

# Emmanuel Lutheran Church



June 24, 2018  
Pentecost 5

Service of the Word  
*Christian Worship* p. 38

Martin Wegner, Guest Pastor • Ruth Stern, Organist  
Roger Vomhof, Vacancy Pastor

## ***To Our Guests***

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- The restrooms are in the fellowship hall. Turn to your left when exiting the church.
- We are happy to have children in our worship. Cloth bags with age appropriate books and activities are available. Please ask an usher.

## ***Calendar for This Week***

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### **Tuesday**

Board of Outreach at 5:00 pm

### **Wednesday**

Chapel at Red Cedar Canyon at 1:30 pm

### **Saturday**

Booster Days Parade at 11:00 am, arrive at church by 9:00 am for setup

## **HYMN**

*Brothers, Sisters, Let Us Gladly* CW 484

### **FIRST LESSON:** Job 38:1-11

Then the Lord spoke to Job out of the storm. He said:

<sup>2</sup> “Who is this that obscures my plans  
with words without knowledge?

<sup>3</sup> Brace yourself like a man;  
I will question you,  
and you shall answer me.

<sup>4</sup> “Where were you when I laid the earth’s foundation?  
Tell me, if you understand.

<sup>5</sup> Who marked off its dimensions? Surely you know!  
Who stretched a measuring line across it?

<sup>6</sup> On what were its footings set,  
or who laid its cornerstone—

<sup>7</sup> while the morning stars sang together  
and all the angels shouted for joy?

<sup>8</sup> “Who shut up the sea behind doors  
when it burst forth from the womb,

<sup>9</sup> when I made the clouds its garment  
and wrapped it in thick darkness,

<sup>10</sup> when I fixed limits for it  
and set its doors and bars in place,

<sup>11</sup> when I said, ‘This far you may come and no farther;  
here is where your proud waves halt’?

**PSALM OF THE DAY:** Psalm 46, CW page 84

## SECOND LESSON: 2 Corinthians 5:14-21



<sup>14</sup> For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. <sup>15</sup> And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again.

<sup>16</sup> So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer. <sup>17</sup> Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here! <sup>18</sup> All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: <sup>19</sup> that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. <sup>20</sup> We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. <sup>21</sup> God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

## GOSPEL: Mark 4:35-41

<sup>35</sup> That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, "Let us go over to the other side." <sup>36</sup> Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. <sup>37</sup> A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. <sup>38</sup> Jesus was in the stern, sleeping

on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?"

<sup>39</sup> He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

<sup>40</sup> He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?"

<sup>41</sup> They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!"

*After the Gospel, the congregation sings:*

## **HYMN OF THE DAY**

*By Grace I'm Saved CW 384*

## **SERMON**

Sermon Text: 2 Corinthians 5: 14-21

Theme: We are Christ's Ambassadors

- I. Compelled by Christ's love for us
- II. Given a ministry of reconciliation

## **HYMN**

*Lord, 'Tis Not that I Did Choose You CW 380*

## **CLOSING HYMN**

*Savior I Follow On CW 473*

## ***Guest Speaker Today***

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Martin Wegner, a member of our congregation and a former WELS pastor, is conducting our worship service today. We pray that the Lord would bless his message from God's Word in our hearts today.

## ***WELS International Youth Rally***

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This week Lucas and Sarah Dahlke, Scott and Kevin Rust are joining young people and chaperones from Salem - Stillwater to travel to Bowling State University at Bowling Green, OH to attend the 2018 WELS International Youth Rally that will be held Tuesday through Friday of this week. Over 2,000 young people and chaperones will be in attendance at this rally.

## ***Booster Days Parade***

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Our church is looking for donations of candy. We will also need volunteers to hand out candy, water and pamphlets.

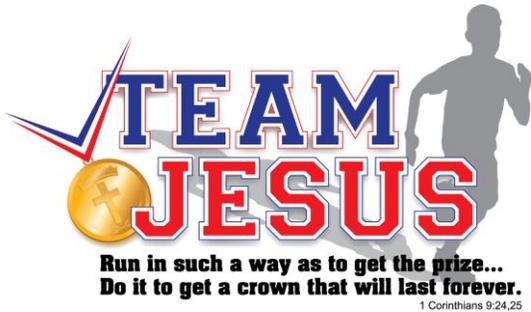
The parade will be held this Saturday at 11 am. Please arrive at church by 9 am for setup.

## ***Vacation Bible School coming in July***

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This year our theme is "Team Jesus".

**How to register:** Call 715-386-9851 or register online ([emmanuelhudson.org](http://emmanuelhudson.org))



**When:** Tuesday, July 31 -  
Thursday, August 2 from 9:30 am  
to 12 noon

**Who:** 3 year olds through those  
entering 5th grade

**Cost:** Free! All are welcome!

**What:** The children will enjoy lots of crafts, snacks, games, and Bible story lessons that will connect them with God's Word.

### ***Notes from Minnesota District Convention***

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Rev. Mark Zarling, President of Martin Luther College (MLC), reported that they are expecting an enrollment of 800 students this fall. 95 freshmen are enrolled in the pre-seminary track program. This is the highest number in years to enroll in this program. There are a lower number of freshmen enrolled in the teacher track program. He asked each of us to pray that all applicants would fulfill their commitment to attend MLC this fall. In past years they have found that some applicants decide in July and August not to attend MLC, but to attend some other college or university. He gave a report that 453 students are participating in the Congregational Partner Grant Program this year that allows congregations to support their own members up to \$1,000 who are first-year, sophomores, and juniors at MLC during the 2018-19 school year. MLC matches those donations up to \$1,000 per student.

He also spoke about the MLC Capital Campaign that will take place in our synod starting in July 2019 and running until July 2021. The theme is Equipping Christian Witnesses which reflects not only the mission of MLC, but also the foundational goals of the campaign. The campaign has three pillars: 1) Recruitment - Every person will be asked to pray for more workers and to identify and encourage young Christians to consider studying to become a future pastor, teacher or staff minister. 2) Financial Aid - The college hopes to establish a solid foundation for the Congregational Partner Grant Program, fully funding it for years to come. 3) Facilities - They are asking members throughout the WELS for gifts to repair and augment campus spaces for learning, student life activities and intramural events, athletics, and the arts. The majority of MLC's facilities are more than 50 years old. We will hear more about this in the future.

### ***Church and School Cleaning Team for June***

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Leader: Chris Hinz  
Ehlers and Heth families

### ***Other Items of Interest***

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Attendance last Sunday: 48

Fellowship refreshments next Sunday: Winkler

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