

Come, Holy Spirit, and fill the hearts of Your faithful people and kindle in them the fire of Your love: You, who through diverse tongues gathered together the nations in the unity of faith.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH The Holy Trinity
Church Phone: 812-867-5088 — June 12, 2022 – 8 a.m.
Order of Morning Worship

Opening Prayer *///* **Opening Hymn:** “*Holy, Holy, Holy*” 507

Invocation: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **C:** *Amen.*

P: O Lord, open my lips.	C: <i>And my mouth will declare Your praise.</i>
P: Make haste, O God, to deliver me;	C: <i>Make haste to help me, O Lord.</i>
P: God the Father, made the Plan	C: <i>He gave to us the Plan of the Gospel.</i>
P: Jesus carried out the Plan.	C: <i>He died on the Cross for our sins</i>
P: The Holy Spirit makes the Plan a part of our lives	C: <i>He opens our hearts</i>
P: The Father Son and Holy Spirit	C: <i>The Holy Trinity that grants life</i>
P: Our God made, carried out, and brought	C: <i>His plan of salvation to us.</i>
P: This is the day the Lord has made	C: <i>We will rejoice and be glad in it.</i>

Confession and Absolution: pg. 184-185 *///* **The Introit:** *Psalm 8*

P: O Lord, Our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth! **C:** *You have set Your glory above the heavens.*

P: From the lips of children and infants **C:** *You have ordained praise because of Your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger.*

P: When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have set in place, what is man that You are mindful of him, the son of man that You care for him? **C:** *You made him a little lower than the heavenly beings and crowned him with glory and honor.*

P: You made him ruler over the works of Your hands; You put everything under his feet: **C:** *All flocks and herds, and the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, all that swim the paths of the seas.*

P: O Lord, our Lord, **C:** *How majestic is Your name in all the earth!*

Gloria Patri: Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to the God the Son, Glory be to God the Spirit, Great Jehovah Three in One! Glory, Glory, While eternal ages run. (LSB 506)

Kyrie: Have mercy on Your people, Lord. Have mercy Christ, Our King (LSB 733) Renew us by Your mercy, Lord; Accept the prayers we bring.

Gloria: Alleluia! Sing to Jesus; His the scepter, His the throne; Alleluia! His the triumph, (LSB 851) His the victory alone. Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion Thunder like a mighty flood: “Jesus out of ev’ry nation Has redeemed us by His blood.”

P: The Lord be with you. **C:** *And with your spirit.*

Collect: Almighty and everlasting God, You have given us grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith and to worship the Unity in the power of the Divine Majesty. Keep us steadfast in this faith and defend us from all adversities; for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God, now and forever. **C:** *Amen.*

Hymn: “*O God, O Lord of Heaven and Earth*” 834

O.T. Lesson: *Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31* *///* **N.T. Lesson:** *Acts 2: 14a, 22-36*

Holy Gospel: *John 8: 48-59* *///* **Confession of Faith:** *Apostle’s Creed (back of hymnal)*

Sermon Hymn: “*Christ, The Word of God Incarnate*” 540

Children’s Sermon *///* **Sermon**

Confessional Hymn: “*In God We Believe*” (802)

In God we believe: the Creator whose pow’r In mercy has brought us renewal this hour
In Jesus, the Savior, our hope is secure True God and True Man once the cross He endured

God’s Spirit at work in our lives we confess: With power and truth the church now He does bless
As saints, God’s forgiven, one day we shall then Be living in glory forever. Amen.

Offering brought to the Altar

Prayers: The families of Korff, Russell, Logan, Larry and Charlie; Korff, Warren, Mary, Aaron and Kim; Krietemeyer, Helen.

Lord’s Prayer: (Back of Hymnal)

Closing Hymn: “*O Blessed Light, O Trinity*” 890

Closing Collect: *Heavenly Father, You grant us Your Spirit to open our eyes and enlighten our minds to serve You and fellow believers; lead us by Your Spirit to enable us to witness of Your love, live according to Your will, bring Your Word of life to others, rejoice in the goodness You have showered upon us, and reflect Your love in how we reach out to others; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.*

Benediction

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Kirk Horstmeyer , Pastor
Matthew Wilson, Organist

THIS WEEK

TODAY: Worship w/HC 8 am, SS 9:10 am, Worship w/HC 10:15 am
THURSDAY: Bible Study 9:30 am & 6 pm
Next SATURDAY: Worship w/HC 5:30 pm
Next SUNDAY: Worship 8 am, SS 9:10 am, Worship 10:15 am

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE: WEEKLY ATTENDANCE: Sat, June 4: 39 LS: 31; Sunday, June 5: 8 am:68 LS: 50; 10:15 am: 49 LS: 35

MEMBER PRAYER LIST: Next Sat and Sun we will be praying for the following Krietemeyer, Zachary, Ashlie, Aaron, Ryder and Ava; LaMar, Scott and Jerrilee; and Lane, Clay, Paige and Briley.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL -- GOD WORKS WONDERS:

Calling ALL children 2 years thru 6th grade (completed). June 20-23, Dinner at 5:30 pm, VBS 6-8 pm. Come and learn about how God Works Wonders with Miss Christian Wrucke and Pastor in our own Science Lab. If you would like to Volunteer please contact Pam Wrucke.



SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS: All Children's Sunday School classes will be held through the month of June. We will be pausing Sunday School for the months of July and August. Sunday School will resume on Rally Day. (Date to be announced) We appreciate our Volunteers that teach our children each week and want to Thank them for their generosity. Also, if you would like to Volunteer we'd appreciate your help. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Ann Welte 812-459-3903.

TRUSTEE ANNOUNCEMENT: The Trustees would like to request that liquids of coffee, soft drinks, juice boxes or other beverages (besides plain water) and food not be brought into the sanctuary at any time. We ask if this is an unavoidable instance, please go to the cry room or other area to have the drink and food. The windows in the cry room open, so that you may still hear the sermon. ***This is not directed to baby bottle use.

The church does have a pest service. We will have them take extra precautions when treating the areas of concern.

This is requested due to snacks being left on the floors and in the pews and ants have found their way to them (in the pew). Also, drinks have been spilled in-between the pews and left stains on the carpet.

If you have any questions please talk to one of our Trustee members: Waverlyn Karch, Dave Shirley, Darrin Bailey, Paul Kohlman, Gaylen Farney or Dylan Vandergriff.

COMMUNITY

LUTHERAN CENTER FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY - The Rev. Dr. Gregory Seltz, the Executive Director of the LCRL is coming to Evansville on June 18th. He was formerly a speaker for the Lutheran Hour. On Saturday, June 18th he will speak at Redeemer Lutheran Church from 9-10:30 AM to discuss the work of the LCRL and why it is important to the church. All are invited to come listen to him. More info on his visit and what the LCRL will follow in the next few weeks.

Are you Volunteering anywhere?

Contact me about how to make a difference in the lives of others:

Companionship/Family Support/Praying/Reading Scripture/Music/Walks /Administrative/Quilts & Blankets
VOLUNTEERS are trained and the hours are flexible and determined by you.

Contact Kathy Masterson for further detailskmasterson@heritagehospice.org or call 812 475-9712

Volunteers are not paid because they are worthless, but because they are PRICELESS!

THE HOLY TRINITY

Old Testament Reading: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

- 1 Does not wisdom call?
Does not understanding raise her voice?
2 On the heights beside the way,
at the crossroads she takes her stand;
3 beside the gates in front of the town,
at the entrance of the portals she cries
aloud:
4 "To you, O men, I call,
and my cry is to the children of man. . . .
22 "The LORD possessed me at the beginning of
his work,
the first of his acts of old.
23 Ages ago I was set up,
at the first, before the beginning of the
earth.
24 When there were no depths I was brought
forth,
when there were no springs abounding
with water.
25 Before the mountains had been shaped,
before the hills, I was brought forth,
26 before he had made the earth with its fields,
or the first of the dust of the world.
27 When he established the heavens, I was
there;
when he drew a circle on the face of the
deep,
28 when he made firm the skies above,
when he established the fountains of the
deep,
29 when he assigned to the sea its limit,
so that the waters might not transgress his
command,
when he marked out the foundations of the
earth,
30 then I was beside him, like a master work
man,
and I was daily his delight,
rejoicing before him always,
31 rejoicing in his inhabited world
and delighting in the children of man."

Second Reading: Acts 2:14a, 22-36

¹⁴Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, . . .

²²"Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know—²³this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. ²⁴God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. ²⁵For David says concerning him,

"I saw the Lord always before me,
for he is at my right hand that I may not
be shaken;

- ²⁶ therefore my heart was glad, and my
tongue rejoiced;
my flesh also will dwell in hope.

²⁷ For you will not abandon my soul to Hades,
or let your Holy One see corruption.

- ²⁸ You have made known to me the paths of
life;
you will make me full of gladness with
your presence.'

²⁹"Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, ³¹he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. ³²This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. ³³Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. ³⁴For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says,

"The Lord said to my Lord,
"Sit at my right hand,

- ³⁵ until I make your enemies your footstool."

³⁶Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

Holy Gospel: John 8:48-59

⁴⁸The Jews answered [Jesus], "Are we not right in saying that you are a Samaritan and have a demon?" ⁴⁹Jesus answered, "I do not have a demon, but I honor my Father, and you dishonor me. ⁵⁰Yet I do not seek my own glory; there is One who seeks it, and he is the judge. ⁵¹Truly, truly, I say to you, if anyone keeps my word, he will never see death." ⁵²The Jews said to him, "Now we know that you have a demon! Abraham died, as did the prophets, yet you say, 'If anyone keeps my word, he will never taste death.' ⁵³Are you greater than our father Abraham, who died? And the prophets died! Who do you make yourself out to be?" ⁵⁴Jesus answered, "If I glorify myself, my glory is nothing. It is my Father who glorifies me, of whom you say, 'He is our God.' ⁵⁵But you have not known him. I know him. If I were to say that I do not know him, I would be a liar like you, but I do know him and I keep his word. ⁵⁶Your father Abraham rejoiced that he would see my day. He saw it and was glad." ⁵⁷So the Jews said to him, "You are not yet fifty years old, and have you seen Abraham?" ⁵⁸Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am." ⁵⁹So they picked up stones to throw at him, but Jesus hid himself and went out of the temple.