

*(Immanuel News is a weekly publication of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Fargo, ND)*

ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Today is: FEAST OF ALL SAINTS	8:15 AM COMMUNION	11:00 AM
Preacher & Liturgist:	Pastor Steve Schulz	
Organist:	Katie Rolf	
Special Music:	Adult Choir, Katie Rolf, director; Pam Sommer, piano	
Elder/ Readers:	Dean Sonnenberg	Dean Sonnenberg
Acolytes:	David B, Ella C	Dillan T
Usher Teams:	Walla Team	McCoy Team
Pre-Service Greeters:	Richard & Norma Frohberg	Todd & Melissa Evensen

**Altar Flowers** are given by Josh & Melissa Gornowicz in thanksgiving to God.

**Education Hour today (9:30-10:40 am):** Opening is at 9:30 in the Celebration Center. HS meets in basement. Adults meet in the Celebration Center – continuing a Stewardship Bible study, led by Ed Bean.

**Stewardship Thoughts:** *"With angels, archangels, and with all the company of heaven ..."* When we gather around the altar of the Lord in His House we pray and praise God with "all the company of heaven." Those we have lost in the Lord are not truly lost to us – they have simply entered their rest with the Lord. As we gather to worship our Lord, we gather along with them. On the Last Day everything that God has given into the care of our stewardship will fade away – everything except our brothers and sisters in Christ. Caring for one another in love and grace is our highest calling.

See Ed Bean if you would like to get a white mug with the new church logo. Each one is \$6.

**Schedule for this week:**

**Today:** November 4, 2018 – Feast of All Saints ^

- 8:15 & 11:00 am: Worship
- 9:30-10:45 am: Education Hour – Stewardship Bible Study (#6 of 8)
- 2:00 pm: Service of Remembrance [see article]
- 4:00 pm: Board of Education Meeting (CR)
- 5:30 - 7 pm: Elders Meet 'n' Greet (#3 of 3) – [see article]



**Monday: Immanuel's turn to staff the Emergency Food Pantry – all week**

- 8:30 am: Fixer Uppers and Monday Morning Crew

**Tuesday:**

- 7:00 am: Men's Bible Class (SR)

- **9:00a/9:15a/9:30a/1:30p:** Women's Bible Classes, various locations
- **5:40-6:40pm:** Handbell Choir (Balcony)
- **7:00 pm:** Adult Choir (Balcony)

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**Wednesday:**

- 10:00 am: Staff Meeting
- **6:50-8:15** Confirmation Classes & Acts4 Program

**Thursday:**

- **7-9 pm:** Financial Peace University, week 8 of 9.
- **8 pm:** LSF Bible Study at NDSU, Memorial Union

**Friday:**

- *10a-5p: Area Churches Bazaar at Moorhead Center Mall (Immanuel Quilters have a booth)*

**Saturday: ^**

- *9am: LWML Eastern Zone Fall Rally at St. John, Hillsboro [see insert]*
- *10a-5p: Area Churches Bazaar at Moorhead Center Mall (Immanuel Quilters have a booth)*
- *1-4pm: LSF sponsors "Mercy Meals" Packing Event in CC [see insert]*

**Sunday: November 11, 2018 – 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

- **8:15 & 11:00 am:** Worship
- **9:30-10:45 am:** Education Hour – Stewardship Bible Study (#7 of 8)
- *10a-5p: Area Churches Bazaar at Moorhead Center Mall (Immanuel Quilters have a booth)*
- **6:00 pm:** Board of Elders Meeting (CR)

*CC =Celebration Center; SR =Student Room; CR =Conference Room; WH =Welcome Hall; Bsmt =Basement  
Out of Office: ^ = Worral; ~ = Schulz; > = Avery; Ꞥ = Louise; Ꞥ = DPM Rolf*

**Special Events & Looking Ahead – Mark your calendars**

- November 18; 8:15 & 11am: First Fruits Sunday (Procession of the Promises)
- November 21; 7pm & November 22; 10 am: Thanksgiving Worship Services
- November 22; 11:45 am: Thanksgiving Meal for anyone who wishes to join in (CC)

**The Service of Remembrance is today at 2:00 pm.** It is designed for those who have experienced loss of a loved one, especially in the past year. Pastor Schulz and the Board for Human Care has planned a contemplative afternoon for all who attend.

**Fourth Annual Meet and Greet Your Elder Event – LAST ONE THIS YEAR**

The Elders invite Immanuel Care Groups to attend **TONIGHT'S social gathering** (*whole family is invited*). Even if you missed the previous two evenings in October, you may still join in the fun! This will be a chance to meet your elder and to meet others in the church. Pizza and ice cream will be served.

Time: **5:30 till about 7 pm**

**Date Care Groups (alphabetized by last name) Elders**

**Nov 4** Joh-Lar, Lea-Mic, Pip-Sch, Teg-Zot Peter Woyen, Russ Bubach, Dean Sonnenberg, James Zinke

Please let us know you plan to attend by contacting Chairman Paul Mayland (701-238-0826) no later than **2 pm** today. Your friends in Christ, *The Board of Elders*



**Pastor Schulz has received a Divine Call** to serve as the Senior Pastor for Zion Lutheran Church and School in Alexandria, MN. Please keep him, his family, and our congregation in your daily prayers. We trust that our Savior Jesus will continue to bless all of us with His presence, His guidance, and His peace. "He who calls us is faithful, and He will surely do it" (1 Thess. 5:24).

Immanuel's Sunday School needs **Substitute Teachers!** Commitment is light, as not many subs are needed each year; but we do have an occasional need. Please prayerfully consider adding your name to the list. Contact Melissa Gornowicz at [mgornowicz@zbarch.com](mailto:mgornowicz@zbarch.com) if you have any questions or are willing to volunteer.

**Stewardship Letters with Promise Cards** were mailed to members this week. The procession of these promise cards will be on November 18<sup>th</sup> at both services. Prayerfully consider how you will complete these cards; and prepare to bring them to the front of the nave on that Sunday morning.

Worship Assistants – “Heads Up”				
<b>November 11, 2018</b>		<b>25<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 23)</b>		
Elder-Reader:	8:15	Ray Albrecht	11:00	Paul Mayland
Acolyte:	8:15	Jana S	11:00	Ella J, Ben R
Ushers:	8:15	Hass Team	11:00	Kosel Team
Greeter before Svc:	8:15	Myrna Larson	11:00	Patrick & Jane Moltzan
<b>November 18, 2018</b>		<b>26<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 24) – First Fruits Sunday (Procession of the Promises)</b>		
Elder-Reader:	8:15	Erick Esping	11:00	James Zinke
Acolyte:	8:15	Lucas D, Eric D	11:00	Lauren D
Ushers:	8:15	Stahlecker Team	11:00	Hankel Team
Greeter before Svc:	8:15	Sandi Gardner-Leikas	11:00	Rick Cote & Pam Coste



**Save the Dates for our next AIM (Adult Instruction toward Membership) Class:** This class will be meeting on Sunday evenings from 6-8 pm, beginning *January 20, 2019* and ending around *March 3<sup>rd</sup>*. Whether or not you are a current member, you may wish to attend to learn the basic tenets of our faith here at Immanuel. Plan on attending by contacting either Pastor.

**Next Week on “Main Street Living North”:** Rev. Mark Chepulis, Our Savior Lutheran / Cavalier, ND, St. Paul Lutheran / St. Thomas, ND, and Redeemer Lutheran Church / Langdon, ND, presents the message: “The Sleep of Death,” based on Matthew 9. “*This Is The Life*” program: “Undertow”.

## Prayer Page

**Note** that we endeavor to respect wishes of our members regarding prayer needs and privacy matters. Please contact the office if requesting corporate prayer during worship services.

**God's Blessings to:** Rev. Jon & Niccy Walla, on the birth of a son, Nathaniel James on Oct 31<sup>st</sup>. Jim & Patty Walla are overjoyed grandparents.

**Health & Well-Being:**

**Lisa Esping**, gall bladder surgery on Nov 6<sup>th</sup>

**Wayne Hankel**, recovery from knee surgery on October 31<sup>st</sup>

**Hope Hotchkiss**, recovery after recent hospitalization

**Isaiah Soori** (age 14), continued recovery after open-heart surgery on October 25<sup>th</sup>

**Loved Ones:**

**Elaine Culp** (ReNae Simmons' mom), recovery after surgery

**Mike Downs** (Barbara's son), kidney condition; surgery in Mpls. now scheduled for last wk in Nov

**Donna Peterson** (Pam Sommer's aunt), recovery after surgery in Grand Forks this past week

**Members, Friends, and Loved Ones battling Cancer or CHRONIC CONDITIONS:**

**MEMBERS:** Tom Dahl, Evan Hass, LINDA LEE, ANGIE PEDA, Glenn Ulland, KEN STEVENSON, MIKE VASICEK

**LOVED ONES:** RANDEE BARSTAD (VIRGINIA L'S GRANDDAUGHTER, PAN & SJOGREN'S SYNDROME), DARREN BAUMGARTNER, (FRIEND OF BILL P – FRENCH POLIO), LORRAINE CHESLEY (HELEN H'S SISTER – CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE), Sandy Croft (Erica A's mom), ELAINE CULP (RENAE SIMMONS' MOM – AMBULATORY ISSUES), Drake Dosch (9-yr old great-nephew of Sandi L), Betty Hagge (GLS Principal's wife), Roger Johnson (Donna P's brother), Michelle Kerbaugh, (Melody S's sister), Dean Larson (Dean S's brother-in-law), ROGER LEONHARDT (LORINDA S'S DAD), Tim Melgaard, (Eriksson's son-in-law; pancreatic cancer), Carol Miller (Chuck Miller's sister-in-law), Judy Pfennig (Florence B's niece), Adam Ressler (Les' uncle), Karen Rosby (Nyla N's daughter), CLARENCE SEMANKO (MITCH'S DAD), Becky Solberg (Courtney's mom), NIKKI SOLBERG (COURTNEY S'S COUSIN), Keith Swenson (Danny's dad), STELLA TROWELL (CLARE JOHNSON'S GRANDMOTHER), TED TROWELL (CLARE JOHNSON'S GRANDFATHER- LEG ULCERS), Valerie Wagner (Sandi L's sister), Diane Weispfenning (Pam S's sister), Rick Wiedebush (Sandi L's friend)

**Homebound:** Dan Backstrom, Julie Bopp, Ethel Buehl, Ron Engelking, Ben Gauger, Bob Geske, Lucille Glessing, Martha Gross, Mel & Miriam Johnson, Jean Krenz, Linda Lee, (Roger & Sonja Leonhardt), Tom Martindale, Gladys Olson, Orville Olson, Ellie Radtke, (Alvin Roesler), Doris Sperial, Ken Stevenson, JoAnn Stewart, Elsie Tennyson, Glenn Ulland, Marvis Weiser

**Those Serving in our Armed Forces, especially:** James Bean, USN; Alex Bumgarner, NDARNG, Anna Croucher, NDARNG; Brody Katka, USAF; Chad McCoy, USAF; Ashlynn Wendel, NDANG; Austin Moltzan, NDARNG; Carl Tegtmeier, USAF; Steve Trautman, NDARNG; William (Billy) Zottnick, NDARNG

**For God's continued blessings** on the ongoing hurricane recovery efforts in Florida.

**Praise God** for Immanuel members who stepped forward to become Guardian Angels for the 14 new confirmation students this fall!

**Prayer for Grace Lutheran School:** For God's continued strength and guidance to Mrs. Susan Jahnke, who teaches middle school (grades 6 & 7) this year.

*Are you searching for ways to pass on your spiritual values of service and care for others to your children?*

*Have you looked for opportunities to be involved as a family in the work of missions for the church?*

**Well, we have what you've been looking for!**

Our own **Lutheran Student Fellowship** is inviting the members of Immanuel to participate with them in an exciting mission opportunity!

**Mercy Meals of North Dakota** is planning a packing event at Immanuel on Saturday, **November 10<sup>th</sup> from 1 pm to 4 pm**. Mercy

Meals will provide the supplies and the training in order to mix, weigh, seal, and pack nutritious meals to be used for humanitarian aid for the children of Liberia, Africa. Volunteers will be able to participate



in a “hand-on” way in sharing Christ’s love with fellow Christians through food and acts of encouragement.

Our goal is to pack **5,000** meals. Therefore, we **NEED YOU** to help us in this exciting endeavor. Bring the whole family! Come for an hour or come for the whole afternoon. Please sign up at the Sign-Up Center near the elevator. The cost for packing a meal is 15 cents per meal, so that makes our goal roughly **\$750**. Please consider giving generously of your time and efforts in making this mission event a reality. (Checks payable to “Mercy Meals of ND” can be placed in the offering plate).

For more information, please contact Pastor Schulz!

“Soar to New Heights in Christ” Isaiah 40:31

## LWML ND EASTERN ZONE FALL RALLY

Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> St John – Hillsboro, ND  
Registration 9:00 – 9:15 a.m.



### “The Bible Says What?”

Rev. Daniel Suelzle will speak on how the Bible is often misquoted and will present a better way of understanding those texts.



Pastor Suelzle is campus pastor of Wittenburg Lutheran Chapel, serving students of UND, Grand Forks, ND with the Gospel of Christ.

### Ingathering for Hillsboro Food Pantry Items to include:

- Canned Tuna and Chicken
- Cereal
- Juice Boxes
- Canned Fruit
- Toilet Paper
- Facial Tissues
- Lotion
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Body Wash
- Laundry Detergent
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Cash/Gift Cards