

# STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Isaiah 56:1, 6–8 | Romans 11:1–2a, 13–15, 28–32 | Matthew 15:21–28

The Church Lives Under the Cross of Christ and Prays in the Hope of His Mercy

By her persistent prayer that Jesus would have mercy and help her (Matt. 15:22, 24), and even in the face of His initial silence and apparent rejection (Matt. 15:23–26), the Canaanite woman boldly confessed her faith in Him (Matt. 15:27–28). Her beautiful example encourages us to cling to the words and promises of the Gospel, even in the face of the Law that accuses and condemns us. “For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable” (Rom. 11:29), and His Law “has consigned all to disobedience” for the very purpose “that he may have mercy on all” (Rom. 11:32). Hence, the woman’s faith and hope were not disappointed, but her prayers were answered in the mercy of Christ. Not only does He grant us the crumbs from His table, but He also feeds us with “the children’s bread” in the house of His Father (Matt. 15:26–27). He has brought us to His “holy mountain,” and He makes us joyful in His house, where He hears our prayers and accepts our sacrifice of praise upon the altar of His cross (Is. 56:7).

Total 115

Saturday 08/12/23 (40)

Sunday 08/13/23 8:00 am (30), 10:30 am (45)

## Thank You for Your Generous Giving!

### WAYS TO GIVE



**Offering plate**



**Mail in to church**



**Set up Auto-Pay through your bank account**



**Give on-line: [www.immanuel-fishlake.org](http://www.immanuel-fishlake.org)**



**Credit card option via website**



**Text to give: (844) 927-1347**



# WELCOME

**Immanuel Lutheran Church  
Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost  
August 20, 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”**

### CONTACT US

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

### TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

FIRST READING ISAIAH 56:1, 6–8

**READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK:**

### THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

FIRST READING ISAIAH 51:1–6

EPISTLE READING 11:33—12:8

HOLY GOSPEL MATTHEW 16:13–20

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

August 19: Paige Wormer

August 20: Caitlin Lechner, Caitlin Oxborough, Chloe Oxborough

August 21: Greg Borchardt, Lane Wegener

August 23: Cody Hentges

August 25: Brett Rezac

## CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY

August 19: Robert & Tina Arrowood 28 Years

August 22: Charlie & Diane Haag 36 Years

August 24: Joe & Jes Hentges 10 Years

August 25: Andrew & Emily Neubarth 11 Years



### Sunday 08/20/23

8:00 am \*\* Trad. Worship

NO BIBLE STUDY

10:30am \*\*Contemp.

### MONDAY 08/21/23

### TUESDAY 08/22/23

### WEDNESDAY 08/23/23

NO Bible Study Livestream

### THURSDAY 08/24/23

### FRIDAY 08/25/23

Office Closed

### Saturday 08/26/23

No BIBLE STUDY

5:30pm Worship

### SERVING 08/19 & 08/20

#### Elders

Jim Larson 5:30

Gene Thompson 8:00

Jeff Gammon 10:30

#### USHERS

Charlie Haag 5:30

Ken Ziemann

#### PROJECTION

Lon Morsching 5:30

Judy Trom 8:00

Tina Arrowood 10:30

#### LIVESTREAM TECH.

Kyle Scapple

#### ORGANIST

Julie Ritter

#### Contemporary Leader

Susan Parrish

#### COUNTERS

Larry Mueller &

Gayelee LaGrange

#### FLOWER WATERS

Cheryl Thomas

19<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>

### SERVING 08/26 & 08/27

#### Elders

Brian LaGrange 5:30

Dave Schwichtenberg 8

Eric Brockhoff 10:30

#### USHERS

Charlie Haag 5:30

Matt Solem

#### PROJECTION

Art Zaudtke 5:30

Judy Trom 8:00

Tessa Braatz 10:30

#### LIVESTREAM TECH.

Kyle Scapple

#### ORGANIST

Kiberly Beck

#### Contemporary Leader

Susan Parrish

#### COUNTERS

Jerry Stark &

Gayelee LaGrange

#### FLOWER WATERS

Jan Leifgren

8/26<sup>th</sup> to 9/01<sup>st</sup>

# Parent/Student Meeting & Fun Activity

Sep 6, 6:30 – 7:30pm, Education Wing (1st night of Midweek Classes)

Parents & Students (1st - 8th Grades)

Meeting with Pastor, Teachers, & Midweek Superintendent. Quick review of schedules, class requirements, expectations, Confirmation details, distribute memory books, etc.

Followed by a fun activity!

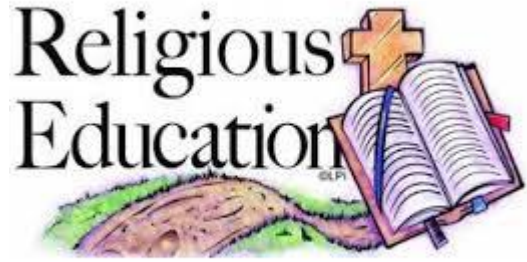


## Teachers Needed – Sunday School & Midweek

Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it.

Proverbs 22:6

- No experience needed
- Materials Provided
- We need you!
- Contact Tessa Braatz, Majken Tutty or church office



**Fun In The Saviors House**  
**Midweek Kids & Confirmation**  
**Class Starts on September 6, 2023**

**Registration is open!**

<https://vbspro.events/p/2023-24-sunday-midweek-confirmation-classes>



**Sunday School &**  
**Youth Bible Classes**

**Classes Start on September 10**



**Registration is open!**

<https://vbspro.events/p/2023-24-sunday-midweek-confirmation-classes>



**Physical Strength and Healing,**

**Allen Busse, Nancy Doig, Virginia Johnson,  
 Robin Carlyle, Don Krueger, Sharon Wormer, Mona Lea Zimmer and  
 Phyllis Rowe**



**Friends and Family:**

**Nate Jespersion, Brother of Lisa Gammon**  
**Cory Neisen, Son of Paula Neisen**  
**Loren Spande, Brother to Mary Borchardt**  
**Eric Wangen, Friend of Mike & Sherri Nelson**  
**Ray Scherer, Friend of Lori Moline**  
**Wayne Knauss, Brother of Jane Morsching**  
**Glen Grabau, Brother-In-Law of Lon & Jane Morsching**  
**Jessica (Lund) McCall, Sister of Mark Lund**  
**Richard Davis, Stepfather of Sandy Holle**  
**Bev Moye, Mother of Rhea Langemo**  
**Bruce Smith, Father of Lisa Haag**  
**Teri Haag, Sister In-Law of Jeff & Lisa Haag**  
**Barb Rogers, Friends of Mark & LuAnn Parrish**

**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, Quantico, Virginia)**  
**Jarrett Wood, US Army Reserves, FT. Lee, Virginia, MN.**  
**Riley Wood, US Army Reserves, Appleton, MN.**  
**Christopher Becker, Air Force Reserves stationed at Camp Lemonnier in  
 Djibouti Africa.**



***1 Corinthians 12:5 and there are varieties  
 of service, but the same Lord;***





Would YOU be Willing  
TO HELP and  
Lead  
Sunday School or  
Midweek Classes?



We Would Love To Have You!

Contact Tessa Braatz or Majken Tutty



Building our kids' faith is important  
– please consider joining the Children's Ministry  
Team and making a difference.

3 John 1:4

I have no greater joy, than to hear that my children are  
walking in the truth.

## Fish Lake Quilters

Linda Arvidson is leading a group this fall in a  
quilting class. We have nine ladies so far that are  
interested.

**Its not to late to join us!**

The first meeting will be **August 27 around 9:00**  
am. After 8 O'clock service. It will be a quick  
meeting to discuss meeting times and  
frequencies.

If your interested contact Linda or call the  
church office or we will see you there.

