STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Ezekiel 34:11–16, 20–24 | 1 Corinthians 15:20–28 | Matthew 25:31–46

By the Cross of Christ, We Enter the Kingdom of Our God and Father

When the crucified and risen Lord Jesus comes to judge the living and the dead,
"he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats" (Matt. 25:32). "To those on his right," who have been crucified and raised with Him through repentance and faith in His Gospel, He will grant the blessed kingdom of His Father (Matt. 25:34). Having been justified by His grace, they live unto righteousness in Him (Matt. 25:35–40). But "those on his left," who trust in themselves and despise their neighbor, will depart "into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels" (Matt. 25:41). Until that day, the Lord searches for His sheep "as a shepherd seeks out his flock" (Ezek. 34:11–12).
Through His preaching of repentance, He disciplines the proud sheep and goats, "the fat and the strong," but through the preaching of forgiveness He rescues the lost, binds up the injured, strengthens the weak and feeds "the lean sheep" (Ezek. 34:16, 20). In this way, He destroys the power of death in the children of Adam by His cross, so that "in Christ shall all be made alive" by His resurrection (1 Cor. 15:20–26).

Total 140 Saturday 11/18/ (31) Sunday 11/19/23 8:00 am (49), 10:30 am (60)

Thank You for Your Generous Giving!





Immanuel Lutheran Church Last Sunday of the Church Year November 26, 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"

LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR FIRST READING ZEPHANIAH 1:7–16 READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK: FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT FIRST READING ISAIAH 64:1–9 EPISTLE 1 CORINTHIANS 1:3–9 HOLY GOSPEL MARK 11:1–10 OR MARK 13:24–37

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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

November 25: James Jobst November 26: Aileen Dalton November 27: Page Neubarth, Trent Wangerin November 28: Tina Arrowood November 30: Mark Lund

Sunday 11/26/23

8:00 am ** Trad. Worship No Sunday School 9:15am Bible Study 10:30 :: Contemporary Worship 11:30 – Decorate Church for Christmas Lunch will be served

MONDAY 11/27/23

TUESDAY 11/28/23 6:00pm Bell Choir Practice

WEDNESDAY 11/29/23

9:00am Online Bible Study 5:30 Midweek Dinner 6:30-7:30 Midweek Classes 6:30 Choir Practice 7:30 Youth Ministry

THURSDAY 11/30/23

4:30 pm Childrens Ministry FRIDAY 12/01/23 6:30 pm Movie Night

Saturday 12/02/23

5:30pm Traditional Worship

SERVING 11/25 & 11/26 SERVING 12/ 02-03-06

Elders

USHERS

Justin Tutty

12/2 Brian LaGrange

Eric Brockhoff 10:30

Charlie Haag 5:30

12/6 Jeff Haag 6:00

Lon Morsching 5:30

Tina Arrowood 10:30

PROJECTION

Judy Trom 8:00

12/6 Charlie Haag 11:00

Russ Tutty 8:00

Elders Jim Larson 5:30 Dave Schwichtenberg 8 Jeff Gammon 10:30

USHERS

Charlie Haag 5:30 Brett Rezac

PROJECTION

Ed O'Brien 5:30 Judy Trom 8:00 Tessa Braatz 10:30

LIVESTREAM TECH. Kyle Scapple

ORGANIST Julie Ritter

Contemporary Leader Susan Parrish

COUNTERS Jim & Sharon Roo

COUNTERS Art & Gerry Zaudtke

Contemporary Leader

Are Invited FREE EVENT Come And See!

Celebrate Christmas

Enjoy the Journey to Bethlehem complete with Live Animals, Music, Lights and Refreshments. Saturday, December 9th 5:30 – 8:00 pm **Redemption Lutheran Church** 927 E. Old Shakopee Rd. Bloomington



Christmas at Immanuel December 17, at 3:00 PM **Choir Practices:**



Wednesdays at 6:30 PM, November 29, December 6th, & 13th. Saturday, December 16 at 6:30 PM.

Any Questions, talk to Julie Ritter



Kyle Scapple ORGANIST

Julie Ritter 12/6 Susan Parrish

Susan Parrish



The quilting group is looking for a bookcase. We will display our finished guilts on it in the family room before donating them. Please let Cindy Hoppe know if you have one that you are willing to donate. 612-310-1803.



CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY, ST.

FRI. 1218 7:30 РМ





Buetow Music Center Auditorium 300 Hamline Avenue N, St. Paul, MN 55104 Complimentry Tickets: www.csp.edu/tickets | 1.866.488.4849 Reserved Seating, freewill offering will be taken



Senior Lunch Wednesday, December 13, at 11:30 AM **Entertainment:** St Paul's Lutheran School Kids will be singing.



Physical Strength and Healing,

Allen Busse, Nancy Doig, Don Krueger, Dean Morlock, Nancy Jasmer, Mary Kroyer, Cyndi Will, James & Vivian Jobst and Ed O'Brien



Pray for Comfort and Support for Todd and Kimberly Beck's family and friends as they mourn the loss of Kimberly's father Jim Nunn who passed away last week.



Friends and Family:

Loren Spande, Brother to Mary Borchardt Barb Rogers, Friends of Mark & LuAnn Parrish Wally Wixon, Friend of Judy Blohm Bruce Ellerbusch, Nephew of Art & Gerry Zaudtke



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.



Join Us for Worship Staring December 6th, 13th, and 20th at 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM Hope | Faith | Love | Joy



This year we are having a giving tree that is filled with needs/wants for people in our community. We are supporting CAP Agency "Adopt-A-Senior", CAP Agency "Adopt-A-Family" and a local family's Christmas Shopping.

We have a Christmas Tree in the Narthex that has tags with these needs listed, as well as a few bags for Adopt-A-Senior on the table next to the tree. Please grab a tag and fulfill the needs/wants. Some tags request the gifts to be wrapped, some do not. Please read carefully and notice when the gifts need to be brought back to church.

You can leave your selected tag along with the gift under the Christmas tree. Be sure to shop the Raise Right Gift cards our church offers for the gift card requests. Contact Brooke Brockhoff, 507-351-0063, with any questions. Thank you for helping spread the joy of Christmas!







Mark Your Calendars!

Everyone is welcome to join in!

Sunday, November 26 after the 10:30 service.

Any questions you can reach out to Amy Scapple.

A light Lunch will be served. If you would like to bring an item to share it would be appreciated.



Choose from 100's of merchants nation wide Let us help you with your Christmas shopping Stop by the Scrip table

between services to purchase or order today! Order by Dec 10 for on-time delivery





Christmas Caroling at All Sanit's Senior Living Saturday, December 16 2:00 PM More information will be coming

