

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Isaiah 9:1–4 | 1 Corinthians 1:10–18 | Matthew 4:12–25

The Lord Manifests His Glory through His Office of the Holy Ministry

By His coming in the flesh and by His preaching and miracles, the Lord Jesus shines the light of His Gospel upon “the people who walked in darkness” and “who dwelt in a land of deep darkness” (Is. 9:2). He also has “multiplied the nation” and “increased its joy” (Is. 9:3) by calling disciples to Himself from the ends of the earth. For this purpose, He calls Peter and Andrew, with James and John, to follow Him and be “fishers of men” (Matt. 4:19). As Jesus did, they also go forth “proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction among the people” (Matt. 4:23). They preach the foolishness of the cross of Christ as the very power and wisdom of God. This word and preaching of the cross divides “those who are perishing” from “us who are being saved” (1 Cor. 1:18), but it unites the Church, the one Body of Christ, “in the same mind and the same judgment” (1 Cor. 1:10).

Total 138

Saturday 01/14/23 (36)

Sunday 01/15/23 8:00 am (46), 10:30 am (56)

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# WELCOME

**Immanuel Lutheran Church**

**Third Sunday in Epiphany**

**January 22, 2023**

#### ABOUT US

Immanuel is a Christian Community dedicated to Bible-Based Education, Worship and Family Fellowship. We invite all people to grow in their knowledge of God's love, to celebrate their love for God and to joyfully demonstrate their love for God and one another. Immanuel Lutheran Church is a member of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod.



**“Connecting People to Jesus”**

#### THIRD SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY

FIRST READING ISAIAH 9:1–4

#### READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK:

#### FOURTH SUNDAY IN EPIPHANY

FIRST READING MICAH 6:1–8

EPISTLE READING 1 CORINTHIANS 1:18–31

HOLY GOSPEL MATTHEW 5:1–12

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Office Hours  
M-T 8:00 – 4:00  
Friday Closed

Traditional Worship – 5:30 PM Saturday (In Person Only)

8:00 AM Sunday ( In Person & Live Stream

Contemporary Worship – 10:30 AM ( In Person & Live Stream

Christian Hour 9:15 AM

CELEBRATING AN BIRTHDAY

January 21: Jim Holtan jr., Phillip Johnson  
January 22: Nia Feeney, Gene Grommesch  
January 23: Alex Doig,  
January 25: Sierra Holle  
January 26: Mark Borchardt  
January 27: Ashley Wormer

CELEBRATING AN Anniversary

January 25: Tim & Jean Wormer 23 Years



God Bless You!

Sunday 01/22/23

8:00 am \*\* Trad. Worship  
9:15 am Christian Growth Hour  
10:30 am \*\*Contemporary Worship

MONDAY 01/23/23

TUESDAY 01/24/23

6:00 pm Bell Practice

WEDNESDAY 01/25/23

9:00 am \*\*\*Bible Study  
5:30 pm Dinner  
6:30 – 7:30 pm Midweek Class & Tic Time

THURSDAY 01/26/23

FRIDAY 01/27/23

Office Closed

Saturday 01/28/23

5:30 pm Traditional Worship

SERVING 01/21 – 01/22

Elders

01/21 Jim Larson  
01/22 Gene Thompson (8)  
01/22 Eric Brockhoff 10:30

USHERS

01/21 Charlie Haag  
01/22 Ken Ziemann

PROJECTION

01/21 Art Zaudtke  
01/22 Judy Trom (8)  
01/22 Tessa Braatz 10:30

LIVESTREAM & AV TECH.

Kyle Scapple

ORGANIST

Julie Ritter

Contemporary Leader

Susan Parrish

COUNTERS

Art & Gerry Zaudtke

SERVING 01/28 – 01/29

Elders

01/28 Brian LaGrange  
01/29 Russ Tutty (8)  
01/29 Jeff Gammon 10:30

USHERS

01/28 Charlie Haag  
01/29 Don Holle

PROJECTION

01/28 Ed O'Brien  
01/29 Judy Trom (8)  
01/29 Tina Arrowood 10:30

LIVESTREAM & AV TECH.

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Contemporary Leader

Susan Parrish

COUNTERS

Steve & Pat Schultz



Physical Strength and Healing,

Bobby Busacker, Alice Busacker, Allen Busse,  
Nancy Doig, Rycky Kes, Sharon Rook  
and Dave Schwichtenberg

Friends and Family:

Abby DeVries, Sister to Rhea Langemo  
Nate Jespersen, Brother of Lisa Gammon  
Anne Macke, Sister of Pat Schultz.  
Cory Neisen, Son of Paula Neisen  
Leonard Parrish, Father of Pastor Parrish  
Janet Spande, Sister-In Law to Mary Borchardt  
Eric Wangen, Friend of Mike & Sherri Nelson



Support and Safety for our Military Members:

Austin Beck, USCG (Oceana Naval Air Station. Virginia Beach)  
Tyler Lund, US Army Reserves (Arden Hills MN)  
Luke Ritter, USMC (Marine Corps Air Station, New River, NC)  
Jarrett Woods, US Army Reserves, FT. Lee, Virginia, MN.  
Riley Wood, US Army Reserves, Appleton, MN.



Bible Study  
Livestream on Wednesday @ 9:00 Am  
& Sunday's In Person at 9:15 AM  
Come and Join us!

Check the board in narthex to see when your  
friends are going!  
Register Now





## Meet Your 2023 Elders

Jeff Gammon- Chairman  
Eric Brockhoff  
Brian LaGrange  
Jim Larson  
Ken Schuman  
Dave Schwichtenberg  
Gene Thompson  
Russell Tutty

The Board of Elders are to assist the pastor in all matters relating to the spiritual welfare of all the members of the congregation.

1. They are to pray regularly for their pastor, by word and action, encourage him in his work, and stand ready at all times to help their pastor in difficult problems of his special ministry.
2. They shall be responsible, with the pastor, for arranging pulpit and altar assistance, guest speakers, and special services.
3. They shall arrange for pastoral services when a vacancy occurs and exercise leadership in properly calling another pastor.
4. They shall prayerfully, conscientiously and evangelically carry out church discipline in accordance to the Word of God. (Matthew 18: 15-18)
5. They shall be concerned with congregation members' use of the means of grace, public worship of God and the use of the Sacraments and shall establish a personal calling program on those who become lax or delinquent in worship, participation in Holy Communion or the baptism and Christian instruction of their children.
6. They shall give proper attention and concern to the elderly, the shut-ins, and sick members.
7. They shall be concerned about thorough instruction of youth and adults for confirmation and church membership, in accordance with the policies of the Board of Christian Education.
8. They shall be responsible for friendly personal welcome, orientation, and integration of new members and visitors.
9. They are to see to it that worship services are conducted regularly and decently and in order, in cooperation with the ushers.
10. They shall be concerned about and encourage private family worship of the members of the congregation.
11. They shall see to it that records are kept of each member.



The Church Calendar  
is posted on the church  
website?

1. <https://www.immanuel-fishlake.org/home>
2. Click on tab "Events"
3. Click on 2023 Calendars



Meet the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month. The  
1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month is Bible Study  
and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month  
is Service Projects.  
Please join us!

Women's



We will be Reading "Gathered Waters" by Cara Luecht  
For the February meeting.  
Please join us!



Enter to win a  
Horse & Hunt Club gift card  
Join us to sample & vote:  
Feb 11, 4:30pm  
Food, Fun & Faith



Collecting Non-perishable Items  
Now – 11 Feb 2023  
Collection points in Narthex and Education Wing

Check out the Bulletin Boards  
in the Narthex for Details



**Holy Cross Lutheran Church of Prior Lake &  
St. Michael's Lutheran Church of Bloomington  
Are Hosting  
The Tim Tebow "Night to Shine" Prom  
On Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-9:00 PM  
At St. Michael's Lutheran Church in Bloomington.**

This prom night experience is centered on God's love for  
People with special needs.

The event will be an in-person event this year, after being held virtually for the  
past three years. An in-person event requires several volunteers to be  
successful! Volunteers must be at least 16 years old and there are many  
different opportunities available for you to help on this magical night.

You can find out more information about the Prom by looking  
At their website:

<http://www.nightoshinemn.org> or  
Contacting Gayelee LaGrange, 612-269-7106