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WOV - With One Voice
CH - Celebration Hymnal
LBW - Lutheran Book of Worship

Supply Pastor: Pastor Robert Porisch

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Organist: Marena Henkle

Acolyte: Jaxon Edwards

**12th Sunday after Pentecost
August 15th, 2021**

Prelude

Apostolic Greeting:

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **C: And also with you.**

The Gathering Song: *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence* **LBW # 198**

Opening Dialogue:

P: Holy is the Lord, the Almighty. **C: He was, he is, and he is to come.**

P: He is worthy of glory and honor and power.

C: He created all things. By his will they came to be.

P: Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain;

C: worthy to take the scroll and break its seals.

P: By his blood he purchased for God

C: people of every race and tongue, of every folk and nation.

P: Christ made of them a kingdom **C: and priests to serve our God.**

P: And they shall reign on earth forever. **C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

P: God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

C: The Apostles Creed **LBW p. 128**

Old Testament Canticle: *Listen! You Nations* **LBW # 14**

*Listen! You nations of the world: listen to the Word of the Lord.
Announce it from coast to coast; declare it to distant islands.*

*1. The Lord who scattered Israel will gather his people again;
and he will keep watch over them as a shepherd watches his flocks.*

*Listen! You nations of the world: listen to the Word of the Lord.
Announce it from coast to coast; declare it to distant islands.*

*2. With shouts of joy they will come, their faces radiantly happy,
for the Lord is so gen'rous to them; he showers his people with gifts*

*Listen! You nations of the world: listen to the Word of the Lord.
Announce it from coast to coast; declare it to distant islands.*

*3. Young women will dance for joy, and men young and old will make merry.
Like a garden refreshed by the rain, they will never be in want again.*

*Break into shouts of great joy: Jacob is free again!
Teach nations to sing the song: "The Lord has saved his people!"*

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you**

Prayer of the Day: **Almighty and ever-living God, you have given great and precious promises to those who believe. Grant us the perfect faith which overcomes all doubts, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The First Lesson: Proverbs 9:1-6

Psalm 34:9-14 (*read responsively*) **LBW p. 231**

The Second Lesson: Ephesians 5:15-20

Children's Sermon

The Gospel Acclamation: *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah* **WOV # 612**

The Holy Gospel: John 6::51-58

Hymn of the Day *Now the Silence* **LBW # 205**

The Sermon

Sermon Hymn: *Come, Let Us Eat* **LBW # 214**

Collection of the Offering:

The Offertory: *For the Fruit of All Creation (verse 1)* **WOV # 760**

The Prayer of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

The Blessing

Announcements

The Closing Hymn: *Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer* **LBW # 343**

Chimes and Postlude

Welcome to Worship! We welcome you in Christ's name and are glad you can share this time with us. Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and conversation!

Thank you...to Pastor Porisch for leading us in worship this morning. We appreciate his time and the message he has come to share.

We extend our sympathy...to Sharon (Macken) Ebaugh, on the death of her sister, Judy Macken, on Monday, August 9th at Good Shepherd in Mason City. Sharon also lost a son in February. May God comfort all who mourn.

For Emergency Pastoral care... contact **Pastor Paul Weeg** at 641-381-0675.

Change in Office hours... Tuesday, Sharon will be leaving at 2 p.m., Wednesday, she will be in the office from 8-11 a.m.; Thursday, noon-4 p.m. You may call her cell phone.

This Week at Emmanuel August 16 th -August 22 nd		
Friday, August 20 th	Deadline for Calendar events for the Sept Newsletter	
Sunday, August 22 nd	9:30 a.m.	Worship with Pastor Paul Weeg
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship

Offering: Sunday August 8 th	Attendance: 78
General Fund: \$2,726	Building Fund: \$90
Benevolence: \$ 45	Food Bank Fund: \$30

Attention College Students...

A reminder that your applications for the Erna Pagel Grant are due by August 31st. You may pick up a form at the office or find one online at the church's website Emmanuelgrifton.org. Contact Lisa Bartz with any questions.



Alert...School items are now on sale. If you would like to purchase items for the LWR School kits, please place them in the basket under the front coat rack or bring to the office. If you wish to donate financially, please give money to Clarice Bartz.

COVID19 kits...are still available in the narthex, if you would like to take one. The Council is monitoring the COVID statistics in our area and will continue to do so. At this time, no major changes will be made, but the plan will be updated as necessary for the health of our members. Hand sanitizer and masks are available for your use.

Baby Shower



For Krissy Hulshizer, wife of Jeremy
(They are expecting their first child in October)

Sunday, August 22nd
12:30-2:30 p.m.
Emmanuel Lutheran Fellowship Hall

Registered at babylist.com
Join us for games, food, and fellowship!
Please bring a book in place of a card.



Connection Group sign- up sheets... can be found on the round table in the entrance.



Please sign up for any of the groups- the small group Bible Studies will begin after Labor Day, times and dates to be determined by each group, according to its members. This is a way to make "connections" within a small group, with the intention of getting to know one

another better and also to participate in Bible study and discussion as a body of Christ. We will be centering our study around "The Chosen" series-the first multi-season show about the life of Jesus, through the eyes of his chosen followers. We will be watching the show, as well as working through it's companion group bible study. The small groups will begin with a meal, followed by the study. It will continue until summer. There is no obligation to attend every week, but it is encouraged to come as often as possible. All ages/families are invited.