

# WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today.

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# **TODAY'S SERVICE**

*Speakers:* Pastor Matthew Ude

**Organists**: Barry Hay & Ann Sprengeler

> *Liturgy:* Liturgy: Setting One

large print bulletins available, ask the ushers Services are streamed live to the TV in the kitchen (channel 4).

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# **PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION**

#### Psalm 133

Behold, how good and how pleasant it is For brethren to dwell together in unity! 2 It is like the precious oil upon the head, Running down on the beard, The beard of Aaron, Running down on the edge of his garments. 3 It is like the dew of Hermon, Descending upon the mountains of Zion; For there the LORD commanded the blessing-- Life forevermore.

# **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

# Hymn 536 — Awake My Soul And With The Sun

# EASTER GREETING

- P Alleluia! Christ is risen!
- C He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

# INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



# **CONFESSION OF SINS**

- P Beloved of God: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking Him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.
- All Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer: we confess that we are sinful by nature, and have sinned against You in our thoughts, words, and actions. We have not loved You above all things. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us, and, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us our sins.
- P God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given His only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



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P Let us pray . . . O King of Glory, Lord of hosts, uplifted in triumph far above all heavens, leave us not without consolation but send us the Spirit of truth whom You promised from the Father; for You live and reign with Him and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



# THE WORD

*Revelation 22:1-6,12-21* And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding from the throne of God and of the Lamb. 2 In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, was the tree of life, which bore twelve fruits, each tree yielding its fruit every month. The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. 3 And there shall be no more curse, but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it, and His servants shall serve Him. 4 They shall see His face, and His name shall be on their foreheads. 5 There shall be no night there: They need no lamp nor light of the sun, for the Lord God gives them light. And they shall reign forever and ever. 6 Then he said to me, "These words are faithful and true." And the Lord God of the holy prophets sent His angel to show His servants the things which must shortly take place ... 12 "And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work. 13 "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last." 14 Blessed are those who do His commandments, that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city. 15 But outside are dogs and sorcerers and sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and whoever loves and practices

a lie. 16 "I, Jesus, have sent My angel to testify to you these things in the churches. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, the Bright and Morning Star." 17 And the Spirit and the bride say, "Come!" And let him who hears say, "Come!" And let him who thirsts come. Whoever desires, let him take the water of life freely. 18 For I testify to everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: If anyone adds to these things, God will add to him the plagues that are written in this book; 19 and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part from the Book of Life, from the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book. 20 He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming quickly." Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus! 21 The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

*John 17:20-26 20* "I do not pray for these alone, but also for those who will believe in Me through their word; 21 "that they all may be one, as You, Father, are in Me, and I in You; that they also may be one in Us, that the world may believe that You sent Me. 22 "And the glory which You gave Me I have given them, that they may be one just as We are one: 23 "I in them, and You in Me; that they may be made perfect in one, and that the world may know that You have sent Me, and have loved them as You have loved Me. 24 "Father, I desire that they also whom You gave Me may be with Me where I am, that they may behold My glory which You have given Me; for You loved Me before the foundation of the world. 25 "O righteous Father! The world has not known You, but I have known You; and these have known that You sent Me. 26 "And I have declared to them Your name, and will declare it, that the love with which You loved Me may be in them, and I in them." Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!



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# THE APOSTLES' CREED

All I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

> I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### Hymn 341 — Crown Him With Many Crowns

# SERMON

Acts 1:12-26 Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day's journey. 13 And when they had entered, they went up into the upper room where they were staying: Peter, James, John, and Andrew; Philip and Thomas; Bartholomew and Matthew; James the son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot; and Judas the son of James. 14 These all continued with one accord in prayer and supplication, with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with His brothers. 15 And in those days Peter stood up in the midst of the disciples (altogether the number of names was about a hundred and twenty), and said, 16 "Men and brethren, this Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke before by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus; 17 "for he was numbered with us and obtained a part in this ministry." 18 (Now this man purchased a field with the wages of iniquity; and falling headlong, he burst open in the middle and all his entrails gushed out. 19 And it became known to all those dwelling in Jerusalem; so that field is called in their own language,

Akel Dama, that is, Field of Blood.) 20 "For it is written in the book of Psalms: Let his dwelling place be desolate, And let no one live in it'; and,'Let another take his office.' 21 "Therefore, of these men who have accompanied us all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, 22 "beginning from the baptism of John to that day when He was taken up from us, one of these must become a witness with us of His resurrection." 23 And they proposed two: Joseph called Barsabas, who was surnamed Justus, and Matthias. 24 And they prayed and said, "You, O Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which of these two You have chosen 25 "to take part in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas by transgression fell, that he might go to his own place." 26 And they cast their lots, and the lot fell on Matthias. And he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

# Walk With Assurance In the Lord

They returned but the Lord was with them, even so we walk with assurance that He is with us.

It was God's word that revealed to Peter what had to be done, even so we walk with assurance that His Word will guide us.

God chose Matthais, even so we walk with assurance that He has a plan for us.





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# OFFERING As Thy prospering handhathblest, Maywe give Thee of our best And by deeds of kindly love For Thy mer-cies grate fulprove, Sing - ing thus through all ourdays Praise to God, im - mor - tal praise.

# PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

All Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

# THE BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



Hymn 800 [MFH 120] — Go, My Children, With My Blessing

# FAITH LUTHERAN GRADUATES

#### Greta Albrecht

Greta graduated from Central Wisconsin Christian School on May 24, 2019. She will attend Immanuel Lutheran College in Eau Claire, WI in the fall to pursue a major in education and a minor in psychology.

## Madelyn Kohn

Madelyn graduated from Randolph High School as valedictorian of her class. She will be attending Northwestern College in Iowa where she will be playing volleyball and working towards a degree in Physical Therapy.

## Kade Muehlenhaupt

Kade Muehlenhaupt graduated from Markesan High School. He is planning on going to UW Platteville majoring in mechanical engineering.

## Joey Paddock

Joey Paddock graduated from Markesan High School May 26 2019. He is planning to attend UW Oshkosh in the fall. He will be working towards a business degree.

## Peter Paddock

Peter Paddock graduated from Markesan High School May 26 2019. He will be attending a 2 year program. He is undecided as to the field of study.

# Announcements

# THIS WEEK

## Sunday 6/2

9am	Worship Service
10:15	Call Meeting
	Choir Practice

11am Church Picnic

# Monday 6/3

7pm Monday Service

**Tuesday 6/4** 7pm School Board

**Sunday 6/9** 9am Pentecost Service

# SERMON TEXT FOR NEXT WEEK:

Acts 2:1–21

# ENVELOPE COMMITTEE

This Week: Team #2:

Dennis Jones, Jeff Jones

Next Week: Team #3:

Lynn Dumke

# JUNE SUNDAY USHERS

Randy Strelow, Dan Thiem, Clay Bobek, Andrew Reyes

# JUNE MONDAY USHERS

Matt Dumke, Gary Brown, Dennis Jones, Jim Kok

# FRUITS OF FAITH

Attendance:	65
General:	\$2751
Missions:	\$405

## MEMORIALS

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# **DELEGATES CONFERENCE**

Delegates' conference is June 3rd and 4th in Madison. Faith is allowed two delegates. If anyone is interested in representing Faith at the delegates' conference let pastor know.

# CHURCH IN THE WOODS

Our annual church in the woods event is currently set for Sunday August 25th. Everyone is welcome to come and Camp on Dumke's that weekend, August 23 – 25th. Make sure to mark it on your calendars.

# LOWER MICHIGAN BIBLE CAMP

CLC young people, ages 6th - 12th grade, are welcome to attend the Lower Michigan Bible Camp. This is tent camping at Pigeon Creek Park near Lake Michigan in Ottawa County, Michigan. The cost is only \$50.00/ camper. The dates are July 29 - August 1. Call Pastor David Schaller for more information: 269-424-3035.

# IMMANUEL REGISTRATION

Parents, if you are interested in registering your students for ILHS for the 2019-2020 school year, the process can be found at this link https://tinyurl. com/y5pqurww

# **VBS FLOAT**

Sign up to walk with the float in the parade on the bulletin board.

There is a basket in back for donations towards the float for the June Dairy Days parade (June 7,8). The money donated will be used to decorate the float, buy T-Shirts for the kids, a banner promoting our VBS, and pens and candy to distribute.

### LUTHERAN SPOKESMAN RENEWAL

Lutheran Spokesman renewal form is on the table in the hallway. Check your name. Make sure your address is correct. Make a check out to Faith Lutheran for \$14 and put it in Marsha Brown's box.

# CANDIDATES FOR IMMANUEL PROFESSOR CALL:

The Board of Regents for Imman-uel Lutheran High School, College, and Seminary invites "all pastors, professors, male teachers, and voting members of member congrega-tions of the Church of the Lutheran Confession" (CLC Constitution) to nominate an individual or individuals to fill the vacancy which will be created by the retirement of Professor Paul Sullivan at the end of the 2019-20 academic year. The position would require the ability to teach in a variety of areas, which may include high school and college courses in religion, social sciences, and church history. To fill a current need on

campus, this individual would need to be able to provide spiritual counsel and encouragement to students in the Word of God, understanding and addressing the particular challenges that students often face today, and someone who is seminary trained. The position would, God-willing, commence with the 2020-21 academic year. Those submitting nominations are strongly encouraged to verify that the individual would be willing to be nominated and would need to include information regarding their nominee's educational background and teaching and/or professional experience, also indicating how the person might help our school in supervising extracurricular activities or serving in administrative positions. Nominations are to be received by email or letter no later than midnight July 15, 2019 (letters postmarked July 1, 2019) to: Mr. James Burkhardt; 217 Windy Lane; Rockwall, TX 75087; email: jeb6217@yahoo.com.

## THE BRANCHES

"The Branches" is a CLC Christian Women's magazine which is published quarterly. Subscriptions are available for the 2019-2020 subscription year (July through June). The Branches staff prays that, through this publication, we serve: to encourage you in your personal and family Bible study to edify you in your daily walk with Christ to provide a means to use and share your God-given gifts to celebrate and reflect upon God's gift of Christian sisters, near and far Consider a subscription for yourself and/or gift subscriptions for women in your life! The cost is \$15.00/year for 4 issues. Checks are payable to, "The Branches," and should be sent to: Laura Wales, Subscription Manager, 8727 Forest view Lane North, Maple Grove, MN 55369. Online payments are also available via PayPal - you may contact Laura Wales at lewales@ gmail.com.

# ARISE AND SHINE RETREAT

Registration is now open! Our theme for this year is "Confidence!" In this post-truth age that we live in, so many have a hard time knowing what to believe. The Lord does not want us to have uncertainty but rather calls us to be confident in His Word and the salvation which He has won. If you are in your 20's or 30's and are looking for a relaxing getaway weekend of fun and fellowship, consider signing up for this retreat. The cost is \$140 per adult and \$100 per child. The retreat will be held June 13-16 in Pillager, MN. For more information, visit our website: http://ariseandshineretreat. com.

Blessings in Christ,

Pastor Sam Rodebaugh



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