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### **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

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

A: Holy Father, in the midst of things that only seem stable, Your Son warns us to be prepared for great upheavals. Wherever chaos erupts, send Your people forth with the joyful message of what cannot be shaken or destroyed: the great love You have revealed for us in our

Savior’s death and resurrection. Grant that we may hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering as we wait for the End to come. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: Loving and gracious Master, we commend to You the care of Your Church throughout the world. Strengthen all pastors to proclaim Your Word with boldness and joy, and open the hearts of Your people to welcome that proclamation and share in the work of spreading Your Good News. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: King of the nations, look in mercy on our country, our Congress and president, our judges and magistrates, and all those entrusted with civil authority among us. Make them a blessing of Yours. Take from them pride and contempt of Your Word, and fill them with wisdom, courage and integrity. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: Holy One, the blood of Your Son gives us confidence to enter the holy places through the new and living way and to draw near to You with true hearts in the full assurance of faith. Hear us now as we offer our petitions before You for all who are in difficult and trying times, [**especially NAMES**], for those who mourn, for the sick, the lonely and homebound. Grant them healing & comfort, according to Your gracious will. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

A: O God, Fountain of life and immortality, to You we give thanks and praise for all who have fallen asleep in Christ and await the joyful resurrection. Grant that we may also be wise as they were, turning many to righteousness, that on the day of Christ’s appearing we may also shine like stars forever in the brightness of His eternal glory. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

P: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

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**Psalm 16—responsively**

L: Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

C: I say to the Lord, “You are my Lord; I have no good apart from you.”

L: As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones, in whom is all my delight.

C: The sorrows of those who run after another god shall multiply; their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out or take their names on my lips.

L: The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot.

C: The lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.

L: I bless the Lord who gives me counsel;

C: In the night also my heart instructs me.

L: I have set the Lord always before me;

C: Because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

L: Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices;

C: My flesh also dwells secure.

L: For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol,

C: Or let your holy one see corruption.

L: You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy;

C: At your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

**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 bold Witness!

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**New Year’s Eve:** Our Church Year comes to a close with the arrival of the Feast of Christ the King (November 24). The Season of Advent announces the beginning of a New Church Year. Happy New Year!



**Worship  
Eve—Pentecost 26  
Nov. 17, 2018  
6:00 p.m.**

**Lutheran Book of Worship—Setting II**

*\* indicates stand as you are able*

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P: Lord God, rule and govern our hearts and minds by your Holy Spirit, that while keeping the end of all things in mind, we may be stirred up to holiness in this life and come to be with you forever in that life to come. Grant this, we pray, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

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**Communication Cards/Offering Envelopes:** The offering envelope, in your bulletin is also being used as visitor and communication card. If you are visiting with us, please know that your presence is your gift to us. We have a generous congregation & ask only that you share your contact information with us. Members & visitors may use the communication envelopes to indicate a desire for a pastoral visit, a prayer concern, or changes in contact information. Envelopes may be placed in the offering basket. Thanks.

**Thanksgiving Eve Worship—November 21:** Emmanuel will be hosting a Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service at the Madonna Towers Main Chapel. The residents of Madonna Towers will be our guests. Worship will begin with Gathering Music at 6pm and end with the Benediction at 6:50pm. A Dessert Social will be served after worship. Members of Emmanuel are invited to bring a desert to share with our dear friends at Madonna Tower's. Desserts need to be store-bought (20 pies have been donated). This Community Worship Event has received a Thrivent Action Team grant, compliments of Karen Peterson. **Save the Date** and join us for fellowship and Thanksgiving!

**Farewell Reception for the Schilbe's:** Rev. Scott Schilbe has accepted a call to serve as pastor of Messiah Lutheran Church in Carlyle, Illinois. A coffee hour reception will be served on Saturday, December 15 to say goodbye to our dear friend & his family. Scott has faithfully served as one of our worship pianists. We pray God's blessings upon Scott & his family.

**Women's Bible Study:** Women of Emmanuel are studying the Book of Psalms, meeting twice a month on Thursdays at Oasis Church at 1pm. We are looking at Israel's Prayer & Hymn Book. Session Seven will be on Thursday, December 6, studying Psalms 120-134 (Songs of Ascent). Future Date: December 13

**Worship at Madonna Towers Skilled Care Chapel:** On the first and third Wednesdays of each month, Emmanuel members are invited to participate in a ministry to area seniors. Our next Worship Services will be on Thanksgiving Eve (Nov. 21) at 6pm and on Wednesdays, December 5 & 19 at 1pm. Give Lee Pearce a call if you would like to participate in this wonderful ministry.

**Men's Bible Study Breakfast:** Men of Emmanuel are looking at the Book of Psalms on Tuesdays at 8am & discussing the appointed Psalm for the week. The men meet at Oasis Church weekly for conversation & coffee. This Week: November 20 (Psalm 93).

### **Daniel 12:1-3—The Fate of Those Who Awake!**

[The man in the vision said,] 1 “At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book. 2 And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. 3 And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.”

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **Hebrews 10:11-25—The Sacrifice that Saves & Sanctifies**

11 Every priest stands daily at his service, offering repeatedly the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. 12 But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, 13 waiting from that time until his enemies should be made a footstool for his feet. 14 For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified. 15 And the Holy Spirit also bears witness to us; for after saying, 16 “This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds,” 17 then he adds, “I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more.” 18 Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin. 19 Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, 20 by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, 21 and since we have a great priest over the house of God, 22 let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience & our bodies washed with pure water. 23 Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. 24 And let us consider how to stir up one another to love & good works, 25 not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Reading: Mark 13:1-13

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the 13th. Chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

1 As [Jesus] came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher, what wonderful stones and what wonderful buildings!" 2 And Jesus said to him, "Do you see these great buildings? There will not be left here one stone upon another that will not be thrown down." 3 And as he sat on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter and James and John and Andrew asked him privately, 4 "Tell us, when will these things be, and what will be the sign when all these things are about to be accomplished?" 5 And Jesus began to say to them, "See that no one leads you astray. 6 Many will come in my name, saying, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray. 7 And when you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed. This must take place, but the end is not yet. 8 For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. These are but the beginning of the birth pains. 9 But be on your guard. For they will deliver you over to councils, and you will be beaten in synagogues, and you will stand before governors and kings for my sake, to bear witness before them. 10 And the gospel must first be proclaimed to all nations. 11 And when they bring you to trial and deliver you over, do not be anxious beforehand what you are to say, but say whatever is given you in that hour, for it is not you who speak, but the Holy Spirit. 12 And brother will deliver brother over to death, and the father his child, & children will rise against parents and have them put to death. 13 And you will be hated by all for my name's sake. But the one who endures to the end will be saved."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

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

Organist: Rev. Scott Schilbe                      Communion: Judy Caudill

Scripture Reader & Prayers: Vicky Mulvihill

Ushers: LeRoy Quam & Brock Edwards

Acolyte: Mason Edwards                              Sound: Don Holtan

Set-up: Julie Steffenson                      Take-down: Janet Sunde & Friends

Coffee: Peg Holtan                                      Treats: Julie Edwards

# The Emmanuel Weekly

**Saturday, Nov. 17, 2018**

**Pentecost 26 - 6 pm**

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

### **Salvation Army Red Kettle**

Special thanks to Lee Pearce and all the Emmanuel Bell Ringers who participated in today's Salvation Army kick-off event at the two doors of Hy-Vee, Circle Drive NW. Blessed are they who serve others to the praise of God!

### **Recent Emmanuel Huddle**

Thanks to all who participated in last Saturday's Church Huddle. Handouts from the Huddle are available.

### **Emmanuel Nominating Committee**

Is God calling you to serve in leadership at Emmanuel Lutheran? Opportunities: Church Council, Audit Committee, Voting Delegates, or Nominating Committee.

### **Saturday School & G.I.F.T.**

Youth and adults will not be gathering for Christian Education on Thanksgiving Weekend (November 24). Saturday School and G.I.F.T. resume on Dec. 1.

**The November Emmanuel Epistle Newsletter & Prayer Calendar are available! Also, pick up your copy of Our Daily Bread Devotional for December-February.**



### **CALENDAR ITEMS**

- Saturday, November 17  
Red Kettle Bell Ringing (9-5); G.I.F.T. & Saturday School at 5:10pm; Pentecost 26 Worship at 6pm
- Tues, Nov. 20 — Men's Bible Study (8am); Text Study (10:30am)
- Wednesday, Nov. 21  
Thanksgiving Worship at Madonna Towers (6pm); Dessert Social follows.
- Thursday, November 22  
**Blessed Thanksgiving to you and yours!**
- Saturday, November 24  
**NO G.I.F.T. & Saturday School**; Eve of Christ the King Worship at 6pm. Our Church Year comes to a close and Advent Begins December 1