

2017 MAN UP WEEKEND The weekend is intended to offer strength and encouragement for men 18 and older for their personal faith, family, and fellowship at church. The theme for this weekend is: "Contend earnestly for the faith which was once for all delivered to the saints" (Jude 3). The weekend will include Bible Study, Fellowship, Leadership Training, Team and Relationship Building and Worship, as well as several awesome outdoor activities. The retreat will be held September 22-24, 2017 at beautiful Wyalusing State Park near Prairie du Chien, WI about an hour south of La Crosse. You can also find out more information, see pictures of the park and last year's events/activities, read comments from last year's participants, and register for the retreat online at www.manup.clclutheran.org. The cost is only \$75 for the weekend and includes lodging, meals, and activities. Registration deadline is August 1, 2017. Men, don't miss out on this Christ-centered

opportunity to be encouraged and built up in the faith which has been delivered to you! If you have any questions please speak to your pastor or contact Nathanael Mayhew at ndmayhew@juno.com or 404-729-4602.

From the ILHS Parents' Association/After Banquet Committee - Parents of Immanuel Lutheran High School are currently working on this year's After Banquet Party to be held May 6, 2017. We do rely on donations from school parents, church members, and local businesses. We are able to buy some prizes, but if you would like to donate a prize, that would be greatly appreciated. Even home baked items or care packages are a great gift idea. Monetary donations may be sent to: ILC After Banquet Committee, c/o Immanuel Lutheran College, 501 Grover Road, Eau Claire, WI 54701. Questions may be directed to joannagamble@hotmail.com. Thank You!



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Pre-service Preparation: Ps. 86

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

Worship Supplement, p. 12

Opening Hymn:2
Before Sermon:10
Offering Hymn:788
After Prayers:437
Closing Hymn:761
Antiphon, Ps. 84 W.S. Pg. 38

Scripture Readings:

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Moses prophesies of the Greater Prophet whom God will raise up in the future from among the people of Israel to speak His Word. Everyone should listen to Him for He is the TRUE Prophet who speaks and acts with divine authority. This Prophet of course is Jesus!

15 "The Lord your God will raise up for you a Prophet like me from your midst, from your brethren. Him you shall hear, 16 according to all you desired of the Lord your God in Horeb in the day of the assembly, saying, 'Let me not hear again the voice of the Lord my God, nor let me see this great fire anymore, lest I die.' 17 "And the Lord said to me: 'What they have spoken is good. 18 I will raise up for them a Prophet like you from among their brethren, and will put My words in His mouth, and He shall speak to them all that I command Him. 19 And it shall be that whoever will not hear My words, which He speaks in My name, I will require it of him. 20 But the prophet who presumes to speak a word in My name, which I have not commanded him to speak, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die.'

1 Corinthians 12:12-21, 26-27

Paul compares the Holy Christian Church to the human body. As the human body has many parts, each with its own particular function, so the Church (body of Christ) has members with various gifts and different responsibilities. Yet all work together in love and concern for each other and for the good of the whole body.

12 For as the body is one and has many members, but all the members of that one body, being many, are one body, so also is Christ. 13 For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free—and have all been made to drink into one Spirit. 14 For in fact the body is not one member but many. 15 If the foot should say, "Because I am not a hand, I am not of the body," is it therefore not of the body? 16 And if the ear should say, "Because I

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CLC NEWS:

- Pastor Rob Sauers has returned the call to Mt. Zion, Madison Heights MI.
- Pastor Neal Radichel has returned the call to the Tri-parish of Grace, Valentine NE, Peace, Mission, and St. Paul's, White River SD. They have now called Pastor Paul D. Nolting, co-pastor of Immanuel Lutheran, Mankato MN.
- Immanuel Lutheran School, Mankato MN, has called Kristen Friedrichs to teach Social Studies and Brandan Heinze to teach Mathematics and Science at its school.

CLC WOMEN'S RETREAT:

Registration is now open on our website:

1. Visit the website at <http://LadiesRetreat.CLClutheran.net>

- Details of the retreat can be found by clicking either the words or the picture of the Spring Winona Retreat

- To register, click the button, Winona Registration, to register.

2. Registration closes on March 21 - Hotel and food costs are locked down within weeks of

the retreat dates. Your timely registration is really important for planning.

3. Attached is the 2017 Poster. Print it for yourself OR Print it for your church bulletin board. We would welcome and promotion you can give to our website and our retreats.

We would love to see new faces, so please invite others in your congregation to the Retreat. If you know of someone that does not have Internet access, please help them with the registration process or have them call one of the individuals listed below, and we can register them.

Coordinators: Chris Gerbitz (608)-314-5227 and Kris Sullivan - (605)-201-3618

Webmaster: Beth Kranz - (715)-471-0790

In need of a roommate? Becca Lillo (262)-271-6129

We hope to see you April 21-23!

PS. Prices for accommodations are going rising and will be reflected for the 2018 Retreat. If you are interested in looking for new locations, please contact Kris Sullivan.

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PEACE THRU CHRIST LUTHERAN WELCOMES YOU!

We thank God that you are here with us this morning to worship your Lord and Savior. Jesus has defeated Satan, washed away our sins and conquered death by His own death and resurrection victory. That victory is ours through faith in Jesus. This message of Jesus strengthens our faith as we go out and share this "Good News" with others. Please come again! Also please sign our guest register before you leave.

This Week:

Today: 9:00 a.m. S.S.: Jesus Appears to the Emmaus Disciples
Bible Class: Revelation 10
10:00 a.m. Family Worship
11:15 a.m. Annual Voters' Meeting

Tuesday 9:00 a.m. Pastoral Study Club--Middleton

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Bible Class

Thursday 10:45 a.m. Bible Class at Heritage

Next Sunday

9:00 a.m. S.S./Bible Class
10:00 a.m. Family Worship/
Communion

IN SERVICE TO OUR LORD:

Cleaners this week:
Church---Greve.
School---Brandle
Counters today:
Ruth Bernthal & Pam Schulz

LAST WEEK:

Worship 38 S.S. - Bible Class 15

OFFERINGS

1/22 for Unified Budget: \$1,346

WEDNESDAY BIBLE CLASS:

We continue our study of the Minor Prophets. Last week we had a brief overview of the 12 books. This Wednesday we will be studying the book of Hosea. You are encouraged to come, study, learn and enhance your faith-walk with us Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m.

VOTERS:

Plan to stay for our Annual Voters' Meeting after church. Elections will be held and the 2017 budget discussed and accepted. Come, serve your Lord and Savior.

am not an eye, I am not of the body," is it therefore not of the body? 17 If the whole body were an eye, where would be the hearing? If the whole were hearing, where would be the smelling? 18 But now God has set the members, each one of them, in the body just as He pleased. 19 And if they were all one member, where would the body be? 20 But now indeed there are many members, yet one body. 21 And the eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you"; nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." 26 And if one member suffers, all the members suffer with it; or if one member is honored, all the members rejoice with it. 27 Now you are the body of Christ, and members individually.

The Sermon: read/listen to sermons at www.middletonlutheran.org

Sermon Text: **Mark 1:21-28**

In Church With Jesus, Our Epiphany Lord!

I: To Receive His Miracle.

II: To Share His Word.

21 Then they went into Capernaum, and immediately on the Sabbath He entered the synagogue and taught. 22 And they were astonished at His teaching, for He taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes. 23 Now there was a man in their synagogue with an unclean spirit. And he cried out, 24 saying, "Let us alone! What have we to do with You, Jesus of Nazareth? Did You come to destroy us? I know who You are—the Holy One of God!" 25 But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be quiet, and come out of him!" 26 And when the unclean spirit had convulsed him and cried out with a loud voice, he came out of him. 27 Then they were all amazed, so that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What is this? What new doctrine is this? For with authority He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey Him." 28 And immediately His fame spread throughout all the region around Galilee.

