

Immanuel – St. Paul



Lutheran Church
Missouri Synod

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Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

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*September 23, 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. 412, 400, 396, 398, 422, 394
10:00 a.m. 412, 400, 394

The Sermon

Theme: Committed to God
Text: *Jeremiah 11:18-20*

Today's Readings

First Reading [Jeremiah 11:18-20](#)
Epistle Reading [James 3:13-4:10](#)
Gospel Reading [Mark 9:30-37](#)

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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:

[Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29](#)

[James 5:13-20](#)

[Mark 9:38-50](#)

Prayer for the Day

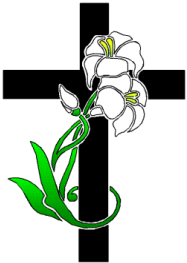
O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity. Grant us the fullness of your grace that, pursuing what you have promised, we may share your heavenly glory. Amen

Bible Study

The next Ladies' Bible Study will be on Tuesday, September 25 at Janet Rickenberg's at 10:00 am. The next Friday Ladies' Bible Study will be on September 28 at 7:00 pm at the Parsonage.

Applebutter

Immanuel will be cooking applebutter on Saturday, October 6, 2012, if enough people volunteers. Signup sheets are available in the all purpose room. We will begin at 5:30 am. We will need people to get the sauce on, build fires, and to stir. At least 18 people will be needed to manage the 7 or 8 pots typically used. If you would like to help, please sign the sheet and indicate a time at when you will be available to help. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.



But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. - James 3:17-18

Benefit Dinner for Connie Kirkland's Medical Expenses

A Mostaccioli Dinner will be held to raise funds to help with Connie Kirkland's medical expenses **today** at St. Mark's Lutheran School. Serving will be from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. In addition to mostaccioli, there will be salad, garlic bread, drinks, and desserts. A free-will donation will be collected. The funds raised will be supplemented by Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. Thank you for your support.

Randolph County Thrivent Member Election & Dinner

On Sunday, November 4, 2012, Randolph County Thrivent Chapter will host a Board member election and Rib-eye dinner at St. John Veteran Memorial Hall, 1324 High Street, Chester, IL. It will be a fun day of cards and games starting at 2p.m with dinner at 5pm. A Randolph County Thrivent members are invited to attend. Please RSVP to Mike Welge @ 618-826-5453 or Julie Ratz @ 618-282-3873 or 573-579-3592 by October 26th.

Lutherans for Life

The Southwestern Illinois Lutherans for Life will have their next meeting on FRIDAY, September 28th at 6:30 pm in the SCHOOL LIBRARY of St. John's Lutheran School, Red Bud, Illinois. We will be viewing the documentary on the abortion industry - BLOOD MONEY. If you missed this movie the first time we showed it -- please do not miss it this time. Snack and drinks will be provided. New members and guests are always welcome. For more information, contact Jennifer Roscow at 282-5343 or mroscow@htc.net



*Humble yourselves before the Lord,
and he will exalt you. - James 4:10*

Recognition Day

Western Egyptian Economic Opportunity Council, local sponsor of **the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program** cordially invites you to attend the **38th Annual Recognition and Awards day** for Randolph County on Tuesday, September 25, 2012 at the American Legion in Steeleville, IL beginning at 11:30 am. Lunch be served by the American Legion Auxiliary. The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program will be holding tow community service projects in conjunction with Recognition Day. We will be collection personal care items for our servicemen and women stationed overseas. Items will be donated to the local American Legion for them to send care packages to local servicemen and women. A list of possible items for donations include:

- Men's disposable razors
- Boxes of band aids
- bar soap
- Hard candy, mints, Bit-O-Honey
- Toothpaste
- Stick deodorant
- chewing gum
- Kleenex - small packs
- New small black combs
- Travel-size lotion, shampoo, conditioners
- Plastic forks, spoons, knives

Please share the names of any military personnel you know serving in Afghanistan or Iraq so a care package can be shipped to them.

We will also be collecting canned goods for the local food pantries. If you would like to help the hungry, please bring a canned food item to donate to the local food pantry

*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	St. Paul's Sunday School
	9:15 am	Immanuel's Sunday School
	10:00 am	St. Paul's - Morning Worship
	7:00 pm	Adult Bible Study @ SP
<i>Monday</i>		Pastor's Day Off
<i>Tuesday</i>	10:00 am	Ladies' Bible Study @ Janet's
<i>Wednesday</i>	4:00 pm	Confirmation Class @ IM
<i>Thursday</i>	1:00 pm	Bulletin Items Deadline
<i>Friday</i>	7:00 pm	Ladies' Bible Study @ SP
<i>Next Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Matins
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