

***Prayer of the Day** (prayed by all)

Everlasting God, you have wonderfully established the ministries of angels and mortals. Mercifully grant that as Michael and the angels contend against the cosmic forces of evil, so by your direction they may help and defend us here on earth, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God whom we worship and praise with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, now and forever. Amen.

Word

First Reading: Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

A hand touched me and roused me to my hands and knees. He said to me, "Daniel, greatly beloved, pay attention to the words that I am going to speak to you. Stand on your feet, for I have now been sent to you." So while he was speaking this word to me, I stood up trembling. He said to me, "Do not fear, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words. But the prince of the kingdom of Persia opposed me twenty-one days. So Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, and I left him there with the prince of the kingdom of Persia, and have come to help you understand what is to happen to your people at the end of days. For there is a further vision for those days. "At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever." (NRSV)

L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Second Reading: Revelation 12:7-12

War broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, "Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death. Rejoice then, you heavens and those who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!" (NRSV)

L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation *"Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"* 3x

ELW #172

*PP The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

***Gospel: Luke 10:17-20**

The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven." (NRSV)

*PP The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Message

Pastor Patricia Hughes

Hymn of the Day *"Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence"*

ELW #490

***The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***The Prayers**

A Drawn together in the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray with confidence for the church, God's good creation, and all who are in need. *A brief silence.* We pray for the church and its leaders: for council members and music ministers, deacons, pastors, and bishops. Make us faithful messengers of your love in a world hungry for good news. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for the flourishing of all that you have made, for birds and squirrels, spiders and whales, oak trees and humble grasses. Renew prairies and forests, tundra and wetlands, that they sustain all who make their home there. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for the peoples of the world and for their leaders. Where conflict and violence reign, bring peace; wherever there is oppression or discrimination, bring liberation. Guide all in power to protect those who are most vulnerable. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for all who are suffering this day. Accompany people fleeing from danger and encourage all who help them on their journeys. Abide with all who are in prison or detention centers. Reassure them of your steadfast love. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We pray for all who question their faith. Fill our dry wells with your living water and reassure all who doubt of your boundless grace. Let us

accompany all in discernment with open hearts and tender care. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We offer thanksgiving for our beloved dead. At the close of our earthly pilgrimage, gather us with Michael and all the saints and angels into everlasting life in you. Hear us, O God.

C Your mercy is great.

A We entrust these and all our prayers to you, holy God, in the name of your beloved child, Jesus Christ, our Savior.

C Amen.

Meal

Offering

Offertory Music *"I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"* ELW #325

***Offertory Prayer** (prayed by all)

Blessed are you, O God, source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

***The Great Thanksgiving**

***Holy** *"Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!"* vs. 4 ELW #413

***Words of Institution**

***The Lord's Prayer** (prayed by all)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

The Communion of Christ's People

Communion Music

*"Lamb of God"
"I Come With Joy"*

CH #302

HS #768

After all have communed:

PM The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer (prayed by all)

Holy God, you have welcomed us to this meal and fed us with dignity at your table. Send us now to welcome others and to be at peace with one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sending

***Sending Hymn**

"Bring Forth the Kingdom"

W&P #22

Blessing

PM God all mighty, God most merciful ☩ bless you, keep you, and give you peace.

C Amen.

***The Dismissal**

PP Go in peace. Follow Jesus.

C Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Please remember to sign the friendship registers found at the end of your pews.

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Welcome to Immanuel! We are so glad you worshiped with us today!

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Weekly (All Are Welcome!):

Immanuel Choir - Sundays at 11:45 am

Youth Group (7th-12th graders) - Sundays at 6 pm (**tonight at 5 pm**)

Prayer Shawl/Pocket Prayer Group - Tuesdays from 2-4 pm

Bible Study - Begins October 2

A mid-week Bible study begins on October 2 at 10 am in the fireside room. This is an opportunity for anyone and everyone who wants to explore the Gospel of Mark. Bring your Bible and your curiosity. {If you don't have a Bible, we will get you one!} Contact the office or Pastor Joe with questions.

Rummage Sale - October 4 & 5

We need your help!

TODAY! (bring rummage sale items down from the balcony)

Monday, Sept. 30 - Thursday, Oct. 3 (set up and price items)

Friday, Oct. 4 & Saturday, Oct. 5 (cashiers starting at 9:00 am)

This is a big event and we would appreciate anyone who can help. All proceeds go to Missions. Please let the office or Shirley Smith know if you can volunteer.

Esther Circle - Thursday, October 10

Esther Circle will meet at 9:30 am in the Fireside Room for treats and social time. At 10:00, we use Gather Magazine as a guide for our monthly Bible study. It lasts about an hour. All women are welcome.

Name Tags

As a courtesy to our new pastors and members, please remember to wear your name tag.

Growing Hope Globally Fundraiser - October 6-November 24

This season we will be raising money for a program in Peru, working with indigenous farmers to sell dairy products and improving access to food. There will be a basket in the narthex for donations - Debbie Eder or Mary Miller will be there to answer questions and help take donations. There will not be auction items this Fall.

Want to stay up to date on events? Contact the office to subscribe to our weekly emails.