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All Saints' Day (Observed)

November 6, 2016

The Service of Holy Baptism for Camden Jack Meyer

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.

Prelude

Welcome

Ring of the Bell

Hymn: "By All Your Saints in Warfare" #517 Vss. 1, 4, 3

Invocation

P: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Introit of the Day, prayed responsively worship insert

Collect of the Day, spoken by Pastor

The Order of Holy Baptism

Address

Exorcism

The Sign of the Cross

Prayer

Holy Gospel: Mark 10:13-16

Lord's Prayer

Blessing

Exhortation to the Sponsors

Pledge of the Sponsors (Chad Meyer, Megan Ferguson)

Blessing

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Baptism of Camden Jack Meyer

Blessing

The Placing of the White Pinafore

The Lighting of the Candle

Prayer

Peace

Baptismal Hymn: #594, "God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It"

First Reading Revelation 7:9-17

Response

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual of the Day, prayed responsively worship insert

Second Reading 1 John 3:1-3

Response

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia #952

Holy Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

Responses

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 5th chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord

(The Gospel is read.)

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ!

Hymn of the Day: "For All the Saints" #677 Vss. 1-4

Sermon: "Washed to be Saints"

Offering

Prayer of the Church

P: Let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

Confession and Absolution

P: Beloved in the Lord! If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

(Silence for self-examination)

P: Let us then together confess our sins to God our Father.

C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Admonition to the Communicants

Lord's Prayer back cover of the hymnal

Words of Institution

Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen.

Distribution

#671, "Sing with All the Saints in Glory"

#644, "The Church's One Foundation"

#678, "We Sing for All the Unsung Saints"

Post-Communion Prayer

Blessing

Closing Hymn: "For All the Saints" #677 Vss. 5-8

Chimes/Silent Prayer

Announcements

Postlude

BAPTISM TODAY

We rejoice today with Brady and Melissa Meyer at the baptism of their baby boy, Camden Jack Meyer. Camden was born July 28, 2016. Serving as sponsors are Chad Meyer and Megan Ferguson. God bless Camden as he is born again of water and of the Holy Spirit (John 3:3-5) and begins the Christian life!

CATECHISM REVIEW

Why are all six chief parts of the Small Catechism taken from the Bible alone?

All the chief parts of the Small Catechism are taken from the Bible, because as God's written Word the Bible is the only final authority for Christian faith and life. "We receive and embrace with our whole heart the prophetic and apostolic Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments as the pure, clear fountain of Israel.

They are the only true standard or norm by which all teachers and doctrines are to be judged." "We...have a unanimously accepted, definitive, common form of doctrine...derived from God's Word, all...writings should be judged and adjusted to it to determine the extent to which they are to be approved and accepted" (Formula of Concord SD Rule and Norm 3,10).

LUTHER AT THE MINNEAPOLIS INSTITUTE OF ART

The Minneapolis Institute of Art would like to invite you to its special exhibition, *Martin Luther: Art and the Reformation*. Five hundred years ago, one man took a stand that shook Europe and changed the world. Now you can see the story of Martin Luther and the Reformation, brought to life through astonishing artworks and historical objects, traveling outside Germany for the first time ever. Luther used art and print in ways that brought religious, cultural, and societal change. This exhibition includes paintings, sculpture, gold, textiles, and works on paper - as well as Luther's personal possessions - that shed new light on an explosive era and the man who ignited it. The exhibition runs through January 15. To reserve tickets, call [612-871-3000](tel:612-871-3000) or go online to <http://www.artsmia.org/luther>.

PEWS FOR CHILDREN

Just a reminder that we try to keep the last three pews on the left side of the sanctuary for small children and their parents. This provides an easy exit if children are not sitting still or need to use the restroom. Let's show hospitality to our families with young children. We thank God that they are part of our Immanuel family.

NEXT SUNDAY: SPECIAL MISSION PRESENTATION AND BRUNCH

On Sunday, November 13th, missionaries Martin and Marie Dicke will visit Immanuel - Hay Creek. Martin's grandfather Edward was confirmed at Immanuel and served the early part of his ministry as a missionary in Brazil. Martin's father served as a missionary in Papua New Guinea for 20 years, along with his sister Elinor. Martin has served in the US as a church musician for over 30 years, but now is following in his parent's footsteps and returning to serve in Papua New Guinea where he was born. They are traveling the country building a Support Network before they head overseas. During the Bible Class Hour they will offer a presentation entitled "Back to Papua New Guinea." A brunch will also be provided for all who attend. For more information on Martin and Marie Dicke's missionary work or to support them directly, visit www.lcms.org/dicke. To follow their travels and mission work, please "Like" their Facebook page at www.facebook.com/dickesback [topng](#).