

# Transfiguration

Sunday, February 15, 2026



## Immanuel Lutheran Church

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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 –

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and RADIO – 103.7 FM

### Monday Worship

6:30 pm



A Stephen  
Ministry Congregation

### WHO SHOULD COMMUNE HERE

...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 of another LCMS congregation. If you have questions about our communion practice, please speak to the pastor or an elder.

### 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

*...Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.*

### TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

...is having their drive-up carry out Hot Turkey Sandwich Lunch on Sunday, March 1 from 11:30am-1:30pm. Meal includes hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, coleslaw, corn and dessert. No need to get out of your car, just pull up under the carport in the alley and someone will take your order. Look for the sign on the Washington Street entrance.

### OFFICIAL COOKBOOK DEADLINE

...The Stewardship Board now has enough recipes to make a cookbook!! If you would like to participate there is still room for more, recipes can be turned in until **FEBRUARY 22**.

### DAY OF PRAYER

... L.W.M.L. Thumb Zone Day of Prayer is Tuesday, February 17th at 6 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, Forestville. Depending on the weather that day. Departure from Immanuel is 5:00 PM. Desserts to be served. Hope to see you there!

### THE FOLLOWING LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRY BOOKLETS

...are available for your use at the Evangelism Table in the Great Room: "How to Forgive", "Journey Through Depression", and "Let's Be Disciples, "You Are Gifted" (both for children). Pick one up today for yourself, your family or your friends!

### THANK YOU

...A very big and sincere thank you to Collide for the generous donation to Jimmy Jam. The children down at Mott's are blessed by your act of kindness! Thank you again and God's blessings to you, Ursula

## **IN OUR PRAYERS**

### **+ SPECIAL NEEDS**

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

### **CHURCH ATTENDANCE**

...Sunday, February 8, 2026; 9:00 – 142; Monday, 6:30 – 38

### **LISTEN TO THE LUTHERAN HOUR**

...every Sunday morning on WLEW 1340AM at 11:10, WMIC AM 660 at 10:05 or WSAM AM 1340 at 8:30. Today's Lutheran Hour message is "Up and Down the Mountain" with guest speaker Rev. Michael Schutz. Many voices compete for our attention, but above all, listen to the voice of Jesus and hear what He's done for you. (Matthew 17:1-9)

### **CHURCH BOARD OPENINGS**

...Good morning, everyone, it's that time of year again when Immanuel has openings for Church Boards. All boards have openings at this time. Openings are as follows: Elders-3, Trustees-3, Education-1, Stewardship-3, Evangelism-2, Youth-2, Finance-8. If anyone is interested in serving on a board please let the board chairperson, or me, know. If currently serving on a board and wish to re-run, please let your board chairperson know. Thanks, Jim Bratton, Ballot Committee Chairman.

### **1 PETER 4:10-11**

*As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace: <sup>11</sup>whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.*

### **FLOWERS**

...We are in need of someone to take over gathering orders, ordering from the florist, identifying and arranging flowers for Easter. Contact the church office – 989-883-3050 or Carol Truemner – 989-551-9942.

### **NOTE FROM THE 175TH COMMITTEE**

...Pastor Dan Hahn will be our keynote speaker on Feb. 21, 2027, for the celebratory service.

## **School News**

### **FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

...CTK A Basketball had a tournament at St. Lorenz last week. After some hard-fought games, they ended the weekend with a third-place finish. They continued with the TCLL tournament yesterday. Results from the TCLL will be in next week's bulletin.

...The annual CTK Spelling Bee has completed. Congratulations to Bentley Saenz who was the overall winner. 2nd place was Chance Bolzman, and 3rd place was Norah Matthews. These three, along with Eleanor Matthews (top speller for 6th grade) and Ella Sattelberg (top speller for 8th grade) will advance to the Lutheran Spelling Bee on February 19th, at St. Peter in Hemlock. Good luck spellers!

...CTK will be hosting a donation rummage sale this spring. The dates for the sale will be March 20 and 21. We will be collecting household items and decor, as well as shed and outdoor items, from March 9 to March 16. Donations can be dropped off at the Sebewaing campus. The ONLY clothing we will accept will be children and youth sizes. Proceeds from the sale will go to the Scholarship Fund. All donations are greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for your support!

...CTK is hiring a preschool aide. This person would be responsible for assisting our lead teachers in our program in support of the mission and ministry of Christ the King. This position would be part-time for the remainder of this school year, with possible full-time for next school year. Please email a resume to Jen Yoder at [prinicipal@ctkl.org](mailto:prinicipal@ctkl.org) or leave a message with the school office at 989-883-3730.

...CTK is in need of individuals to sub in our school. We need passionate, caring individuals to sub in our preschool room and our classrooms. Please contact the office at 989-883-3730 for qualifications.

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

SUNDAY:	8:30 AM	Music and Fellowship in the Great Room
	9:00 AM	<b>WORSHIP/Communion</b>
	10:15 AM	Sunday School & Bible Study
MONDAY:	CTK – No School	
	5:00 PM	Finance
	<b>6:30 PM</b>	<b>WORSHIP/Communion</b>
TUESDAY:	6:00 PM	Public School Confirmation Class
WEDNESDAY:	7:30 AM	Men's Bible Study at Lamplighter
	8:05 AM	Chapel
	4:00 PM	Newsletter Deadline
	5:30 PM	soup meager meal sponsored by Collide
	<b>6:30 PM</b>	<b>Ash Wednesday WORSHIP/C</b> – usher group 8
THURSDAY:	12:00 PM	Bulletin Deadline
NEXT SUNDAY:	8:30 AM	Music and Fellowship in the Great Room
	9:00 AM	<b>WORSHIP/Communion</b>
	10:15 AM	Sunday School & Bible Study

### SERVING NEXT WEEK (FEBURARY 22)

Elders: 9:00-Chuck McGathy & Warren Volz  
Acolytes: 9:00-Tryman & Claire Modert  
Greeters: 9:00-Jerry & Michele Harbuck & Gary Loeffler  
Scrip: 9:00-Lori Kemp  
Ushers: 9:00-GROUP 9: Peter Boyer, Neil Gaeth, Bruce Bach, Nicolas Lutz, Chuck McGathy, Tim Matthews, Dalton Anderson, Bentley Bumhoffer, Dustin Kuhl

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Immanuel Lutheran Church, Sebewaing

# The Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 15, 2026

9:00 am

## Divine Service 1

### *Announcements*

Hymn – *'Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here*

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### Divine Service 3

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Invocation, Confession and Absolution

### Introit

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at his holy mountain;  
for the Lord our God is holy!

The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble!

He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

The Lord is great in Zion;

he is exalted over all the peoples.

Let them praise your great and awesome name!

Holy is he!

The King in his might loves justice.

You have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

Exalt the Lord our God; worship at his footstool!

Holy is he!

**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.**

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at his holy mountain;

for the Lord our God is holy!

Kyrie

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Gloria In Excelsis

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Salutation and Collect

O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The First Reading – *Exodus 24:8-18*

The Gradual

Praise the Lord, all nations!

Extol him, all peoples!

For great is his steadfast love toward us,  
and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name;  
bring an offering, and come into his courts!

The Epistle – *2 Peter 1:16-21*

Alleluia & Verse

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The Gospel – *Matthew 17:1-9*

Hymn – *O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair* - Peter Boyer, trumpet

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Sermon

Nicene Creed

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Prayer of the Church

Offering

Offertory

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## Communion Liturgy

**Service of the Sacrament**

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Preface

Sanctus

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Agnus Dei



Distribution Hymns

*O Lord, We Praise Thee*

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*Beautiful Savior* - Peter Boyer, trumpet

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*Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain*

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Thank the Lord

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Post-Communion Collect

Benediction

Closing Hymn – *Alleluia, Song of Gladness* - Peter Boyer, trumpet

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## **Exodus 24:8-18**

And Moses took the blood and threw it on the people and said, "Behold the blood of the covenant that the Lord has made with you in accordance with all these words."

<sup>9</sup>Then Moses and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel went up, <sup>10</sup>and they saw the God of Israel. There was under his feet as it were a pavement of sapphire stone, like the very heaven for clearness. <sup>11</sup>And he did not lay his hand on the chief men of the people of Israel; they beheld God, and ate and drank.

<sup>12</sup>The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain and wait there, that I may give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." <sup>13</sup>So Moses rose with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. <sup>14</sup>And he said to the elders, "Wait here for us until we return to you. And behold, Aaron and Hur are with you. Whoever has a dispute, let him go to them."

<sup>15</sup>Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. <sup>16</sup>The glory of the Lord dwelt on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it six days. And on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the midst of the cloud. <sup>17</sup>Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. <sup>18</sup>Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. And Moses was on the mountain forty days and forty nights.

## **2 Peter 1:16-21**

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. <sup>17</sup>For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased," <sup>18</sup>we ourselves heard

this very voice borne from heaven, for we were with him on the holy mountain. <sup>19</sup>And we have something more sure, the prophetic word, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts, <sup>20</sup>knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. <sup>21</sup>For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

## **Matthew 17:1-9**

After six days Jesus took with him Peter and James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. <sup>2</sup>And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light. <sup>3</sup>And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. <sup>4</sup>And Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah." <sup>5</sup>He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." <sup>6</sup>When the disciples heard this, they fell on their faces and were terrified. <sup>7</sup>But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and have no fear." <sup>8</sup>And when they lifted up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only.

<sup>9</sup>And as they were coming down the mountain, Jesus commanded them, "Tell no one the vision, until the Son of Man is raised from the dead."

PREACHER: Rev Michael Boyer  
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ORGANIST: Barbara Bleck  
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GREETERS: Scott & Jill Millerwise  
SCRIP: Anne Bell  
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### Who Should Commune?

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**Our Congregation at Prayer  
Daily Scripture and Prayer  
To be Used in the Home  
Getting Ready for the Lent 1 A  
Immanuel Lutheran Church**

Theme for Sunday: Jesus enters this world in flesh, tempted in every way, to suffer and give Himself on the cross to save sinners.

*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

*Psalm 91.9-13; ant Psalm 91.15-16*

When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble;

I will rescue him and honor him.

With long life I will satisfy him.

And show him my salvation.

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.

For he will command his angels concerning you

To guard you in all your ways.

On their hands they will bear you up,

Lest you strike your foot against a stone.

You will tread on the lion and the adder;

The young lion and the serpent you will trample underfoot.



**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.**

When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble;

I will rescue him and honor him.

With long life I will satisfy him.

And show him my salvation.

Collect

O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide the people of Your Church that following our Savior we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Gradual

*Hebrews 12.2*

[O come, let us fix our eyes on] Jesus,

The founder and perfecter of our faith,

Who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame,

And is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

The Psalm for Lent 1 A may be read (Psalm 32.1-7) or those printed below.

Daily Psalms	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	19	136	123	15	36	130	56
Evening	81; 113	97; 112	30; 86	48; 4	80; 27	32; 139	100; 62

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

Sunday	Job 14.1-22	John 6.41-59
Monday	Job 15.1-23, 30-35	John 6.60-71
Tuesday	Job 16.1-22	John 7.1-13
Ash Wednesday	Genesis 1.1-19	Mark 1.1-13
Thursday	Genesis 1.20-2.3	Mark 1.14-28
Friday	Genesis 2.4-25	Mark 1.29-45
Saturday	Genesis 3.1-24	Mark 2.1-17

**Talk About Next Sunday’s Old Testament Reading: Genesis 3.1-21**

What was the goal of the serpent?

What did Adam do to stop Eve from changing the Word of God?

Why would God promise a savior after Adam and Eve sinned?

**Talk About Next Sunday’s Epistle Reading: Romans 5.12-19**

All have died through Adam and Eve’s sin. How are all saved through Christ?

How are sinners made righteous through Christ?

**Talk About Next Sunday’s Gospel Reading: Matthew 4.1-11**

Why would the devil tempt Jesus?

What did Jesus do when He was tempted?

Would this be the only time Jesus was tempted?

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

**The Eighth Commandment**

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we do not tell lies about our neighbor, betray him, slander him, or hurt his reputation, but defend him, speak well of him, and explain everything in the kindest way.

**The Ninth Commandment**

You shall not covet your neighbor’s house.

*What does this mean?*

We should fear and love God so that we do not scheme to get our neighbor’s inheritance or house, or get it in a way which only appears right, but help and be of service to him in keeping it.