

Welcome to Immanuel Lutheran Church
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Sunday, August 28, 2022

Lectionary 22, Year C

Prelude

Announcement

Introduction

Invited and inviting—that is the nature of the church. By God’s grace in holy baptism, we have a place at Christ’s banquet table. When, by the power of that same Spirit, humility and mutual love continue among us, the church can be more inviting still.

Confession and Forgiveness

Opening Hymn

“Sing to God Above”

#555

Use Hymnal

Greeting

Canticle Of Praise

“Glory to God in the Highest”

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Use Hymnal

Prayer of the Day

First Reading:

Sirach 10:12-18

Psalm:

Psalm 112

Second Reading:

Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16

Gospel Acclamation

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Alleluia. Take my yoke upon you, and | learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart.

Alleluia. (Matt. 11:29)

Gospel: Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14

Pulpit Hymn

“This Little Light of Mine”

#677

Lyrics Provided

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Niveen Ibrahim Sarras

Hymn of the Day

“God of Grace and God of Glory”

#705

Lyrics Provided

Apostles’ Creed

See the yellow sheet in your pew rack

Prayers of Intercession

Hymn

Lord Listen to Your Children



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, Lord, send your Spir-it in this place;



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, send us love, send us pow’r, send us grace.

The Lord’s Prayer

Sharing of Peace

Offertory Hymn

“Come to us, Creative Spirit”

#687

Use Hymnal

Offering Prayer
Blessing
Closing Hymn

“Shout to the Lord”
Use Hymnal

#821

Dismissal
Prelude

Dismissal
Postlude

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Prayer Concerns: Thelma Bursik, Esther Osterby, Kathrine-Sylvia and Jezel (Pastor Sarras’ Family), April, Brianna, Alice, Charissa, Scott, Phyllis Hustedt, Ashley Nickolai, Laura, David, Sara, Jeff Groethe, Joan Winterhoff, Pat Stolen, Sonya McCutcheon (Jackie’s Sister-in-Law), Jim Palmer, Linda Knott, Tom McDonell, Dan Westaby’s sister, Cookie, for health and recovery, Brent Harring (Ben & Claudette’s Sons), David Blank-Espinoza(Linda Swenson’s Grandson), Grace Berg for health and recovery and Vonnie Solomonson (Contact ILC office to update.)

Volunteers needed to Host Coffee Hours. There is a sign-up sheet in the kitchen.

Today we have the Community Dinner. We would greatly appreciate anyone who is willing to volunteer and help with this event. We would like to thank Rick and Joyce Lohr for applying for \$250 from Thrivent to cover the expenses. *Thrivent Shirts are available for our volunteers.*

Lutheran World Relief: We are collecting items for Personal Care and School Kits. The items are sent to those in need in the U.S. and around the world. The collection boxes are near the office. Please have items there by September 25. Monetary donations are also gladly accepted. Please specify Personal Care Kits or School Kits on your check payable to Immanuel.

Personal Care Kit Items: Dark colored light weight bath towels, bath size bars of soap, STURDY combs, nail clippers and STURDY toothbrushes.

School Kit Items: 70 sheet wide lined spiral notebooks, rulers (centimeters and inches), UNSHARPENED No. 2 pencils, ballpoint pens (blue or black). Thank you in advance for your generosity. Please contact Patti Busche if you have questions.

Donations needed for Flood Relief in Kentucky. If you feel God is calling you to donate, please write a check to ILC and in the memo write donations for ELCA Disaster Response Funds/ Kentucky.

From August 31-September 2, 2022, Pastor Sarras will be away.

Sunday, September 11, 2022, Gods Work Our Hand. Church World Service, which is sponsored by ELCA, is needing funding for supplies of essential feminine care to give to Afghan Refugee Women. Here’s what you’ll need:

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| One 1-gallon size re-sealable bag | 10 Sanitary Napkins (Unscented. Long super ultra-thin.) |
| 10 Tampons (Unscented. 5 regular, 5 super absorbency.) | Bath-size soap (3 oz. bar or larger. No Ivory or Jergen’s soap. Do not remove from packaging.) |
| Two 2oz bottle hand sanitizer | One pack of flushable wipes (Unscented. 42 count) |
| One travel pack of wet ones | One travel sink-size laundry detergent (.25-.45 oz) |
| Three 4-gallon bathroom trash bags | |

***All items must be new**

*** We will place all items in plastic bags, remove air, and seal.**

September 11, 2022, God’s Work Our Hands, and Church Annual Picnic.

Worship service will begin at 9:00 am in the sanctuary. The annual church picnic will be held in the fellowship hall after God's Work Our Hands, which will take no more than 15 minutes. The church council will provide the meat, beverages, and silverware. Please bring a dish to pass. More details to follow.

Sunday, September 18, 2022, Semi-Annual Meeting will be held in the sanctuary immediately after the service. **All committees need to submit their report no longer than September 1, 2022.**

Attendance on 8/14/22: 41

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

| Worship Assistants – Today | | |
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| Worship Leader: Rev. Dr. Niveen Ibrahim Sarras | | |
| Pianist / Organist | Reader | Usher |
| Karen Zuidema | | Bruce Knox |
| Video Recorder: Volunteer | | |
| Altar Guild Joanne Diestelhorst | | |