

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sebewaing

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 5, 2026

9:00 am

Divine Service 4

Announcements

Hymn – *Comfort, Comfort Ye My People*

LSB 347

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Invocation, Confession and Absolution

Introit

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High
will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.

I will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress,
my God, in whom I trust."

Because you have made the Lord your dwelling place—
the Most High, who is my refuge—
no evil shall be allowed to befall you,
no plague come near your tent.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High
will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.

Kyrie

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Gloria In Excelsis

Salutation and Collect

Gracious God, our heavenly Father, Your mercy attends us all our days. Be our strength and support amid the wearisome changes of this world, and at life's end grant us Your promised rest and the full joys of Your salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The First Reading – ***Zechariah 9.9-12***

The Gradual

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!

How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

For from him and through him and to him are all things.

To him be glory forever. Amen.

The Epistle – ***Romans 7:14-25a***

Children’s Sermon

Alleluia & Verse

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The Gospel – ***Matthew 11:25-30***

Apostles’ Creed

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Hymn – ***O Little Flock, Fear Not the Foe***

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Sermon

Prayer of the Church

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Preface

Sanctus

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord’s Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Agnus Dei



Distribution Hymns

Your Table I Approach

LSB 628

O Savior, Precious Savior

LSB 527

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

LSB 803

Nunc Dimittis

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Post-Communion Collect

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Benediction

Closing Hymn – ***Just as I Am, without One Plea***

LSB 570

Zechariah 9:9-12

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!
Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!
behold, your king is coming to you;
righteous and having salvation is he,
humble and mounted on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.
¹⁰I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim
and the war horse from Jerusalem;
and the battle bow shall be cut off,
and he shall speak peace to the nations;
his rule shall be from sea to sea,
and from the River to the ends of the
earth.
¹¹As for you also, because of the blood of my
covenant with you,
I will set your prisoners free from the
waterless pit.
¹²Return to your stronghold, O prisoners of
hope;
today I declare that I will restore to you
double.

Romans 7:14-25a

We know that the law is spiritual, but I am
of the flesh, sold under sin. ¹⁵I do not
understand my own actions. For I do not do
what I want, but I do the very thing I
hate. ¹⁶Now if I do what I do not want, I agree
with the law, that it is good. ¹⁷So now it is no
longer I who do it, but sin that dwells within
me. ¹⁸For I know that nothing good dwells in
me, that is, in my flesh. For I have the desire to
do what is right, but not the ability to carry it
out. ¹⁹For I do not do the good I want, but the
evil I do not want is what I keep on doing. ²⁰Now
if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I who
do it, but sin that dwells within me.
²¹So I find it to be a law that when I want to
do right, evil lies close at hand. ²²For I delight in
the law of God, in my inner being, ²³but I see in
my members another law waging war against

the law of my mind and making me captive to
the law of sin that dwells in my
members. ²⁴Wretched man that I am! Who will
deliver me from this body of death? ²⁵Thanks be
to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!

Matthew 11:25-30

At that time Jesus declared, "I thank you,
Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that you have
hidden these things from the wise and
understanding and revealed them to little
children; ²⁶yes, Father, for such was your
gracious will. ²⁷All things have been handed
over to me by my Father, and no one knows the
Son except the Father, and no one knows the
Father except the Son and anyone to whom the
Son chooses to reveal him. ²⁸Come to me, all
who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give
you rest. ²⁹Take my yoke upon you, and learn
from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and
you will find rest for your souls. ³⁰For my yoke is
easy, and my burden is light."

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Who Should Commune?

In the Sacrament of the Altar we receive, as Christ says, His true body and His true blood for the forgiveness of our sins. Those who come to the Lord's Supper at this altar, are those who: 1 **Repent** of their sins, and earnestly seek to live according to God's will. 2 **Trust** the Word of Christ that His body and blood are truly present and received here for forgiveness. 3 **Confess** the faith of the Lutheran Church- Missouri Synod, as a member of this congregation or a member of another LCMS congregation. If you have questions about our communion practice, please speak to the pastor or an elder.