendance.



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