



# Immanuel Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

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The mission of Immanuel Lutheran Church is to reflect God's love by spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ through a caring ministry of reaching, teaching, and serving our congregation and the community.

***A Warm and Sincere Welcome!*** We are excited that you have chosen to join us. We invite you to join us often. If you do not have a church home, we hope you will consider making Immanuel Lutheran your church home. Please contact the church office for more information.

## + THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION +

As we partake of this blessed sacrament, our Lord has promised to give us His true body and blood in, with and under the bread and wine for us Christians to eat and drink for the forgiveness of our sins and strengthening of our faith. Those who partake, firmly believing in Christ's real presence, receive these blessings. If you are a member of a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, have not communed at Immanuel before, please speak with the pastor or an elder before participating. If you are not a member of the Lutheran Church -Missouri Synod please speak with pastor before the service. *Thank you.*

## This Week at Immanuel

### Today, Sunday, February 3

Mite Collection Sunday

Blood Pressure Screening

9:00 A Worship & Communion

10:30 A Sunday School & Adult Bible Study

11:30 A Youth Meeting in Preschool

### Monday, February 4

Panera

7:00 A Church Council

### Wednesday, February 6

4:00 P Confirmation Class

5:30 P Board of Elders

7:00 P Adult Choir

### Thursday, February 7

7:00 A Men's Bible Breakfast

10:00 A Bulletin Announcement Deadline

12:00 P Mid-Week Bible Study

1:00 P LL Game Day

7:30 P LSF-College Bible Study

### Next, Sunday, February 10

9:00 A Worship & Communion

10:30 A Sunday School & Adult Bible Study

5:30 P LSF Supper on Sunday



Life can be stressful. Stephen Ministers are willing to listen and assist you in developing a plan to overcome your struggles. Email [ilcsm@fidnet.com](mailto:ilcsm@fidnet.com) or call Dan Canfield at

(573)364-4525 to schedule a visit.

## Epiphany 4 February 3, 2019

The order of worship today is Divine Service 3  
on page 184 of the Lutheran Service Book.

<b>OPENING HYMN</b>	<b>#729</b>	"I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus"
<b>ADULT CHOIR</b>		"God of Mercy, God of Grace"
<b>SERMON HYMN</b>	<b>#783</b>	"Take My Life and Let It Be"
<b>SERMON</b>		"Cruciform Authority"
<b>DISTR. HYMNS</b>	<b>#625</b>	"Lord Jesus Christ, Life-Giving Bread"
	<b>#637</b>	"Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord"
	<b>#826</b>	"Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying"
<b>CLOSING HYMN</b>	<b># 802</b>	"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

### PRAYERS

*Please pray for:* April Evers, Chris Hinson, Betty Kraus, Floyd Lewis, Pat Mesko, Marilyn Pineiro, Ron Simily, Ralph & Jill Trefl, Pastor Gerry Wittmaier, Kacie Wassilak and Susan Wiemann.



*Members serving in the Armed Forces:* Jacob Banholzer, Matt Battley, Kathleen Cottrell and daughter, Paige; Amber Dean, Marshall Dean, Joe Duehning, Garrett Langston, Ethan Swyres, Jonah Swyres.

*February Moment of Prayer:* Each day at 6PM you are encouraged to pray God will help you love others as He loves you.

*"This is my commandment, that you love one another, as I have loved you." John 15:2*

### *All Assisting with Worship This Week*

#### Today, Sun., Feb. 3

*Acolyte:* Amy Berkelman

*Elder:* Ed Hoertle

*Greeters:* Erma Jean Haas & Bill Wuenscher

*Organist:* Berniece Strandberg

*Ushers:* Andy Anderson, Robert Berkleman, Eric, Ed Hoertel & Bob Lemen

*All Assisting with Worship Next Week*

Next Sun., Feb 10

**Acolyte:** Noah Holzerland

**Elder:** Bob Lemen

**Greeters:** Andy & Nancy Anderson

**Organist:** Phil Thiem

**Reader:** Christopher Kamprath

**Ushers:** The Wassilak Family: Aaron, Dan, Jim, John and Tom

**Bible Class -10:30 School Cafeteria**  
**Studying the Gospel of Matthew**



**Sunday School -10:30 School Basement**  
**This Month's Theme: Baby Moses**

*The Fruits of Our Faith*

Church Attendance last Sunday: 157      Communion: 124  
Sunday School: 10                              Adult Bible Study: 70  
Gifts for the Lord's Work last week.....\$3,280.25  
**Needed each week to meet the budget: \$4,126.50**



*Ben and Jean McWilliams* for providing flowers today in honor of their 25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.  
*Bob and Debbie Lemen* for providing February altar care.

*Christy Smith* for signing up to provide LSF refreshments this week on Thurs., Feb. 7.

*Janis Wassilak* and *Carla Roedemeier* for providing this week's Adult Bible Study refreshments and *Jean McWilliams* and *Lynne Davidson* for signing up to provide refreshments next week.



**Pantry Report:** Thank you to everyone who supported the pantry in January. ILC assisted 10 families and 16 people. This month soap is needed.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

***PERFECT SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE!***

**These students had perfect attendance in January:** Clara Cook, Noah Holzerland, Josh Holzerland, Nikki Rush, Abby Vidt and Daniel Vidt.



**The January Sunday School Attendance Prize** was awarded to Clara Cook.

**TODAY'S EVENTS**

**LWML/Dorcas Mite Collection.** Mite collection boxes are available in the narthex before and after worship.



**Youth Meeting at 11:30AM**

Make and EAT homemade pizza while helping plan the circuit sleepover and discussing a new youth room.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

**College Students:** The February SOS (Supper on Sunday) will be held **NEXT SUNDAY, FEB. 10<sup>TH</sup> at 5:30PM** in fellowship hall.

**Leisure Lutherans:** Don't miss this month's **Lunch Meeting, Wednesday, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>**, at Noon in fellowship hall. Soups will be provided. If you would like to bring something to share you may. A guest speaker from the ABLE Commission will present a program.

**The pictorial directory** project has been postponed until September.



**Interested Being an Usher?** Please talk to Andy Anderson.

Members will receive the February Informer, Annual Report and Directory this week. ***Thank you for your patience!***