THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT - INVOCABIT - "HE SHALL CALL" February 21, 2021

Prayer upon entering and leaving God's house: In the front of the hymnal and pages 308-309. Welcome one and all. We pray and trust that you will be enriched as you hear the Word of the Lord, our risen Savior, Jesus, and worship Him. Guests, sign our guest book (providing your complete mailing address), and come again soon. Have a great day and week in the Lord, enjoy the peace He has won, and tell someone about Him this week.

"The body and the blood of Jesus, given and shed on Calvary for the forgiveness of our sins, will be distributed and received during our worship service this morning. Since those who commune at the altar are joined together in Christ as well as together in the teachings of the congregation (Acts 2:42; 1 Cor. 11:17-30; 1 Cor. 1:10; 1 Cor. 10:16-18), Immanuel Lutheran Church observes the historical and biblical practice of Closed Communion so that no one would receive the holy sacrament to their damnation and so that they may give a proper witness to their faith. Visitors from congregations of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod are invited to commune. Others are invited to visit with the pastor concerning our Communion practices."

We thank Pastor Steven Briel from Maple Grove for leading us in worship this morning.

Liturgy: Divine Service 3 page 184

Hymns: 505 - "Triune God, Be Thou Our Stay" 656 – "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" Distribution: 594, 716 418 – "O Lord, throughout These Forty Days"

Sermon: "Marked by the Cross – Targeted by the Devil" - Mark 1:9-15

During the season of Lent we will omit all Gloria in Excelsis, Alleluias, & Hallelujahs from the liturgies.

Reminder – When not all distribution hymns are listed check your service bulletin for additional hymns

IN OUR SERVICE TODAY

Ushers – 8:15 A.M. - Andy Olson and Jamie Tews 10:30 A.M. – Brian Vick and Zack Vick Altar Guild –Cheryl Larson and Joanne Prigge

THIS WEEK AT SILO:

Today – 8:15 & 10:30 A.M. - Worship with Communion 9:30 A.M. Bible Study & Sunday School 1:30 P.M. – Special Voter's Meeting Monday, February 22 – Parent Transportation AM only 2:00 P.M. – Communion Service **Scroll items due** Wednesday – 6:00 P.M. Worship Offering: Local Lutheran Hour Friday, Saturday, Sunday (Feb. 26, 27, 28)– State BB Tournament Next Sunday – 8:15 & 10:30 A.M. – Worship / Communion 9:30 A.M. - Bible Study & Sunday School

Looking ahead: March 1 – Next Scrip orders due April 4 – Easter

SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING – TODAY- Sunday, February 21 at 1:30 P.M. for the purpose of calling a pastor. Contact the church office for a list of names.

Altar Guild is in need of more willing helpers. Contact Teresa Fortsch for further information.

Monday, February 22 – 2:00 P.M. – Communion Service It is not necessary to call ahead to register if you plan to attend.

In case pastoral care is needed, please call elders: Matt Van Etten 458-9773, Dale Pangrac 523-2048, Joel Ellinghuysen 689-2459, or Kevin Jacob 494-8574

There is a large pile of campfire wood / kindling out by the cemetery and everyone can help themselves. Whatever remains will be burned in March.

March 3 Lenten offering goes to the Lutheran Heritage Foundation This group translated religious materials into over 101 languages making it easier for our missionaries to share the Word of God.

In case church needs to be cancelled or adjust worship times due to bad roads or weather conditions check KTTC TV, or our church website <u>www.immanuelsilo.org</u>

Kwik Trip cards are always available. Scrip cards are available by contacting any of the following: Joanne Prigge 689-2163, Karen Lorch 507-951-8906, Tammy Kreidermacher 507-458-4736, Emily Anderson 796-9147 or Raeanna Tveten 507-259-7860

Call committee members are Matt Van Etten, Paul Tveten, Randy Hoekstra, Kevin Meyer, Chris Sauer, Rocky Sandcork, Kevin Jacob and Ted Tews

Our Response to God's Love: Church attendance for Sunday, February 14: 79+74=153 Ash Wednesday, February 17, church attendance: 80 Budget required contributions each week: \$14,475 PRAISE THE LORD! 2021 Lenten Service times and Offering Designations

Topic: "What are you wearing for Lent?"

Date		Offering Designation
Feb. 24	6:00 P.M.	Local Lutheran Hour
March 3	6:00 P.M.	Lutheran Heritage Foundation
March 10	6:00 P.M.	Home
March 17	6:00 P.M.	Joint Seminary
March 24	6:00 P.M.	Hope Lutheran School
Maundy Thursday – April 1 6:00 P.M. District Missions		
Good Friday April 2 1:00 P.M. Home		
Easter Sunday April 4 8:15 & 10:30 A.M. Normal (Home) ***All times subject to change		