



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
WATERLOO, ILLINOIS

Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost



“The Nobility of Work”

Saturday, November 16, 2019 – 5:30 pm
Sunday, November 17, 2019 – 7:45 am & 10:15 am

“Making more and stronger disciples of Jesus Christ
through the power of the Holy Spirit.”

Welcome to Immanuel!

Guest/Member Cards can be found in the card holder of the pew in front of you. We invite you to fill out the card and place it in the offering plate when we receive the offering. When you fill out these cards each week you make it possible for our pastors to more easily follow up with and provide pastoral care for our guests and members from week to week. If you have any questions, please let us know.

Holy Communion is distributed every Saturday evening, and at either the 7:45 am or 10:15 am service on Sunday mornings. In this Supper of our Lord we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ under the earthly forms of bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. Since this Holy Communion is also a sign of our common confession of the Christian faith, we welcome to the Lord's Table those who are confirmed members of our Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask the pastor before or after the service.

If for health or personal reasons you cannot drink wine, the lighter colored glasses in the center of the tray of individual cups contain water with a drop of wine. These special glasses allow communicants to celebrate the Lord's Supper according to Christ's institution, while only consuming a very small amount of alcohol. You are also welcome to practice intinction (dipping the edge of the host [bread] into the common cup as it passes by).

Immanuel's Saturday evening service is a bit less formal than our Sunday services. Therefore, you will notice there are no ushers, the offering plate is left in the narthex (entrance) of the church rather than being passed during service, and we have only two individuals distributing Holy Communion. On Saturday night we only use the chalice (common cup) during Holy Communion. If for health or personal reasons you cannot drink wine, you're welcome to practice intinction. Intinction involves dipping the edge of the host (bread) into the wine. In this way, the communicant receives both elements. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask the pastor before or after the service.

Worship at Immanuel is...

Multigenerational. We believe that it is a great blessing for family members to worship together. Taking seriously Jesus' words, "Let the little children come to me and so not forbid them" (Mark 10:14), we encourage children to worship with their parents and grandparents and provide resources such as children's bulletins and children's sermons.

Eclectic. Eclectic means, "selecting what seems best of various sources." We believe that we should strive to use the best hymns and practices that the church has to offer. Our worship may include hymns written 500 years ago as well as pieces written 5 months ago.

Trinitarian. We believe that the object of worship is the only true God—The Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Christ Centered. We believe that at the heart of worship is the Good News that God has rescued us from our sins through Jesus' death on the cross and rising to life again.

The Saturday service begins on page 2, and the Sunday services begin on page 9.

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Preservice Music / Bells / Welcome

Opening Hymn, LSB 807, “When Morning Gilds the Skies”

Please stand

Invocation

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C Amen. (Matthew 28:19b; [18:20])

Confession and Absolution

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C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

(1 John 1:8-9)

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

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

(John 20:19-23)

C Amen.

+ Service of the Word +

Introit of the Day

(Psalm 121:1-2, 5, 7-8; antiphon: Luke 21:33)

Heaven and earth will pass away,

but my words will not pass away.

I lift up my eyes to the hills.

From where does my help come?

My help comes from the LORD,

who made heaven and earth.

The LORD is your keeper;

the LORD is your shade on your right hand.

The LORD will keep you from all evil;

he will keep your life.

The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in

from this time forth and forevermore.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

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Hymn of Praise, LSB 735 v. 1 & 3, “Have No Fear, Little Flock”

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- 1 Have no fear, little flock;
Have no fear, little flock,
For the Father has chosen
To give you the Kingdom;
Have no fear, little flock!**
- 3 Praise the Lord high above;
Praise the Lord high above,
For He stoops down to heal you,
Uplift and restore you;
Praise the Lord high above!**

Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

(2 Timothy 4:22)

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

All: O Lord, almighty and ever-living God, You have given exceedingly great and precious promises to those who trust in You. Rule and govern our hearts and minds by Your Holy

Spirit that we may live and abide forever in Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Please be seated

Old Testament Reading, Malachi 4:1-6

¹“For behold, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble. The day that is coming shall set them ablaze, says the LORD of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. ²But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness shall rise with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall. ³And you shall tread down the wicked, for they will be ashes under the soles of your feet, on the day when I act, says the LORD of hosts. ⁴“Remember the law of my servant Moses, the statutes and just decrees that I commanded him at Horeb for all Israel. ⁵“Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the great and awesome day of the LORD comes. ⁶And he will turn the hearts of fathers to their children and the hearts of children to their fathers, lest I come and strike the land with a decree of utter destruction.”

L This is the Word of the Lord.

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Epistle Reading, 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

⁶Now we command you, brothers, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you keep away from any brother who is walking in idleness and not in accord with the tradition that you received from us. ⁷For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us, because we were not idle when we were with you, ⁸nor did we eat anyone’s bread without paying for it, but with toil and labor we worked night and day, that we might not be a burden to any of you. ⁹It was not because we do not have that right, but to give you in ourselves an example to imitate. ¹⁰For even when we were with you, we would give you this command: If anyone is not willing to work, let him not eat. ¹¹For we hear that some among you walk in idleness, not busy at work, but busybodies. ¹²Now such persons we command and encourage in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. ¹³As for you, brothers, do not grow weary in doing good.

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Holy Gospel, Luke 21:5-28

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Apostles’ Creed

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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.

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(1 Timothy 2:1-4)

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P (*Special petitions...*) Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

P Into Your hands, gracious God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C **Amen.**

Offering (*Please place your offerings in the plate in the narthex before or after the service.*)

Response to Prayer, *LSB* 783 v. 1 & 4, "Take My Life and Let It Be"

1 **Take my life and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my moments and my days,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.**

4 **Take my silver and my gold,
Not a mite would I withhold;
Take my intellect and use
Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose.**

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who are confirmed members of congregations of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

Preface

- P** The Lord be with you. (2 Timothy 4:22)
C **And also with you.**
P Lift up your hearts. (Colossians 3:1)
C **We lift them to the Lord.**
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. (Psalm 136)
C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Proper Preface

- 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 overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

(Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9)

- C** **Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might: heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the Highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the Highest.** (*Hosanna* is a Hebrew word of praise meaning “save us now.”)

The Lord's Prayer

(Matthew 6:9-13)

- All:** **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.**

Words of Our Lord (Matt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-25)

The Peace of the Lord

- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always. (John 20:19)
C **Amen.**

Please be seated

Distribution Hymns

LSB 543, "What Wondrous Love Is This"

LSB 631, "Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face"

Please stand

Dismissal

P Now may this...Go in peace.

C Amen.

Benediction

(Numbers 6:24-26)

P The LORD bless you and keep you.

The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The LORD look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C Amen.

Closing Hymn, *LSB 856, "O Christ, Who Called the Twelve"*

Bells / Postlude

We invite you to take the service folder and announcements home with you as you leave today so you can see what's happening this week as well as meditate on the Scriptures, prayers, and hymns from today's service as you go through the week.

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Divine Service, Setting One

(Lutheran Service Book, pg. 151)

Preservice Music [10:15 am – Immanubells, “Come O Almighty King” and “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” (both arr. by Raymond Herbek)]

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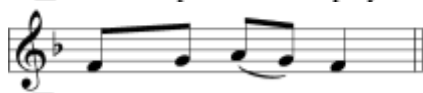
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Kyrie



A In peace let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



A For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



A For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise



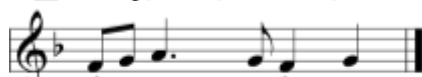
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A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



C A - men.

(7:45 am) Gloria in Excelsis



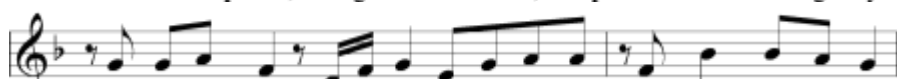
A Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.



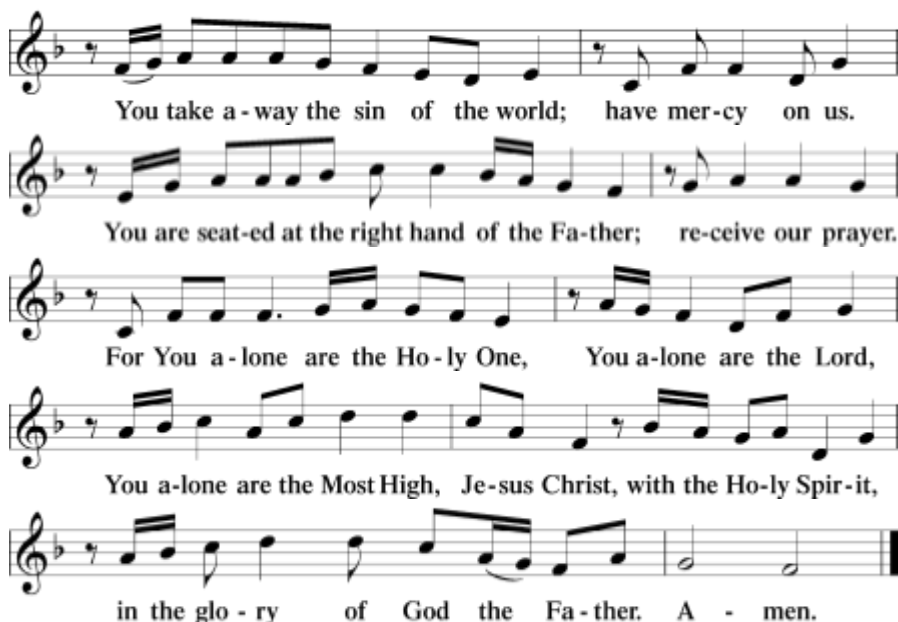
C Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



(10:15 am) **Hymn of Praise**, *LSB* 507 v. 1 & 4, “Holy, Holy, Holy”

[Accompanied by the Immanubells]

- 1 **Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

- 4 **Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**
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(7:45am) **Agape Ringers**, “As the Deer,” arr. by M. Nystrom

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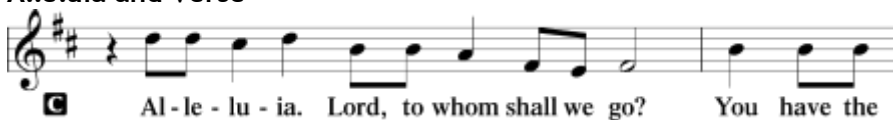
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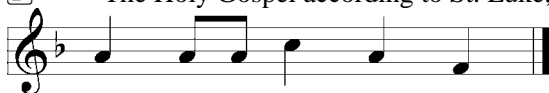
Alleluia and Verse





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P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 21st chapter.



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Offering

Please stand

Offertory

(Psalm 116:12-13, 17-19)

C What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to
me? I will of - fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv - ing and will
call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-
va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my
vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple, in the
courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa-lem.

The 7:45 am service continues on page 19.

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C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Proper Preface

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 overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

(Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9)



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:
Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo-ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

(*Hosanna* is a Hebrew word of praise meaning "save us now.")

The Lord's Prayer

(Matthew 6:9-13)

All: 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.

Words of Our Lord (Matt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-25)

Pax Domini

(John 20:19)

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



C A - men.

Agnus Dei

(John 1:29)



C Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

Please be seated

Distribution Hymns

LSB 543, "What Wondrous Love Is This"

LSB 631, "Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face"

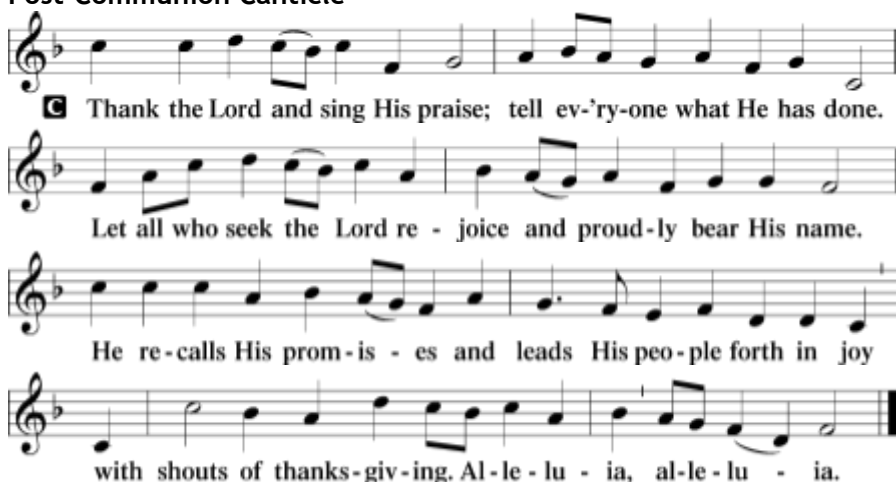
Please stand

Dismissal

P Now may this... Go in peace.

C Amen.

Post-Communion Canticle



C Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.
Let all who seek the Lord re-joice and proud-ly bear His name.
He re-calls His prom-is-es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy
with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Post-Communion Collect

- P** We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Benediction

(Numbers 6:24-26)

- P** The LORD bless you and keep you.
The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The LORD look upon you with favor and give you peace.



Closing Hymn, *LSB 856*, “O Christ, Who Called the Twelve”

Bells / Postlude

The 7:45 am service continues here.

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We invite you to take the service folder and announcements home with you as you leave today so you can see what's happening this week as well as meditate on the Scriptures, prayers, and hymns from today's service as you go through the week.

*You can also find helpful information on our church website:
immanuelwaterloo.org.*

Worship Helpers

Saturday, November 16, 2019 - 5:30 pm

Preacher - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

Server - Cal Neeman

Media - Kelley Keller

Pianist - Ron Jones

Acolyte - Charli Major

Sunday, November 17, 2019 - 7:45 am

Preacher - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

Lector - Wayne Collmeyer

Acolytes - Hunter Kettler & Kadin LaRue

Ushers - Jim Crawford, Allen Jacobs, Don & Gina Birrittier

Liturgist - Rev. Merritt Demski

Music Director - Ann Frank

Media - Laurie Sparwasser (with recording)

Sunday, November 17, 2019 - 10:15 am

Preacher - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

Music Director - Ann Frank

Acolytes - Kaden Roberts & Kyle Rusteberg

Ushers - Alan Stumpf, Ian Schrader, Paul Broske Sr.

Celebrant - Rev. Merritt Demski

Server - Hayden Brown

Lector - Ollney Mueller, Jr.

Media - Tim Scheibe

Ushers - Sunday, November 24, 2019

7:45 am - Elden Niemeyer, Sharon Osterhage, Wayne Hargrave, Warren Frank

10:15 am - Larry Goessling, Jim Smothers, Cal Neeman, Dean Harbison

Acolytes - Sunday, November 24, 2019

Saturday 5:30 pm - Blake Nichols

Sunday 7:45 am - Zachary & Danny Bundenthal

Sunday 10:15 am - Collin & Davin Dethrow

Servers - Sunday, November 24, 2019

Saturday 5:30 pm - Rodney Clamors

Sunday 7:45 am - Chuck Keller

Sunday 10:15 am - n/a

Media - Sunday, November 24, 2019

Saturday 5:30 pm - Lisa Clamors

Sunday 7:45 am - Kelley Keller

Sunday 10:15 am - Pam Nagel (with recording)

Lectors - Sunday, Nov 24, 2019

Saturday 5:30 pm - Rodney Clamors

Sunday 7:45 am - Sean Arians

Sunday 10:15 am - Wayne Collmeyer

Altar Guild - Sunday, Nov 24, 2019

Saturday 5:30 pm - Joyce & Diana

Sunday 7:45 am - Sandy T & Wendy

Sunday 10:15 am - n/a

COOKIE WALK QUESTIONNAIRE 2019

_____ I will bake _____ dozen of _____
_____ cookies.

(Please identify the type(s) of cookies you are planning to bake.)

_____ I will bake _____ dozen of _____
_____ cookies.

(Please identify the type(s) of cookies you are planning to bake.)

_____ I will help set up on Fri., Dec. 6th at 6:00 pm.

_____ I will help during the Cookie Walk on Sat., Dec. 7th at 8:30 am.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Please place this form in the box provided in the narthex by Dec. 1st.
Any questions or suggestions? Please call Taryn Niemeyer (939-7982).
Thank you.

ABOUT THE COOKIE WALK

The cookie walk is set for Dec. 7th from 9 am to noon. Cookies will be sold by the pound with purchasers selecting their own cookies. The price of the cookies is \$7.50 per pound. The event is sponsored by Immanuel Lutheran Church and part of the proceeds will benefit our Preschool.

We need all kinds of cookies (thumb prints, fancy bars, chocolate chip, etc.). Cut out, iced cookies are our best seller and are in great demand. We would appreciate 10-15 dozen of your specialty, if at all possible; more if you can. If you prefer to bring candy, please pre-package and pre-price it.

We need your goodies on Friday, Dec. 6th. You may bring them to the church kitchen in the multipurpose room between 9 am and 7 pm. Please include the name of the item and any key ingredient(s), such as the kind of nuts or jelly used, so people will know what they are purchasing.

Thank you for supporting this fund raising project. It is the contributions of all our members that make the Cookie Walk such a big success each year.

Direct questions to Taryn Niemeyer (939-7982).

Dear Crafters/Vendors,

We invite you to participate in our Craft Fair in conjunction with our congregation's annual Cookie Walk. This event will be held on Saturday, December 7, 2019. The Craft Fair and the Cookie Walk will be held from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. The Fair will take place at Immanuel Lutheran Church (522 S. Church St.) in Waterloo, Illinois.

Crafters/vendors will have the option to either set up their booths on Friday between 6-8 pm or on Saturday morning beginning at 7:00 am. The Fair will be open to the public at 9:00 am. The charge for an 8' table is \$15.00. We will advertise the Craft Fair by posting signs in town and also placing ads in the local newspapers.

For those crafters/vendors participating, tables will be assigned based on the order in which the contracts and table fees are received. Contract forms and fees should be postmarked or returned to the church office no later than December 1, 2019.

Please contact Immanuel's church office (939-6480) with any questions or requests for more information.

Immanuel Lutheran Church CRAFT FAIR Registration Contract

To reserve a table(s), complete the information below and mail it, along with a check payable to Immanuel Lutheran Church, to: Immanuel Lutheran Church, 522 S. Church St., Waterloo, IL 62298.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Helper: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Please reserve ____ tables (\$15/table). Electric required (*circle*) Yes No

General description of crafts for sale:

Exhibitors and helpers accept full liability for any injury or loss to themselves or their property while attending the Fair. They expressly release Immanuel Lutheran Church or any member from any liability for any injury or loss.

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SERMON OUTLINE

2 THESS. 3:6-13

“THE NOBILITY OF WORK”

1. We laugh at that because we can identify with Joey. Like him, we like to take the path of _____.
2. Paul emphasized that God wants us to work for a living. He went so far as to say, “If a man will not work, he shall _____.”
3. The reason is as old as Adam and Eve. After they fell into sin, God told them: “Cursed is the ground because of your sin; through _____ you will eat of it all the days of your life.”
4. So how can we develop an appreciation of the nobility of work? How can we get through our work with an attitude of joy and a sense of peace? Well, look upon it as daily _____. Look upon it as something that _____ us to God and his strength.
5. They need our service. Luther once said that we Christians are “_____” in serving fellow human beings.
6. When young children were brought to Jesus, he _____ them _____, placed his hands on their heads, and blessed them.