



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: Phil Hackbart

Organist: Marena Henkle

Acolyte: Jaxon Edwards

**Second Sunday after Epiphany
January 16th, 2022**

Prelude

Brief Order for Confession and ForgivenessLBW p. 77

Entrance Hymn: *Wake, Awake, for Night is Flying***LBW # 31**

Greeting & KyrieLBW p. 78

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

Prayer of the Day: **Lord God, you showed your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son. As he brought gladness and healing to his people, grant us these same gifts and lead us also to perfect faith in him, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Choir Anthems: *“Seeking the King”* and *“Mary, Did You Know?”*

The First Lesson: Isaiah 62:1-5

The Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

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

The Holy Gospel: John 2:1-11

Hymn: *Now the Silence*.....**LBW # 205**

The Children’s Message

The Sermon

Sermon Hymn: *Bind Us Together*.....**WOV # 748**

Apostles’ Creed.....LBW p. 85

Collection of the Offering: *Noisy Offering*

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: *Arise, My Soul, Arise!*..... **LBW # 516**

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 Weeg for his time and message for us this morning. For Pastoral care, please contact the church office or Pastor Weeg at 641-381-0675.

2022 offering envelopes...if you have not picked up previously, are in your bulletin boxes.

Thank you... for your kind and generous gift at Christmas time...it was much appreciated!
- *Sincerely, Charlotte*

| This Week at Emmanuel January 17 th – 23 rd | | |
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| Tuesday, January 18 th | 10:00 a.m. | TWC (The Women’s Council) |
| Wednesday, January 19 th | 1:00 p.m. | Connection Group |
| | 4:30 p.m. | Confirmation |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Choir |
| Sunday, January 23 rd | 9:30 a.m. | Worship w/Linda Griffith, liturgy led by Rusty Rustad |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Annual Meeting |
| | 10:40 a.m. | Sunday School |

| Offering: January 9 th | Attendance: 61 |
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| General Fund: \$4,178 | Benevolence: \$65 |
| Building Fund: \$65 | Campership Fund: \$50 |
| Sunday School Offering: \$5.00 | |



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**Second Sunday
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Attention Parents and Kids...some of you have been inquiring about Bible Camp and that is great! We collect *Noisy Offering* the third Sunday of each month, just for the purpose of helping to offset the cost of going to camp. If you are interested in attending Riverside



Lutheran Bible Camp in Story City, you can look online for more information as to what camp is right for your age, which weeks are available, and how to register online, which is the preferred way to register. www.RiversideLBC.org is the website you'll need. For church members, Emmanuel will pay 50% of the regular camp fee or, for Confirmation kids, a one-time, 100% of the fee. If you choose to go to a special camp such as Ranch camp or Adventure Camp, you would pay the extra cost. We also do not pay for any extra

activity or canteen fees, just the base registration. We have a church discount code set up through Riverside for church members, so when you enroll your child for camp, please contact the church office for our code that you can enter in your registration. That will help to secure your date and apply what Emmanuel will pay to your bill. There is an early registration discount, if you register by February 15th. There are also other discounts, such as a sibling discount, member church discount, etc. If you have any questions, please call the church office. It's a great experience for kids to meet others and learn more about Jesus. This year's theme is "*Anchored in Hope*" based on 1 Peter 3:15. There is a booklet and flyers in the kiosk in the entrance and posters of events on the bulletin boards by the office if you'd like to look at those for more information as well.



**Riverside**



Emmanuel's Annual Meeting...will be next Sunday, January 23rd, snow date January 30th. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall immediately following worship. We will also be voting on the NALC Ratification to Article 11, as follows. Please plan to attend and to vote.

BELOW IS WHAT WAS VOTED ON AND PASSED BY THE DELEGATION:

(Deletions are marked with a strikethrough and additions are in bold and underlined.)

ARTICLE 11 – REGIONAL SUBDIVISIONS

11.01 Congregations shall join in collaboration **as Mission Districts** to fulfill most effectively the ministry and mission of the NALC, normally based on common geographic boundaries. Mission Districts may form Mission Regions for more effective ministry and mission as needed. **Mission Regions shall have such organizational form and functions as shall be determined by the constituting Mission Districts.** Such organization shall be done in consultation with the Bishop and subject to the approval of the Executive Council. 11.02 Each ~~regional group~~ **Mission District or Mission Region** of congregations shall adopt appropriate governing documents that are consistent with the governing documents and practice of the NALC and shall include election of a Dean, adoption of a budget, and provision for supervision, mutual support of member congregations, and procedures necessary for carrying out its mission and ministry.

11.03 The Deans, who shall be ordained ministers of the NALC, shall be accountable to the Bishop and work with the Bishop by conducting similar functions in their ~~respective areas~~ **Mission Districts.** Deans shall serve as pastor to ordained ministers, their families, and congregations, and will conduct a ministry of teaching and visitation with ordained ministers and congregations. Deans may continue to serve under the call of a congregation.