

7th Sunday after Pentecost



Immanuel Lutheran Church | George, IA
Sunday, July 7th | 9:00 a.m.

Hymns

They will know we are Christians by our love
Here I am Lord (WOV 752)
Blessed Assurance (WOV 699)
The Lord now Sends us Forth (ELW 538)

Scripture Readings

First Reading: Ezekiel 2:1-5

In 597 BCE, the priest Ezekiel was removed into exile in Babylon. While there, he received a vision of God appearing majestically on a chariot throne. Today's reading recounts God's commissioning of Ezekiel during this vision. The prophet is to speak God's word to a people unwilling to hear.

Psalm: Psalm 123

Our eyes look to you, O God, until you show us your mercy.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Christians do not boast of their own accomplishments. Rather, Christian boasting focuses attention on how the power of Christ is present in our lives, especially in times of weakness and vulnerability. No matter what our circumstances in life, Christ's grace is sufficient for us.

Gospel: Mark 6:1-13

At home and abroad, Jesus and his disciples encounter resistance as they seek to proclaim God's word and relieve affliction.

Prayer of the Day

God of the covenant, in our baptism you call us to proclaim the coming of your kingdom. Give us the courage you gave the apostles, that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Prayer Requests: Bev Kaster, Brad Sandbeck, Clay Hansmann, David Perlick, Darrell Ver Steeg, Doug Hilbrands, Isaiah Sandbeck, Rich Ahrenholtz, Rita Hilbrands, Ruben Stueven, Wanda Parker, Wendy Smith, and Military Families.

Announcements

- During our joint services we will have worship at 9:00 A.M. followed by fellowship time. If you would like to help out you can sign up in the back. The dates will be July 7th & 21st.
- If you are able to help deliver meals on wheels in the month of July, please sign up in the Narthex.

Worship Assistants

Today

Usher: Craig Denny
Sound/PPT: Richard Heidloff & AJ Landis
Greeters: Clay & Deb Hansmann
Reader: Lexi Landis
Acolyte: Leo Ver Steeg

July 21st

Usher: Craig Denny
Sound/PPT: Greg Ver Steeg & Sosie Ver Steeg
Greeters: Mark & Mary Behrens
Reader: Julie Ver Steeg
Acolyte: Khoryn Funk

This Week At Immanuel

Today, Sunday, July 7

9:00 a.m. – Worship in George W/Communion

Monday, July 8

9 A.M. to 4 P.M. – Pastor Matt office hours, George

Sunday, July 14

9:00 a.m. – Worship in Rock Rapids