

IMMANUEL EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH
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The Resurrection of Our Lord
April 1, 2018

Order of Worship

Gathering

Proclamation of the Resurrection
Solo - "Were You There?"
Procession of the Cross
Passion Gospel - Mark 15:15; 22-25; 33-34; 37-39; 42-47
Solo - "Were You There?"
Proclamation
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Proclamation Hymn - ELW #365
Confession & Forgiveness
Canticle of Praise - ELW #380 (vs. 1, 4, 5)
Prayer of the Day

Word

First Reading - Acts 10:34-43
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
Second Reading - 1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Gospel Reading - Mark 16:1-8
Children's Time
Sermon "Fear and Faith"
Song of the Day - ELW #379
Nicene Creed
Prayers/Sharing the Peace

Meal

Offering
Offering Song & Prayer
Communion
Great Thanksgiving/Words of Institution
Lord's Prayer
Communion Distribution/Hymns - ELW #367, #389, #366
Communion Blessing & Prayer

Sending

Easter Benediction Hymn - ELW #619 (vs. 1, 2, 5, 8)
Dismissal

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Ushers: John Didlinger, Christa Edwards
Lector: Randy Schlesinger Acolyte: Kody Hoadley & Olivia Ross
Communion Assistants: Rhonda & Alyssa McCormick
Altar Committee: Connie Ganz, Charlene Zimmerman

LAST WEEK IN OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Offering: \$3226.00

Attendance: 76

The benevolence offering this month is for World Mission. Please use the envelope found in your newsletter.

THIS WEEK IN OUR LIFE TOGETHER

TODAY: 8:15 Easter Breakfast, here
TUESDAY: 1:30 WELCA Quarterly Meeting
WEDNESDAY: 9:00 WELCA Bible Study
FRIDAY: 9:00 Bible Study
SATURDAY: 3:00 LYO Road Cleanup & Lock-In
6:00 NOTT meets at Ziggle's, Mendota
SUNDAY: 8:30 Worship
9:45 Sunday School
10:30 Worship at First, Lee

WELCOME, EVERYONE! We invite you to sign the Friendship Pad as a way to get others to know your name and for Immanuel to keep accurate records of the numbers of congregants who receive Holy Communion each Sunday. After the pad has been passed to the sides of the sanctuary, we would ask you to pass them back so others will know those names they did not see and that the pads can easily be collected at the end of the service.

HOLY COMMUNION – We practice open communion at Immanuel. We believe that our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ is truly present, "in, with, and under" the bread and wine. All are welcomed at this table. Children may accompany their parents for a blessing. **Communion is by "intinction". The silver chalice has wine and the stoneware chalice has grape juice.**

EASTER BREAKFAST - Come join us downstairs after worship for our Easter Breakfast. Everyone is welcome!

5th Sunday Joint Worship Service

April 29 - 10:30 a.m.

at Immanuel

Join us for a Taco Bar & Sundae Bar following.

Members from Immanuel & First will provide

sundae bar food items. Start signing up April 8.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Feeding Faith

Thank you for helping with our meal costs while we are in Houston! We are budgeting \$40/day per person for food and have included a variety of donation amounts to help us reach our goal.

In the overflow

1. **Select donation amount(s) from board (colored sticky note)**
2. **Place sticky, along with your donation, in envelope marked LYO***
3. **Leave envelope in basket or place in offering plate**
4. **Enjoy the fun facts from our LYO members as they are revealed!**

*If you wish to include your name with your donation, we will add you to our mealtime prayer while at The Gathering.

We appreciate your support!

PASTORAL NEEDS - Please call Pastor Jeff Schlesinger at 815/878-4503 or e-mail him at pastor1965@gmail.com for emergencies, hospital visits, or other concerns or call the church office (815/539-6567).

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Members - Jessica Albert, Donna Albers, Sharon Kellen family (death of Buck), Gene Williams, Fountain Neal. Friends & Family - Ron Yenerich (Connie Williams' brother), Robert Hornung (LuAnn Kromm's brother), Hannah York (LuAnn Kromm's niece). Our Leaders - ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, NIS Bishop Jeffrey Clements, Immanuel/First Pastor Jeff Schlesinger.

Immanuel Easter Trivia - The decorated cross that is on display each Easter was originally Immanuel's Christmas tree in 1970. The boys of the Luther League transformed it into a cross for the Easter season in 1971.

The Sunday School children will be taking up a "noisy offering" today that will go to Hurricane Relief in Puerto Rico.

WORD IN SEASON devotional booklets for April-June are now available.

Night On The Town, Saturday, April 7, 6:00 p.m. at Ziggie's in Mendota. We will be in the back room. Hosted by: Christa Edwards. Sign-up in the overflow if you are able to join us!

NIGHT ON THE TOWN 2018 sign up sheet is in the overflow. Please sign up if you would like to be a host.

WELCA QUARTERLY MEETING, Tuesday, April 3, 1:30 p.m. Hostess: Charlene Zimmerman.

WELCA BIBLE STUDY, Wednesday, April 4, 9:00 a.m. Bible Study: "The Prodigal Son". Leader: Charlene Zimmerman. Hostess: Eunice Rogers.

We are looking for clean (washed) gallon milk jugs with lids to be used for Vacation Bible Camp. Please leave milk jugs in the southeast room in the basement.

"Season of Creation" will be coming up again this fall. It's not too early to start taking photos: *Earth Sunday, Humanity Sunday, Sky Sunday, and Mountain & Hill Sunday.*

During the month of April we will continue collecting items for Personal Care Kits (*light or medium weight, dark color bath towels, sturdy combs (no fine tooth combs or picks), 4-5 oz. bars of soap in individual wrappers*) and items for PADS. Totes for these items are in the room next to the church office.

Check out the bulletin board in the overflow for community and other area church events.

FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY is held every Friday morning at 9:00 a.m. We discuss the readings for the upcoming Sunday. Come as you are and bring a friend.

Please Note: The totes for your donations to PADS, NICE, and LWR are now in the room next to Debbie's office and not on pews in the overflow. In the room there is also fabric that can be cut into 12" squares for the quilting ladies. If you want to make a quilt top, there are squares to do so. It takes 35 squares to make a quilt top - 5 squares for the width and 7 squares for the length - so you end up with a top that is approximately 60" x 80". Thanks for all your donations to our projects.

For those who would like to send Jessica a card her address is: Jessica Albert, %Avancer/Elaine, 350 Sycamore Rd., Genoa, IL 60135.

Vacation Bible Camp

"Polar Blast Where Jesus' Love is cool!"

Sunday, June 10 - Wednesday, June 13

Dinner: 5:30 p.m. VBC: 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Watch for more details!

We are currently looking for volunteers to help with VBC.

Sign up in the overflow today!

EASTER LILIES & TULIPS

John Didlinger - In memory of Janice Didlinger

Dennis & Pat Weiler Family - In memory of loved ones

Rosina Bitner - To the Glory of God in memory of loved ones (3)

Donna Heiman Family - In memory of loved ones (2)

Jim Eich - In memory of Jann Eich and Darlene Eich (2)

Fran Sellers - In memory of loved ones

Donna Ganz-Bauer - In memory of loved ones

Dwight & Margaret Frick - In memory of loved ones

Roger & Carol Kern - In memory of loved ones

Minor & Connie Avery - In memory of loved ones

Charlene & Allan Zimmerman - In memory of loved ones

Margaret Ross - In memory of Darwin Ross

Sarah Goetz - To the Glory of God

Daryl Rosenbrans Family - In memory of loved ones

Sandy Schlorff - In memory of family & loved ones

Jeff & Theresa Schesinger - In memory of loved ones

Gibertini Family - In memory of Donald Clarke

Harlan & Karla Eames - In memory of loved ones

Kevin & Kim Ganz - In memory of loved ones (2)

Please take your lily/tulips home after worship today.