

Offering

October 19 - \$810

Those Assisting Us Today

Organist: John Haggin

Elder: Jerry Niemann

Altar Guild: Sue Van Wakeman

Acolyte: Bella Ford

“Worship Anew” – Know someone who can’t get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces “Worship Anew”. It airs locally on WCIX – 49 on Sunday mornings at 7:30 AM.

Bulletin announcements If you have announcements for next week’s bulletin, please forward those to Brenda Hendricks by noon on Friday. You may contact her by email at mhendrick@mchsi.com or by text or phone at 309-826-9733.

The Lutheran Hour radio program has been airing since 1930. For more than 95 years, the call of Christ has been carried around the world by radio waves. You can also listen to this Good News locally at these stations every Sunday morning....WGCY 106.3 at 6:15 AM, WPXN 104.9 at 7 AM, 96.9 (The Buckle, Watseka) at 8 AM, and WGNJ 89.3 at 7:30 AM.

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Divine Service, Setting Four

Welcome in Jesus' Name! Lutherans believe that Jesus Christ is present in the Sacrament so that we receive His true body and blood along with the bread and wine (Mark 14:22, 24; 1 Corinthians 10:16). We further believe that in this Sacrament, we receive the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:28) and strength to live an improved Christian life (Galatians 2:20). A worthy communicant is one who is truly repentant of his/her sins and who resolves to amend his/her life (1 Corinthians 11:28). Furthermore, this Sacrament is not only a communion with Christ (Matthew 18:20; 1 Corinthians 10:16), but also with one another (1 Corinthians 10:17; Acts 2:42). Those desiring to commune with us for the first time should talk with the pastor BEFORE the service begins.

Opening Hymn, "Fight the Good Fight"664

Invocation, Confession and Absolution - page 203

Introit – Psalm 5 in front of hymnal /antiphon verse 11a

Kyrie - page 204

Salutation and Collect - page 205

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 4:1-15

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Epistle: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse – page 205

Holy Gospel: Luke 18:9-17

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

After the reading:

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Hymn of the Day, "O God of Mercy, God of Might"852

Sermon based on Luke 18:9-14 "Who Is 'Just Right' with God?"

Creed - **Hymn, "We Praise You and Acknowledge You O God"941**

Prayers

Offering: The offering plate is available at the back of the church.

Communion Liturgy – page 208

Service of the Sacrament

Distribution: Communicants will usher themselves to the FRONT of the church in groups of 5-7 people. They will space themselves on both sides of the Baptismal font. Please exit the altar area by the outside aisle to the side where you were seated.

Hymn, "Amazing Grace"744

Hymn, "Lord, Tis Not that I Did Choose Thee"573

Closing Communion Liturgy – Page 211-212

**Closing Hymn, "Go, My Children, with My Blessing"922
(Verses 1-4)**

Let Us Pray...

....for homebound members: Karen Bryan, Dave Kunde, Lila Bidner,
Linda Warsaw, and Ross Warsaw

....for Immanuel Lutheran Church in Charleston, Illinois

Announcements #1

Welcome Pastor Frank today! He will be teaching Bible Class and conducting our worship service today and next Sunday in Pastor McPike's absence.

There is not a bulletin insert in your bulletin today. The inserts for the next couple of Sundays will either be nonexistent, or the dates on the inserts will not match the date of the worship service. This is partially due to Pastor McPike's schedule.

Thanks to everyone who made last Sunday's potluck celebrating Reformation and Pastor Appreciation such a success! Thanks to all the great cooks who brought food, especially the German food. Thanks to Debbie Lammle for the decorations. Thanks to Diana Zimmerman, Marsha Warsaw, and Mackenzie Zimmerman for helping set up for the potluck! We all agree – we have the best pastor ever!

The Stewardship Committee will be sponsoring a benefit soup supper on Saturday, November 8th. The menu will include oyster soup, potato soup, chili, sandwiches, and desserts. The recipient will be Casey Thomas and family from Bellflower. She has three children and two parents that she is caring for after the major breadwinner of the family died in August of lung cancer. Please sign up to donate food on the sheet which is posted on the back bulletin board. Two Thrivent Action Team cards will be used to buy supplies.

The property on the corner of Grape Avenue has been cleaned up so the church is much more visible to the main road now. The new owner of the lot who started the clean up is the next door neighbor, Chris Robbins. He provided the dumpsters so that all of the rubbish could be taken away. Dennis Martin did all of the excavation. He did an amazing job and we thank him! There is a donation box on the table with the offering plate at the back of the church if you would like to donate to defray the expenses for Chris. The checks need to be made out to him. Cash is also acceptable.

Announcements #2

Bellflower Community Thanksgiving Feast! A delicious meal of Thanksgiving favorites will be served at the Bellflower Community Center on Sunday, November 2nd from 11 AM – 1 PM. Free will donations will benefit community events. The feast is sponsored by the Village of Bellflower.

Salt Creek Resource Center (Farmer City) Food Pantry usually gives a bonus box of food to recipients for a Thanksgiving dinner at their November distribution. They are experiencing lower donations than usual this year. There is a list of needed items on the back bulletin board. If you care to purchase anything on the list, there will be a collection box on the back pew. Cash donations are also accepted. The items will be needed by November 8th.

Mowing Schedule! The schedule this year lists the week that the volunteer needs to mow. It is recommended to mow on Thursday through Saturday of that week. If you have any questions, contact trustee Jeff Warsaw or John Grussing. Mowing Schedule:

The week of October 26 – November 1 – Dwight Hooker
The month of November – the trustees

Young talent! John Haggin is our sole organist today! Alicia is directing the children's choir at St. Johns Lutheran Church in Champaign today so she handed the job over to her very talented son, John! Thank you, John, for using your musical talents to lead us today!

