

# Immanuel – St. Paul



Lutheran Church  
Missouri Synod

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*Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

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*August 26, 2012*  
*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.            352, 339, 347, 349, 281  
10:00 a.m.            352, 339, 281

**The Sermon**

Theme:            Turned Around  
Text:              *Isaiah 29:11-19*

**Today's Readings**

First Reading            [Isaiah 29:11-19](#)  
Epistle Reading            [Ephesians 5:22-33](#)  
Gospel Reading            [Mark 7:1-13](#)

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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:

[Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9](#)

[Ephesians 6:10-20](#)

[Mark 7:14-23](#)

### *Prayer for the Day*

Almighty and ever-living God, you have given great and precious promises to those who believe. Grant us the perfect faith which overcomes all doubts. Amen.

### *Immanuel's Voters' Meeting*

The reading and discussion of The Amendment to the By-Laws of the Constitution allowing women at Immanuel to vote and hold certain offices will be discussed at the Sept. 2, 2012 Voters' Meeting at 9:15 a.m.

### *Bible Study*

The next Friday Ladies' Bible Study will be on September 14 and the next Monday Ladies' Bible Study will be on September 17.

### *St. Paul's Sunday School*

St. Paul's Sunday School will resume on September 9. Sunday School will begin at 8:45 am. Students will also be singing in church and a lunch will be served following the church service.



*The meek shall obtain fresh joy  
in the Lord, and the poor among  
mankind shall exult in the Holy*

*One of Israel. --*

*Isaiah 29:19*

## **Western Egyptian EOC Offers Utility Bill Pay Assistance**

On September 5, residents in Jackson, Monroe, Perry, and Randolph Counties will be able to make an appointment for an application for a home energy grant through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP).

The LIHEAP is designed to help low income eligible households pay for their upcoming winter energy services and reduce their energy burden. Western Egyptian Economic Opportunity Council, whose central office is located in Steeleville, will administer the program for this area. During the month of September, it is a special priority period for households with an elderly (age 60 or older) or a disabled household member. In October, in addition to the elderly and disabled, households with children 60 months of age or younger may apply and also any households that are disconnected or has a disconnection notice from their primary and/or secondary energy source may also apply.

LIHEAP is a state and federally funded energy assistance program that assists households with income up to 150% of the federal poverty level. Benefits of eligible participants will be paid directly to the household's appropriate utility company or fuel source vender, such as electric, propane, oil, and wood.

Documented proof of the following will be required at the time of the application:

1. Gross income for all household members over the age of 18 for 30 days prior to the application date.
2. Most current copies of primary and secondary energy bills.
3. All state issued medical cards.
4. Proof of Social Security numbers for all members of the household.

Applications cannot be processed until all documentation is provided.

County Outreach Offices are staffed for LIHEAP assistance Monday through Friday from 8:00 - 4:30. An outreach office is located in each of the following counties: Jackson County in Murphysboro (684-3341), Randolph County in Sparta (443-5231), Perry County in DuQuoin (542-4656) and Monroe in Waterloo (939-8751). For more information about eligibility and program guidelines, interested households may visit the Western Egyptian website at [www.weeoc.org](http://www.weeoc.org) or the Illinois website at [www.liheapillinois.com](http://www.liheapillinois.com)

*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
	10:00 am	St. Paul's - Morning Worship
<i>Monday</i>		<b>Pastor's Day Off</b>
<i>Thursday</i>	<b>1:00 pm</b>	<b>Bulletin Items Deadline</b>
<i>Next Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Morning Worship
	10:00 am	St. Paul's - Holy Communion