

Immanuel Lutheran Church * St. Charles, MO

Last Sunday of the Church Year Sunday, Date, 2021—8:00 & 9:30 am & Monday, Date, 2021—6:30 pm

* - Congregation will rise



For in Christ Jesus you are all children of God,
through faith, for all of you who were baptized
into Christ have clothed yourself with Christ.
- Galatians 3:26

November
Memory
Verse

Opening Hymn

“The Clouds of Judgement Gather” - #513

*Order of Worship “Divine Service Setting IV”

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Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 51:4-6

- ⁴“Give attention to me, my people, and give ear to me, my nation;
for a law will go out from me, and I will set my justice for a light to the peoples.
⁵My righteousness draws near, my salvation has gone out, and my arms will judge the
peoples;
the coastlands hope for me, and for my arm they wait.
⁶Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look at the earth beneath;
for the heavens vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment,
and they who dwell in it will die in like manner;
but my salvation will be forever, and my righteousness will never be dismayed.

Response: This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

New Testament Reading

Revelation 1:4b-8

^{4b}Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from
the seven spirits who are before his throne, ⁵and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness,
the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth.

To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood ⁶and made us a king-
dom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever.
Amen. ⁷Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those
who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen.

⁸“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, “who is and who was and who is
to come, the Almighty.”

Response: This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ,
the son of God.**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the eighteenth chapter.

Glory to You, O Lord.

***Holy Gospel**

Mark 13:24-37

²⁴“But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, ²⁵and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. ²⁶And then they will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory. ²⁷And then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven.

²⁸“From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts out its leaves, you know that summer is near. ²⁹So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. ³⁰Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place. ³¹Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

³²“But concerning that day or that hour, no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. ³³Be on guard, keep awake. For you do not know when the time will come. ³⁴It is like a man going on a journey, when he leaves home and puts his servants in charge, each with his work, and commands the door-keeper to stay awake. ³⁵Therefore stay awake—for you do not know when the master of the house will come, in the evening, or at midnight, or when the cock crows, or in the morning— ³⁶lest he come suddenly and find you asleep. ³⁷And what I say to you I say to all: Stay awake.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ.**

***The Nicene Creed**

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Hymn

“The Advent of Our King” - #331

Sermon

“The Advent (s) of He ‘Who is and Who was and Who is to come’” - Text

Offering

Offering Hymn

“Rise, My Soul, to Watch and Pray” - #663

***Offering Prayer**

***Special Intercessions**

- † Cary & Katy (Ohmes) Liechti on the birth of a daughter, Ruby Louise, on November 17th.
- † Olivia May Hipp and Luke Douglas Hipp who were welcomed into God's family on Saturday afternoon through Holy Baptism.
- † All expectant mothers and their unborn babies, especially: Brenna (Bagby) Cristea, Sarah Grizzle, Hannah Schultz, Ali Warren
- † Don & Carol Hemwall who are celebrating their 34th wedding anniversary on November 21st.
- † The family of Nadine Brandt who died on November 19th;
The family of Roger Hluzek at the death of his mother;
The family of Brian Hostkoetter at the death of his father, Paul.
- † Ruth Ann Holtgrieve who is celebrating her 91st birthday on November 24th.
- † For Christ's help and hope for those fighting cancer: *(please notify the Church Office of updates for long-term cancer patients and we will gladly include them in our prayers)* Tim Aubuchon, Nadine Brandt, Claire Brown, Jodi Lombardo Bubenzer, Dr. Jim Bryant, Lonna Cook, Diane Dietrich, Joni Duncan, Glenn Erschen, Donna Feise, Paige Fosher, David Gabriel, Christopher Goodman, Doris Gregory, Dorothy Hallemeier, Bill Herman, Terri Joseph, James Kayser, Jeanette Koechner, Mitch Konrad, Lauren Lacey, Brenda Larson, Diane Maurer, Dean McAlexander, Susan Miller, Gary Rice, Rev. Mike Schempf, Marilyn Sprung, Julie Stevens, Nicole Taylor, Frank Thompson, Richard Toedebusch, Randy Ziegler
- † Hospitalized this past week: Judy Schiller, Dee Woemmel, Gene Ladendorf, Ronald Schwede, Danny Laminger

***Service of the Sacrament**

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Distribution

Distribution Hymns

"O Jesus, King Most Wonderful" - #554
"What Is This Bread" - #629

***Nunc Dimittis**

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***Benediction**

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***Closing Hymn**

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" - #549 v. 1-2, 6-7

***Postlude**

Participants

PreacherRev. Scott Schmieding
LiturgistSem. Josiah Schultz (8:00); Sem. Caleb Wehling (9:30)
Organist Mr. Al Loesel
Acolyte..... Chase Duncan (9:30)
Student GreetersAlyssa Lindemann (8:00); Melaina Beilsmith (9:30)
Sound TechnicianTim Bower (8:00); Don Hemwall (9:30)

Donuts with Santa - Saturday, December 4th from 9:00-11:00 am in the Dining Hall

This holiday family fellowship event will feature donuts, juice & hot cocoa, plus craft stations and Santa! There will be a \$10 charge per family (with 50% of the proceeds benefiting the Crisis Nursery), payable at the door by cash or charge. Masks are encouraged to keep our families safe. Please RSVP with the number of people in your family attending to: PTL@ImmanuelStCharles.org

(Don't forget your camera, so you can snap a picture with Santa!)