



FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT  
DECEMBER 1, 2024

**HYMN – 302 “Prepare the Royal Highway”**

*We follow Setting Three on page 189*

**CONFESSION**

**LORD, HAVE MERCY**

**GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST**

**The Word**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Stir up your power, O Lord, and come. Protect us by your strength, and save us from the threatening dangers of our sins; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**FIRST READING – Jeremiah 33:14-16**

<sup>14</sup>“The days are coming,’ declares the Lord, ‘when I will fulfill the good promise I made to the people of Israel and Judah.

<sup>15</sup>“In those days and at that time

I will make a righteous Branch sprout from David’s line; he will do what is just and right in the land.

<sup>16</sup>In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety.

This is the name by which it will be called:  
The Lord Our Righteous Savior.’

**PSALM 24**

**SECOND READING – 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13**

<sup>9</sup>How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy we have in the presence of our God because of you? <sup>10</sup>Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you again and supply what is lacking in your faith.

<sup>11</sup>Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus clear the way for us to come to you. <sup>12</sup>May the Lord make your love increase and overflow for each other and for everyone else, just as ours does for you. <sup>13</sup>May he strengthen your hearts so that you will be blameless and holy in the presence of our God and Father when our Lord Jesus comes with all his holy ones.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION page 194**



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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

**All:** See, your king comes to you, righteous and vic- / torious,  
Lowly and riding on a / donkey.

*Refrain*

**GOSPEL – Luke 19:28-40**

<sup>28</sup>After Jesus had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. <sup>29</sup>As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, <sup>30</sup>“Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. <sup>31</sup>If anyone asks you, ‘Why are you untying it?’ say, ‘The Lord needs it.’”

<sup>32</sup>Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as he had told them. <sup>33</sup>As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, “Why are you untying the colt?”

<sup>34</sup> They replied, “The Lord needs it.”

<sup>35</sup> They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup> As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road.

<sup>37</sup> When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen:

<sup>38</sup> “Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!”

“Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!”

<sup>39</sup> Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, “Teacher, rebuke your disciples!”

<sup>40</sup> “I tell you,” he replied, “if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out.

**HYMN – 301 “Savior of the Nations, Come”**

**SERMON – Luke 19:28-40**

**“Raise Your Voice for the King of Kings”**

**APOSTLES’ CREED**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**OFFERING**

**HYMN – 360 “Behold, a Branch Is Growing”**

**PRAYER**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

**BLESSING**

**HYMN – 313 “Hark the Glad Sound! The Savior Comes”**

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### Serving today at Immanuel:

**Organist:** Jane Vacek

**Elder:** Jason Horrmann

**Video Taping:** Mark DeVries

**Power Point:** Lily/Alex

**Altar Guild:** Donna Telecky

**Ushers:** Kori Leske, Jay Mackedanz, Craig Kohls, Carl Horrmann, Tom Schlueter, Lucas Plamann, Steve Wendorff, Mike Yerks

### **Our Gifts**

#### **Attendance**

November 24

#### **Offerings**

Budget:\$ Mission:\$

New School Contributions: \$

Grounds: \$ Sunday School: \$

### **Living in God’s Grace this Week**

Today, Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service <i>Door Offering for Candy Bags</i>
Monday:	7:00	p.m.	<i>Call meeting at School</i>
	6:30	p.m.	Choir
Wednesday:	7:00	p.m.	Bible Study
	4:15	p.m.	Confirmation
Saturday:	8:00	p.m.	School Board
	<b>9:00</b>	<b>a.m.</b>	<b>Children’s Christmas Practice</b>
Sunday:	9:00	a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00	a.m.	Worship Service w/Communion <i>Door Offering for Candy Bags</i>

### **Contacts**

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Monthly Calendar (under Church/calendar)

Weekly Bulletins (under Church/service)

Church Services Broadcasted Mondays at 10:00 am & Sundays at 9 pm on Nuvera channel 10 or Mediacom channel 107.3



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Services are streamed live on Sundays at 10 a.m.

### **Immanuel Grace Lutheran School**

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### Church Decorating

Thank you to all those who helped!!



**Door Offering** – Will be held on **TODAY, December 1<sup>st</sup>** and December 8<sup>th</sup> for the children's candy bags that will be handed out on Christmas Eve.

The call was extended to Miss Erika Rosenbaum to teach 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> grade, she returned.

There will be a call meeting on **TONIGHT, Sunday, December 1 at 7p.m. at school.** Everyone is welcome.



### Variety of Greeting Cards

The Ladies' Aid has a variety cards available for sale in the Church Library. They are sold by the box and/or individual cards. Holiday cards are coming soon. Be sure to check it out! Prices will be marked accordingly.



If you would like to purchase **Scrip cards** (now called *Raise Right*) for Christmas, the deadline for Christmas orders will be **December 10.**

On hand is a supply of popular cards for anything last minute. Cash Wise is not on the list, but I do have cards for Cash Wise/Coborns.

Just a reminder, the cards pay the face value of the card and the school gets the rebate % which is used for trips during the year.

Please see Karen Kohls or reach out to her via email [kohls@hutchtel.net](mailto:kohls@hutchtel.net) or text 320-444-0170.



### Weather Closings

Winter weather will soon be with us again. On Sundays with questionable weather, worship cancellations will be announced on KDUZ -1260 AM radio. During the week, Pastor's policy is this: if Hutchinson Public Schools are closed for the day, evening events at both Immanuel and Zion will also be postponed on that day.

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**Current Employees and Retirees:** Each year, if you volunteer at least 25 hours in the current year at the school and/or for school functions, you can submit your hours to 3M Gives and 3M will gift the school \$500 once approved.

This is due to be reported on the [www.3mgives.com/match](http://www.3mgives.com/match) site by **December 31** for the respective year.

Please note that volunteer work for church does not qualify.