



*O Church Arise!*  
**Stand!**

Fourteenth Sunday After Pentecost  
September 9, 10, and 11, 2017

## **Worship & Fellowship**

- ❖ Saturday Evenings: 5:15 p.m.
- ❖ Sunday Mornings: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
- ❖ Monday Evenings: 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ Our weekly radio broadcast airs Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m. on WJMQ 92.3 FM
- ❖ Sunday School: 9:15 a.m. (during the school year)
- ❖ Sunday Bible studies: 9:15—10:15 a.m.

## **Connect With Us**

**Office Hours: 7:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.**

200 E Quincy Street, New London, WI 54961

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## **We Are Here For You**

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## **Executive Director Contact Info**

If you have any questions, comments or suggestions, you may put a note in my mailbox in the narthex (located by the bubbler), call me at (920) 579-9299 or email me at [boys.5.m.m@gmail.com](mailto:boys.5.m.m@gmail.com).

Mark Dobberstein

## **Special Needs**

Prayer Request—[prayers@emanuelnl.org](mailto:prayers@emanuelnl.org) or call 920-740-0782

Pastor Visits—[eman@emanuelnl.org](mailto:eman@emanuelnl.org) / (920) 982-5444

**Emergency Pastor for September 11-17:  
Pastor Bill Heiges 920-284-7044**

## **Large Print Hymnals**

**Large-print copies of the service are available for anyone in need – please ask an usher for a copy.**

## **Wheelchair Area**

For your convenience, two areas are set aside to accommodate members with wheelchairs, walkers, or other special space needs. Ushers are available to assist you to the following locations:

- Halfway down the middle and side aisles on the lectern side of church, there is a pew with wheelchair space on either end.
- In the right half of the front row, also on the lectern side, there is a larger area with wheelchair space.

## **Attention Hearing Impaired Members**

Special receivers are available to help hear the service. Ask one of our ushers for a receiver and return it to an usher after the service.

## **Parent Room**

Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me.” We love children and encourage their worship. Please don’t feel embarrassed if your child is restless during the service. You are among caring people who understand. If you feel that your children are distracting others from worship, you may take them to the entryway or a parent’s room is available. There is a closed-circuit TV in the room to watch & listen to the service. An usher can assist you in locating this room, also called the “Bible Class Room”.

## **Last Weekend’s Attendance & Offerings – Week 10**

Attendance—592 (yearly average: 615); guests: 71

Budgetary Offerings - \$19,829

Average offerings since July 1 - \$20,063

Average needed weekly for budget—\$24,220

**TODAY'S LIGHT BIBLE READINGS**  
Week 33 (September 11-September 16)

Monday	2 Kings 17:1-41	Thursday	2 Kings 21:1-26
Tuesday	2 Kings 18:1-19:37	Friday	2 Kings 22:1-23:37
Wednesday	2 Kings 20:1-21	Saturday	2 Kings 24: 1-25:30

## Prayer & Thanks

### Anniversary

Sterling and Mary Lou Rudie - 67 years of marriage

Ken and Harriet Roberts - 43 years of marriage

### Funeral

Robert Roland - held September 2, 2017

Rodney Seefeld - held September 7, 2017

### Radio Broadcast

The radio broadcast on WJMQ 92.3 FM was sponsored in memory of Kerrie Van Straten by her family.

## This Week at Emanuel Ev. Lutheran Church & School

### **Saturday**

9:30 a.m. - LWMS Meeting - Community Room

5:15 p.m. - Worship

### **Sunday**

8:00 & 10:30 a.m. - Worship

9:15 a.m. - "A Return to Grace" - Church Proper

9:15 a.m. - "Family Foundations" - School Commons

9:15 a.m. - "Happiness" - Coffee Area in Narthex

9:15 a.m. - "Hymns of Luther" - **Church Basement**

9:15 a.m. - "Men of the Outdoors" - **Community Room**

5:00 p.m. - Bells Alive - Church Balcony and Church Proper

### **Monday**

9:30 a.m. - St. Joseph Residence Service - St. Joseph Chapel

6:30 p.m. - Worship

7:00 p.m. - **CC Meeting** - Community Room

## **Tuesday**

12:30 p.m. - "Weekly Worship Wrap-up" – Community Room

6:30 p.m. - Starting Point 1 Bible Class - Community Room

## **Wednesday**

12:00 p.m. - "Lunch Break" Bible Study – Community Room

**5:30 p.m. - PSI Class - Rooms 201, 202, 204, and 207 in School**

7:00 p.m. - Crossroads Youth Group - Youth Room

7:00 p.m. - Financial Peace University - Community Room

8:00 p.m. - SOAR Youth Group - Youth Room

## **Thursday**

6:30 a.m. - "Breakfast Bible Class" – Marly's Restaurant

9:15 a.m. - "Trinity Terrace Bible Study" @ Trinity Terrace

11:45 a.m. - Mirror, Mirror - Reflections on God's Word Bible Class -  
Dahlke Home

6:00 p.m. - Adult Handbells - Church Proper

## **Friday**

8:15 a.m. - **JAM** - Commons/Gym

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5:15 p.m. - Worship - Communion

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## **Monday**

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1:00 p.m. - LWMS Meeting - Community Room

6:30 p.m. - Worship - Communion

# EMANUEL NEWS

## **Hurricane Harvey Aid**

There will be collection boxes at the exits this weekend to help assist the families in Texas that have been hit by the major storms and flooding due to Hurricane Harvey. All gifts collected will be sent to WELS Christian Aid and Relief. Please keep everyone involved in your prayers.

## **Schauland Move**

The Schauland's will be moving from their rental location into their permanent home! Volunteers are needed to help out with moving day which will be Saturday, September 23rd. Please call the Emanuel office at 982-5444 if you are able to help out. Thank you in advance!

## **Office Receptionist Position**

The Emanuel office has an opening for an afternoon receptionist. Job duties will include answering phones, assisting visitors, data entry, creating PowerPoints, and other office-related duties. The position hours are from 12:00-4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

For a copy of the position description and application, please stop by the Emanuel office, the Information Wall, or go to our website at [www.EmanuelNL.org](http://www.EmanuelNL.org) under "quick links" and "Employment Opportunities".

Please send applications and resumes to: Scarlett Koehler, Emanuel Lutheran Church, 200 E. Quincy Street, New London, WI 54961. *The submission deadline is Wednesday, September 27.*

## **Join Us For JAM (Jesus And Me)**

We are excited for JAM to start up again this year! For the month of September, JAM will be on the 15 and 29 in the school commons & gymnasium from 8:15 - 9:15 a.m. There will be stories, Jesus Time, crafts, singing, and gym time. JAM is open to all children ages 0 – 5 accompanied by an adult. And... it is free!

## **Scrip Update**

Emanuel's scrip year ended on April 30, 2017. The total sales for the year were \$554,376.97. The income from all scrip sales and Kwik Trip rebates was \$24,434.17. The amount was divided as follows:

\$12,535.52 went back to parents who participate in the program for school fees here at Emanuel, FVL, or other WELS schools.

\$10,773.82 went to the congregation for Student Financial Assistance, the School Fee Fund, and to a special project for the church or school to be decided by the Coordinating Council.

\$1,124.83 went to administrative costs.

If you would like more information on how to make use of the scrip program, please contact the office at 982-5444.

## **Lost and Found**

A man's wedding ring was turned into the office last week. Please call the office or stop by to claim it if it is yours.

## **Attention 5th to 12th Graders: Ring Handbells with Bells Alive**

The youth Bells Alive choir will be starting up again soon. Rehearsals will be held from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Sunday evenings in the church balcony. The first rehearsal is this Sunday, September 10th and every Sunday night through April. If interested in ringing with Bells Alive, please call Mrs. Gielow at 715-752-3536 and leave a message including your name and phone number. Bells Alive is open to all Emanuel 5th to 12th grade students.

## **Come Join Our Song**

Won't you consider lending your voice to worship praises this year? Mixed Choir will be starting rehearsals on September 13th. The choir will meet in the music room of the school at 6:00 p.m for about an hour every Wednesday night. Enter through door G (playground). Hope to see you there! For more info contact Lynn Schmidt at [lschmidt@emanuelnl.org](mailto:lschmidt@emanuelnl.org) or call school 920-982-5444 ext. 200.

## **Good Samaritan Collection**

There will be a collection for the New London Food Pantry **next weekend, September 16-17-18.**

## **Teen SUICIDE: Warning Signs and Prevention**

This is the topic of September's FVL Schools Community Parent's Night on 9/20 @6:30 p.m. This presentation targets this growing problem in America and will be presented by Elizabeth Robinson from Christian Family Solutions. Free childcare is available for children ages 4 & up. Free tickets are available at any FVL Schools office. More info at [fvlschool.org](http://fvlschool.org).

## **Attention All Widows and Single Ladies**

The widows/single ladies group will meet for lunch on Thursday, September 21st at 11:30 a.m. at Beacon Street Deli in New London. Come join us!

## **No Internet=No Phone at Emanuel**

When the Internet is down, so are the phone lines at Emanuel. In the event that this occurs again, please contact Emanuel by calling the fax line at 920-982-0954. Thanks!

## **A Big Thank-You**

Thank you to the sixteen people who volunteer their time throughout the year keeping the church and school landscaping looking so pristine. It is appreciated by many.

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# **2017 Fall Sunday Bible Classes**

## **A Return to Grace – Class led by Pastor Tiefel**

This study works with the 2017 Reformation film of the same name. Participants will explore how the Reformation and Martin Luther impacted the world both in 1517 and today, using four excerpts from the film. Discussing and applying what we saw, we will be led to a deeper understanding of this important milestone in Lutheranism. The lessons are: Grace Hidden; Grace Rediscovered; Grace Defended; Grace Confessed and Enduring. (Church Proper)



## **Family Foundations – Class led by Matt Foley**

The “Living Christian Values in the Home” Bible study addresses a variety of life issues that can impact the average home. It will help God’s families to serve the Lord better as we struggle with the challenges that arise in our homes. (School Commons)

## **Happiness – Class led by Heather Dahlke and others**

What is happiness? In this study we will explore ways in which the world defines happiness. We will think through the clues that our words and actions give about our personal beliefs regarding happiness and how we hope to attain it. Please join us as we search God’s Word for what He says about happiness and how to receive it, as well as affirming that true joy begins only as we receive God’s forgiveness for us through Jesus’ blood shed on the cross. (Coffee Area)

## **Hymns of Luther – Class led by Pete Krueger**

Each class will review the lyrics, tunes and scripture references for 3 or 4 of Luther’s hymns, selected by topic. Weekly hymn topics will be Reformation, Catechism, Liturgy, and Church Year. Stories from the life of Luther and/or excerpts of his conversations and comments will be provided. The purpose of this class is to inspire greater joy in our Lutheran heritage and encourage study of the hymns’ scripture references. (Community Room)

## **Men of the Outdoors – Class led by Rich Platz**

This is a unique course that combines our passion for hunting with our passion for God’s Word. This video class has actual footage from a hunt connected with a lesson from God’s Word. There are two deer hunts, a turkey hunt and an elk hunt. The lessons will deal with the Sovereignty of God, the Brotherhood of Men, God’s Design for Men, and God’s Direction in Psalms 1 & 2. (Church Basement)

Classes begin Sunday, September 10 at 9:15 a.m. and run for 4 lessons each ending on October 8.

There will be no classes on October 1 for Harvestfest.

# WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

## Communion Servers

**September 16-17-18:** (5:15) Lee Shaw, Dale Krause; (8:00) Randy Behnke, Matt Foley; (10:30) Dave Meyer, Bruce Davis; (6:30) Chris Doran

**September 30-October 1-2:** (5:15) Lee Shaw, Dale Krause; (8:00) Skip Boese, Rich Platz; (10:30) Dave Meyer, Gordy Vetter; (6:30) Dave Neumann

## Greeters

**September 9-10-11:** (5:15) M/M Dan Laird, Joyce Hoffman; (8:00) Tammy Kent, Henrietta Kent, Keith Stern; (10:30) M/M Arnie Heise, Evelyn Rosenow; (6:30) Cindy Bauer

**September 16-17-18:** (5:15) M/M Lee Shaw, Norma Wolf; (8:00) M/M Arleigh Strebe, M/M Frank Dobbert, Diane/Mark Wolfe; (10:30) Cathy Dobberstein, M/M Curt Sommer; (6:30) M/M Bob Meyer

## Ushers-the Month of September

(5:15) Kenny Olson, Ron Reick; (8:00) Barry Hoewisch, Harry Blum, Danke/Krueger, Bryan Hoewisch, Brady Hoewisch, Jeff Schabo; (10:30) Al Tank, Bob Danke, Dennis Lemke, Ed & Chris Alexander; (6:30) Mike Knapp, Zach-Trinity-Elijah Mulder, Brett Schultz

# Picture Directory Photo Session Sign-Up!

There are many times slots available for you and your family to sign up for during the five-weeks of photo session dates.

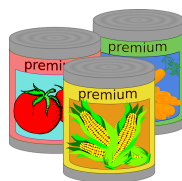
Registration for your portrait sessions will be held in the narthex over the weekends or on-line on weekdays by going to Emanuel's homepage at [www.EmanuelNL.org](http://www.EmanuelNL.org) and click on the "Sign Up Now" icon.

You may also stop by or call the Emanuel office and we can assist you in setting up your appointment.

We will begin with holding portrait sessions **Tuesdays - Saturdays from September 19 - October 18** in the community room/Bible classroom. Tuesday through Friday sessions will run from 2:00 - 9:00pm, while Saturday sessions will run from 10:00am - 5:00pm.

Each portrait session will receive a free 8x10 print. There are many options if you would like to purchase any prints for family or friends. We ask that no pets be brought in for photographs.

We are working with Lifetouch to help feed the community during the photo sessions. Bring a nonperishable food item to your session and receive \$5 off your Lifetouch portrait order. All donated food will be delivered to the New London Food Pantry to help the members of our community.



**Each portrait session will receive a free directory which should be available before the end of this year. Additional directories will be available for purchase at a minimal cost.**

# O Church Arise! Stand!

Opening Hymn	O Church Arise (children v. 1-3, cong. - v. 4)
Order of Worship	Service of the Word – p. 38 CW
Song of Praise	Oh, Taste and See - p. 39 CW
Prayer of the Day	
First Lesson	Joshua 4:1-9 (p.210)
Psalm of the Day	Psalm 34 - p. 80 CW
Second Lesson	Hebrews 4:9-16 (p. 1186)
Gospel	Matthew 16:13-20 (pp. 972-973)
Hymn of the Day	The Church's One Foundation - CW 538
Sermon Text	Hebrew 4:9 -16
The Message	"The Sword that Makes the Wounded Whole"
Apostle's Creed	p.41 CW
The Offering	September WELS Connection will be shown
Prayer of the Church	
The Lord's Prayer	p. 35 CWS
Hymn	Christ is Made the Sure Foundation - CW 531
Prayer & Benediction	pp. 43-44 CW

Presiding Minister - Pastor Marcus Schulz  
 Message - Pastor Mark Tiefel  
 Organist/Pianist - Lynn Schmidt  
 Soundbooth - Jen Schmitt, Micah Backus