

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 3rd Sunday after Pentecost
Church Phone: 812-867-5088 — June 26, 2022 – 8 a.m.
Order of Morning Worship

Opening Prayer /// **Opening Hymn:** “*The Day Thou Gavest*” 886

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 16*

P: Keep me safe, O God, for in You I take refuge. **C:** *I said to the Lord, “You are my Lord; apart from You I have no good thing.”*

P: As for the saints who are in the land, they are the glorious ones in whom is all my delight. **C:** *The sorrows of those will increase who run after other gods. I will not pour out their libations of blood or take up their names on my lips.*

P: Lord, You have assigned me my portion and my cup; You have made my lot secure. **C:** *The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have a delightful inheritance.*

P: I will praise the Lord, who counsels me; even at night my heart instructs me. **C:** *Because He is at my right hand, I will not be shaken.*

P: Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoice; my body also will rest secure, because You will not abandon me to the grave, nor will You let Your Holy One see decay. **C:** *You have made known to me the path of life; You will fill me with joy in Your presence, with eternal pleasures at Your right hand.*

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: Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the
love of Your name and nourish us with all goodness that we may love and serve our neighbor;
through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one
God, now and forever. **C:** *Amen*

Hymn: “*God of the Prophets, Bless the Prophets’ Sons*” 682 vs, 1,3,5

O.T. Lesson: *1 Kings 19: 9b-21* /// **Epistle Lesson:** *Galatians 5: 1, 13-25*

Holy Gospel: *Luke 9:51-62* /// **Confession of Faith:** *Apostle’s Creed (back of hymnal)*

Sermon Hymn: “*O Christ, Who Called the Twelve*” 856 vs. 1-4

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 Lane, Jerry and Suzanne; Lane Matthew and Grayson; and
Letterman, Bob, Kim, Riley and Max.

Lord’s Prayer: (Back of Hymnal)

Closing Hymn: “*In Thee Is Gladness*” 818

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

Kirk Horstmeyer , Pastor
Matthew Wilson, Organist

THIS WEEK

TODAY: Worship w/HC 8 am, SS 9:10 am, Fund Raiser Meal 9 – 10 am, Worship w/HC 10:15 am
THURSDAY: Bible Study 9 am and 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: Sat, June 18: 43 LS: 35; Sunday, June 19: 8 am: 50 LS: 38; 10:15 am: 47 LS: 32

MEMBER PRAYER LIST: Next Sat and Sun we will be praying for the following Letterman, Robert and Elizabeth; Lousignont, Mike, Laura, Malia, Evan and Elise; and Mangold, Charlie.

THANK YOU: *A heartfelt thank you to all who serve doing the Card Ministry. Know that I truly appreciated it and know you are making a difference in the lives of those you reach out to. May God continue to bless each one of you and your efforts. Debbie Snow*

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.

COMMUNITY

PASTOR INSTALLATION: The members of St. John's Lutheran Church, Evanston, Indiana invite you to share with us in the joy of welcoming Reverend Steven A. Shank as pastor of our church. The installation service will be held on July 10, 2022 at 3 pm CST in our sanctuary. A reception will follow in the church fellowship hall.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Old Testament Reading:

1 Kings 19:9b-21

^{9b}Behold, the word of the LORD came to [Elijah], and he said to him, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" ¹⁰He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." ¹¹And he said, "Go out and stand on the mount before the LORD." And behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake. ¹²And after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. ¹³And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" ¹⁴He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." ¹⁵And the LORD said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. ¹⁶And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. ¹⁷And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. ¹⁸Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

¹⁹So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. ²⁰And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, "Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." And he said to him, "Go back again, for what have I done to you?" ²¹And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

Epistle: Galatians 5:1, 13-25

¹For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm

therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. . . .

¹³For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. ¹⁴For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." ¹⁵But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

¹⁶But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. ¹⁷For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. ¹⁸But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. ¹⁹Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, ²⁰idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, ²¹envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. ²²But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. ²⁴And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

²⁵If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

Holy Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

⁵¹When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. ⁵²And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the Samaritans, to make preparations for him. ⁵³But the people did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. ⁵⁴And when his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to tell fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" ⁵⁵But he turned and rebuked them. ⁵⁶And they went on to another village.

⁵⁷As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." ⁵⁸And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." ⁵⁹To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father." ⁶⁰And Jesus said to him, "Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." ⁶¹Yet another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home." ⁶²Jesus said to him, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."