

Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church
Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 19, 2019 9:00a.m.

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Church Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Worship Service at 9:00 am on Sunday

Service of the Holy Communion

Prelude – Choir “Spirit of Praise”

Announcements

Greetings

Confession and Forgiveness

Canticle of Praise “This is the Feast” pg. 140

Prayer of the Day

Opening Hymn “All Creatures, Worship God Most High!” #835 vss. 1,3,4,6

First Reading: Acts 11:1-18 *Bible in the pew* pg. 895

Choir “Give Thanks”

Children’s Sermon

Gospel Acclamation “Halle, Halle, Hallelujah” #172

Gospel: John 13:31-35

Bell Choir “Shine Jesus Shine”

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Niveen Sarras

Hymn of the Day “Take My Life, That I May Be” #583

Blessing of Bell Choir and Vocal Choir

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing of Peace

Offering

Offertory “Amen, We Praise Your Name” #846 sing twice

Holy Communion

Great Thanksgiving

pg. 144

The Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion

All are welcome at the Lord's table. We believe Christ is truly present in the bread and the wine, that is his body and blood are given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sin. If you do not wish to receive communion but wish to receive a blessing, please come forward during the distribution of communion. If you are unable to come forward during distribution and wish to receive communion, please let the usher know and the pastor will come to your seat. Wine and grape juices are available as well as gluten free wafers upon request.

Lamb of God

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Communion Hymn

“Now We Join in Celebration”

#462

Blessing after Communion

Prayer after Communion

Blessing

Closing Hymn

“Go, My Children, with My Blessing”

#543

Dismissal

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Prayer Concerns: Thelma, Esther, Barb Peterson, Pam (Rodney Riese's wife), Kathrine Sylvia Sarras, Norm, April Winters, Brianna, Jezel Sarras, Alice, Laura Beckman, Charissa Helling, Scott Kurth, Barb Heckendorf (Jamie's Mother-In-Law), Phyllis, Donny Busche, JoAnne Cerny, Godelieve Segers and Margaret Johnson, Reuben, Sally (Sue Schwede's Sister) Judy Nickolai, and Mary Knott. (Contact ILC office to update.)

May 19, 2019: Immanuel Lutheran Church Semi-Annual Congregational Meeting will be held today, May 19, 2019 immediately following 9:00 am worship service in the Fellowship Hall. Breakfast is included!!

May 20, 2019: All Things Senior! Is a one-day educational workshop providing Seniors the ability to grow and connect to the many resources and opportunities in and around Marathon County. This community, collaborative opportunity is being held on the Wausau campus of the UW-Stevens Point, formerly the UWMC. Our day begins with humorist Wisconsin Public Radio personality, Zorba Paster. A senior himself – his enthusiasm and contagious laugh have made him a favorite with health-conscious public radio listeners for over a decade. Due to our community partners and sponsors,

we are able to offer this event at \$25/person. For those in need, scholarship opportunities are available. For questions or assistance with registration, please contact Continuing Education at 715-261-6294.

May 23, 2019: Sarah Circle will meet at 2510 Restaurant on Thursday, May 23rd at 11:30 a.m. If anyone would like to come for the get-together, please call Vonnie Solomonson at 715-842-7672.

May 26, 2019: Usher needed. Please contact Jackie if you are available.

May 27, 2019: Name Reading Ceremony, 2pm at the Woodson History Center, 410 McIndoe Street, Wausau. Part of the “Wisconsin Remembers: A Face for Every Name” Traveling exhibit. The *Wisconsin Remembers* Exhibit Puts a *Face to Every Wisconsin Name* Listed on the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Wall in Washington, D.C. Additional details are posted on the bulletin board.

June 23, 2019: Bible Study *Sarah and Hager: Is It A Story of Race and Gender Discrimination?* 10:45am. Mark Your Calendar.

Worship Assistants – Summer Schedule. Could you please let me know if there are dates you will not be available through Labor Day for the Worship Assistants Calendar? Thank you! ~~ Jackie

Social Concerns Spring Challenge. It’s the Pick Up 10 Spring Challenge. Please bring 10 items (see list) for a donation to the Neighbor’s Place. Drop off your items in the Narthex through June 1st. Your donation, no matter how many items, is greatly appreciated and will go a long way to helping those in need in our community.

2019 ILC Church Directory. Church directories will be available today in the Narthex. Please take one. If additional copies are needed or corrections are needed, please let Jackie know. Thank you.

✿ **Flowers** on the altar today are by Arzelee to celebrate the life of all as we commemorate the life of Donald Allen Drown.

TV Worship Services are on Charter Cable Channel 980 5:45 pm Tuesday & 9:15 am

Thursday or online: Wausau Area Access Media: waam.viebit.com (Left side, scroll to Immanuel Lutheran)

Worship Assistants					
Presiding Minister: Rev. Dr. Niveen Sarras					
Assisting Minister	Communion Assistant	Pianist / Organist	Acolyte	Head Usher	Reader
Bob Henning	Vern & Joanne Diestelhorst	Marino Taylor		Mike Schwede	Janci Treutel
Greeters	Nursery	Video Recorder	Altar Guild	Contact Person	Worship Leader(s)
Joan Winterhoff & Glenn Rusch	Deb Case	Jerry Nickolai	Kathy Knox & Deb Palmer	Dwala Smail	

Weekly Schedule		
Sun. May 19	9:00am	Worship Service
	10:15am	2019 Semi-Annual Congregational Meeting
	10:15am	Breakfast is hosted by Church Council
Wed. May 22	9:00am	Dorcas Circle
	10:30am	Worship Committee Meeting
Thurs. May 23	11:30am	Sarah Circle Meeting – 2510 Restaurant
Fri. May 24		Church Office Closed
Mon. May 27		Church Office Closed – Memorial Day

Attendance For 5/12/19: 64

Our Sister Church is the Lobatla Parish. Address is: c/o Moruti (Pastor) Rev. G.M. Nkale, P.O. Box 160, Motswedi 2870, Republic of South Africa. Email for Pastor: nkalesto@gmail.com