

Welcome to Immanuel

Trinity Sunday
June 4th 2023
9:00am

Notes for your time in worship...

We are glad that you have chosen to be in the Lord's house today and pray that God will bless you in this time of worship. The words, "Stand," and "Sit," are for those who are able. If you are a guest, we ask that you please complete a Welcome Card, found in the card rack on the back of the pews, and place it in the offering plate.

We are delighted that you're here and hope to see you again!

Preparing for the Lord's Supper

All who receive the Lord's Supper at this church—members and guests alike—are encouraged to use the following questions as a guide to self-examination in preparation for Communion:

- † "Am I a baptized child of the Heavenly Father?"
 - Acts 2:38-39. Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to Himself."
- † "Have I confessed and repented of my sins?"
 Matthew 3:2. "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."
- "Do I trust that Jesus Christ alone is my Savior from sin?"

 1 John 1:7. But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.
- † "Do I believe that in this Blessed Sacrament (Holy Communion) I am receiving the actual body and blood of Christ, under the bread and wine, for the forgiveness of my sins?"

Matthew 26:26-28. Now as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is My body." And He took a cup, and when He had given thanks He gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you, for this is My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins."

† "Do I intend, with the Lord's help, to amend my sinful life?"

Galatians 5:22-25. But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the Spirit.

If, in good conscience, you are unable to affirm the above questions, we invite you to come forward for a blessing. Simply cross your arms in front of you and the pastor or elder will offer a blessing to you. We are glad you are worshiping with us today!

Preparation for Worship

Our worship begins with the prelude. The prelude invites us to prepare our hearts and minds for worship. We invite you to separate yourselves from the clutter of everyday life and focus on God through prayerful meditation.

What does this look like?

- Close your eyes and take some deep breaths.
- Meditate upon the scripture lessons for today, listed in the bulletin.
- Read the "Before worship" prayer located in the front of the hymnal.
- Silence your phone and silence your mind.

Once the prelude begins, usually five minutes before the service, please refrain from loud conversation. The sanctuary, where the pews are, is a place of worship. While you are encouraged to welcome your brothers and sisters in Christ, we ask that you speak softly so as not to interrupt those who are taking this time to focus on God through the music presented.

From Our LiveStream Team...

Our worship today will be livestreamed for those members and friends that are unable to join us in person. By entering the Sanctuary, you give permission to Immanuel Lutheran Church and School to film or photograph you, and any minor children under the age of 18, and use your likeness on our social media channels and website.

If you would like to limit your time on camera please sit towards the back of the Sanctuary or off to either side. If you have any concerns, please speak with one of the ushers or elders before or after service today.

We are looking for volunteers. Are you interested in learning how to become part of the AV team? Contact the church office to let us know.

Altar Flowers today are given...

In Celebration of the 55th Anniversary of Alan & Carol Boyce

Office Lights this month are given...

In Memory of all loved ones by Jan Smith

We thank those who serve today in worship:

Presiding Minister & Preacher:Organist/Music Director:Greeter:Pastor MeyerOyeniran OyedejiKate DubeAssisting MinisterCantor:Altar Guild:

Joel Wardenburg Meg Bond Nancy Schulz and Cathy Hunt

Communion Assistant: Reader: Audio & Visual:
Adele Tarlton T.J. Keller (a) Doug Igoe (v) Megan Hollrah

Acolyte: Ushers:

Alex Bond Greg Tausch, Stephanie Schultz,

Crucifer: Chris Voigts, and Renate Roehl

Cameron Myruski

We thank those who serve today through the ministry of music:

Vocalists: Keyboard: Flute:

Deanne Schultz, Meg Bond, Karie Karie Neville Norma Lopez-Burton
Neville, Julie Yapoujian

Violins: Trumpet:
Guitar: David and Alex Bond T.J. Keller

Diane Wardenburg

Divine Service Setting III LSB 184

Prelude "Larghetto in C minor (Mélodie Religieuse)" Arthur W. Marchant

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome

Choral Introit "Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing" Gordon Young ILC Adult Choir

Stand

Processional Hymn Holy, Holy, Holy LSB 507

4 Confession & Forgiveness 4

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father and of the

→ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

- C Amen
- **P** When I look at Your heavens, the work of Your fingers,
- C the moon and the stars, which You have set in place,
- **P** what is man that You are mindful of him,
- and the son of man that You care for him?
- P O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth!
- **C** You have set Your glory above the heavens.
- P It is easy to sing God's praises; it is more difficult to comprehend His eternal majesty. It is easy to look through a telescope; it is more difficult to look in a mirror. Let us go to our great Three-in-One God, confessing our sins.

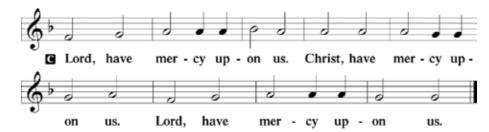
Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

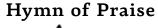
- P Heavenly Father, Creator of all that exists, in deep humility we approach Your presence, for though You shower us with blessings, we have rebelled against Your just reign over us and You.
- We have sinned against You, one another, and even Your good creation in our thinking, speaking, and acting. Forgive us, and teach us again to be Your true sons and daughters.
- P Lord Jesus, Savior sent from the Father, in deep humility we confess that we have neglected to appreciate Your great sacrifice, entering time and space to die for us.
- We have failed to love You with our heart, soul, and mind, and we have failed to love our neighbors as ourselves. We have failed to live as Your loving brothers and sisters. Forgive us, and grant us Your own determination to love our neighbors in Your name.
- **P** Holy Spirit, giver of every good gift,
- in deep humility we confess that we have let the faith You have planted within us to be covered with our own wants and desires. Without Your help we cannot be free; we are bound to sin. Forgive us, and renew in us clean and upright spirits.
- P The eternal God, our Creator, Savior, and Sanctifier, has not forsaken us in our sin. For the sake of the Son, who became one of us to die for us, God offers full and free pardon. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

+ Service of the Word +

Kyrie (Lord, Have Mercy)

LSB 186





The Lord, My God, Be Praised

LSB 794 stzs. 1, 4



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Salutation and Collect (Prayer) of the Day

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Eternal God, Three in One, far above our comprehension but revealed as our Creator, Savior, and Sanctifier, as we behold the vastness of space and diversity of life, the work of Your hands, grant us humble hearts to respond to Your grace in placing us on this good earth and then saving us from our sins through the sacrifice of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Old Testament Reading

Genesis 1:1—2:4a

1 In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. ²The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.

³And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. ⁴And God saw that the light was good. And God separated the light from the darkness. ⁵God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

⁶And God said, "Let there be an expanse in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." ⁷And God made the expanse and separated the waters that were under the expanse from the waters that were above the expanse. And it was so. ⁸And God called the expanse Heaven. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

⁹And God said, "Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. ¹⁰God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good.

¹¹And God said, "Let the earth sprout vegetation, plants yielding seed, and fruit trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind, on the earth." And it was so. ¹²The earth brought forth vegetation, plants yielding seed according to their own kinds, and trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. ¹³And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

¹⁴And God said, "Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night. And let them be for signs and for seasons, and for days and years, ¹⁵and let them be lights in the expanse of the heavens to give light upon the earth." And it was so. ¹⁶And God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. ¹⁷And God set them in the expanse of the heavens to give light on the earth, ¹⁸to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. ¹⁹And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

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²⁰And God said, "Let the waters swarm with swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the expanse of the heavens." ²¹So God created the great sea creatures and every living creature that moves, with which the waters swarm, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. ²²And God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." ²³And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

²⁴And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures according to their kinds—livestock and creeping things and beasts of the earth according to their kinds." And it was so. ²⁵And God made the beasts of the earth according to their kinds and the livestock according to their kinds, and everything that creeps on the ground according to its kind. And God saw that it was good.

²⁶Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

²⁷So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

²⁸And God blessed them. And God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth." ²⁹And God said, "Behold, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is on the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit. You shall have them for food. ³⁰And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the heavens and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. ³¹And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

¹Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them. ²And on the seventh day God finished his work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all his work that he had done. ³So God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it God rested from all his work that he had done in creation.

⁴These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

The Psalm is chanted responsively and the Gloria Patri in unison



¹O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in | all the earth!* You have set your glory above the | heavens.

²Out of the mouth of babes and infants, you have established strength because | of your foes,* to still the enemy and the a- | venger.

³When I look at your heavens, the work of your | fingers,* the moon and the stars, which you have | set in place,

4what is man that you are mind- | ful of him,* and the son of man that you | care for him?

⁵Yet you have made him a little lower than the heavenly | beings* and crowned him with glory and | honor.

⁶You have given him dominion over the works | of your hands;* you have put all things under | his feet,

⁷all sheep and | oxen,* and also the beasts | of the field,

the birds of the heavens, and the fish | of the sea, whatever passes along the paths | of the seas.

⁹O | Lord, our Lord,* how majestic is your name in | all the earth!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son * and to the Holy | Spirit; as it was in the be- | ginning, * is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

Psalm 8

¹⁴Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, . . .

²²"Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know— ²³this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. ²⁴God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. ²⁵For David says concerning him,

"'I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken;

²⁶therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; my flesh also will dwell in hope.

²⁷For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One see corruption.

²⁸You have made known to me the paths of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.'

²⁹"Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, ³¹he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. ³²This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. ³³Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. ³⁴For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says,

"'The Lord said to my Lord, Sit at my right hand,

³⁵until I make your enemies your footstool.'

³⁶Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

- **L** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

Stand

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chanted by the cantor

Isaiah 6:3b

LSB 190

Holy, holy, holy is the | Lord of hosts;* the whole earth is full of his | glory!



Holy Gospel

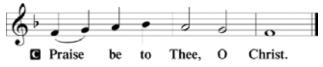
Matthew 28:16-20

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.



¹⁶Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Sit

Sunday School Anthem

"God Loves Me Dearly/I Stand Amazed"



August Rische/Charles Gabriel ILC Sunday School Chorus

Children's Message

Hymn of the Day

Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

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1) Holy Spirit, living Breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul. Let the presence of the risen Lord come renew my heart and make me whole. Cause Your word to come alive in me; Give me faith for what I cannot see, Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit breathe new life in me.

Stand

- 2) Holy Spirit come abide within, may Your joy be seen in all I do.
 Love enough to cover ev'ry sin, in each thought and deed and attitude.
 Kindness to the greatest and the least, Gentleness that sows the path of peace.
 Turn my strivings into works of grace; Breath of God show Christ in all I do.
- 3) Holy Spirit from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made, Show Your power once again on earth, Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways. Let the fragrance of our pray'rs arise; Lead us on the road of sacrifice, That in unity the face of Christ may be clear for all the world to see.

Sit

Sermon

People of Promise

Offering

Offertory Anthem

"Sing, Ye Faithful, Sing with Gladness"
ILC Adult Choir

Craig Courtney

Apostles' Creed and Explanation

Martin Luther

The First Article Creation

P I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. What does this mean?

I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.

He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.

He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him.

This is most certainly true.

The Second Article

Redemption

P And 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 sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

What does this mean?

I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord, who has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil; not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent suffering and death, that I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness, just as He is risen from the dead, lives and reigns to all eternity.

This is most certainly true.

The Third Article Sanctification

P 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.

What does this mean?

I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith.

In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith.

In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers.

On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ.

This is most certainly true.

Prayers of the Church

- **A** Lord, in Your mercy,
- **C** hear our prayer.

Sharing of the Peace

The people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying, "Peace be with you," as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

(Matt. 5:22-24; Eph. 4:1-3).

\pm Service of the Sacrament \pm

Preface LSB 194

P The Lord be with you.



P Lift up your hearts.

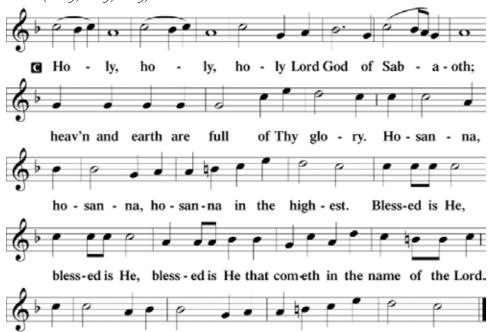


P Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.



P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who ascended above the heavens and, sitting at Your right hand, poured out on this day the promised Holy Spirit on His chosen disciples. For all this the whole earth rejoices with exceeding joy. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

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Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

Lord's Prayer

- **P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:
- **C** 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 Words of Our Lord

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Pax Domini (The Peace of the Lord)

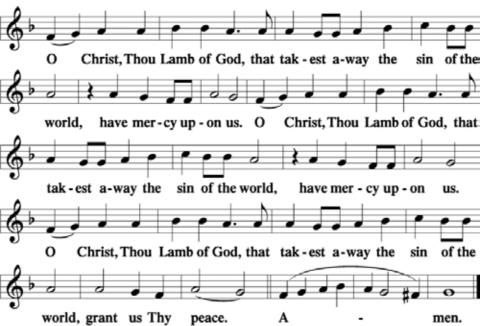
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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

LSB 198



Sit

Communion

Communion Anthem

"All Glory Be to God on High" ILC Adult Choir

Dale Grotenhuis

Communion Hymn

Glory Be to God the Father

LSB 506

Stand after communion has finished

Gluten-free options are available: please indicate to the pastor if you need one of these.

Alcohol free juice options are available *in the center of each of the* individual cup communion trays

Dismissal

- P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart → in peace.
- C Amen.

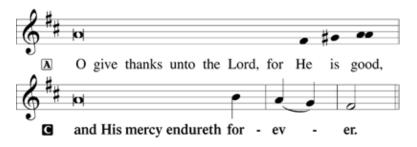
Nunc Dimittis (Song of Simeon)

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Thanksgiving

LSB 200



Post-Communion Collect

A Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Salutation & Benedicamus

LSB 201



Benediction LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and \div give you peace.



Recessional Hymn We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God

LSB 941

Dismissal

- **P** Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

Postlude

"Postlude on 'Holy, Holy, Holy'"

Robert Hughes

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Sunday School & Adult Bible Study Sunday mornings at 10:30 am





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