

Grace Lutheran Church & School



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Church Year: Easter 3

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Grades: Kindergarten-8th

Date: April 14, 2024

✠ **WORSHIP INFORMATION** ✠

Hymns:

TLH 191: Christ the Lord is Risen Today; Alleluia!

LSB 466: Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia

TLH 200: I Know That My Redeemer Lives

WS 732: Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds

Listening assistance is available. Please ask an usher.

Worship Prep:

Psalms 118, TLH p. 148f.

Liturgy:

WS p. 1 (Projected)

WS p. 29, Psalm 118

Scripture Readings:

Acts 4:8-12

Luke 24:36-49

Sermon: 1 John 1:1-2:2

¹ That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and our hands have handled, concerning the Word of life-- ² the life was manifested, and we have seen, and bear witness, and declare to you that eternal life which was with the Father and was manifested to us-- ³ that which we have seen and heard we declare to you, that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship *is* with the Father and with His Son Jesus Christ. ⁴ And these things we write to you that your joy may be full. ⁵ This is the message which we have heard from Him and declare to you, that God is light and in Him is no darkness at all. ⁶ If we say that we have fellowship with Him, and walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. ⁷ But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin. ⁸ If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. ⁹ If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us *our* sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰ If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us. ^{2:1} My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. ² And He Himself is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the whole world." (NKJVTM)

Testimony to the Risen Lord

✠ THE ANNOUNCEMENTS ✠

- ➔ **Kindergarten:** Children entering Kindergarten next fall are invited to Kindergarten Round Up in Mr. Schaller's classroom on Friday, April 26, 8 am-12:30 pm. Talk to Mr. Schaller for more details and to RSVP.
- ➔ **ILHS Visitors' Day:** Students in grades 7-11 are invited to attend Immanuel Lutheran High School Visitors' Day in Eau Claire, WI, on Fri., April 26. Those interested, please speak with Pastor Hein as he needs to register by April 19. Info.: www.ilc.edu.
- ➔ **Financial Aid Applications:** Immanuel Lutheran High School, College, and Seminary has a financial aid program that helps students to attend by assisting with loans, multi-student grants, individual student grants, scholarships, and work study. Applications are available at ilc.edu/resources/ under the heading "Financial Assistance Forms & Info."
- ➔ **Installation:** Pastor Nathanael Mayhew will be installed at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Mankato, MN, on May 25-26. You are invited to a special service on Sat., May 25, 4 pm with a potluck meal to follow. Pastor Paul Tiefel of Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI, will be preaching. The 10 am Sunday service on May 26 will repeat the installation, but there will be no meal. May God bless Pastor Mayhew and his family as they begin their kingdom work in Mankato.
- ➔ **CLC News:** The CLC Call Committee on Graduates issued the call from St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran of Iron River, MI, and Calvary Lutheran of Marquette, MI, to seminary graduate, Paul Agenten. ✠ Blair Sydow has received a one-year call to teach the upper grades at Holy Trinity Ev. Lutheran in West Columbia, SC, where she is a member.
- ➔ **Sunday School Memory Work:** #24 – Baptism, Parts 3 & 4

Last Week's Stats: Apr. 7, 2024 Sun.: 86 S.S.: 10 B.Cl.: 35

Sun. Offering:	Grace:	\$3,488	CLC:	\$330
Weekly Need (est.):	Grace:	4,900	CLC:	1,135
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	-1,412	CLC:	-805
Year-to-Date Offering:	Grace:	\$70,030	CLC:	\$17,010
Year-to-Date Need (est.):	Grace:	68,600	CLC:	15,890
Year-to-Date (+/-)	Grace:	+1,430	CLC:	+1,120
GLC Other: 100	Living Faith: 0	Tuition Aid: 300	Sanctuary: 1175	
SAF Endowment: 0	MDF: 200	Kinship: 116	EduK8: 0	
ILC Student Aid: 0	ILC Bldg. 0	IIF: 0	CEF: 0	
Current Balances:	Tuition Aid: \$902	Sanctuary: \$3,725		

Welcome to our guests and visitors. We appreciate the opportunity to share God's Word with you today. Please come again! Those interested in learning more about the Scriptures and our doctrinal position, please speak with Pastor Hein. He would be delighted to visit with you!

What are you seeking?

This is what you will find among us:

- The Bible preached as it is — the living Word of the living God; not the preaching of social, political, theological, or ethical opinions of men.
- Man acknowledge as he is — born in sin, prone to error and doomed to hell unless rescued by God Himself; not man morally capable of redeeming himself.
- Jesus Christ worshipped as the Son of God made flesh to redeem lost and condemned mankind; not a Christ molded to accommodate the modern mind.
- God confessed as He has revealed Himself: Father, Son, and Holy Ghost — three divine Persons, one divine Essence; not some god fashioned either by the hand or the mind of man.
- Salvation proclaimed by grace through faith in the redemption that is in Christ Jesus; not by the works or efforts or striving of man.
- The Gospel preached and the Sacraments administered as the means of grace whereby the Holy Spirit creates and preserves faith; not self-induced religious experience or any so-called faith apart from that which is created by the Spirit through the Gospel.
- The Church accepted in faith as the congregation of believers — the creation of the Spirit of God; not a human organization subject to the manipulations of men.
- The business of the Church considered to be the preaching of forgiveness for the regeneration of individuals into eternal life; not the redemption of the world to conform to some social pattern of men.
- Ecumenism as Spirit-created unity in the Gospel; not as 'agreement to disagree' for the sake of power, organization, or the demands of expediency.
- Christian liberty in all that is neither forbidden nor commanded by our Lord; bondage to no word of man.
- All the Bible teaches — nothing more, nothing less.



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✝ **TODAY AT GRACE** ✝

Organist: **Janelle Hein**

Elder: **Frank Radichel**

Ushers: **Al Rosendahl; Kyle Aymond; Kevin Hulke; Jack Maki; John Maki; Keith Radichel; Grant Wells**

Counting Team 4: **Gary Gunther; Roger Ochsner; Al Rosendahl; Dave Rust**

Church Cleaners: **Nelson**

School: **Rinne**

✝ **NEXT WEEK AT GRACE** ✝

Ushers: **Al Rosendahl; Kyle Aymond; Kevin Hulke; Jack Maki; John Maki; Keith Radichel; Grant Wells**

Counting Team 1: **Dale Enns; Larry Nelson; Ryan Oman; Pat Paplow; Phil Radichel**

Hospitality Team 2: **Theresa Aymond; Rachelle Kanneh; Heidi Nelson; Bob & Suki Vandever**

Church Cleaners: **Nelson**

School: **Roche**



✝ **OUR SCHEDULE** ✝

- Sun., Apr. 14:** 8:30 am – Choir Practice
9:00 am – Bible Class and Sunday School
10:00 am – Worship (Easter 3)
12:00 pm – Council Meeting
- Wed., Apr. 17:** 4:30-6:15 pm – Catechism for Public School Students
- Sun., Apr. 21:** 9:00 am – Bible Class and Sunday School
10:00 am – Worship (Easter 3)
11:00 am – Hospitality
11:30 am – Voters & Dorcas Guild Meetings
- April 22-24:** Grace School – Iowa Basic Tests
- Fri., Apr. 26:** Grace School's Kindergarten Roundup
Immanuel Lutheran H.S. Visitors' Day @ Eau Claire, WI
- Apr. 26 & 27:** 7:00 pm – ILHS Band (Fri.) & Student Performances (Sat.)
7:30 pm – ILC Play, "The Crazy Cowgirls of Pemberley Ranch"
- Sat., Apr. 27:** 9:00 am – Grace Work Day
- Thu., May 9:** 7:00 pm – Ascension Day Worship
- Fri., May 10:** Field Day @ Inver Grove Hts. (Grades 5-8) (K-4 No School)
- Fri., May 17:** 3:00 pm – Immanuel Class Day @ ILC Fieldhouse
7:30 pm – Immanuel Spring Concert @ Messiah Lutheran
- Sat., May 18:** 10:00 am – Immanuel Graduation Service @ ILC Fieldhouse
- Sun., May 19:** Grace Confirmation Day (Pentecost)
- Thu., May 23:** 7:00 pm – Grace School's Spring Program
- Fri., May 24:** 12:00 pm – Grace School Dismissal for Summer
- Sun., May 26:** 9:00 am – Worship (Summer Schedule Begins, Grace Graduation)
- Sat., June 8:** 10:00 am – Minnesota Delegate Conference (Fridley, MN)
- June 20-23:** CLC Convention (Eau Claire, WI)
- July 22-26:** 9:00-11:30 am – Vacation Bible School