



Immanuel Lutheran Church & School
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“What’s Happening”



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The mission of Immanuel Lutheran School is to partner with parents and Immanuel Lutheran Church in providing a quality education that nurtures life-long learners who are rooted in Christ, built in faith, and growing in love.

Worship: Sunday 9:30 am

Deadline to submit newsletter articles: Wednesday at the end of the day

Tune in to 104.1 for drive-in worship service

June 16, 2023

FROM THE DESK OF VICAR RESNER

Dear Members of Immanuel, Honey Creek:

Greetings in the name of our risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Grace, mercy, and peace be to you.

With great joy and conviction to our Lord, you have called me to be your pastor. After prayerful consideration, I am announcing to you my acceptance of this Divine Call to serve you as pastor.

I look forward to continuing to serve God here at Immanuel as we look forward to my installation as your pastor and my ordination into the public ministry. Please continue to pray for me and my family as we also continue to pray for you.

My vicarage at Immanuel has proven fruitful, and I pray that our years together will provide God’s Word and Sacraments to be our strength in His service to His Church.

May the Lord bless and keep us faithful to His Word as we grow together in faith and love in service to others.

In Christ.

Steven A. Resner

CARD SHOWER

Installation and Ordination of Pastor Elec Steve Resner will be June 25, at 4pm Service. We would like to welcome him with a card shower. There will be a basket in the entry for anyone who would like to give him a card. Here are a few suggestions if you wish to include a gift card: Panara, Applebee's, Bogeys, Longhorns and Prison Brews.

DUMPSTER

The scrap metal dumpster is back! Thank You Shannon Loveall, Rock Island Iron and Metal Recycling, The dumpster is by the big white building for anyone that would like to donate any scrap metal or old appliances.

LOOKING FOR...

We’re looking for any old Immanuel shirts in good condition for a project. If you have any shirts please bring to the office or give to Mrs. Diener.

LECTORS NEEDED

If you are interested in being a lector in Sunday service, Please contact the office. Thank You.

WINDOW FILM COVERING

The Safety Board supports purchasing/installing a film window covering that would make our church/school windows shatter but not blow inward if an object hits the glass. We have a bid that would allow us to do sections as we receive the money. The first option would complete the glass in the church/school entry. The film would be installed to 7-9 feet high. The upper sections of glass would not be covered. The first option will cost \$2,900.

The second phase, as money comes in, will be the office area, then classrooms/doors and finally the large window area in the commons. The total cost for all phases is \$23,000 barring any price increases.

If you think this is a project you want to support, contact the church office or a member of the Safety Board.

Office 496-3451
Gary 619-5525

2023-2024 POSITIONS AVAILABLE

If interested, please contact the school office at 573-496-3766 or email Mr. Kopp at principal@midmoimmanuel.com.

PART TIME 7/8 GRADE TEACHING POSITION

We are looking for a part time teacher working about *15-20 hours per week*. They would be responsible for teaching English Language Arts and History, grading, and monitoring students. It would be an afternoon position, but that can be negotiated.

PART TIME PRESCHOOL AIDE (Wednesday ONLY)

We are looking for a part time aide working *4 hours each Wednesday* from 1:00-5:00 pm. Duties would involve helping students with playtime and supervising them. It would also involve some light sweeping, cleaning tables, and snack time clean up.

PART TIME PE

We are looking for a part time teacher about *4-8 hours a week* teaching PE for grades K-8. Teaching experience not required but preferred. It would involve planning and teaching PE to grade K-8.

SCHOOL LUNCH

"Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops; Then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine." Proverbs 3:9-10

We praise and thank God for the generosity this congregation has shown for the needs of our school lunch program and ultimately our students.

Last year we were blessed to receive donations of fresh fruits that we were able to freeze and use during the school year. We would like to ask again, that if anyone has an abundance of summer fruits (strawberries, peaches, blackberries, etc) that you would consider sharing with us, we will put them to good use when the school year begins.

Thank you!
Gail Kempker

SCHOOL YEARBOOKS

If you ordered one and would like it now, you can stop by the school office when it is open or find Mr. Kopp on Sundays to pick yours up. If you would like to purchase one they are \$17 each. We will also have them at registration in August.

ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE

Choir is open to anyone who would like to join. The next opportunity to practice is June 18 after church and June 20, 22 at 7:00 pm in preparation for the ordination of Steve Resner.

GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

If you would like to make a donation towards these projects, please let the office know.

1. Fix/Install 3 Sanctuary dimmer switches *estimated cost \$750-\$1,000*
2. 4 overhead Microphones in sanctuary materials, mics, labor *estimated cost \$1,200.00*
3. Air Conditioner Unit (crane/labor/installation) for School - \$5,700.00

Servants for the Lord					
Date	Acolytes	Ushers	Lector	Elders	Finance Team
June 18	Aubrey Kempker Alec Sommerer	Kelby Doerhoff Troy Bonnett	Scott Jackson	Troy Wolken Brad Engelbrecht	Pat and Jane
June 25	Braylon Schulte Brennan Schulte	Troy Wolken Cole Wolken Tyler Loveall	Jeff Distler	Don Propst Terry Carrender	Deven, Jason & Aaron
June Altar Guild: Helen Siedenburg, Kristina Siedenburg, Alisha Doerhoff					

Date	Upcoming Events	Time
6/18	Adult Bible Study Worship Service/Communion Adult Choir Practice	8:15 am 9:30 am After Church
6/20	Y'ALL (Young Adult Lutheran Leaders) at McDonald's Home Adult Choir Practice	6:30 pm 7:00 pm
6/21	NO Mid-week Bible Study	
6/22	Adult Choir Practice	7:00 pm
6/25	Adult Bible Study Worship Service Ordination and Installation of Steve Resner. Meal to follow in the commons	8:15 am 9:30 am 4:00 pm

Men's Bible Study

Men's Bible Study will be taking a break for the summer. They will resume on Monday, September 18, 2023, at Jason Propst's firehouse, 4501 Old Ridge Rd.

Women's Bible Study

Our Women's Bible Study will take a break for the summer months, but we will be excited to start a new semester after Labor Day. **Mark your calendar for Wednesday, September 6th.** We would love to have you join us and invite friends and family!

Mid-Week Bible Study

The Mid-Week Bible Study will take a break the month of June. It will resume on July 5th . We are extremely blessed and thankful to have Pastor Brandt leading us. All are welcome.

Children's Sunday School

What a joy it has been to share the Word of God with our children this past year in Sunday School! We will take a break for the summer months, but we will be excited to start a new semester after Labor Day. **Mark your calendar for our Sunday School Rally which will be on Sunday, September 10th.**

Mom's Bible Study

Our Women's Bible Study will take a break for the summer months, but we will be excited to start a new semester after Labor Day. **We would love to have you join us on September 17th when we resume.**

Y'ALL (Young Adult Lutheran Leaders) Bible Study

On Tuesday, June 20th, from 6:30-8:30pm, Y'ALL will meet for a BBQ and Bible Study at Deven and Mandy McDonald's Home (11810 Bridge Vu Dr.). If you have graduated high school, and you are a young adult looking for a great group of people with which to study God's Word and talk about relevant topics of faith and culture, you have found your group. Bring your Bible, bag chair, and a side/snack to share. Please contact Mandy McDonald at 573-644-4405 for more information and to RSVP.

Jr. and Sr. High Youth Events



Sr. High Youth: Outdoor BBQ and Evening Bible Study, Sunday, July 9th, 7-9pm at McDonald's Home

We will need both Jr. and Sr. High Youth volunteers for VBS week on July 16-20th. Volunteers can register here: [Register Here for Immanuel VBS 2023](#)

Save the Date for the Back-to-School Jr. and Sr. High Youth Pool Party on Sunday, August 13, 7-9pm at Redfield Pool

More detailed youth group information is shared in our Band App. Click here if you are not connected: [Immanuel Youth Band App](#)



Click Here to Register as a Student or a Volunteer: [Register for Immanuel VBS 2023](#)

AREA NEWS

HICKORY HILL BAPTIST CHURCH BASKETBALL CAMP

When: July 24-28, 2023

To sign up, go to www.hickoryhillbaptistchurch.com or contact Steve Hogard at 573-645-2480 or stevehogard@gmail.com. Sign up by July 9 to receive a t-shirt.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

St. John's Lutheran Church, Stringtown, will be hosting their annual Ice Cream Social

June 18th from 3:30 to 7:00 pm.

Menu: Homemade Ice Cream, hamburgers, hot dogs, chicken salad sandwiches, chips, cakes and pies.

CALVARY NEWS

READY TO BE A LION?

As we prepare for the 2023-2024 academic year, we look forward to welcoming many new students on campus! With our caring faculty, safe Christian environment, strong academics, and plentiful activities and athletics, we offer an awesome high school experience. If you know a family with a teenager who would thrive in this environment, please help us make the connection! The next **new family orientation is Thursday, June 22 at 7 p.m.** We would love to share more about Calvary and continue *building Christian leaders!* Contact us at 573-638-0228 or administrator@calvarylhs.org.

LEND A HAND

We are hard at work preparing for the 2023-2024 school year. There is much to do around the school this summer! If you would like to help out with items on our to-do list, contact Erich Ahlers (573-638-0228 or principal@calvarylhs.org).

UPDATED WISHLIST

Speaking of preparing for next year, check out the updated wishlist on our website, calvarylhs.org/wishlist, to see ways you can bless our students and teachers.

CONNECT WITH CALVARY'S GIFT

Have you shopped at Calvary's Gift? If not, the Facebook page is a great place to look around before heading over! Regular posts keep you in-the-know about your next fantastic find! Hours are Wednesday through Saturday, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. As you have time this summer new volunteers would be greatly appreciated! If you would like more information, stop in to talk to any of the volunteers, or call John at (573) 821-8875.

JOIN THE CALVARY TEAM

Calvary is seeking mission-minded, enthusiastic individuals to join the Calvary team. We are seeking a **varsity cheer coach, assistant baseball coach, Spanish teacher and outreach coordinator** for 2023-2024. Submit resumes to Calvary Lutheran High School, 2525 Rte B, Jefferson City, MO 65101. Resumes will be accepted until the positions are filled.

THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS

Are you a Thrivent member and have Thrivent Action Team grants available? If you would like to help with projects at Calvary, we have a number of special summer projects that could be blessed by an action team grant! Contact John Christman to find out more.

SUMMER HOURS


Summer office hours are in full swing June – July:

Monday -Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.; Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

We pray that the Lord would move your heart to contribute to one of the following items. It would help the general fund account to stay current with regular bills. Thank You and God Bless!

1. Electric Costs per month..... 2,000.00
2. Building and Liability Insurance/per quarter..... 7,000.00
3. Concordia Plan Health Insurance..... 7,500.00
4. Waste Removal/per month..... 234.00
5. Propane Capital Energy/per week/winter..... 1,000.00

<u>STEWARDSHIP</u>	<u>6/11</u>		<u>Finance Team</u>	<u>Date</u>
Adult Bible Study	13	June	Aaron, Jason & Devon	June 25
Sunday School	**		Tim & Terry	July 02
Youth	**		Heather & Rochelle	July 09
Y'ALL	**		Mary & John	June 11
Mom's Bible Study	**		Pat & Jane	June 18
Wed. Bible Study	**			
Ladies Bible Study	**			
Men's Bible Study	**			
Offerings	\$ 4.00	\$ 4.00		
<u>Church Attendance</u>				
Sunday Communion:	222			
Church Offering				
Plate & Envelopes	\$ 5,802.45			
Electronic	\$ 3,109.99			
Total:	8,912.44	12-mo avg		
<i>Avg Offering Goal (as of 7/1/22)</i>	<i>\$9,550</i>	<i>\$8,924.00</i>		
<i>Weekly church/school expense total</i>	<i>\$14,000</i>	<i>per week</i>		
DRC Offering	\$ 330.00	June		
<i>Monthly Building Loan Payment</i>	<i>\$ 4,125</i>	\$900.00		
<i>Bldg Loan Balance as of 5/1/23</i>	<i>\$209,417</i>	12-mo avg		
		\$2,994.00		
		<i>per month</i>		

Offering Options Available

We have several eGiving options if you would like to give a one-time or recurring offering electronically:

- 1) Set up an **online donation** from our website: <https://www.midmoimmanuel.com/online-giving>
- 2) Download the **Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement** app for your smart-phone and search for "Immanuel Lutheran Church and School" (several churches will display from just "Immanuel", so be sure to type in the full name - there are still at least three on the list that have the same name as us - be sure to select the one with our address - 8231 Tanner Bridge Road). Set up your profile and manage your offerings.
- 3) Text your offering through **Text Giving** by texting a whole number for the offering amount (i.e. "10" for a \$10 gift) to 1-573-267-5706. Follow the link that is replied back.
- 4) Contact Cody Morrow (573-680-2910 or cdymorrow@aol.com) or Jason Sommerer (573-338-2441 or summertime_99@hotmail.com) for assistance and we can set up an **auto-draft from your bank** directly to Immanuel.
- 5) Vanco also offers to accept gifts **over the phone** for our congregation. Vanco's Client Services team will take donations if you call them at 800.675.7430

PRAYER REQUESTS

At Home or Hospital: Quinetta Rutledge, Brennan Schulte, John and Patti Trinklein, John Green, Jane Kesel, Brian Kempker, Konlee Kempker, Charlie Duenckel, Rebecca Eichelberger, Joni and Chloe Adamson, Dana Simmons, Betty Hoecker, Terri Engelbrecht, Dwight and Rita Linhardt, Danny Goodman, Dane Steenburgen, Denny Schulte, Marilyn Smith, Gretchen Junkans, Kenny Braun, Ann Shipwash, Ronette Schulte, Megan Limbach, Trevor Burrows,, Cheryl Herzog, Greg Morrow, Clay Rolsing and Patty Bates.

Those Who Mourn: Friends and Family of Baby Brynlee Henderson

Praise God For Answered Prayers: Virgil Lackman

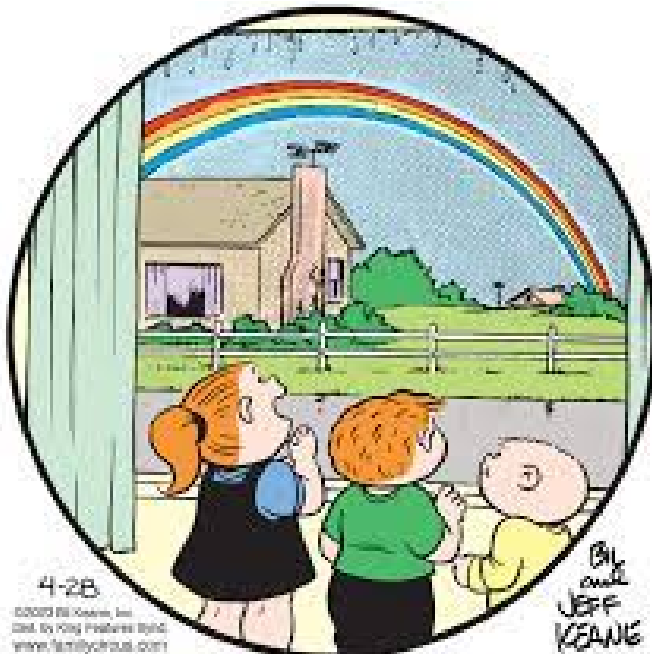
Celebrating Birthdays: Braylon Buechter 6-18, Matt Schulte 6-18, Jason Propst 6-19, Carrie Wolken 6-19, Diane Trinklein 6-20, Leighton Sanning 6-20, Cambria Chrisman 6-21, Brianna Allen 6-21, Greg Henson 6-21, Adam Berendzen 6-22, Lance Sommerer 6-22, Marissa Eads 6-22, Chance Sommerer 6-22, Luke Bax 6-23, Rylee Libbert 6-23, Kathleen Gallagher 6-23.

Celebrating Wedding Anniversaries: Randy and Kathy Heimericks 6-18 40yrs., Mike and Vonda Berendzen 6-18 35yrs., Daniel and Mary Angerer 6-20 25yrs., Colt and Kimberly Phillips 6-21 15yrs., Justin and Stacey Kumberg 6-23 11yrs.

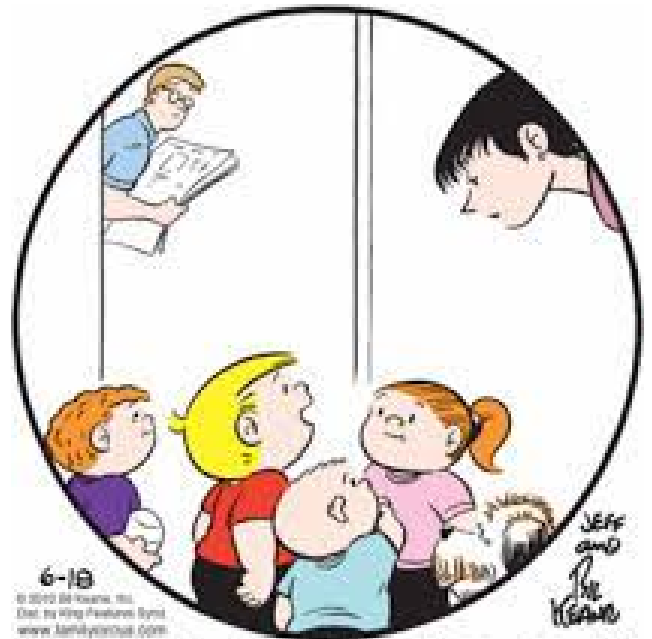
Nursing Home Residents/Shut-Ins: Virginia Meier-Heisinger Bluffs, and Tom Benne

Military Personnel: Jack Schmoeger, and Clare Hart

Thought For The Day: Keep your face to the sunshine and you cannot see a shadow.



"I'm glad God thought up rainbows."



"We voted and on Father's Day Daddy gets to play with us ALL DAY!"

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod
LCMS Stewardship Ministry
June 2023

What Do You Want?

One of the best-known and most-beloved psalms is Psalm 23, the “Shepherd Psalm.” There we learn that the Lord is our Shepherd. And since He is our Shepherd, we will not want. We will not suffer want because the Lord, our Shepherd, will lead us to green pastures and beside still waters. In other words, the Lord, our Shepherd, will provide for all that we need in both body and soul.

Yet, we live as though this is not the case. We live as though we *actually* suffer from want, that the Lord, our Shepherd, will not provide for all that we need. And thus, we live as though the Lord is not our Shepherd. And that means that we live as though we are not the Lord’s sheep.

When do we live as though the Lord is not our Shepherd? When we put anything else before Him and His provision for us. When we think that going to work is more important than receiving His gifts in church on Sunday (in violation of the First and Third Commandments). When we fail to give generously of the first fruits of what the Lord has provided for us because we don’t know what the future will bring (even though He has promised that He will lead us to green pastures and still waters).

We live as though we are not the Lord’s sheep when we think that the Lord is only in the business of helping those who will help themselves. We act this way because our minds are set on earthly, temporal things and not on heavenly, eternal things. We act this way because we have stopped hearing the call of our Shepherd, which comes through His Word.

Through the Word of God, the Shepherd calls us to Himself. Through the Word, the Holy Spirit gathers and enlightens us with His gifts. Through the Word, we are kept holy and nourished in the one true faith, the faith that follows our Shepherd wherever He leads us. He promises to lead us to our true home, to the land flowing with milk and honey, to a better country, not of this world, but a heavenly one.

And so, here’s the Good News: the Lord is your Shepherd, even and especially for wayward sheep. For Jesus seeks and saves those who are lost. He finds the lost sheep and carries them back to the fold. He is the Shepherd who lays down His life for His sheep. The Lord is your Shepherd. Let us live as His sheep.

**Immanuel Lutheran's
Bluegrass Gospel Group:**

"The Maker's Dozen"



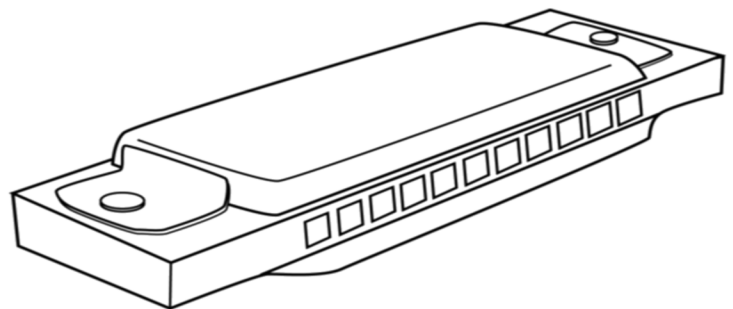
FUNDRAISER

Saturday
July 8th

·Serving from 11-1·
**Schulte's Fresh Foods
Parking Lot**

Pork Steaks • Brats • Baked Beans • Cole Slaw • Chips

\$9.00 for Meat
\$13.00 for Dinner



Proceeds for Music Ministry