

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

The 8 am Sunday Worship Service is **broadcast live** on Immanuel's website (immanuelfargo.org – "worship" tab) and Facebook page (facebook.com/immanuel.worral).

Fourth Sunday in Lent	8:00 AM	11:00 AM COMMUNION
Preacher & Liturgist:	Pastor Bernie Worral	
Organist:	Carolyn DeLorme	
Special Music:	Leah Gornowicz, flute; Dr. Katie Rolf, piano	
Elder:	Russell Bubach (Steve L)	Russell Bubach
Acolytes:	Bella S	Elsa S
Ushers:	Rachow Team	Lindgren Team
Greeters:	Paul/Deanna Mayland	Jack Bumgarner
Videographer:	Samuel Boateng	<i>Coffee Hosts: Deanna/Paul Mayland</i>

Fellowship Record Books: Green booklets are found at the center end of each pew. Whether an Immanuel member or guest, please fill in a line for your family seated with you. Please pass to others in your pew. We appreciate you helping us to keep records for our church and Synod.

Education Hour: Opening begins at 9:30 am in the Celebration Center (CC); Children go to classrooms with their teacher after opening; High Schoolers and Eighth graders meet in the basement; Adult Bible Class begins at 9:45 in the SANCTUARY. Nursery thru 1st grade ends the hour with music time in the CELEBRATION CENTER. *The SS classes that meet in the basement will begin meeting in the Celebration Center on March 24th, and the 8th graders and HS Bible Class will use the Student Room.*

Stewardship Sentences: Mark 10:45 – "For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." Jesus gives everything He has: He gives Himself. That self-giving is the model for our giving in all aspects of our lives. In our family, in our church, and in the world at large, Jesus calls us to follow His example of self-giving. We can only do this if we are connected to His self-giving in faith.

Main Street Living North broadcast is **9am CST** on KVRN Fargo-Moorhead Channel 15.1, **AND at 10am Central** on WDAY Xtra Channel 6.3 Fargo-Moorhead (see also: www.mainstreetliving.com).

March 17th: Rev. Doug Thompson, Trinity Lutheran Church, Fisher, MN, and St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Euclid, MN, presents the message: "The Glory of Jesus" based on Mark 10:32-45.

This Is the Life" program: "Holy Land Tour pt. 1" - A video tour of locations in Jesus' earthly ministry, led by SD pastor Nabil Nour who grew up in Israel.

March 24th: Rev. Michael Suelzle, St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Devil's Lake, ND, Grace Lutheran Church, Lakota, ND, and St. Andrew Lutheran Church, Niagara, ND, presents the message: "Glory" based on John, 12:20-43. "This Is the Life" program: "Holy Land Tour pt. 2" - A video tour of locations in Jesus' earthly ministry, led by SD pastor Nabil Nour who grew up in Israel.

Schedule for this week (Mar 17-24):

Sunday: noon – Church Potluck Meal, followed by regular Voters Meeting
(later afternoon) moving SS classroom items out of basement
6 pm – AIM Class meets (CR) [#1 of 6]

Monday: Construction company begins demolition in basement
8:30 am – Money Counters
6-7 pm – HB Choir Rehearsal (Bal)
6:30 pm – Adult Choir Rehearsal (Bal)

Tuesday: 7 am – Men's Bible Class (CC)
9:30 am – Rachel Bible Class (SR)
1 pm – Anna Bible Class (SR)

Wednesday: 10 am – Staff Meeting (CR)
4:15 pm – Worship Service (Sc)
5-5:45 pm – Lenten Meal (Bd of Ed serves Hot Ham 'n' Cheese Sandwiches)
6:00 pm – Worship Service (Sc)
6:50-8 pm – Confirmation Classes
7-8 pm – Acts 4 (Matthew upstairs); 7:05-7:55 – Hannah Bible Class (SR)
8:30-9:30 pm – HS LYF Youth Group

Thursday: Σ 9:30 am – Chancel Circle Meeting (SR)
8 pm – LSF Bible Class at NDSU Memorial Union

Friday: ^ 1 pm – Deadline to submit Image articles for April issue
7-10 pm – LYF Zone Nerf Night at St. Andrew, WFgo

Saturday: 8 am – Call Committee Meeting (CR)

Sunday (Mar 24th):

Out of Office: ^ = Worral; Σ = DCE Wolfgram; ∩ = PAA Louise

Looking ahead:

Mon-Wed, Mar 25th-27th; 6 pm – Holy Week Compline Services
Wed, Mar 27th; 5-9 pm – Easter Egging Preparation (SR)
Thu, Mar 28th; 7 pm – Holy Thursday Worship Service with Communion (Sc)
Fri, Mar 29th; noon – Good Friday Service (Sc); 7 pm – Good Friday Service at Grace Luth. Church
Sat, Mar 30th – LYF prepares for Easter Breakfast and does Easter Egging delivery in afternoon
Sun, Mar 31st; 8 & 11 am – Easter Sunday Worship Services; 9-10:45 am – Easter Breakfast (by LYF)
Mon, Apr 1st – Easter Monday [Office Closed]; Asbestos Abatement begins in Basement

Sun, Apr 7th; noon – Special Voters Mtg to issue a Divine Call for Assoc. Pastor (CC)
 4 pm – Bd of Ed Mtg; 6 pm – AIM Class (SR) [#2 of 6]
 Sat, Apr 13th; 9 am–LWML Ea. Zone Spring Event @ Grace Luth. Ch., Fgo; 1pm – Baby shower [Katka] (CC)
 Sat, Apr 20th; 1:30 pm – Baby Shower [Oberg] (CC)
 Sat, Apr 27th; 9:30 am – Women’s Brunch, presented by LWML Immanuel (CC)
 11am -7pm – Grace Lutheran School Annual Spaghetti Dinner



AIM (Adult Instruction toward Membership) Classes begin on **Sunday, March 17th** at 6 pm. Contact Pastor if interested in participating. (There’s a sign-up sheet in the Sign-Up Center, too.)



The Board for Human Care is hosting a **food drive for the Emergency Food Pantry** over the month of March. All items will receive a proportional match through Minnesota FoodShare! See display in the Welcome Hall.

Immanuel is hosting a **week of volunteering** at the Emergency Food Pantry April 8th-12th. Volunteer times run from 9:30am-12pm and 1-4pm. See sign-up in the Sign-Up Center.



Building Healthy Families: Spring - a season of renewal and new life - officially arrives on Tuesday, March 19th at 10:06 pm! Though you can’t dig in the garden quite yet, take some time this week to take your family (or just yourself!) to your local greenhouse where you can smell, see, touch, feel and experience the new life all around you. As you do, be mindful of the new life that stirs within you and of Paul’s inspired words written for you in Romans 6: “You were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, you too may live a new life.” (Psst.... Easter is coming soon!) **Lutheran Family Service** www.LutheranFamilyService.org

The Immanuel Board of Education is pleased to announce the availability of the **2024-25 Synodical College/Seminary Scholarship** application. All interested members are encouraged to apply. The link to the application is <https://forms.gle/1FFCdENetDRWBNka8>. The Immanuel Bd. of Ed. is pleased to announce the availability of the **2024-25 Grace Lutheran School Scholarship** application. All interested families are encouraged to apply. The link to the application is <https://forms.gle/P4fEhEpJBWT4D1eG6>. Should you prefer either link in email, request the link from ilcboardofed@gmail.com. Both applications have the same due date: **April 28, 2024**. Please contact the email or a member of the Immanuel Board of Education with your questions or comments.

Worship Assistants – “Heads Up”				
Sun, Mar 24, 2024		Palm/Passion Sunday		
Elder-Reader:	8	Steve Larson	11	Steve Larson (MR)
Acolyte:	8	Wyatt S	11	Elsie T
Ushers:	8	Sather Team	11	Stahlecker Team
Greeter:	8	M/L Semanko	11	Diane H/Karen H
Video:	8	Kay Tegtmeier	Coffee Hosts:	Kris/Rod Lym

Prayer Page

Please pray for **Martha Harkins**, Mitch & Lorinda Semanko's daughter, as she prayerfully considers a DCE Call to Mount Olive Luth. Ch. in Anoka, MN, as their Director of Children & Family Ministry. Please also keep her present congregation, Immanuel Luth. Church in Loveland, CO in your prayers as she considers this Call.

"Many are the plans in a person's heart, but it is the LORD's purpose that prevails." ~ Proverbs 19:21

Pray for Beautiful Savior, Crosspointe, Grace, & Immanuel, Fargo, as they/we continue the Divine Call process. Beautiful Savior has called an associate pastor; GLC has called Mike Suelzle, Niagara, ND.

Health & Well-Being: Members:

Richard Frohberg, continuing good recovery from broken tibia after a fall

Jean Larson, continuing good recovery after broken hip (back at Edgewood)

Virginia Lepage, continuing health concerns

Clarice Michel, continuing good recovery after hip surgery + staph infection

Jim Walla, Praise God for full recovery

Loved Ones:

Susan Erstad (sister-in-law of Don), cancer treatments

Dennis Hanenburg, (friend of Ken & Marla S), ribs and lung damage from car that fell upon him

Andrew Hills, continuing good recovery after broken femur from roofing accident

Brian McFarland (brother of Marla Schatzke), staph infection

Melissa (USPS mail carrier), recovery [projected to take 4 mos.] after carpal tunnel surgery on Feb 29th

John Simmons (Aaron's father), stage 4 esophageal cancer

Kim Wagner (pastor's wife, formerly at Beautiful Savior), return of cancer

Members, Friends, & Loved Ones battling Cancer or CHRONIC CONDITIONS:

MEMBERS: **Kari (Peda) Boynton**; **COLLEEN CZICHOTZKI**; **Tom Dahl**; **DONNIE ERSTAD**; **BONNIE KUEHN** (SPINAL STENOSIS); **Myrna Larson** (leukemia); **LINDA LEE** (DIALYSIS); **Linda Olson**; **GLENN ULLAND**

LOVED ONES: **Janell Bakken** (Larry's sister-in-law), brain cancer; **Cheri Carden** (niece of Patty Lindgren); **LORRAINE CHESLEY** (LANETTE CALKINS' MOM), CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE; **Kori Cox** (Larry & Sheila Bakken's daughter); **Gary DeLorme** (brother of Gene); **DRAKE DOSCH** (14-YR OLD GREAT- NEPHEW OF SANDI G-L); **DAN KRAUSE** (JANE MOLTZAN'S BROTHER), MYASTHENIA GRAVIS; **Gary Lindgren** (Larry's brother); **PASTOR TRAVIS LOESLIE**, MORRISTOWN, MN (LIFELONG FRIENDS OF GORNOWICZ'), HUNTINGTON'S DISEASE; **STEVE PIPER** (BILL'S BROTHER); **Allen Pritchard** (friend of Tegtmeier family); **PEARL RADI** (BRENDA PREUSS' MOM); **Corinna Rall** (Phyllis' daughter-in-law, cancer recurrence); **NIKKI SOLBERG** (COURTNEY S'S COUSIN); **MACHELLE VALESKI** (BILL PIPER'S NIECE); **Rick Wiedebush** (Sandi L's friend)

Homebound Members: **Shirley Bahma**, **Julie Bopp**, **Florence Brownlee**, **Colleen Czichotzki**, **Shirley Janssen**, **DeLores Koenig**, **Jean Larson**, **Linda Lee**, **Bruce Leverson**, **Candy Nelson**, **Eva Olin**, **Erling Podoll**, **Phyllis Rall**, **Esther Stevenson**, **Glenn Ulland**, **Rhoda Viker**

Those Serving in our Armed Forces, especially: **Members:** **Josh Baneck**; **James Bean**; **Anna Croucher**; **Brody Katka**; **Chad McCoy**; **Austin Moltzan**; **Bryce Ressler**; **Carl Tegtmeier**; **Steve Trautman**; **Ashlynn Wendel**. **Loved Ones:** **Gabriel Dick** (Diane Heagle's grandson), **Greg Downs** (Barbara's son); **Mason Leingang** (Frohberg's grandson); **Garrett Rix** (Bakken's grandson); **Josh Stanton** (Katelyn's husband)

For Grace Lutheran School: Pray for the multi-level teacher, Ms. Jessica Stephens.