

# THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



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## WELCOME VISITORS

*Today we celebrate the Sacrament of our Lord Jesus Christ's true body and blood. Since receiving the Lord's Supper expresses fellowship with the Lord and agreement with the teaching of the pastor and congregation, we follow the Biblical practice of closed communion. All guests are kindly asked to speak with Pastor Braaten before communing at our altar. Normally, members from congregations of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod are welcome to partake, as are people from churches in fellowship with the LCMS.*

## THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Divine Service, Setting Three with Holy Communion

5:30 PM  
9:00 AM

Saturday, July 19, 2014  
Sunday, July 20, 2014

*Stand*

**The PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

LSB 578 "Thy Strong Word"

**The INVOCATION, CONFESSION, and ABSOLUTION**

LSB 184

**The INTROIT**

Ps. 27:1a, 11–12, 14; antiphon: Ps. 27:7, 9b



*Hear, O LORD, when I | cry aloud;\**  
*be gracious to me and | answer me!*  
*O you who have | been my help,\**  
*forsake me not, O God of my sal- | vation!*

**The LORD is my light and my sal- | vation;\***  
**whom | shall I fear?**

*Teach me your way, | O LORD,\**  
*and lead me on a level path because of my | enemies.*

**Give me not up to the will of my adver- | saries;\***  
**for false witnesses have risen against me, and they breathe out | violence.**

*Wait | for the LORD;\**

*be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait | for the LORD!*

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***

**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***

**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

*Hear, O LORD, when I | cry aloud;\**

*be gracious to me and | answer me!*

**O you who have | been my help,\***

**forsake me not, O God of my sal- | vation!**

**The KYRIE**

LSB 186

**The GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

LSB 187–189

**The SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY**

LSB 189

**P** Let us pray,

**C** O God, You have prepared for those who love You good things that surpass all understanding. Pour into our hearts such love toward You that we, loving You above all things, may obtain Your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen. (*Sung*)

*Sit*

**The FIRST READING**

1 Kings 19:11–21

And he said, “Go out and stand on the mount before the LORD.” And behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake. And after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, “What are you doing here,



for to this you were called, that you may obtain a blessing. For “Whoever desires to love life and see good days, let him keep his tongue from evil and his lips from speaking deceit; let him turn away from evil and do good; let him seek peace and pursue it. For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and his ears are open to their prayer. But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.”

Now who is there to harm you if you are zealous for what is good? But even if you should suffer for righteousness’ sake, you will be blessed. Have no fear of them, nor be troubled, but in your hearts regard Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

**The ALLELUIA**

LSB 190

**The HOLY GOSPEL**

St. Luke 5:1–11

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fifth chapter.

**C** **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.** (*Sung*)

On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on [Jesus] to hear the word of God, he was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, and he saw two boats by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon’s, he asked him to put out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. And when he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, “Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch.” And Simon answered, “Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets.” And when they had done this, they enclosed a large number of fish, and their nets were breaking. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, “Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord.” For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching

men.” And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (*Sung*)

## **The NICENE CREED**

LSB 191

*Sit*

## **The HYMN OF THE DAY**

LSB 688 “‘Come, Follow Me,’ the Savior Spake”

## **The SERMON**

*Stand*

## **The OFFERTORY**

LSB 192

*Sit*

## **The OFFERING**

*Stand*

## **The OFFERING RESPONSE**

**We give Thee but Thine own; Whate'er the gift may be;  
All that we have is Thine alone; A trust, O Lord, from Thee.  
May we Thy bounties thus; As stewards true receive,  
And gladly, as Thou blessest us, To Thee our first fruits give!**

## The PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

**P** Lord, in Your mercy.

**C** Hear our prayer.

## The SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

LSB 194–199

*Sit*

## The HYMN

LSB 621 “Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence”  
LSB 682 “God of the Prophets, Bless the Prophets’ Sons”

*Stand*

## The NUNC DIMITTIS

LSB 199–200

## The SALUTATION, BENEDICAMUS and BENEDICTION

LSB 201–202

## The RECESSIONAL HYMN

LSB 885 “I Lie, O Lord, within Your Care”

### SERVING TODAY

CELEBRANT .....*Rev. Jason M. Braaten*  
ORGANIST .....*Mr. Glenn Linstead*  
*Mrs. Leigh Ann Whitson*  
CANTOR .....*Miss Alexis Nau*

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**ATTENDANCE**

Saturday ..... 19  
Sunday ..... 63

**OFFERINGS**

General Fund..... \$4,826.00  
Missions..... \$1,520.00  
YTD Budgeted..... \$91,634.20  
YTD Actual..... \$88,642.85

**FUNERAL CHAIR**

*Wanda Long—July  
Tammy Kresin—August*

**COFFEE COMMITTEE**

*Ron & Judy Legg—July  
Harold & Irene Wattjes—August*

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

*Richard & Jill Zartler*

**GREETERS**

Today..... *Laverl Byers (West)  
Ruth Sims (East)*  
Next Week..... *Tim & Teri Pollock (West)  
Donna Campbell (East)*

**COMMUNION HELPERS**

Today..... *Josh Whitson  
Holly Wikoff, Marissa Russo*  
Next Week..... *Josh Whitson  
Holly Wikoff, Lexi Russo*

**ACOLYTES**

Today..... *Gunnar Campbell (Crucifer)  
Ethan Stumeier (Torches)  
Josh Dyer (Torches)  
Caleb Stumeier (Gospel)*  
Next Week..... *Gunnar Campbell (Crucifer)  
Caleb Stumeier (Torches)  
Jake Dyer (Torches)  
Ethan Stumeier (Gospel)*

**THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL**

Sunday (7/20)	9:00 AM	Divine Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 AM	Bible Class
Monday–Thursday	7:30 AM	Matins
Monday	7:30 PM	Voters’ Meeting
Wednesday	6:30 PM	Summer Confessions Study
Saturday	5:30 PM	Divine Service with Holy Communion
Sunday (7/27)	9:00 AM	Divine Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 AM	Bible Class
Monday–Wednesday	7:00 AM	Youth Leave for trip to Creation Museum



## IN OUR PRAYERS

HEALTH CONCERNS: Brenda Bunting; Ellie Crawford; Whitney Czerwonka; DeDe Eversole; Jim Harbaugh; Erica Kremitzki; Amy Lee; Barb Pearson; Fred Rahn; Dana Stenger.

SEMINARY STUDENT: Dustin Fry.

HOMEBOUND: Bernita Ashwill; Bessie Benson; Cora Jahnke; Neil Olinger; Corinne Oye; Art Rahn; Ruth Rentschler.

MILITARY: Jeremy Gordon; Jack Leonard; Sam Leonard; Jake Lindgren; Raymond Longtin; Joey Pollock; Chase Reifsteck; Blake Stokes; Paige Stokes; Ruben Wilson.

## THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS . . . Exodus 20:1–17; Romans 6:3–11; Matthew 5:20–26.

ABOUT THIS WEEK'S READINGS . . . The Lord called fishermen to be fishers of men (Luke 5:1–11). The net they would use is the message of the cross, which is foolishness and a stumbling block to the world (1 Cor. 1:18–25). The power of God to save is not in spectacular signs like wind and fire and earthquakes (1 Kings 19:11–21), nor is it to be found in human intelligence and wisdom. The power of God to save comes in the still, small voice of the preaching of Christ crucified. In worldly darkness the disciples could catch nothing. But in the light of Christ, whose Word was attached to the water, the boats were filled with fish. So it is that in Baptism you have been drawn in to the ship of the Church. Though the nets are breaking and some who hear the Word do not believe, pastors continue to cast the net of the Gospel and the Sacraments, that Christians may abide in the boat of the Church and that we may be ready to give a defense to everyone who asks a reason for the hope that is in us (1 Peter 3:8–15).

THOUGHTS ABOUT STEWARDSHIP . . . Luke 5:5 “And Simon answered, ‘Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets.’” All our toil, all our work, all our efforts mean nothing without the Lord’s guidance. But if we walk in the Word of Jesus . . . well, look what happened to Simon Peter!

THE ALTAR FLOWERS . . . are given by Richard & Jill Zartler to the glory of God on the occasion of their wedding anniversary.

BI-MONTHLY MISSION . . . is Sunday, August 3. All loose cash in the offering will go to SAM Pantry. SAM (Social Action Ministry) food pantry is a ministry of TUMC that serves families all over Douglas County. Unfortunately, in today's economic environment, people are having to make choices about buying food or paying utility bills or medical bills. The SAM food pantry exists to make that choice a little easier. Staffed by friendly, welcoming persons from a number of the community churches (including a number of members from Immanuel), patrons coming to the food pantry receive a supply of food, no more often than once a month, appropriate to the number of persons in their home. Food and monetary donations are received by churches and individuals all around Douglas County.

EDUCATION & EDIFICATION . . . Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show hosted by LCMS Pastor, Rev. Todd Wilken, and produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, Illinois. You can listen at your convenience at [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org).

THERE ARE STILL . . . many openings to put flowers on the altar. Check the flower chart on the bulletin board in the hallway outside the Sanctuary for openings and sign up. Flowers are \$30.00 and can be special ordered if desired. Flowers can be taken home after the Sunday's service. There are cups in the Sacristy under the sink to put the flowers in. Please do not take the inserts home.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED . . . for the 2014–2015 Academic Year. If you are willing to teach for one, two, or three months out of the year, please contact Pastor Braaten. We are in need of three teachers. If these positions are not filled those grades will not have Sunday School.

COME TO THE ALL CHURCH PICNIC . . . on Sunday, August 3, 2014, 3:00 PM-6:00 PM. The Men's Club is frying fish. The Board of Mission & Evangelism is providing hot dogs and hamburgers. Come with a side dish or a dessert to pass. We will be eating at 4:00 PM. Our Seminary Adopt-A-Student, Dustin Fry, will be with us that morning to preach during the Divine Service and will be staying for the church picnic to mingle and get to know you all better. Come out to meet him and enjoy the food and camaraderie that our Lord gives in the family of His church.

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# Kids in the DIVINE SERVICE

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## What does “worship” really mean?

If you look in a dictionary, the word “worship” comes from an older word—“worthship.” To “worship” is to honor God’s “worthship,” according to the dictionary.

This tells us something about what we do in worship. We sing, we praise, we give thanks, we honor Christ. But it doesn’t tell us the most important thing about what goes on in worship. The most important thing about worship is what Jesus gives us in His Word and Sacraments—forgiveness of sins, life and eternal salvation. That’s why we may sometimes use another word for “worship”—“Divine Service.”

## What makes the Divine Service so important?

The word, “Divine Service,” tells us what Christ has promised to do for us in worship. He serves us His forgiveness of sins us again and again—through our Baptism, in Holy Absolution, in the reading of Holy Scripture, in the Sermon, in the Lord’s Supper, and in His Benediction. What a wonderful Savior we have! And what wonderful forgiveness He gives us in His Divine Service!

### FOR PARENTS

Following along in the Divine Service is just like listening to one long reading from the Bible. Everything used in the Divine Service has been given to us through God’s Word. Explain this to your children, reminding them that it is God’s Word that delivers God’s salvation to us!

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## A PRAYER FOR IMMANUEL

*My dear Lord Jesus, I want to know You as Savior and Friend, Help me to grow into a mature disciple so that I can demonstrate God's love and forgiveness in all I do. Teach me to share my faith in You and to serve others in my vocation. Make Immanuel Lutheran Church a place where lost and hurting people find friendship, forgiveness, and faith, and where Christians gather to serve You in love for one another, for the community, and for the world. Amen.*

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