

Immanuel – St. Paul



Lutheran Church
Missouri Synod

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Palm Sunday

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April 1 2012

Today's Worship

The Order Of Worship

8:00 a.m. Morning Worship TLH pg. 5ff
10:00 a.m. Holy Communion TLH pg. 15ff

The Hymns

8:00 a.m. 162, 160, 161
10:00 a.m. 162, 160, 341, 342, 343, 161

The Sermon

Theme: Immanuel - Eloi, Eloi, Lema Sabachthani
St. Paul's - We Share the Glory of Christ's Cross
Text: *Immanuel* - [Mark 15:1-47](#); *St. Paul* - [John 12:20-33](#)

Today's Readings

Old Testament [Zechariah 9:9-12](#)
Epistle Reading [Philippians 2:5-11](#)
Gospel Reading [Mark 15:1-47](#)

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A Note To Our Visitors

We welcome you in the name of our living Savior, Jesus Christ, and we pray that your time of worship with us today will be a blessing to you.

Church Notes

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings Are:

[Isaiah 25:6-9](#)

[1 Corinthians 15:1-11](#)

[Mark 16:1-8](#)

Prayer for the Day

Almighty God, you sent your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ to take our flesh upon him and to suffer death on the cross. Grant that we may share in his obedience in your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection.

Amen.

The Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper is celebrated this morning at St Paul's. We believe, teach and confess the Holy Scriptures, which assure us that the very body and blood of our Savior Jesus Christ are truly present in this Blessed Sacrament, given for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. Confirmed members of Immanuel-St. Paul and of sister LCMS congregations, having been properly instructed in the benefit of the Sacrament of the Altar, and who are truly repentant, are encouraged to partake of this Holy Meal.

Confirmations

We welcome into Communicant Fellowship by the Rite of Confirmation Hunter Lodge, Hadley Ehlers and Hannah Ehlers, last Sunday at Immanuel, and Ethan Kothe and Alyssa Landmann this morning at St. Mark's. Welcome!

Guest Preacher

Pastor Zechiel is attending the Rite of Confirmation at St. Mark's this morning. The guest preacher at St. Paul's is Rev. Paul Bramstadt. Welcome!

Bald Knob Cross

The Bald Knob Cross is requesting a donation of \$1 for every person in church this morning, to complete renovations (see the flyer elsewhere in the bulletin). For those who wish to contribute, a door offering will be taken following the service.

Bible Studies

The next Monday Ladies Bible Study will be will be April 2 at 9:00 am. The next Thursday morning Bible Study will be on, April 5 at 9:30 am Manor at Craig Farm. The next Tuesday Ladies Bible Study will be April 10 at 10:00 am. The next Ladies' and Men's Bible Study will be Friday, April 13 at 7:00 pm at the Parsonage.

Sunday School

On Saturday, April 7, St. Paul's Sunday School will practice and have an Easter Egg hung from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. Each family is asked to bring one dozen treat filled eggs to share. On April 8, the kids will carry in items to redress the altar and sing in church.

Special Services Schedule

A Maundy Thursday Service will be held at St. Paul's on Thursday, April 5, at 7:00 pm. Immanuel will hold a Good Friday Morning Service at 8:00 pm and St. Paul's will hold a Good Friday Evening Service at 7:00 pm on Friday, April 6.

LWML Lower Kaskaskia Spring Rally

St. John's Lutheran Church in Baldwin will host the "Hand of Mercy" Spring Rally for the LWML on Monday, April 12. Registration will start at 9:00 am and the opening devotion will begin at 9:30 am. Lunch will be \$6.00 and can be made payable to Debbie Hammel (8130 Cardinal, Sparta, IL 62286). The speaker for the rally will be Otis Woodard.

Got E-Waste?

Looking for a way to clear out all that outdated and broken electronics and appliances? The women of the ECLA of St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Campbell Hill are collecting computers, fax machines, cell phones, digital cameras, refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, microwaves, and small appliances. Essentially anything with an electrical cord will be accepted. The drive will take place on April 28 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at St. Luke's parking lot. These items will be recycled and scrapped in an earth friendly way. For more information, call (618) 317-3153.

"Growing through Life's Trials"

Come and bring a friend to enjoy breakfast, music, and God's Word as well-known author, speaker, and radio personality Jane Wilke shares the comforting news that God helps us grow - even through trials. Our singers are the Matzenbacher Girls. This women's mini-retreat will be held at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Waterloo, IL on Saturday, April 21. The doors will open at 8:30 and will last from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. For questions or to register, call Immanuel's church office at (618) 939-6480, email at immanuel@htc.net, or register online at www.immanuelwaterloo.web.officelive.com.

A Hillbilly Wedding

St. Mark's Players present "A Hillbilly Wedding" by Le Roma Greth on Friday, April 20, Saturday, April 21, Friday April 27, and Saturday, April 28. Doors will open at 6:00 pm and the production will begin at 7:00 pm each night at St. Mark's School Gym. Admission is \$8.00 at the door. Concessions will be available for purchase. Proceeds will benefit St. Mark's Lutheran School. (The event is produced by special arrangement with Heuer Publishing LLC of Cedar Rapids, Iowa).



*Come, Holy Spirit,
And Fill The Hearts Of Your Faithful*

This Week At Immanuel-St. Paul

<i>Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Morning Worship
	8:45 am	Sunday School @ SP
	9:00 am	Immanuel Council Meeting
	9:15 am	Sunday School @ Immanuel
	10:00 am	St. Paul - Holy Communion
<i>Monday</i>	9:00 am	Ladies Bible Study @ SP Pastor's Day Off
<i>Wednesday</i>	4:00 pm	Confirmation Class
<i>Thursday</i>	9:30 am	Men's & Ladies' Bible Study @ Craig Farm
	1:00 pm	Bulletin Items Deadline
<i>Friday</i>	7:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Service @ SP
	8:00 am	Good Friday Morning Service @ IM
	7:00 pm	Good Friday Evening Service @ SP
<i>Saturday</i>	10:00 am	Easter Practice & Egg Hunt
<i>Next Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Easter Sunrise
	8:45 am	Sunday School @ SP
	9:15 am	Sunday School @ Immanuel
	10:00 am	St. Paul - Easter Festival