

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
GIDDINGS, TEXAS  
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GOD WITH US...BRINGING HIM TO OTHERS

**WELCOME!** We welcome all who worship with us this today! We are so glad that you are here! Please indicate your presence by filling out an attendance card and placing it in the offering plate. We pray God's blessing on your worship with us.

**First Time Visitors** - Please stop by the Visitors' Table in the entrance for a free gift and information about Immanuel, Giddings and The Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod.

**Responsive Readings** - Some portions of the worship service are read responsively. The portions that the pastor speaks are marked by a **P** and the congregation responds with the portions marked with a **C** in bold. Please do not hesitate to ask anyone near you if you have any questions.

**Special Assistance** - Wheelchairs, walkers, and hearing devices are available from the ushers in the entrance.

**Parents with small children** – A staffed nursery is located in the fellowship hall. There is also a cry room located in the entrance of the church (adjacent to the ladies' restroom) for children who become restless.

**Quiet Bags** with coloring pages, crayons, and activities are available in the entrance. *Please return following the service.*

 A restroom for the handicapped is available in the fellowship hall entrance.

## Ringling of the Bell

## Welcome and Greeting One Another

### Opening Hymn - At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

LSB 633 sts. 1, 3, 5, 7-8

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

**P** Upon this your confession, I, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

### Lord Have Mercy (Kyrie)

LSB 186

**C** Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

### Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187

**P** Glory be to God on high,

**C** and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee.

we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.  
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.  
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Old Testament Reading

*Isaiah 55:1-5*

- P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Epistle

*Romans 9:1-5*

- P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel

*Matthew 14:13-21*

- P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Confession of Faith - Nicene Creed

*Found on the inside back cover of the hymnal*

Hymn - I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus

*LSB 729*

The Message

*Pastor Robert Tiner*

Offering

Offertory

*LSB 192*

- C** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

- P** Lord, in Your mercy,
- C** hear our prayer.

Holy, Holy, Holy (Sanctus)

*LSB 195*

- C** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;  
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Lord's Prayer

*Found on the inside back cover of the hymnal*

The Words of Our Lord

*LSB 197*

- P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My  $\text{✠}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."
- P** In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{✠}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

## Peace of the Lord (Pax Domini)

LSB 197

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

**C** Amen.

## Lamb of God (Agnus Dei)

LSB 198

**C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

## Distribution Hymns

Come, Let Us Eat

LSB 626

The Lamb

LSB 547

Just as I Am, without One Plea

LSB 570

I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table

LSB 618

**P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting.  
Depart † in peace.

**C** Amen.

## Song of Simeon (Nunc Dimittis)

LSB 199

**C** Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word,  
for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people,  
a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost,  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

## Thanksgiving

LSB 200

**P** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

**C** and His mercy endureth forever.

**P** Let us pray.

**C** We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

## Salutation and Benedicamus

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spirit.

**P** Bless we the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Benediction

LSB 202

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.

**C** Amen.

## Announcements

## Closing Hymn - Sent Forth by God's Blessing

LSB 643

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