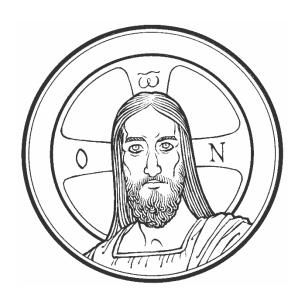
# **Holy Trinity**

Sunday, June 15, 2025



# Immanuel Lutheran Church

SEBEWAING, MICHIGAN



The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

Faithful to God's Word - We receive, celebrate and share Jesus Christ.

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### **Sunday Worship**

9:00 am
with
LIVESTREAM –
FB & YOUTUBE
and RADIO – 103.7 FM

# Monday Worship

6:30 pm



A Stephen Ministry Congregation

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#### Colossians 3:2

..."Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things."

#### **FLOWERS**

...behind the altar were given in honor of all the hard working fathers we celebrate today.

#### **OUTDOOR SERVICES**

...Elders have planned for two outdoor worship services this summer: July 13 and August 10. These services will not have communion but as they fall on the second Sunday of the month...they will include the potluck Enriching Lutheran Fellowship breakfasts before service beginning at 8am! Bring a dish to pass, a chair to sit in for the service and enjoy beautiful outdoor services and fellowship.

#### AMERICAN RED CROSS BOOD DRIVE

...Son's Life Missionary Church at 1W Main Street in Sebewaing will be hosting a blood drive on Tuesday, June 24 from 1-5:45pm. To schedule an appointment log on to RedCrossBlood.org (sponsor code USA) or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

...The funeral luncheon committee is looking for people who would be willing to join the committee to lend a helping hand at funeral luncheons. Not one to cook? That's ok! We also need helpers for set up and clean up. For more information, please contact Sheree at 989-550-468.

#### MICHIGAN DISTRICT SUNDAY

...Join us after church today during Bible Study as we welcome Laura Thomas, the Director of Development for the Michigan District. Laura will give a presentation about the work of the district and how we can work together in unity for the mission and ministry of the church. Hear about the history, mission and vision of the district, the district staff and ministry, available resources for the congregation and church workers and more!

#### **THANK YOU**

...Thank you so much to Tim Smith, Jeff Finkbeiner, Greg King and Traci Kuhl for taking down the big wooden cross, and to Anne Bell for all your help taking down the Easter decorations. I appreciate everyone's help. Have a great summer! God's Blessings, Ursula

#### **IN OUR PRAYERS**

#### + SPECIAL NEEDS

... John Volz, Cassie (Molina) Kerinuk, Loretta Tope, Marlene Faber, Warren Beers, Joan Walz, Gil & Joy Sprague, Nancy Pommerenke, Gary Volz, Nelda Gnagey, Chuck Dutcher, Emily Smith, LoAnn Rieman, Ernie Sbresney III, Sue McGathy, Jim Simmet, Barb Nitz, Collin Nitz, Frank Gunsell, Randy Forbing, Ian Faist, Wayne Morris, Karen Swartzendruber, Stephen Sprague, Scott Smith, Brenda Chambers, and Rick Chambers.

#### **CHURCH ATTENDANCE**

...Sunday, June 8, 2025; 9:00 – 140; Monday, 6:30 – 33

#### LISTEN TO THE LUTHERAN HOUR

...every Sunday morning on WLEW 1340AM at 11:10, WMIC AM 600 at 10:05 or SWAM AM 1340 at 8:30. Today's Lutheran Hour message is "Nothing He'd Rather Be Doing" with Lutheran Hour speaker Rev Dr Michael Zeigler. Jesus is a tireless Searcher with an affinity for finding lost people. (Psalm 8:4)

#### **BIBLE EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

- ...If your pocketbook is empty...Read Psalm 37
- ...If you're losing confidence in people...Read 1 Corinthians 13
- ...If people seem unkind...Read John 15
- ...If discouraged about your work...Read Psalm 126
- ...When you feel small...Read Psalm 19



# Our Lord's Business this Week June 15 – June 22

SUNDAY: 8:30 AM Music and Fellowship in the Great Room

9:00 AM WORSHIP/Communion

10:15 AM Bible Study

MONDAY: 5:00 PM Finance

6:30 PM WORSHIP/Communion

Online giving with Vanco



THURSDAY: 12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline

NEXT SUNDAY: 8:30 AM Music and Fellowship in the Great Room

9:00 AM WORSHIP/Communion

10:15 AM Bible Study

**SERVING NEXT WEEK (JUNE 22)** 

Acolytes: 9:00-Truman & Claire Modert Greeters: 9:00-Barb Neuman & Virginia Nitz

Scrip: 9:00-Traci Kuhl

Ushers: 9:00-GROUP 9: Neil Gaeth, Bruce Bach, Nicolas Lutz, Chuck McGathy, Tim Matthews, Dalton

Anderson, Peter Boyer, Bentley Bumhoffer, Dustin Kuhl

#### **Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sebewaing**

# The Holy Trinity

June 15, 2025 9:00 am

## **Divine Service 1**

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Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity.	
Let us give glory to him because he has shown his mercy to us.	
I have set the Lord always before me;	

Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure.

For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol,

or let your holy one see corruption.

You make known to me the path of life;

in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

Opening Hymn – *Holy*, *Holy*, *Holy* 

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity.

because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

Let us give glory to him because he has shown his mercy to us.

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#### Salutation and 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. **Amen.** 

The First Reading – <i>Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31</i>	
The Gradual The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart, the word of faith that we proclaim. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.	
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#### Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Does not wisdom call?

Does not understanding raise her voice? <sup>2</sup>On the heights beside the way,

at the crossroads she takes her stand; <sup>3</sup>beside the gates in front of the town,

at the entrance of the portals she cries aloud:

<sup>4</sup>"To you, O men, I call,

and my cry is to the children of man. . . .

<sup>22</sup>"The Lord possessed me at the beginning of his work,

the first of his acts of old.

<sup>23</sup>Ages ago I was set up,

at the first, before the beginning of the earth.

<sup>24</sup>When there were no depths I was brought forth,

when there were no springs abounding with water.

<sup>25</sup>Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth,
 <sup>26</sup>before he had made the earth with its fields, or the first of the dust of the world.
 <sup>27</sup>When he established the heavens, I was there;

when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,

<sup>28</sup>when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep,

<sup>29</sup>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,

<sup>30</sup>then I was beside him, like a master workman,

and I was daily his delight,

rejoicing before him always,

<sup>31</sup>rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the children of man."

#### Acts 2:14a, 22-36

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

<sup>22</sup>"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 vourselves know— <sup>23</sup>this Jesus, delivered up definite according to plan the foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. 4God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. <sup>25</sup>For David says concerning him, "'I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken; <sup>26</sup>therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; my flesh also will dwell in hope. <sup>27</sup>For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One see corruption. <sup>28</sup>You have made known to me the paths of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.'

<sup>29</sup>"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. 30 Being 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, <sup>31</sup>he 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, 35until I make your enemies your footstool.'

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

#### John 8:48-59

The Jews answered [Jesus], "Are we not right in saying that you are a Samaritan and have a demon?" <sup>49</sup>Jesus answered, "I do not have a demon, but I honor my Father, and you dishonor me. <sup>50</sup>Yet I do not seek my own glory; there is One who seeks it, and he is the judge. <sup>51</sup>Truly, truly, I say to you, if anyone keeps my word, he will never see death." <sup>52</sup>The 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.' <sup>53</sup>Are you greater than our father Abraham, who died? And the prophets died!

Who do you make yourself out to be?" <sup>54</sup>Jesus answered, "If I glorify myself, my glory is nothing. It is my Father who glorifies me, of whom you say, 'He is our God.' <sup>55</sup>But 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. <sup>56</sup>Your father Abraham rejoiced that he would see my day. He saw it and was glad." <sup>57</sup>So the Jews said to him, "You are not yet fifty years old, and have you seen Abraham?" <sup>58</sup>Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am." <sup>59</sup>So they picked up stones to throw at him, but Jesus hid himself and went out of the temple.

PREACHER: Rev Michael Boyer ELDERS: Ken Walz & Mike Zagata

ORGANIST: Barbara Bleck

ACOLYTES: Kenzie Armbruster & Mason Janke

GREETERS: Jerry & Sandy Gross SCRIP: Jo Anna Matthews

USHERS: GROUP 8: Mark Janke, George Eurich, Noah Eurich, Joshua Eurich, Dean Kuhl, Brian Rievert, Bruce Jubar,

Gary Wissner, Ben Abke

#### **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.



## Our Congregation at Prayer

Daily Scripture and Prayer To be Used in the Home Getting Ready for Proper 7 C Immanuel Lutheran Church

Theme for Sunday: Under the law we should be condemned forever, but Christ has come and sets us free from the law giving us salvation!

The following short order may be used for devotions at home during the week or Daily Prayer for individuals and families may be used in the hymnal (LSB page 294 and following).

#### Invocation

In the Name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

#### Introit for Second Sunday after Pentecost

Psalm 71.20-24; antiphon Psalm 71.3

Be to me a rock of refuge, to which I may continually come;

you have given the command to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.

You who have made me see many troubles and calamities will revive me again;

from the depths of the earth you will bring me up again.

You will increase my greatness and comfort me again.

I will also praise you with the harp for your faithfulness, O my God; I will sing praises to you with the lyre, O Holy One of Israel.

My lips will shout for joy, when I sing praises to you; my soul also, which you have redeemed.

And my tongue will talk of your righteous help all the day long, for they have been put to shame and disappointed who sought to do me hurt.

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.

Be to me a rock of refuge, to which I may continually come; you have given the command to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.



O God, You have prepared for those who love You such good things as surpass our understanding. Cast out all sins and evil desires from us, and pour into our hearts Your Holy Spirit to guide us into all blessedness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Gradual Romans 10.8b, 10

The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart, the word of faith that we proclaim.

For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.



The Psalm for Proper 7 C may be read (Psalm 3) or those printed below.

Daily Psalms	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	67	51	54	65	143	86	122
Evening	46; 93	85; 47	28; 99	125; 91	81; 116	6; 19	141; 90

#### Readings for next Sunday (see below) or these daily readings may be used

Holy Trinity	Numbers 35.9-30 (Acts 1.1-7.60)	Luke 24.28-53
June 16	Proverbs 16.1-24	John 16.1-16
June 17	Proverbs 17.1-28 (Prov 18.1-20.4)	John 16.17-33
June 18	Proverbs 20.5-25 (Prov 21.1-31)	John 17.1-26
June 19	Proverbs 22.1-21	John 18.1-14
June 20	Proverbs 22.22-23.12	John 18.15-40
June 21	Proverbs 24.1-22	John 19.1-22

#### Talk About Next Sunday's Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 65.1-9

How were the people sinning?

What was God going to do?

Was there any hope?

#### Talk About Next Sunday's Epistle Reading: Galatians 3.23-4.7

How does the law hold one captive?

How are we made children of God and heirs?

#### Talk About Next Sunday's Gospel Reading: John 8.26-39

Why would the unclean spirit come right up to Jesus?

What did Jesus do with the legion of demons?

What was the demon possessed man's reaction?

#### Catechism Selection (this may be read, recited, or spoken responsively)

#### The Sacrament of the Altar

What is the Sacrament of the Altar?

It is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ under the bread and wine, instituted by Christ Himself for us Christians to eat and to drink.

#### Where is this written?

The holy Evangelists Matthew, Mark, Luke, and St. Paul write: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me." In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

#### What is the benefit of this eating and drinking?

These words, "Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins," show us that in the Sacrament forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation are given us through these words. For where there is forgiveness of sins, there is also life and salvation.