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**Women's Gathering at the home of Judy Pearce:** Monday, Oct. 12 @ 10 a.m. Experiencing community & discussing Ministry Ideas. We hope you can join us! Address: 657 Main Street E., Hammond, MN. 55991

**Third Annual Prayer Walk and Potluck:** Reformation Sunday, October 25. To be followed by a showing of "Do You Believe?"

**Veteran's Recognition Event:** Monday, November 9.

## PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

A: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.      *A brief silence*

A: Almighty and loving God, guide your people to experience true happiness as we seek to worship you more faithfully and walk more diligently in your ways. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: Grant strength and courage to all in our country who protect us from harm. Give them wisdom to perform their duties faithfully. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: We give you thanks for the gift of marriage and the family. Renew, we pray, the commitment of husbands and wives to each other that they might demonstrate true faithfulness & commitment in the face of a world often rejecting your design for marriage as shown in the Holy Scriptures. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: For the work of your church in building up the Body of Christ as you renew the lives & faith of your people. Bless us that we may be your blessing to your people throughout the world. Lord in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: For those we name before you and for all those known to you who are experiencing illness or sadness of any kind, that they come to know more fully your care for them. We pray especially today for [*names ae offered*]. . . . Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: For those who mourn the death of friends and loved ones. May they live in the certainty that those who die in the Lord will yet live with the Lord in Eternal Life. Lord, in your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

P: Into your hands, Merciful Father, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

## **Psalm 128—responsively**

L: Happy are they all who fear the Lord, and who follow in his ways!

**C: You shall eat the fruit of your labor; happiness and prosperity shall be yours.**

L: Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine within your house, your children like olive shoots round about your table.

**C: The man who fears the Lord shall thus indeed be blessed.**

L: The Lord bless you from Zion, and may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life.

**C: May you live to see your children's children; may peace be upon Israel.**

## **WORSHIP SERVANTS Tonight: THANKS!**

Pianist: MarJean Damerval

Scripture Reader, Prayers & Communion Server: Julie Steffenson

Set-up: Julie Steffenson

Take-down: Janet Sunde and friends

Coffee: Judy Pearce

Treats: Margaret Quam

Sound: Lee Pearce

Acolyte: Cabe Siebenaler

Ushers: LeRoy Quam & Rich Sunde

*Thanks for worshiping with us this evening. Your presence is your gift to us. We pray that our Service of Word and Sacrament is a blessing to you. Sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever we are praising, proclaiming and practicing Emmanuel – God with us – in daily life! May the power of the Holy Spirit equip the saints for Witness in the world!*

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**Worship**  
**Pentecost XIX**  
**October 3, 2015**  
**6:00 p.m.**

## **Lutheran Book of Worship—Setting II**

\* indicates stand as you are able

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P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Triune God, you created humanity in your image, intended for life-giving relationship with you and one another. Heal our selfish brokenness & teach us to trust in you as we learn to love and forgive one another; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

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\*Gospel Acclamation: “Alleluia”

\*Holy Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

Children’s Message: “A Perfect Pair”

Rev. David Steffenson

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\*Hymn of the Day: “Our Father, by Whose Name”

**Men's Bible Study Breakfast:** Weekly fellowship around God's Word at 8 am Tuesdays at Charlie's (1408 2nd. St. SW). Join us in being Evangelical. Invite a friend. Share the Good News! We will meet on Tuesday, October 5 & discuss the readings for Pentecost 20: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15; Ps. 90:12-17; Hebrews 3:12-19; Mark 10:17-22

**"October Baby" Movie Night and Discussion**—A college freshman's world is rocked when she learns she is the adopted survivor of a failed abortion. Embarking on a journey to discover her hidden past, Hannah discovers the true power of forgiveness, and learns that every life is beautiful. October Baby will be shown on Tuesday, October 6 at the St. James Coffee House (4156 18th Ave. NW; across from Pax Christi) with discussion led by Rev. Fred Morck to follow (6:00-9:30 p.m.).

**Women of the Word!** The Women's Bible Study has resumed for the Fall. Session 3 will be held on Wednesday, October 7. We are studying famous Women in the Old Testament.

**Channel One—Empty Bowls:** October 8, 2015 11am - 8pm. Enjoy a simple meal of soup and bread provided by top local restaurants and bakeries. Attendance allows participants to choose a donated hand-painted bowl as a take home memento of the event. All proceeds will support Channel One Regional Food Bank's mission-partnership with others to feed people in need. Emmanuel Lutheran is a proud supporter of Supermarket Saturday at Oasis Church.

**Promise Keepers Men's Conference:** A Men's Conference will be held at Grace Church in Eden Prairie, MN on October 9-10. Cost is \$59. Emmanuel Men, interested in participating, should contact Larry Vomhof for more information.

**PRAYING FOR OUR SCHOOLS:** During the month of October we are praying for Hoover & Churchill Elementary schools & delivering goodies as an expression of our love & gratitude (Monday, Oct. 19). Thanks for keeping staff, students & families in your prayers.

**All Saints Day Hymn Sing:** Sunday, November 1 at 3:00 p.m. Participants will celebrate in song the "Feast of All Saints" and the gift of being set apart, consecrated & made holy for the glory of God. Location: "Old Stone Church, a.k.a. the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church on Bridge Street in Millville.

## **Genesis 2:18-25 — The Orders of Creation**

18 Then the Lord God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him." 19 Now out of the ground the Lord God had formed every beast of the field and every bird of the heavens and brought them to the man to see what he would call them. And whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. 20 The man gave names to all livestock and to the birds of the heavens and to every beast of the field. But for Adam there was not found a helper fit for him. 21 So the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and while he slept took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. 22 And the rib that the Lord God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. 23 Then the man said, "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man." 24 Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother & hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. 25 And the man and his wife were both naked and were not ashamed.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

## **Hebrews 2:1-18 — Salvation Is In God's Son**

1Therefore we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. 2 For since the message declared by angels proved to be reliable, and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, 3 how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard, 4 while God also bore witness by signs & wonders & various miracles & by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will. 5 For it was not to angels that God subjected the world to come, of which we are speaking. 6 It has been testified somewhere, "What is man, that you are mindful of him, or the son of man, that you care for him? 7 You made him for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned him with glory and honor, 8 putting everything in subjection under his feet." Now in putting everything in subjection to him, he left nothing outside his control. At present, we do not yet see everything in subjection to him. 9 But we see him who for a little while was made lower than the angels, namely Jesus, crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. 10 For it was fitting that he, for whom and by whom all things exist, in bringing many sons to glory, should make the founder of their salvation perfect through suffering. 11 For he who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one source. That is why he is not ashamed to call them brothers, 12 saying, "I will tell of your name to

my brothers; in the midst of the congregation I will sing your praise.” 13 And again, “I will put my trust in him.” And again, “Behold, I and the children God has given me.” 14 Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook of the same things, that through death he might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the devil, 15 and deliver all those who through fear of death were subject to lifelong slavery. 16 For surely it is not angels that he helps, but he helps the offspring of Abraham. 17 Therefore he had to be made like his brothers in every respect, so that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in the service of God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people. 18 For because he himself has suffered when tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

### Gospel Reading: Mark 10:2-16

L: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the 10th. Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

2 Pharisees came up and in order to test [Jesus] asked, “Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?” 3 He answered them, “What did Moses command you?” 4 They said, “Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of divorce and to send her away.” 5 And Jesus said to them, “Because of your hardness of heart he wrote you this commandment. 6 But from the beginning of creation, ‘God made them male and female.’ 7 ‘Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, 8 and the two shall become one flesh.’ So they are no longer two but one flesh. 9 What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate.” 10 And in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. 11 And he said to them, “Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her, 12 and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery.” 13 And they were bringing children to him that he might touch them, and the disciples rebuked them. 14 But when Jesus saw it, he was indignant and said to them, “Let the children come to me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. 15 Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” 16 And he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them.

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

# The Emmanuel Weekly

Saturday, October 3, 2015  
Pentecost XIX - 6 pm

***Praising, Proclaiming and Practicing  
Emmanuel—God with us—in daily  
life!***



### CALENDAR ITEMS

- Saturday, October 3  
Saturday School @  
5:10pm; Pentecost XIX  
Worship at 6pm; Turn in  
Emmanuel Mission  
Roadmaps
- Tues, Oct. 6—Men’s  
Bible Study Breakfast @  
Charlie’s (8am); CLB at  
11:30am—Pastors  
Appreciation; “October  
Baby” at St. James  
Coffee House, 6-9:30pm
- Wed, Oct. 7—Women’s  
Bible Study (1pm);  
Nominating Committee  
Mtg. at 2:30pm
- Thurs, October 8 (11am  
- 8pm) Channel One—  
Empty Bowls
- Saturday, October 10  
Saturday School @  
5:10pm; Pentecost XX  
Worship at 6pm



Moms Night Out + Saturday Conference (2 Main Sessions + 4 Workshops of your choice + Lunch) = The Best Weekend Ever!! The Hearts at Home North Central Conference will be held on Friday & Saturday, November 13-14, at the Mayo Civic Center, right here in Rochester. Cost: \$98.00 until Oct. 21. At a Hearts at Home Conference moms will experience laughter, Christ-centered learning, and understanding that they are not alone in this mothering thing! Visit [www.heartsathome.org](http://www.heartsathome.org) for more info. \$25 scholarships are available to the first four Emmanuel moms who register (see Pastor Dave).

**October Emmanuel Epistle Newsletter  
& Prayer Calendar are available!  
Also, pick up your copy of Our Daily  
Bread Devotional for Sept.-Nov.**