

# Immanuel – St. Paul



Lutheran Church  
Missouri Synod

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*The Fifth Sunday of Easter*

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*April 24, 2016*  
*Today's Worship*

**The Order Of Worship**

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

**The Hymns**

8:00 a.m. 613, 347, 315, 54  
10:00 a.m. 613, 347, 54

**The Sermon**

Theme: All New  
Text: Revelation 21:5

**Today's Readings**

First Reading [Acts 11:1-18](#)  
Epistle Reading [Revelation 21:1-7](#)  
Gospel Reading [John 16:12-22](#)

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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:**

[Acts 16:9-15](#)    [Revelation 21:9-14, 21-27](#)

[John 16:23-33](#)

### *Prayer for the Day*

Oh God, form the minds of your faithful people into a single will. Make us love what you command and desire what you promise, that, amid all the changes of this world, our hearts may be fixed where true joy is found. Amen

### *Collection for Unity Lutheran School*

Immanuel will be collecting funds for the Unity Lutheran School in East St. Louis until May 1. The box will be in the back and also at breakfast. The Ladies Aid/LWML will be matching up to \$500.00.

### *Hats Off to Mom*

The mothers, daughters, and friends banquet will be held on Wednesday, May 4, at St. Paul's Parish Hall starting at 6:00 pm. This year's theme is "Hats off to Mom" so those who attend are asked to wear a hat. If you are interested in attending, please contact Marilyn **today**.

### *Widow's Fellowship*

The next Widows Fellowship Bible Study will be at 10:00 on Wednesday, April 27 at Janet's house. Lunch will follow the Bible Study.

### *Mothers' Day Breakfast*

St. Paul's Sunday School children will host a Mothers' Day Breakfast at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday May 8. Following the breakfast, the children will also sing in church.

## *Share in the Miracle Dinners for Unity*

The students and staff of our Southern Illinois District mission, Unity for Lutheran Christian Elementary School, invite everyone to attend one of our spring "Share in the Miracle" fundraising dinners. There is no cost to attend; however, reservations are required. After dinner, guests will be blessed to hear our students perform, as well as updates from parents and Principal Rev. Aaron Dickerson.

At the end of the program, there is an opportunity to make a donation to our Golden Eagle Scholarship Fund. All families attending Unity receive financial aid to some degree. Your attendance and generous support makes it possible for children in East St. Louis to be blessed by a Christian education. Dates for the dinners are Sunday, May 1, at the World Shooting Complex in Sparta at 12:30 pm and Thursday, May 5, at the Regency Conference Center in O'Fallon at 6:30 pm.

Please plan to attend one of these dinners. You are welcome to bring as many guests as you like. Perhaps you know someone who is mission-minded and has never heard of Unity. This is a great way to introduce someone to this special ministry.

To make reservations please contact Paul Miller, Development Director, at (618) 874-6605

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

*This Week At Immanuel-St. Paul*

<i>Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Holy Communion
	8:45 am	Sunday School @ St. Paul
	9:15 am	Sunday School @ Immanuel
	10:00 am	St. Paul's - Morning Worship
<i>Wednesday</i>	10:00 am	Widows Fellowship @ Janet's
<i>Thursday</i>	1:00 pm	<b>Bulletin Items Deadline</b>
<i>Next Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Morning Worship
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	9:15 am	Sunday School @ Immanuel
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