



EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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

Supply Pastor: Pastor Paul Weeg

Lay reader: Sheila Lundon

Organist: Charlotte Cole

Acolyte: Madison Edwards

**17th Sunday after Pentecost
September 19th, 2021**

Prelude

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness LBW p. 77

Entrance Hymn: *Loving Spirit* **WOV # 683**

Greeting & Kyrie LBW p. 78

Hymn of Praise: *Glory to God* LBW p. 79

Prayer of the Day: **Lord God, you call us to work in your vineyard and leave no one standing idle. Set us to our tasks in the work of your kingdom, and help us to order our lives by your wisdom; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The First Lesson: Jeremiah 11:18-20

The Second Lesson: James 3:13-4:3,7-8a

The Gospel Acclamation.....LBW p. 83

The Holy Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

Hymn: *Cradling Children In His Arm*.....**LBW # 193**

Children's Message

Installation of SS Teachers

The Sermon

Sermon Hymn: *Children of the Heavenly Father*.....**LBW # 474**

Apostles' Creed.....LBW p. 85

Collection of the Offering: *Noisy offering (for Camperships)*

The Offering Response: *Create in Me*.....LBW p. 96

The Prayer and Lord's Prayer.....LBW p. 97

Benediction and Amen.....LBW p. 97

Announcements

The Closing Hymn: *Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing*.....LBW # 363

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!

The Altar Flowers... are given in memory of Gary Cole whose birthday was September 21st.

Sunday School classes begin today...thank you to all those who are teaching our young people.

A Flu Shot Clinic...will be held Wednesday, Sept. 22nd at the Grafton Community Center from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. The cost of the flu shot is \$25.00. If you would like them to bill Medicare or Medicaid, please bring your card. Masks are recommended. If you have any questions, please call Worth County Public Health at 641-324-1741.

Thank you...to Pastor Weeg for leading us in worship this morning and for agreeing to be our part-time Interim until the end of October. After Sept. 22nd, you may call on him for Pastoral care at 641-381-0675. Until then, please contact the church office at 641-748-2736 or Sharon's cell at 641-425-7775.

A Congregational vote... will take place on *Sunday, October 3rd*, following worship. The purpose of this vote will be to determine whether to extend a call to Pastor Ben Unseth. The Call Committee has recommended extending the call, the Church Council has approved it and now, we need to vote as a Congregation. Please mark your calendars and come to vote on this important decision for Emmanuel.

Connection Groups have begun... There are three options: If you would like to join a group or get more information on meeting times and places, please contact the leaders: Will & Brittany Bartz (Group I), Abbie & Josh Steinberg (Group II), or Charlotte Cole & Sharon Hulshizer (Group III). Come and learn about "The Chosen."

This Week at Emmanuel September 20 th -26 th		
Wednesday, Sept. 22 nd	1:00 p.m.	Connection Group III (church library)
	4:30 p.m.	Confirmation orientation (Parents/students)
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
Sunday, Sept 26 th	9:30 a.m.	Worship with Pastor Weeg (<i>choir sings</i>)
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship
	10:40 a.m.	Sunday School

Offering: Sunday Sept. 12 th	Attendance: 105
General Fund: \$1,494	Building Fund: \$40
Benevolence: \$ 60	Haiti Crisis Relief: \$249