Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church Lectionary 15 | Service of the Word Sunday, July 12, 2020

Prelude

Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose steadfast love is everlasting, whose faithfulness endures from generation to generation.

Amen.

Trusting in the mercy of God, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Reconciling God,

we confess that we do not trust your abundance, and we deny your presence in our lives. We place our hope in ourselves and rely on our own efforts. We fail to believe that you provide enough for all. We abuse your good creation for our own benefit. We fear difference and do not welcome others as you have welcomed us. We sin in thought, word, and deed. By your grace, forgive us; through your love, renew us; and in your Spirit, lead us; so that we may live and serve you in newness of life. Amen.

Beloved of God, by the great abundance of divine mercy we have peace with God through + Christ Jesus, through whom we have obtained grace upon grace. Our sins are forgiven. Let us live now in hope. For hope does not disappoint, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Opening Hymn	"Shout to the Lord"	#821
Greeting		

Kyrie pg. 184
Canticle of Praise "You Are Holy" #525

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, we thank you for planting in us the seed of your word. By your Holy Spirit help us to receive it with joy, live according to it, and grow in faith and hope and love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Reading: Genesis 25:19-34

Psalm: Psalm 119:105-112

Second Reading: Romans 8:1-11

Gospel Acclamation pg. 188

Gospel: Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

Pulpit Hymn "Touch the Earth Lightly" #739

Sermon Bob Henning

Hymn of the Day "Be Thou My Vision" #793

The Apostles' Creed Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer Sharing of Peace

Offering

Offertory "We Are an Offering" #692

Offertory Prayer

Blessing

Closing Hymn "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" #547

Dismissal

News:

Pastor Niveen will be gone from Wednesday, July 22, 2020 until Monday, July 27, 2020 for Continuing Education. On July 26, 2020, Bob Henning will lead the worship service.

In-Person Worship Service today (Masks Required). In addition to in-person worship services, the following ILC services and ministries will continue to be online and Spectrum TV:

Our Facebook Page: @ILCWausau	Our YouTube Channel: Search "Immanuel		
	Lutheran Church of Wausau Wisconsin, Inc."		
Our Website: http://www.immanuelwausau.org	 		
(Click on Video Gallery)	Sunday or online: Wausau Area Access Media:		
	waam.viebit.com (Left side, scroll to Immanuel		
	Lutheran.)		
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Weekly devotional: Pastor Niveen shares a weekly devotional video each Wednesday. Find the devotional for this week on our website: http://immanuelwausau.org/weekly-devotionals

Secured Mailbox: There is one installed next to the church office. It is on the outside the building on the wall. You are encouraged to drop your offering there.



Holy Communion is now available at ILC. This table is located by the front office. Each package contains the Body of Christ and a prayer. Pastor Niveen has blessed each one. All the packages were assembled using the highest sanitizing measures.

2020 ILC 'Saucy' Food Drive. Thank you to everyone who donated food to The Neighbor's Place, who feeds over 400 families every week. 74 pounds of condiments to the Neighbors Place on behalf of Immanuel Lutheran Church.



Gifts of Stamps are always appreciated.

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