

**GATHER THE WEEDS  
FIRST AND BIND THEM IN  
BUNDLES TO BE BURNED.  
BUT GATHER THE WHEAT  
INTO MY BARN.**

MATTHEW 13:30, ESV

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# SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 23, 2017

**\*Please stand as you are able**

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

Pastor Sharp

**Opening Hymn**

*"The Lord, My God, Be Praised"*

LSB 794

(stand for final stanza)

**\*Confession and Absolution**

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**\*Service of the Word**

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**\*Introit**

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**\*Kyrie**

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**\*Gloria in Excelsis**

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**\*Salutation and Collect of the Day**

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**Old Testament Reading**

Isaiah 44:6-8

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual**

*Rom. 11:33, 36*

P: Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!

**C: How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!**

P: For from him and through him and to him are all things.

**C: To him be glory forever. Amen.**

**Epistle Reading**

*Romans 8:18-27*

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**



be bound but have free course and be preached to the joy and edifying of Christ's holy people, that in steadfast faith we may serve You and, in the confession of Your name, abide unto the end; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**\*Benediction**

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**Closing Hymn**

*"Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers"*

LSB 515

**Silent Prayer**

**Announcements**

**Postlude**

**Welcome:** In the words of Jacob; "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God!" (Genesis 28:17). Welcome to worship. **Guests,** Please sign the guest register in the hallway and/or the yellow card found in the pew rack, drop it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher and please come worship with us again.

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**SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY**

**Pastor**

Rev. John Sharp

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Deaconess Gail Ludvigson

**Organist**

Sandra Chesnut

**Lector**

Mike Bergmeier

**AV**

Stacy Luth

**Video**

Kent Luth

**GOD'S BLESSING TO THOSE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK...**

**Today, July 23<sup>rd</sup>** - Shawn McGarigle, Lynnae Struck, Caleb Bundy ; **24<sup>th</sup>**- Kent Luth, Mary Sue Rothermel; **25<sup>th</sup>**- Kathryn Moudy, Awanda Heyen, Tinley Luth; **26<sup>th</sup>**- Randy Cress; **27<sup>th</sup>**- Kari Schwink; **29<sup>th</sup>**- Taylur Orwick.



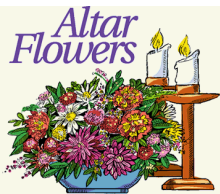
**Prayer Requests**

**Prayers for our Sick and Shut-ins...** Gerhardt Mohr, John Holmes, Don Clem, Dennis Freeman, Deanna Dohme.

Last Sunday 125 gathered in God's house. Plate- \$219.04; Home- \$2490.00; Building Fund- \$1000.00; Merle Schweineke memorial- \$25.00. SS attendance/offering- 0/\$.00; ABC attendance/offering- 0/\$.00.

**THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL**

- TODAY:** Divine Service ..... 9:00am  
Youth Group Mission Trip Presentation and dinner 10:00am  
Installation of playground equipment.....
- MONDAY:** Immanuelite articles due .....
- TUESDAY:** Board of Worship ..... 7:00pm
- THURSDAY:** Church Council ..... 7:00pm
- FRIDAY:** Immanuelite Articles due .....
- SUNDAY:** Divine Service ..... 9:00am  
Blessing of the Playground .....10:00am  
Quarterly Voters Assy. ....10:30am  
VBS..... 5:30-8:00pm

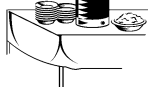


Flowers gracing the altar this morning are given in loving memory of Gene Bundy by Jan Bundy family.

VBS will be held July 30th through August 3rd from 5:30-8pm. Dinner will be served each night. Registration forms can be found in the preschool room or ask Jackie or Jed for forms. There is a \$7 fee, which includes a t-shirt. The registration forms have a spot for t-shirt sizes for children. If you are an adult and will be attending VBS and would like a shirt as well, please see Jackie Teague to order a shirt, the cost is \$7. If you are interested in volunteering to help in any area prior to, during, or after VBS please see Jackie or Jed.



**Fellowship Dinner**



The Youth Group will give a presentation on their mission trip after divine service and then serve lunch with a free will offering today followed

by the playground equipment installation.

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**This week on KFUE.org**, we continue in our study of the Gospel of John (*Thy Strong Word @ 11am*), meander back through Acts for our weekday Lectionary Studies (*8am*), and hear Cross Defense live with Rev. Jonathan Fisk and guests (*7/24 @ 2pm*). Listen on-demand at kfue.org or wherever you get your podcasts!

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The circuit of which our congregation is a member will meet in a Circuit Convocation on Saturday, August 5, beginning with Divine Service at 9am at Saint John, Mattoon. The Convocation includes a Luther impersonator in celebration of the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Reformation. There will also be a time for the congregations to share with one another their work and lend mutual support. In the evening Pastor Jacobsen will present on the trip to Luther lands in Germany that he took this month. Lunch and supper are provided. Please bring a side dish to share for supper. Let Pastor know if you are going so that the ladies of Saint John have a count for lunch.



Sunday, August 6th will not be a communion day. The VBS program will be that day so the altar will have their setup. We will have communion on August 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>.



**Congratulations on Your New Baby!**

Congratulations to Derek and Christy Chandler on the birth of Logan Myron Chandler. Logan was born July 17, 2017 at 2:22pm at OSF St Joseph Hospital in Bloomington. He weighed 7lb 9oz and was 20" long. Best wishes to grandma Kathie Luth.



The family of Merle Schweineke would like to thank everyone for the calls, cards, flowers, memorials and food. Thank you to Pastor Sharp for his many visits to Merle. Thank you to all the ladies involved in preparing the funeral dinner. We appreciate it very much.

