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<u>Organist:</u> Jan Davis <u>Elder</u>: Brandt Wendland

<u>Ushers</u>: Paul Lentz, Brad Kitzman, Rick Nelson, Keith Radichel, Bob Vandeveer, Bobby Vandeveer, Matt Vandeveer

Counting Team 2: Gary Gunther; Bill Rust; Bob Vandeveer; Clint Welker; Mark Wales

Church Cleaners: Hein

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<u>Ushers</u>: Paul Lentz, Brad Kitzman, Rick Nelson, Keith Radichel, Bob Vandeveer, Bobby Vandeveer, Matt Vandeveer

Counting Team 3: Don Auel; Brian Eichstadt; Jack Kirkham; Benno Sydow; Brandt Wendland

Church Cleaners: Welker

む OUR SCHEDULE む

Sun., June 8: 9:00 am –Worship Service

11:00 am – Council Meeting

Sun., June 15: 9:00 am - Worship Service

June 16-19: CLC Convention @ Immanuel in Eau Claire, WI

August 4-8: Vacation Bible School

Last Week's Stats: June 1, 2014 Sun.: 94

Sun. Offering:	Grace:	\$2,376.29	CLC: \$462.50
Weekly Need:	Grace:	3,200.00	CLC: 1,040.00
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	-823.71	CLC: -577.50
Year-to-Date Offering::	Grace:	\$73,382.07	CLC: \$21,385.75
Year-to-Date Need:	Grace:	70,400.00	CLC: 22,880.00
Year-to-Date (+/-)	Grace:	+2,982.07	CLC: -1,494.25
GLC Other: 77.00	Living Faith:	17.00	Tuition Aid: 92.00
SAF Endowment: 0.00	MDF:	7.00	Kinship: 7.00
ILC Student Aid: 0.00	ILC Bldg.	102.00	IIF: 7.00 CEF: 7.00
Current Balances:	Projection:	+160.32	Tuition Aid: +4,099.42

For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; *it is* the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. - Ephesians 2:8-9



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Hymns:

TLH 224: Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord! WS 739: Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling TLH 234: Holy Ghost, with Light Divine

TLH 45: Now, the Hour of Worship O'er

Confession: 3rd Article in place of Apostles' Creed

Worship Prep:

Psalm 51, TLH p. 134 f.

<u>Liturgy</u>:

TLH, p. 5

Gloria: TLH 508:1, 4

Scripture Readings:

Joel 2:28-29 Acts 2:1-21

Sermon: Ephesians 1:13-14

¹³ In [Christ] you also *trusted*, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having believed, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise, ¹⁴ who is the guarantee of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, to the praise of His glory. (*NKJV*TM)

"Sealed with the Holy Spirit"



- ◆ **Signup Sheets:** For subscriptions to either The Lutheran Spokesman or to register children for Vacation Bible School (August 4-8).
- ◆ Spring Lake Park Parade: We had another successful school promotion at the parade this year. 43 people came to help in the effort! Thanks to all of you! May the Lord bless the effort in making people aware of our school.
- ◆ ImmanuelPromotion.org: In an effort to promote Immanuel among us, the Board of Regents is putting together its own private and secure database of prospective students to inform them of the blessings of coming to our high school, college, and seminary. We would greatly appreciate your assistance! Our young people and/or their parents are invited to enter information at our brief survey at immanuelpromotion.org. This will help us to contact prospective students directly with printed or digital information about Immanuel. This would include all young people who may be in 7th grade through a Senior in high school as of Fall of 2014. We ask that you would submit this by July 1, 2014. Pastors may also be providing contact information, unless the parents indicate to them that they prefer not to be included. Thank you!
- ◆ Christian Women's Seminar: A Southeastern Women's Retreat for women of the CLC will be held on October 3-5 in Savannah, Georgia. All are invited to join us! The estimated cost for the retreat is between \$150-\$340 for the weekend (depending on how many you share your room with) and includes food and lodging. More details are available in the separate Registration Form (available through your pastor). If you have any questions please contact: Amy Osborne (651-329-3662/newyorker13@hotmail.com) or Pastor Nathanael Mayhew (404-729-4602/ndmayhew@juno.com).



Convention Preparation The Short Version—

June 16 – 19, 2014

The Prospectus for the upcoming Church of the Lutheran Confession (CLC) Convention contains a great deal of information—information that is well worth reading. The Convention floor committees will review all of this information and provide comment and counsel to the officers, committees, and boards.

The following is a "punch list" of the business items that the Convention will be considering. You may find this summary helpful for conveying your thoughts to Grace's Convention representatives and as a prayer list.

ELECTIONS: Convention will elect officers for the CLC (President, Vice President, Moderator, Secretary). Convention will also elect laymen and called servants to each of the Boards: Education and Publications, Missions, Regents, and Trustees.

RATIFICATIONS: The Convention will be asked to ratify the declarations of fellowship with congregations in Mexico, the Conference Visitors' elections by their respective conferences, and a variety of appointments by the president and officers of the church body (editors, committees, etc.).

The **BOARD OF EDUCATION AND PUBLICATIONS** is asking for a constitutional change which will broaden the duties of the board.

The **BOARD OF REGENTS** for Immanuel Lutheran College is requesting that the Convention lift the cap on tuition increases for the College and Seminary departments.

BUDGET: Convention will set the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget for the church body (July 1, 2014 – June 31, 2015).

The **STANDING CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE** was directed by the 2012 Convention to propose changes regarding the committee structure and reporting in the CLC. These proposals will be coming to the Convention for action.

CLC DELEGATE SURVEY: The 2012 Convention directed the CLC Statistician to conduct a survey regarding the low laymen attendance at conventions. The statistician's report will be discussed and the Convention will have the option of directing changes in the process of future conventions.

MEMORIALS: Two memorials have been submitted to the Convention. A memorial is a vehicle by which individuals or groups of individuals can bring business to the Convention. All of the other business comes via committees, boards, officers, etc. Both memorials deal with the election process at Convention. The Convention will respond to the memorials by either adopting all or parts of what the memorials suggest, taking different action, or taking no action at all.

A **WORSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT** was not available for inclusion in the Prospectus so it is not known at this time whether there will be Convention business related to this report.

WATCH CONVENTION FROM HOME: You can watch the Convention online by going to www.ilc.edu/tv (try using Youtube first and Ustream as second choice).



Scheduled non-business events of interest are:

- Opening Devotions (Mon. 10:00 a.m., Tues & Wed. 9:00 a.m.)
 - Essays (Mon. 6:30 p.m. / Tues. 1:00 p.m.)
 - Memorial Service (Thurs. 9:00 a.m.)

Why does any of this matter to me?

The Convention is the way by which we join with our fellow Christians in the Church of the Lutheran Confession to prayerfully approach our joint work in God's Kingdom. This is our work in service to God. This is how our "mission" offerings are used. Not all can attend Convention, but all can pray. Your prayers for the work of the Gospel in our church body are important—not only at Convention time, but always.