

~ Welcome to All in the Name of Jesus!


~ THE SEASON OF ADVENT ~

Third Sunday in Advent

December 16, 2018

Anno Domini

VISITORS, please, sign our red guest book and fill out one of the guest cards found in the pew rack.

 **ALTAR FLOWERS:** Today's Altar Flowers are Christmas

pointsettias. NOTE: The 2019 Flower Chart has been posted (entrance door). Please, sign up to give flowers in 2019!

HOLY COMMUNION: If you are visiting with us today and desire to receive Communion, please, refer to the laminated card in the pew which explains our Lutheran beliefs about and practice of

CHRISTMAS SERVICES: communion.

SS PROGRAM
FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT
Sunday, Dec. 23rd -9:30AM

CHRISTMAS EVE
Candlelight Vespers
Monday, Dec. 24th -
6:00PM
Birthday Party for
Jesus--7:30PM

CHRISTMAS DAY
Divine Service
with Communion
Tuesday, Dec. 25th
10:30 AM




ADVENT DEVOTIONALS: from Lutheran Hour Ministries: "The Coming King." Copies are available on the Information Table. You can listen to/download these devotions to your mobile device at: www.lhm.org/Advent

BAG'N HAND DECEMBER

DONATION: This month's needed donations are: **small bags of flour, sugar, brown sugar, masa, corn meal and bottles of vegetable oil.** Please, place donations in the blue donation bin in the Brick Room.

YSLETA LUTHERAN MISSION:

Please, pick up an Ysleta newsletter to learn how the mission has been serving the people of El Paso and Juarez, Mexico. (On Information Table)

 **AMAZON SMILE:** If you are planning to shop on Amazon this Christmas season, if you go to smile.amazon.com and use your regular login, you can designate ILC as your charity of choice.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT: "Carols and Choruses" --

Tues., Dec. 18th at 7PM at the Cathedral Basilica Santa Fe. This FREE concert features the Santa Fe Symphony Brass and Chorus and the Santa Fe Women's Ensemble. Doors open at



**ADVENT
VESPERS**
Wednesdays
6:30PM
Dec. 19
Dessert -- 6:00PM
Theme: "Who is Jesus?"

PORTALS OF PRAYER: Please, pick up a copy for yourself and for a friend--
Jan.--March 2019.

VOTERS' MEETING:

Sunday, Jan. 13, 2019--If you are interested in becoming a voting member, please, speak with President **Steve Zappe** (660-0353).

CHRISTMAS PLAY AT CHRIST

CHURCH: "Christmas Angels" -- Today at 2PM (just around the corner at 2013 Don Gaspar).

2019 OFFERING ENVELOPES:

Please, pick up your 2019 offering envelopes (at back of church).

Note: It is now possible to give electronically through **Vanco Services-- "Joyful Response."** Applications can be found in the church office.

**CHRISTMAS
CAROLING
& PARTY:**
Next Sunday
Dec. 23rd
Meet at the
church 4:00PM
We will carpool to
area retirement
residences. **Party at
church to follow.**
Please, bring your
favorite munchies to
share.



December 16, 2018 Anno Domini
—Third Sunday in Advent

Organist: **Cindi Stetson**
Ushers: **Todd Frybarger, Sue Mickelberg**
Acolyte: **Nathan Wagner**
Communion Assistant/Lector: **Steve Zappe**

~ THE PRAYER CLOSET ~

Do you have prayer requests that you would like included in the "Prayers of the Church" during the Divine Service? Please, contact the church office during the week with your prayer request. Requests will be listed in the PRAYER CLOSET and offered on the following Sunday.

PRAYER REQUESTS: ① FOR THE FAMILY OF ✚ KENT ANDERSON ✚ HOLLY, CO (KENT WAS A COUSIN OF PR. ESCUE) ② J.R. DAMRON (RECENT HEART ISSUES)

This Week: Dec. 16 - Dec. 22, 2018 A.D.

Today: 9:30AM ...Divine Service with Communion
10:30AM ...Coffee Fellowship
10:45AM ...Sunday School & Bible Class
(SS Lesson: "Mary Visits Elizabeth"/"The Birth of John")
(Adult Bible Study Topic: "The Christmas 'Prophets'")
Monday: 5:00PM ... German Club (library)
Tuesday: 7:00PM ... SF Syphony Brass & Chorus Concert
(Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi, Santa Fe)
Wednesday: 5:00PM ...Handchimes (santuary)
6:00PM ...Advent Dessert (Brick Room)
6:30PM ...**ADVENT VESPERS 3** (Preschool Room) Choir rehearsal to follow.

Next Sunday: ~ Fourth Sunday in Advent, Dec. 23, 2018 ~

9:30AM ...Divine Service with Sunday School **Christmas Program**
10:30AM ...Christmas Fellowship
10:45AM ...Sunday School & Bible Class
(SS Lesson: "The Birth of Jesus")
4:00PM ... **Christmas Caroling** & Party

December 2018						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

Last Sunday Statistics...

Sunday, Dec. 09, 2018

DIVINE SERVICE: **71** / ADVENT 2: **26**
TOTAL SUNDAY OFFERING: **\$ 3,174.00**
ADVENT 1 OFFERING: **\$81**

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

- Pat Pacheco--12/16
- Liz Radic--12/18
- Ryan LeFevre--12/19
- Johanna LeFevre--12/20
- Curtiss Beevers--12/26



Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church

Santa Fe, New Mexico

~ a member congregation of the
Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod ~

**"Reaching out to Make and
Strengthen Disciples of Jesus
Christ, with Emphasis in North
Central New Mexico"**

~ the official Mission/Ministry Motto of
Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church,
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Office: (505)983-7568
Pastor's Mobile: (505)670-8275
email:
dkescue@aol.com
Immanuelcms@hotmail.com
Immanuel Website:
www.ilc-sfnm.org

IMMUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH AND
PRESCHOOL STAFF

~ REV. DOUGLAS K. ESCUE ~
Pastor

~ LIZ RADIC ~
Administrative Office Assistant

~ BARBARA DAMRON ~
Parish Nurse

~ LAURA ESCUE ~
Gentle Shepherd Lutheran Preschool Director