



Welcome to all! Our mission at ILC: To thank, praise, honor and serve our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ as we gather and worship, grow in the Word, and serve God by serving people.

A special welcome to guests and visitors! May our time together be a blessing to you.

Information for Visitors ...

Coffee & Fellowship is available in the Lower Narthex each Sunday between services.

A Nursery is available from 8:30am-12:00pm for children through age 4. It is located in the hallway just outside the Narthex.

Children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

Elevator is located through the basement and the ushers' room in the sanctuary.

Sunday School is at 9:45am and all ages are welcome. Adult classes meet in the Conference Room, Parlor and Cry Room.

Red Worship Attendance pads are passed during the offering. Please take a moment to register your attendance. Visitors, please let us know if we can be of service to you.

Regular Worship Times: 7:45 & 11:00am – Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
8:45am – Contemporary Worship (Parish Hall)

HOLY COMMUNION

The sacrament is celebrated at all worship services every Sunday. All are welcome, believing that our Lord is present offering grace and forgiveness.

At 7:45 service you will be ushered forward to kneel at the railing. Please dispose of the cup in the pedestal baskets located on either side.

At 8:45 and 11:00 service you will commune by intinction, meaning you may dip the wafer in either the wine or grape juice or drink from the common cup.

Gluten-free wafers and/or white grape juice are available at all services.

Please Turn Off All Cell Phones & Pagers
Thank You!!

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

Amen.

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen

OPENING HYMN: “*Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*” **ELW 800**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Arise, Your Light Has Come!

1 A - rise, your light has come! The Spir - it's call o - bey;
2 A - rise, your light has come! Fling wide the pris - on door;
3 A - rise, your light has come! All you in sor - row born,
4 A - rise, your light has come! The moun - tains burst in song!

show forth the glo - ry of your God which shines on you to - day.
pro - claim the cap - tive's lib - er - ty, good tid - ings to the poor.
bind up the bro - ken - heart - ed ones and com - fort those who mourn.
Rise up like ea - gles on the wing, God's pow'r will make us strong.

Text: Ruth Duck, b. 1947
Music: FESTAL SONG, William H. Walter, 1825-1893
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Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray,

Almighty God, the resplendent light of your truth shines from the mountaintop into our hearts. Transfigure us by your beloved Son, and illumine the world with your image, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen

First Reading 2 Kings 2:1-12

Today's reading centers on the transfer of power and authority from the prophet Elijah to Elisha. Their travels, which retrace the path of Joshua back to Moab (the place where Moses died) and the parting of the waters, demonstrate that Elisha and Elijah are legitimate successors of the great prophet Moses.

¹Now when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. ²Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. ³The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he said, "Yes, I know; keep silent." ⁴Elijah said to him, "Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they came to Jericho. ⁵The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he answered, "Yes, I know; be silent." ⁶Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. ⁷Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. ⁸Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground. ⁹When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." ¹⁰He responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." ¹¹As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. ¹²Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

Psalm 50:1-6 (read responsively)

¹The mighty one, God the LORD, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

²Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God shines forth.

³Our God comes and does not keep silence, before him is a devouring fire, and a mighty tempest all around him.

⁴He calls to the heavens above and to the earth, that he may judge his people:

⁵"Gather to me my faithful ones, who made a covenant with me by sacrifice!"

⁶The heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge.

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

The spotlight of Christian ministry is not on the people who carry out ministry but on the Lord Jesus Christ. Just as God made light shine out of darkness at creation, God makes the light of Jesus Christ shine in our lives through Christian ministry.

³Even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. ⁴In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. ⁵For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. ⁶For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (11:00)

VERSE

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. *Repeat alleluia*
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

Gospel Mark 9:2-9

Mark's gospel presents the transfiguration as a preview of what would become apparent to Jesus' followers after he rose from the dead. Confused disciples are given a vision of God's glory manifest in the beloved Son.

²Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, ³and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. ⁴And there

appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. ⁵Then Peter said to Jesus, “Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.” ⁶He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. ⁷Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, “This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!” ⁸Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus. ⁹As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

P: The gospel of the Lord

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY *“Beautiful Savior”*

ELW 838

(@ 11:00 Congregation sings verse 1 & 4 – Choir verse 2 & 3)

APOSTLE’S CREED

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s 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 to the dead.* On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers of the Church

P: Lord in your mercy,

C: **Hear our prayer.**

PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY



Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be
fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of all; u -
nite them with the prayers we of - fer. Grace our ta - ble with your
pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray,

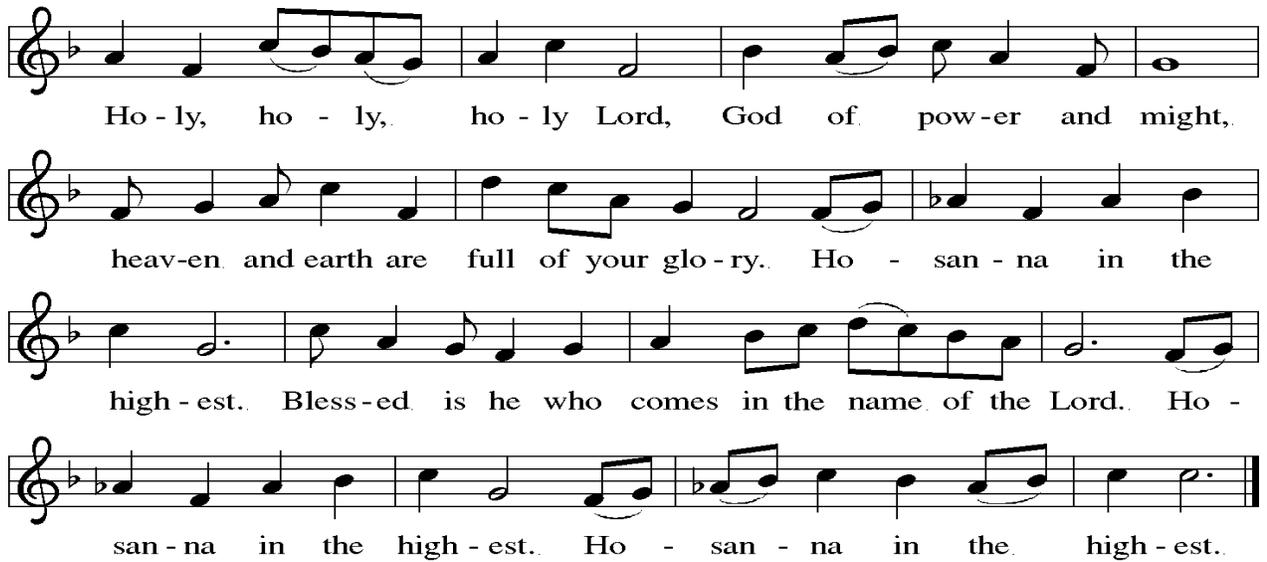
C: Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

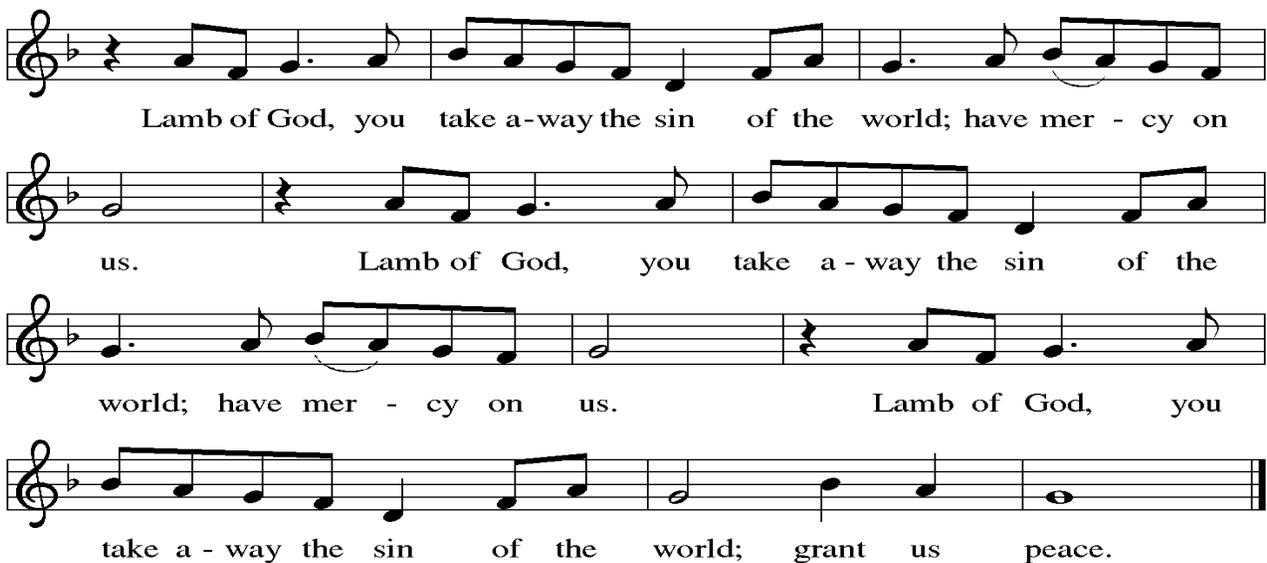


Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: 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



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you
take a - way the sin of the world; grant us peace.

Hymns during Communion

“Christ, Be Our Light”

ELW 715

“How Good, Lord, to Be Here!”

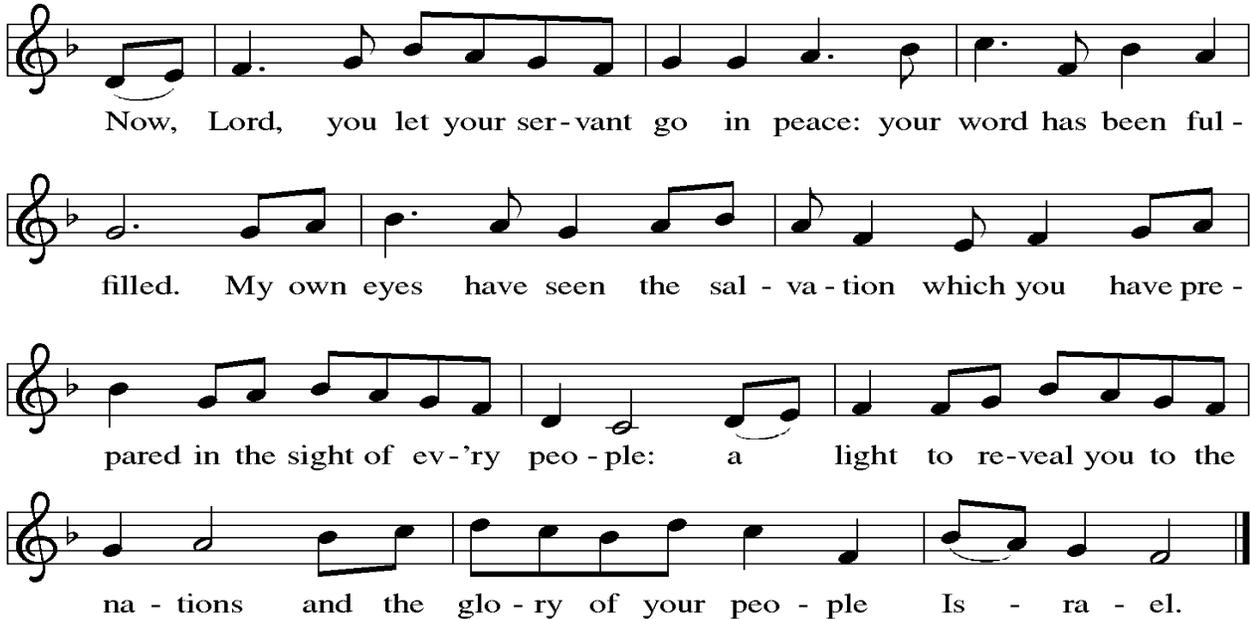
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“O Savior, Precious Savior”

ELW 820

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace.

C: Amen



Now, Lord, you let your ser-vant go in peace: your word has been fulfilled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have prepared in the sight of ev-'ry peo - ple: a light to re-veal you to the na - tions and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P: We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

BLESSING

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen

CLOSING HYMN *“Alleluia, Song of Gladness”*

ELW 318

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!



Mission Statement

To thank, praise, honor and serve our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ as we gather and worship, grow in the Word, and serve God by serving people.

GATHER and Worship

Please pray for these ILC members:

Norman Weiss	Elois Sakewitz	Marie Davis	Andy Shuvalov
Glenn Herzog	Willie Mae Burns	Max Kuempel	Mildred Huebel
Ellie Diemicke	Marie Randig	LaDell Freudenberg	Ruth Pfennig
Samantha Mullin	Hal Kuempel	Billie Becker	Peyton Montandon

Please also pray for these friends & extended family members:

Thomas O'scier	Seth Munk	Rodney Reed	Mike Emken
Judy Emken	Camryn Adkison	Calen Stewart	Diane Miller
Mickey Elsner	Katie Swarts	Randall Foley	Diana Mitschke
Evangeline Neese	Sandy Bailey	Ben Grumbine	Brianna Bonnet
Mathilda Machicek	Hazel Byrd	Mary Hufstedler	Therese Espejo
Rev. Mark & Sharon Gruebmeier		Evelyn Wuensche	Matthew Sachs

Pedestal Flowers are placed by Pastor Tom in thanksgiving to God for Renee on her birthday today, February 11.

Chapel Flowers are placed to the glory of God in loving memory of Ruby Pfluger by her family.

This Week's Gatherings:

Mon.	"Beautiful Feet" Bible Study – Conference Room	4:00pm
	Historical Committee Meeting – Conference Room	6:30pm
Tues.	UP – Parish Hall	9:00am-3:00pm
	Day School Board Meeting – Conference Room	6:00pm
	Committee Night	7:00pm
Wed.	UP – Narthex	9:00am-3:00pm
	Ash Wednesday Services – Chapel & Sanctuary	10:00am & 6:30pm
	Tired & Retired	11:30am
Thurs.	UP – Parish Hall	9:00am-3:00pm
Sat.	Youth Spring Fundraiser – Parish Hall	5:30pm
Sun.	Traditional Worship Service – Chapel & Sanctuary	7:45 & 11:00am
	Contemporary Worship Service – Parish Hall	8:45am
	Sunday School for all ages	9:45am
	Domino Group – Narthex	2:00pm
	Pre-Synod Assembly Conference Meeting – Parish Hall	3:00pm

“Yellow Brick House” Food Pantry continues to be open weekly and needs: We ask that you prayerfully consider helping with this ministry through the offering plate or by supplying any of the following items: 10 boxes cereal (frosted flakes or corn chex); 3 boxes ritz crackers; 10 loaves of BREAD; 10 cans fruit cocktail (29 oz. size); 10 Hormel Compleats (single serve entree); 10 boxes desserts (swiss rolls or fancy cakes); 10 bottles vegetable or canola oil); 10 boxes kraft “tangy” spaghetti kit; 6 tall cans salmon.

Backpack Ministry provides a small bag of food for at-need elementary school kids at Ruth Barron Elementary School each Friday. Please prayerfully consider donating any of the following items: single serve mac and cheese; canned chicken noodle soup; instant oatmeal packets or cups; fruit cups, individual servings; ramen cups; peanut butter crackers; popcorn, individual bags; granola bars; fruit snacks; goldfish crackers; shelf-stable milk (8 oz. boxes, any flavor).

Tired and Retired will get together this Wednesday, February 14, at 11:30 a.m. for potluck. Please come join us and wear your favorite valentine shirt.

This is the last Sunday to get your raffle tickets for the \$500 Southwest Airlines Gift Card. Raffle tickets are \$10 each. If a youth member approaches you, please consider supporting the youth ministry of ILC. This is the biggest fundraiser of the year and helps support youth activities, mission trips and camp experiences.

Come enjoy an evening of food and fun this Saturday, Feb 17, for the **Spring Youth Ministry Fundraiser** event. Doors open at 5:30 and a fajita dinner will be served at 6pm. Raffle drawing, silent auction, live auction and Chicken Poop BINGO! There will be supervised activities in the gym for 5th grade and under. You won't want to miss this fun evening!!

The Technology Committee spent their Christmas vacation installing a new WiFi network! There were 8 access points installed throughout the campus along with another switch. This should significantly reduce dead spots & provide a seamless transition for mobile devices as they move across campus. To join the network with your device, choose: **Network: ILC_Pville-Guest Password : ilc-1874**
Kudos to Ralph Kirkley & Martin Jakubowski for installing & configuring the new network.

LWR Kits: Please help Immanuel women collect items for Lutheran World Relief Baby Care Kits during February. Items needed in size 6 months-24 months are the following: lightweight cotton t-shirts, gowns, sleepers, receiving blankets, cloth diapers, jackets, sweaters, sweatshirts, socks, hand towels, and soap. Thanks for serving others.

Council is seeking 4 additional volunteers to serve on the Nominating Committee. The job of the committee is to find candidates for next year's Church Council, and while you may gauge people's interest throughout the year, most of your work will be in the fall.

1st Communion Class – Any 4th or 5th grader (or beyond) that would like to participate are invited to do so. If you have a younger than 4th grader and would like to consider participating, please talk to Katie. Classes will meet Feb 21st; 28th; Mar. 7th & 21st from 5:45-6:25pm before Lenten Worship. 1st Communion will take place during Maundy Thursday Worship at 6:30pm. Please RSVP to Katie if you or your young person plan to attend.

The Capital North Conference of the Southwestern Texas Synod, ELCA, will hold its pre-Synod Assembly meeting here at Immanuel next Sunday, February 18, at 3:00 p.m. The procedure to elect a new Bishop at the May assembly will be discussed and the nomination process begun. All ILC members are welcome. The Holy Smokers will provide a meal following the meeting. If you plan to attend, please let Pastor Tom know asap at pastortom@ilcpville.org or 512-251-4494.

Ash Wednesday is February 14th and begins the season of Lent. Holy Communion services with the imposition of ashes will be offered at 10:00am in the Chapel and at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. Our Wednesday mid-week Lenten services will follow the same schedule the next five weeks with soup and sandwiches served in the Parish Hall beginning at 5:15 p.m. (note, no dinner will be served Ash Wednesday).

Our Lenten Theme this year will be "Thy Will Be Done." Each week, biblical characters will guide us in following our Lord more nearly day by day. Here are the weekly themes and the cast of characters:

Week 1, "God's Will and My Inadequacy: Moses."

Week 2, "God's Will and My Dreams: Nathan."

Week 3, "God's Will and my Identity: Mary."

Week 4, "God's Will and My Worldview: Paul."

Week 5, "God's Will and My Response: Lydia."

Last Sunday's Worship Attendance: Early: 55 – Middle: 129 – Late: 100

Last Sunday's Sunday School Attendance: Children/Youth: 46 – Adults: 14

Serving Today Feb 11th

Organists: Joy Arnhamn and Vernagene Mott
Choir Director: Renee Kesselring
Acolytes: Elliott Weiss & Emerson Perisho (7:45)
Connor Herring & Taryn Bittick (11:00)
Feb. Elders: Marie Davis (early) Steve Barczi (middle) David Gifford (late)
Readers: Candy Hansen (7:45) **1 needed** (8:45) Kenneth Adix (11:00)
Communion Assts: Candy Hansen (7:45) **4 needed** (8:45) **3 needed** (11:00)
Chapel Assts: Carlton & Marilyn Lorfing, Ralph Kirkley (7:45)
Bruce Freudenberg (11:00)
Ushers: **4 needed** (7:45) **4 needed** (8:45) **4 needed** (11:00)
Children's Message: Melissa Malinowski (8:45) Debbie Wiederhold (11:00)
Console/Projectionist: Brent Reeder (7:45) Rick Cox (8:45) Charles Kleen (11:00)
Coffee Maker: Mark Mueller
Altar Guild: Bonnie & Mark Sassman, Kirsten Tindall

Serving Ash Wednesday @ 6:30pm:

Acolytes: Reese Krause & Haidyn Damstrom
Communion Assts: **2 needed**
Ushers: **4 needed**
Console Operator: Vera Gebert
Altar Guild: Betty Reinhardt, Shelley Priem, Courtney Emken

Serving Next Week (Feb 18th)

Organists: Joy Arnhamn and Vernagene Mott
Choir Director: Renee Kesselring
Acolytes: Alyssa Motloch & Marah Kluge (7:45)
Jacqueline & Catherine Kruse (11:00)
Feb. Elders: Marie Davis (early) Steve Barczi (middle) David Gifford (late)
Readers: Annyce Bohls (7:45) **1 needed** (8:45) 1 needed (11:00)
Communion Assts: Annyce Bohls (7:45) Steve Barczi, **3 needed** (8:45) Grace Lin,
1 needed (11:00)
Chapel Assts. Carlton & Marilyn Lorfing, Ralph Kirkley (7:45) J.B. Marshall (11:00)
Ushers: **4 needed** (7:45) Steve Barczi, **3 needed** (8:45) **4 needed** (11:00)
Children's Message: Puppets (8:45) Rebecca Dittmar (11:00)
Console/Projectionist: Matthew Krieg (7:45) Rick Cox (8:45) Charles Kleen (11:00)
Coffee Maker: Mark Mueller
Altar Guild: Bonnie & Mark Sassman, Kirsten Tindall

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

1 Spir - it of God, de - scend up - on my heart;
 2 I ask no dream, no proph - et ec - sta - sies,
 3 Have you not bid me love you, God and King;
 4 Teach me to love you as your an - gels love,

wean it from earth, through all its puls - es move;
 no sud - den rend - ing of the veil of clay,
 all, all your own, soul, heart, and strength, and mind?
 one ho - ly pas - sion fill - ing all my frame:

stoop to my weak - ness, strength to me im - part,
 no an - gel vis - i - tant, no op - 'ning skies;
 I see your cross; there teach my heart to cling.
 the bap - tism of the heav'n - de - scend - ed dove,

and make me love you as I ought to love.
 but take the dim - ness of my soul a - way.
 Oh, let me seek you and, oh, let me find!
 my heart an al - tar, and your love the flame.

Text: George Croly, 1780-1860
 Music: MORECAMBE, Frederick C. Atkinson, 1841-1897

Beautiful Savior

1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion,
 2 Fair are the mead - ows, fair are the wood - lands,
 3 Fair is the sun - shine, fair is the moon - light,
 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions,

Son of God and Son of Man!
 robbed in flow'rs and of bloom - ing spring;
 bright the spar - kling stars on high;
 Son of God and Son of Man!

Tru - ly I'd love thee, tru - ly I'd serve thee,
 Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er,
 Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er
 Glo - ry and hon - or, praise, ad - o - ra - tion,

light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
 he makes our sor - rowing spir - it sing.
 than all the an - gels in the sky.
 now and for - ev - er - more be thine!

Text: *Gesangbuch*, Münster, 1677; tr. Joseph A. Seiss, 1823–1904
 Music: SCHÖNSTER HERR JESU, Silesian folk tune, 19th cent.

Christ, Be Our Light



1 Long - ing for light, we wait in dark - ness. Long - ing for
 2 Long - ing for peace, our world is trou - bled. Long - ing for
 3 Long - ing for food, man - y are hun - gry. Long - ing for
 4 Long - ing for shel - ter, man - y are home - less. Long - ing for
 5 Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple, man - y the



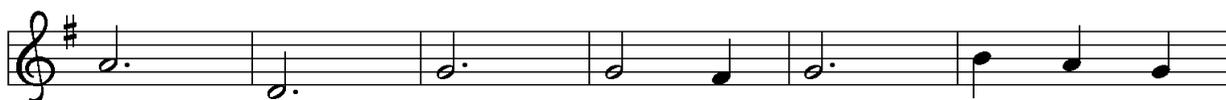
truth, we turn to you. Make us your own,
 hope, man - y de - spair. Your word a - lone
 wa - ter, man - y still thirst. Make us your bread,
 warmth, man - y are cold. Make us your build - ing,
 hearts that yearn to be - long. Let us be ser - vants



your ho - ly peo - ple, light for the world to see.
 has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv - ing voice.
 bro - ken for oth - ers, shared un - til all are fed.
 shel - ter - ing oth - ers, walls made of liv - ing stone.
 to one an - oth - er, signs of your king - dom come.



Refrain
 Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the



dark - ness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your



church gath - ered to - day.

Text: Bernadette Farrell, b. 1957
 Music: CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT, Bernadette Farrell
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How Good, Lord, to Be Here!

1 How good, Lord, to be here! Your glo - ry fills the night;
2 How good, Lord, to be here, your beau - ty to be - hold
3 Ful - fill - er of the past and hope of things to be,
4 Be - fore we taste of death, we see your king - dom come;
5 How good, Lord, to be here! Yet we may not re - main;

your face and gar - ments, like the sun, shine with un - bor - rowed light.
where Mo - ses and E - li - jah stand, your mes - sen - gers of old.
we hail your bod - y glo - ri - fied and our re - demp - tion see.
we long to hold the vi - sion bright and make this hill our home.
but since you bid us leave the mount, come with us to the plain.

Text: Joseph A. Robinson, 1858-1933, alt.
Music: POTSDAM, W. Mercer, *The Church Psalter and Hymn Book*, 1854

O Savior, Precious Savior

1 O Sav - ior, pre - cious Sav - ior, whom yet un - seen we love;
 2 O bring - er of sal - va - tion, who won - drous - ly hast wrought,
 3 In thee all full - ness dwell - eth, all grace and pow'r di - vine;
 4 Oh, grant the con - sum - ma - tion of this our song a - bove,

O name of might and fa - vor, all oth - er names a - bove:
 thy - self the rev - e - la - tion of love be - yond our thought:
 the glo - ry that ex - cel - leth, O Son of God, is thine.
 in end - less ad - o - ra - tion and ev - er - last - ing love;

we wor - ship thee; we bless thee; to thee a - lone we sing;
 we wor - ship thee; we bless thee; to thee a - lone we sing;
 We wor - ship thee; we bless thee; to thee a - lone we sing;
 then shall we praise and bless thee where per - fect prais - es ring,

we praise thee and con - fess thee, our ho - ly Lord and King.
 we praise thee and con - fess thee, our gra - cious Lord and King.
 we praise thee and con - fess thee, our glo - rious Lord and King.
 and ev - er - more con - fess thee, our Sav - ior and our King!

Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836–1879
 Music: ANGEL'S STORY, Arthur H. Mann, 1850–1929

Alleluia, Song of Gladness

1 Al - le - lu - ia, song of glad - ness, voice of joy that can - not die;
 2 Al - le - lu - ia you are sound - ing, true Je - ru - sa - lem and free;
 3 Al - le - lu - ia can - not al - ways be our song while here be - low;
 4 In our hymns we pray with long - ing: Grant us, bless - ed Trin - i - ty,

al - le - lu - ia is the an - them ev - er dear to choirs on high;
 al - le - lu - ia, joy - ful moth - er, bring us to your ju - bi - lee;
 al - le - lu - ia our trans - gres - sions make us for a while for - go;
 at the last to keep glad Eas - ter with the faith - ful saints on high;

in the house of God a - bid - ing thus they sing e - ter - nal - ly.
 here by Bab - y - lon's sad wa - ters mourn - ing ex - iles still are we.
 for the sol - emn time is com - ing when our tears for sin shall flow.
 there to you for - ev - er sing - ing al - le - lu - ia joy - ful - ly.

Text: Latin hymn, 11th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818–1866, alt.
 Music: PRAISE, MY SOUL, John Goss, 1800–1880