Immanuel Lutheran Church & School

Connected In Jesus...

Announcements
Week of October 31, 2021

SUNDAY, October 31

Worship Service, 8:00 a.m. (masks required)
YouTube Live Stream, 8:00 a.m.
Bible Studies/Sunday School, See box below for details
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. (masks required)
YouTube Live Stream, 10:30 a.m.
LOC Worship, 10:30 a.m. In person & Live Stream
Reformation Dinner, 12:00 p.m., Outside
Trick or Treat, 2:30 p.m., East Building parking lot
HS Youth Group, in person, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. (Youth Room)

MONDAY, November 1

TUESDAY November 2

Women's Guild, 7:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall Men's Club, 7:00 p.m., Gym

WEDNESDAY, November 3

Bazaar Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Fellowship Hall Choir, 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, November 4

Quilters, 9:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY, November 5

SATURDAY, November 6

Bazaar Luncheon & Sale, 10:00 a.m., Gym Worship Service, 5:00 p.m. (masks required)

SUNDAY, November 7

Worship Service, 8:00 a.m. (masks required)
YouTube Live Stream, 8:00 a.m.
Bible Studies/Sunday School, See box below for details
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. (masks required)
YouTube Live Stream, 10:30 a.m.
LOC Worship, 10:30 a.m. In person & Live Stream
GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays, 2:30 p.m. via Zoom
HS Youth Group, in person, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. (Youth Room)

Attendance Last Weekend:

ILC Weekend worship: 287; LOC: 91

YouTube views:

ILC: 95; LOC: 32

Sunday School

Sunday School is in the East Building

- Opening & Singing, 9:20-9:30
- 9:30-10:15 a.m.
- Masks required
- Please sign-in your child in the Commons area.

We can't wait to see you there!

WORSHIP CHANGES**

Seating for all services will remain every other pew on the right (pulpit) side while the left side will return to open seating.

All services are still masks required, *regardless of vaccination status*, following CDC guidance.

As of October 1, we have returned to offering communion on the 1^{st} , 3^{rd} , and 5^{th} Sundays of each month.

**If you are interested in receiving Communion not during Worship service, or would like to speak privately to a Pastor, please contact the church office.

IN-PERSON BIBLE STUDY MEETING SPACES

Adult Study – Book of Mark, Fellowship Hall **Adult Study** – Our Christian Fathers, Rm #206

Women's Study (Krazl) - Rm#203

Sunday School – Rm#303 – 4th gr.; Rm# 304 – 2nd &

3rd gr.; Rm#305 - K & 1st gr.; Rm#308 - PK

Confirmation (6th-8th gr) – East Building Commons

5th Grade Confirmation – Room #213

Sr. High Youth - Youth Room

Jr. High Youth - Rm#205

ESL – Rm#204

LOC Activities - Rm#202/Library & Gym

MASK S REQUIRED...

Please be aware that we are following the St. Louis County mask mandate and have returned to masks for all attendees, 2 yrs and older, regardless of vaccination status, at all services and indoor activities out of care and concern for our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love...

Philippians 2:1-2

SPIRIT WEAR

PSCE is offering Immanuel Eagles tshirts for sale! Check out the items available for sale at

immanuelolivette.itemorder.com. All orders must be placed by October 31, and items will be available for pickup at church. The next spirit wear sale will be in November with long sleeve items and sweatshirts, and a third sale will take place this spring. Show your Eagle spirit by purchasing some spirit wear!

REFORMATION

Please join us for our Reformation Day activities! At noon join us for our annual bratwurst lunch with all the fixings. Your free will offering will go to support our Senior High Youth group and their trip to the National Youth Gathering. Then, at 2:30 join us for Trick or Treat on the east building parking lot. You are invited to host $\frac{1}{2}$ a table, decorate it and hand out your goodies to the kiddos.

Please see the sign up links later in these announcements.

MEN'S CLUB MEETING

Immanuel Men's Club will have their monthly meeting November 2, at 7:00pm. Please consider coming and help give your ideas on what projects the Men's Club should support this coming year. You don't need to be a member to attend. Guests are welcome. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

CRAFT BAZAAR AND LUNCHEON SATURDAY, NOV. 6, 10:00-2:00

After missing a year due to Covid, Immanuel is happy to invite everyone back! Shoppers will find an array of new 3-D printer items, unique, trendy decorations and practical gifts, as well as ever-popular butterhorns, jams and jellies, and Granny's Attic treasures. The Luncheon will feature homemade soups, sandwiches, salad, and desserts. This event benefits a variety of foreign missions and Immanuel projects. PLEASE COME! Your support is vital to its success!

Immanuel members are welcome to contribute any handcrafted items and can bring them to the school gym by noon on Friday, Nov. 5. Food items should be brought to the Bakery Booth by 9:00 on Saturday, Nov. 6. Thank you!

WOMEN'S GUILD (LWML) - TUESDAY, NOV. 2, 7:00

In this season of thankfulness, Women's Guild will celebrate six Immanuel ladies blessed with 90+ years of life. Come help

us give thanks to God for them, for their longevity, and for all the ways they are a blessing to us!

All Guild members are urged to help with the Luncheon on Nov. 6. If you missed signing up to bring a pie, please let Rita know if you'd be willing to do so.

MEN'S CLUB SAUSAGE

Did you know that the Immanuel's Men's Club helps fund many organizations, groups, including property maintenance and improvements? We are only able to provide funding for these many worthwhile projects and organizations with your support of our Men's Club Pork Sausage sale.

It's time to place your order for our fresh Men's Club Pork Sausage. The sausage will be made by Wenneman's Meat Market of St. Libory, IL, as they did for us last year. We hope that you enjoyed the same quality that you have been accustomed to receiving for the past 8+ decades. If you have not tried our sausage before, we invite you to try some as we are confident that you will find the quality and value of our sausage is superior.

We MUST have your orders **NO LATER THAN** Monday November 8th. The price is \$5.00 per pound. Orders may be placed by phone or mail to any of the following:

- Church Office (314) 993-2394
- Wayne Meyr (314) 423-8944
- Paul Rohan (636) 530-6160
- NOTE: You can also find order forms located in the Atrium after services

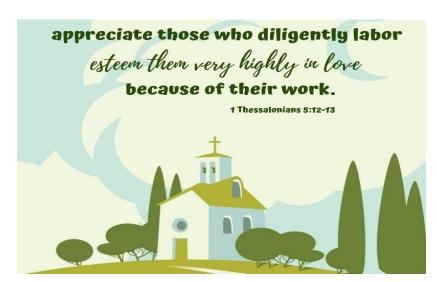
Orders will be ready for pick up in the school kitchen between 4:30 – 6:30pm on Friday (11/19), or after services on Saturday (11/20) or Sunday (11/21).

REFORMATION ORGAN VESPERS

An organ vespers service, featuring organist Jacob Weber and preacher, The Reverend Dr. Jon Vieker will be held on Sunday, October 31, at 3:00 pm at Hope Lutheran Church, 5218 Neosho, St. Louis, MO. Jacob Weber is the associated editor for music at CPH, and Dr. Vieker was recently installed as the Dean of Chapel at Concordia Seminary.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Lutheran High School of St. Charles County, located in St. Peters, has a job opening for a part-time Chemistry teacher from January-May 2022. Interested applicants may contact Principal Jon Bernhardt at jbernhardt@lhssc.org or 636.928.5100 by November 15.



Please take a moment and thank all of our pastors;

Pastor Karg, Pastor Schrader & Pastor Lim. They put their hearts into everything they do for us! A card, note or even just a heartfelt "Thank you" would be wonderful.

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Announcements Week of October 24, 2021

<u>Members Ill or Recuperating:</u> Joyce Crook, Gary Eberhardt, Imogene Geib, Gwen George, Tim Hoffmann, Carmaletha Hughes, Michele and Charlie Kasban, Virginia Kellmann, Lera Koenig, Bill Marshall, Carl McKenzie, Matthew McKenzie, Cheryl Metzler, Vern Peters, Cindy Rowold, Donna Scotino, Marilyn Weinstock, and Zane Zeable

<u>Ill or Recuperating Family Members and Friends:</u> Ted Chmielowiec, Peter Erickson, Rev. Burneal Fick, Mike Fleming, Jim & Reba H., Rev. Tom Handrick, Sally Handrick, Judith Hardy, Steve Janssen, Suki Janssen, Chris Lochmann, Bill McMahon, Paul Migneron, Tom Mirly, Tom Peters, Velma Walkmaster, and Tom Walsh.

<u>Immanuel Members Serving in Healthcare:</u> Sara Bunte, Amy Dunbar, Jared Eggerman, Rachel Erdmann, Trudi Gatteys, Julie (Stiegemeier) Hanson, Christina (Shaw) Hemenway, Lauren Martin, Rachael Ludwig Schaefer, Jennifer Schmidt, Erin Stiegemeier, and Michele Zalmanoff

Immanuel Members Serving as First Responders or in the U.S. Armed Forces: Matthew Hsu, Chris Kaslin, Richard McKenzie, Janis Mikits Jr., Steven Musselwhite, David Peters, Ransom Springer, and Alexandra & Michael Wagener

Family Members & Friends Serving as First Responders or in the U.S. Armed Forces: All First Responders, Greg & Stephanie Morgan, Bethany Siress.

GRIEFSHARE

Immanuel's GriefShare team is looking for help. Have you experienced the death of a loved one? Do you have a heart for those who are grieving such a loss? Immanuel's GriefShare team recently lost a leader, and we are looking for help with future programs. We've put a brochure with an explanation of what we do and how you can help on a credenza in the Gathering Hall. Paulette Pierson or Bonnie Schmidt can answer your questions.

ALL SAINTS' DAY COMMEMORATION OF THE

FAITHFUL DEPARTED When we celebrate All Saints' Day on November 6th and 7th we will also commemorate those who have died in the faith since November 1, 2020. If you have a family member or friend who has died in the faith since last year's observance, please give their name to the church office by Sunday, October 31. You can call during office hours or e-mail cbaur@immanuelolivette.org.

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 7th

Registration for GriefShare's "Surviving the Holidays" at Immanuel is now available at www.GriefShare.org. The session will be held at 2:30 PM on Sunday, November 7. Because of the COVID-19 restrictions, this two-hour event will be held using Zoom. Questions can be directed to Bonnie Schmidt or Paulette Pierson.

OCTOBER IS LWML MONTH!

The congregation is invited to join the Women's Guild in supporting mission projects around the world through the Mite program. Look for the large mite collection box as you enter and exit worship during October, or you may send a contribution to the church office with checks made out to Women's Guild and "Mites" in the memo. For further information about LWML, current Mission Grants, and progress of funding, visit the LWML website at www.lwml.org.

THANKSGIVING BASKET COLLECTION

We are providing 125 Thanksgiving dinners and turkeys to community members this Thanksgiving! Please consider contributing to this effort by purchasing a set of nonperishable dinner items. We thank Dierbergs Markets for working with us to procure the turkeys at a discounted rate! The Shopping List for requested dinner items is located at both the Welcome Desk and the Food Pantry drop-off table. Our Immanuel School students are also contributing to the collection to ensure we can serve 125 individuals and families. Please drop off your gifts of food at church anytime between November 6th and 14th.

We need 20 volunteers (adults, students, families) to assemble the food bags on Saturday, November 20th from 11 am to 12 noon. Please contact Diane Tallyn (diane tallyn@hotmail.com) or Suzanne Hough (suzannehough@carrolltonbanking.com) to volunteer. Thank you for your support of this ministry!

SAVE THE DATE

Tuesday, November 30 is the Christmas Cottage. We're currently working on a schedule for the Immanuel students to shop and will need many volunteers. More information to come in the Announcements

INBOUND FAMILY MEMBERS

December Birthday - Donna Scotino - Cards will be picked up on Sunday, December 5th at 10:30 a.m. from the atrium for delivery. Your birthday card sent to them means so much! Be sure their name is on the envelope. All CHRISTMAS CARDS for our homebound are due Sunday, December 5th by 10:30 a.m.. A list of our Inbound Family is available in the atrium near the mail box. Christmas Cards are available while supplies last. Personalize them just like you prepare your own Christmas cards. A mailbox in the atrium is available for all cards; make sure their name is on the envelope. The cards will be sorted and delivered. Contact Diane Tallyn (Cell 314-910-2032 or diane-tallyn@hotmail.com) with any questions.

OCTOBER GREEN ENVELOPE PROJECT

We are extending the current project another month. Immanuel school's music programs were hit hard by the pandemic. To bring music back to Immanuel students the school is launching a 2-year program. Support will provide recorder education for grades 3-4 and instrumental education for students in grades 5-6.

TOY COLLECTION

Christmas is coming and that means the Couples/Singles Club is again collection new and like new toys and gifts to give to the Seminary. Please have your contributions in the atrium by Thanksgiving weekend. If you have questions, call Barb Meyr 314.423.8944 or Marguerite Krenning 314.872.8716

FEEDING THE HOMELESS 2022

Monday, November 1-Pam & Neal Niewald Prepare/Deliver The Community Care Team sponsors a dinner meal the first Monday of each month for the homeless men at Sts. Peter and Paul Shelter in Soulard. Since March 1, 2021, we have been preparing a meal for only 30 men (usually 50 and serve), cannot serve the meal, and just drop off (5:30 - 6:30 p.m.) the meal. Please consider being a volunteer for 2022. Pans, recipes, and monies are available upon request to help defray the cost of the meal. Stop by the food pantry table by church elevator to volunteer to prepare or deliver a dinner in the coming year. Thank you for helping us be the hands and feet of Christ through this ministry!

Contact Diane Tallyn (314) 910-2032 or Suzanne Hough (314) 346-6310 with any questions or to volunteer.

Stewardship Corner

God directs us to give regularly and generously (1 Corinthians 16:2). You may never be in a better position to give generously than you are today. The decision to give God your first and best is usually not made with calculators or with pencil and paper. The decision to give to God the first portion of your paycheck is made on your knees and with your heart. Giving generously and cheerfully has very little to do with mathematical formulas.



Please use this link to sign up to help with the dinner:

These links can also be found on the church website and the school Family App.