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The Seventh Sunday of Easter

June 2, 2019

VISITORS – WE WELCOME YOU to this house of prayer this morning. May you feel at home among friends as we worship together. We invite you to sign your name in the guest book in the back of the church and hope you will return again soon.

This morning we celebrate the Sacrament of the Altar, a feast of forgiveness in which we partake of the true body and blood of Christ along with the visible elements of bread and wine. The Bible gives specific instructions about the Lord's Supper. As it can be received to one's blessing or to one's harm (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), the Lord's Table must be approached with a sincere faith and a Biblical understanding. That's why all who are new to the Lutheran faith are instructed about this sacred meal before attending the Lord's Supper. Moreover, this Sacrament is also a testimony of our oneness in what we believe (1 Corinthians 10:17). Therefore, we welcome to the Holy Supper all members of Immanuel who have been confirmed and those confirmed members of sister congregations with whom we are in fellowship through unity in teaching (LCMS and TAALC). All guests who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to speak with Pastor Sorenson before the service. The faith that we believe and confess is a beautiful gift of God. If you are new to Immanuel, we warmly welcome and encourage you to learn about this faith.

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Hymn of the Day: "The Tree of Life" #561 (modified to Long
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1)
The tree of life with ev'ry good In Eden's holy orchard stood,
And of its fruit so pure and sweet God let the man and woman
eat.

2)
Yet in this garden also grew Another tree, of which they knew;
Its lovely limbs with fruit adorned Against whose eating God had
warned.

- 3)
The stillness of that sacred grove Was broken, as the serpent
strove
With tempting voice Eve to beguile And Adam too by sin defile.
- 4)
O day of sadness when the breath Of fear and darkness, doubt
and death,
Its awful poison first displayed Within the world so newly made.
- 5)
What mercy God showed to our race, A plan of rescue by His
grace:
In sending One from woman's seed, The One to fill our greatest
need.
- 6)
For on a tree uplifted high His only Son for sin would die,
Would drink the cup of scorn and dread To crush the ancient
serpent's head!
- 7)
Now from that tree of Jesus' shame Flows life eternal in His
name;
For all who trust and will believe, Salvation's living fruit receive.
- 8)
And of this fruit so pure and sweet The Lord invites the world to
eat,
To find within this cross of wood The tree of life with ev'ry good.

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June 2 "Instead of dreaming of what your spouse will do for you, you should ask yourself, are you willing to serve him or her sacrificially? To paraphrase John F. Kennedy: Ask not what your spouse can do for you, rather ask what you can do for your spouse." *Pastor Ricky Jacob, Jesus Our Savior Lutheran Church and preschool, Winnebago – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*