August 23, 2015
Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Music: Arlys Willis

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Loving Father,
Give us hearts which understand which things are just good to do, and which things are essential. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen

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The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. We will sing the "Hymn of Praise" on page 154. There is no Holy Communion today, so the service will conclude with the prayers and the benediction.

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Hymns: 719, 707, 878
Text: Mark 7:1-13
Theme: "Dirty Hands, Clean Heart"

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CHURCH ATTENDANCE:

Sunday, August 16, 2015	77
Holy Communion	55
Tuesday, August 18, 2015	18

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bible verse to memorize this week: I Thessalonians 5:16-18 – Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

Members of Peace Lutheran who were hospitalized this week: Dorothy Stock

The funeral of Johanna Soeffker, one of our oldest members, took place here at Peace Lutheran on Wednesday. We ask God to surround her family will love and support as they mourn her passing.

Anyone who bought left over food at the end of the fair please make sure to pay for it by the end of the month.

We need to know the names of high school folks who plan to attend the national Youth gathering next summer. We will meet in the youth room after worship today to see who would like to go and to discuss possibilities for transportation, counselors, and so forth. Now is the time to get organized!

Our next Adult Inquirers' Class will begin on September 9th at 7:00 p.m.

A "grief support group" will begin meeting at 7:00 pm this Wednesday evening at the church. You may wish to come, even if your loss is in the past, to give support to those with more recent losses.

Peace Lutheran Church has been a very generous supporter of Immanuel Lutheran School, Gaylord over the years, and we wish to offer our sincere thanks and appreciation to all of you. In addition, we are happy to announce that all children from Peace Lutheran who are in grades K-8 will be offered the same tuition rate as Immanuel members. We pray that this 50% reduction in tuition cost will be helpful for those families who want to provide a quality Christian education for their children. Please feel free to contact the principal, Mr. Holten, for complete tuition information along with our generous tuition assistance programs.

Mayer Lutheran High School invites you to participate in their 18th Annual Crusader Charity Golf Classic on Saturday, September 12, 2015, at Island View Golf Course in Waconia. The Crusader Classic begins with a light lunch and a 1 pm shotgun start. End the great day of golf with a delicious steak dinner. Register as a team or an individual. A four-person "scramble" format plus plenty of contest and prizes gets everyone into the game. For more information, call Renae Johnson at 952-657-2251 x 1002 or golf committee chairman Craig Anderson at 763-315-0746.

Immanuel Lutheran Church and School Youth group are sponsoring a Car wash and Hot Dog stand on August 22nd at Jerry's Home Quality Foods in Gaylord from 10 am – 1 pm. Full details are on the bulletin board. Proceeds will go toward their trip to the LCMS National Youth gathering in New Orleans next year.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Courtland will host an Ice Cream Social on Wednesday, September 9, 2015 from 4:00 to 7:00 pm. Please see the bulletin board for more details to this event.

Airing of the Quilts to support our Compassion Child, Udahemuka Gasana Isaac will take place at St. John's Lutheran Church, 2316 McLeod Ave. N, Plato, MN on September 26, 2015. Viewing of the quilts starts at 12:30 pm followed by a guest speaker at 1:30. For more details please see the flyer on the bulletin board.

Please join us for fellowship after worship today.

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:00 a.m.	*Fellowship*
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Worship Service
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:00 a.m.	Fellowship

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