



EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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

Interim Pastor: Pastor Paul Weeg

Lay reader: Emi Kuntz

Organist: Donna Schilling

Acolyte: Sophie Urbatsch

Christ the King Sunday November 21st, 2021

Prelude: "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" Hugo Gehrke

Organ/Piano Duet w/Charlotte Cole: "Thanks Be to Thee" G.F. Handel

Brief Order for Confession and ForgivenessLBW p. 77

Entrance Hymn: *Beautiful Savior***LBW # 518**

Greeting & KyrieLBW p. 78

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

Prayer of the Day: **Almighty and Everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things to your beloved Son, whom you anointed priest forever and king of all creation: Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united under the glorious and gentle rule of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Choir Anthems: "All to Us" & "A Servant in Your Heavenly House"

The First Lesson: Daniel 7:9-10,13-14

The Second Lesson: Revelation 1:4b-8

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

The Holy Gospel: John 18:33-37

New Member welcome

Hymn: *Soon and Very Soon*.....**WOV # 744**

The Children's Sermon

The Sermon

Sermon Hymn: *Jesus Shall Reign*.....**LBW # 530**

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

Collection of the Offering/Noisy Offering: "Now Thank We All Our God" Georg F. Kaufmann

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: *Glory Be to God the Father!*.....**WOV # 779**

Chimes and Postlude: Organ/Piano duet: "Praise to the Lord" Ellen Jane Lorenz

Welcome to Worship! We welcome you in Christ's name and are glad you can share this time with us. **We welcome...** the Hillman family and Josh Steinberg. We are happy to have you as fellow members of Emmanuel and workers in the body of Christ. We also welcome, Jeff Miller, our custodian, this morning, who joined our team of employees in April of 2020. Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for a time of refreshments and to meet our new members/workers.

Thank you...to Pastor Weeg for sharing his time and message with us this morning. For Pastoral Care, please contact the church office, as Pastor Weeg will be unavailable from November 22nd - December 8th.

Thanksgiving Eve Service...will be held Wednesday, November 24th at 6:30 p.m. Special Thanksgiving envelope offering will be designated to Benevolence. Other offering will remain at Emmanuel. The church office and building will be closed on the 25th and 26th.



This Week at Emmanuel November 15 th -21 st		
Wednesday, November 24 th	1:00 p.m.	No Connection Group III
	4:30 p.m.	No Confirmation
		Thanksgiving Eve Service
	6:30 p.m.	led by Mark Borchardt (Choir afterwards)
Sunday, November 28 th	9:30 a.m.	Worship w/Marjean Gordon
1 st Sunday of Advent	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship
	10:40 a.m.	Sunday School

Offering: Sunday, November 14 th	Attendance: 75
General Fund: \$2,731	Building Fund: \$200
Benevolence: \$200	Mission Fest: \$150
Sunday School Offering: \$11	Hunger banquet: \$290
Operation Christmas Child: \$55	Campership Fund: \$50

Thank you...to all who donated to the Grafton Cemetery for this year's annual collection on All Saints' Sunday. A total of \$1,358.00 was given.



20 shoeboxes were received and delivered for Operation Christmas Child... Thank you to all who shopped, packed, donated money to cover items and/or postage to make this happen. Thank you to Amy Edwards, Brittany Bartz and our Logos Legos kids for organizing the effort and to Jody and Jason Hackbart for delivering the shoeboxes to the drop off site. *"It takes a village..."*

Happy Birthday... We would like to wish our loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, Ardis Hanson, a very happy 88th birthday on November 24th!

- the Family of Ardis Hanson

Thank offering...for the ENALCW will be collected until the end of the month. Please give your offering to any of the officers or bring to the church office. Monies will be given to local charities, determined by TWC.

Deadline for the December Epistle...is Friday, November 26th. If you have any news to share, photos, announcements to add, etc, please e-mail or bring them to the church office.

Next Sunday...will be the first Sunday in Advent. We will light the first candle on our Advent Wreath as we begin our journey in preparation for the birth of Christ.

Anyone interested...in the old kitchen island, please contact Michael Cole. As our kitchen remodeling project moves forward, the next step will be to remove the island in preparation for a new one.

Attention Vanco Mobile App users... Vanco, our e-Giving provider, has launched an updated mobile app called Vanco Mobile to replace GivePlus Mobile. You can download the Vanco Mobile app for free from the App Store or Google Play. From there, you can make a one-time donation or set up recurring giving right through the app. Just select your fund and amount, enter a payment method and complete the donation. Members will not be able to make gifts using the GivePlus Mobile app after January 31, 2022. Vanco Mobile is free and includes many significant upgrades for users. Members' log-in credentials in Vanco Mobile are the same as they are in GivePlus Mobile. If you have questions or need assistance with our new mobile app, please stop by the church office or call 641-748-2736.



Looking ahead to December...David Bublitz will share the message on December 5th, liturgy led by Rusty Rustad; December 12th will be our Sunday School Children's Christmas Program, during Worship service; December 19th will be led by Pastor Weeg with Holy Communion and Noisy Offering will be collected.

Christmas Services... will be on Friday, December 24th at 6:30 p.m. (Candlelight) and Sunday, December 26th, both led by Pastor Weeg. Please note, there will be no Christmas Day Service.



Ladies...Please join us in attending the **Osage Women's Connection** on Tuesday, December 7th at 6 p.m. at the Osage VFW. There will be a catered meal by Piggyback Smoke Shack with a cost of \$10 at the door. The program will be "Peace, Hope, & Joy." Special music will be a Christmas Sing Along with Char's band (Mark and Belinda Borhardt are a part of that). The Inspirational Speaker will be Debra Lord from Indianola, IA, *"True Confessions of a Former Good Girl,"* in which she explains how she discovered the truth about ultimate goodness through the ups and downs of life. Reservations for the meal are required, so please let Belinda or Sharon know if you are interested in attending, no later than Thursday, December 2nd. We will plan to carpool for the event as well, leaving from the church. This will be a great way to have a time of fellowship with other women for the holidays!

Poinsettia order forms...are found in today's bulletin. You may fill them out and drop them off at the church office or you may call the office and place your order by phone.



After much consideration... I have chosen to no longer be head of Altar Guild, beginning January 1st. I wish to thank all those that have served and I have worked with over the years. - Doris Ralph

We thank Doris for her years of serving as Altar Guild chairperson and are looking for a person or persons that might be willing to fill that position.

If you are able to help, please contact Doris or the church office.