# ST. LUKE'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH 1

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#### SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Autumn Wiechmann, organist

April 11, 2021

## **WELCOME!**

"Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed—in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed!"

--II Corinthians 15:51-52

#### **ORDER OF SERVICE:**

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Hymn 202 Welcome, Happy Morning!

**EPISTLE: I John 5:4-12** Love for God and carrying out His commands openly displays a believer's faith in Christ. Christ the Savior is God's own Son. His Sonship was made evident 1) by the **water** of His baptism—at which God the Father spoke, "This is My beloved Son," 2) by the **blood** of His death on the cross—at which time the sun stopped shining, the earth quaked, and the rocks split, and 3) by the **Holy Spirit,** who works faith and conviction in our hearts. These three witnesses point us to Jesus. In Jesus, we have eternal life!

PSALM 118, p. 29 My Salvation!

**GOSPEL:** John 20:19-31 When Jesus appeared to His disciples on the evening of His resurrection day, Thomas, one of the Twelve, was not with them. Thomas later doubted that Jesus had been there. A week later, Jesus appeared to the group again. Thomas was present. Jesus said, "Blessed are those who have not seen, and yet have believed!" --- True for you also!

#### APOSTLES' CREED

**Hymn 210** Alleluia! The Strife is O'er (over); the Battle Done!

# SERMON: Exodus 15:1-6, 13 SING! THE UNEXPECTED VICTORY!

Then Moses and the children of Israel sang this song to the LORD, and spoke, saying:

"I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously!

The horse and its rider He has thrown into the sea!

The LORD is my strength and song, and He has become my salvation;

He is my God, and I will praise Him; my father's God, and I will exalt Him.

The LORD is a man of war; the LORD is His name.

Pharaoh's chariots and his army He has cast into the sea;

His chosen captains also are drowned in the Red Sea.

The depths have covered them; they sank to the bottom like a stone.

Your right hand, O LORD, has become glorious in power;

Your right hand, O LORD, has dashed the enemy in pieces.

You in Your mercy have led forth the people whom You have redeemed; You have guided them in Your strength to Your holy habitation."

# Hymn 733 This Joyful Easter Tide!

**Benediction** 

## **Hymn 51** Now May He Who from the Dead!

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ST. LUKE'S VIDEOS OF SERVICES: If you are unable to be at worship, please find our service at St. Luke's Facebook page.

VOTERS MEETING: The spring quarterly meeting is scheduled for next Sunday, April 18, 11:45 after service. Voters, please plan to attend.

#### CALENDAR:

04/15	7:00 pm	Thursday,	Church	Council
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04/18 10:30 Worship with COMMUNION 9:30 B. Class & Sun. Sch. **Quarterly Voters Meeting** 11:45 am.

04/25 10:30 Worship 9:30 Bible Class & Sunday School

05/02 10:30 Worship with COMMUNION 9:30 B. Class & Sun. Sch.

CHURCH CLEANERS: We appreciate your faithful labors to clean our house of worship!

APRIL K. Larson A. Lane V. Peterson J. Larson

PASTOR **AND DELEGATE** CONFERENCE: The spring pastor and delegate conference will be May 25-27 (Tue.-Thu.) at Grace in Valentine, NE. Grace Congregation is already planning housing etc. arrangements. If there is a layman who is already willing and available to attend, I will inform Grace to plan for one delegate, although not yet official. St. Luke's voters meet next Sunday, and will ratify our delegate.

FROM MISSIONARY EVENSEN, TOGO, WEST AFRICA: "I just returned from seeing the doctor and according to blood tests, everything is now normal. No malaria parasites were detected. The 3-day course of medicine appears to have killed all the parasites. Thanks be to God! Malarial symptoms are caused by parasites, transmitted from an infected person to another person by one species of mosquito. I had the most common and most serious kind of malaria. However, it is <u>not</u> the kind that can "hide" in the liver and causes relapses. Thank you, all of you, for your prayers! ----- Missionary Peter Evensen

## **CALL NEWS:**

*Teacher Matthew Kranz*, returned the call to teach Grades 5-6 at Messiah, Eau Claire, WI.

*Mr. Eric Libby*, member at Immanuel, has accepted the call from Immanuel, Mankato, MN, to serve as assistant principal / counselor.

*Mrs. Carrie Reim*, Eau Claire, WI, has been called to teach primarily Kindergarten at Messiah, Hales Corners, WI.

**Redeemer, Sister Lakes, MI**, has submitted a pastoral call to the CLC Call Committee for the seminary graduate.

CHURCH AND SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY: On Sunday July 4, St. John's of Okabena, MN, will mark the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the congregation and the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school. We ask the Savior's continued blessings!

NEWS FROM IMMANNUEL CAMPUS, EAU CLAIRE
PROFESSOR REIM RETIREMENT GIFT: Professor John Reim will be retiring at the end of the current academic year. His faithful service to our church and our school will be acknowledged during Graduation festivities on May 22. Our custom is to present a monetary gift as a token of our appreciation. CLC members are invited to contribute to this gift which will be presented to him Please make checks payable to Immanuel Lutheran College and indicate: "Prof. Reim." Mail to ILC, 501 Grover Road, Eau Claire, WI 54701. Thank you.

## (News from Immanuel, continued)

REIM THANK-YOU VIDEO:- If you attended ILC in the past 33 years, you are invited to partake in a commemoration video for Prof. John Reim. All that is needed is a short video clip of you saying, "Thank you Prof. Reim." If you wish to elaborate more and/or share memories, you are most welcome! Entries may be e-mailed to ILC student Sam Radermacher: <a href="mailto:samurade@ilc.edu">samurade@ilc.edu</a>

HIGH SCHOOL VISITORS DAY: Immanuel High School Department will host an in-person High School Visitors Day on Friday, April 30, starting at 9:00 am for students grades 8 and up. Please register students and chaperones at <a href="https://www.ilc.edu">www.ilc.edu</a> by Friday, April 23. A live theater performance *Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch* will take place on Friday at 1:30 pm for those attending Visitors Day and for families of performers. A limited live audience may attend the Saturday performance at 7:30 pm. Both performances will be livestreamed at <a href="https://www.uccentrol.org/violeos.com/ilcvideos">word/violeos.com/ilcvideos</a>. An outdoor band concert will be open to the public on Friday at 3:30 pm. For additional information please contact Prof. Joel Gullerud (joel.gullerud@ilc.edu">joel.gullerud@ilc.edu</a> 715-544-8446).

AFTER-BANQUET COMMITTEE: Parents of Immanuel Lutheran High School students are presently working on this year's After Banquet Party to be held May 8, 2021. The ILHS Banquet is held at a local venue with the After-Banquet Party immediately afterwards in the high school gymnasium. The After-Banquet Party is held to provide a fun and safe place for the students to enjoy this special evening honoring the senior class. The gym is decorated to a theme with games, prizes, refreshments and entertainment provided at NO cost to the students. Nearly every student attends the After-Banquet party, even if they don't attend the Banquet. We rely on donations from the parents, families and local businesses. We are able to buy some prizes. but if you would like to donate gift cards or prizes, that would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions regarding prizes and/or donations, please contact: Jennifer Radermacher, imjenrad44@gmail.com. Monetary donations may be sent to: ILC After-Banquet Committee, c/o Immanuel Lutheran College, 501 Grover Road, Eau Claire, WI 54701. Thank you for considering!

--- ILHS Parents' Association / After Banquet Committee

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