

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)
August 29-30, 2026
Pentecost 14

SUNDAY, August 30

- 9:00 Worship
- 10:00 Coffee Fellowship
- 10:15 Adult Bible Class

MONDAY, August 31

- 6:00-7:30 Girl Scouts

TUESDAY, September 1

- 9:00 CF Quilters
- 5:00-9:00 Scouts
- 6:00 Worship & Evangelism
Committee

WEDNESDAY, September 2

- 3:30 GROW
- 5:30 Confirmation
- 6:30 LYO

THURSDAY, September 3

- 9:00-3:30 WIC

SATURDAY, September 5

- 5:00 Communion

SUNDAY, September 7

- 8:00 Choir
- 9:00 Communion
- 10:00 Coffee Fellowship
- 10:15 Adult Bible Class
- 4:20 Scouts



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
CHURCH

A fellowship of believers
Committed to be and become:
Christ-Centered
Bible-Based
Family-Focused
Mission-Minded

In all that we do for the glory of God!
Matthew 28:18-20

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Sunday Worship Service: 9:00 am
Saturday Worship Service: 5:00 pm

Welcome

Call to Worship *Psalm 111*
Gathering Hymn *“Great is Thy Faithfulness”* **WOV 771**

Confession and Forgiveness

Hymn of Praise *“Jesus, Messiah”* **on screen**

Prayer of the Day

Scripture *Jeremiah 15:15-21, James 4:4-12, Matthew 16:21-28*

Children’s Message
Message

“A Jealous God”

Hymn of the Day *“Give Me Jesus”* **WOV 777**

The Apostles Creed **LBW pg. 65**

Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Blessing
Hymn *“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”* **LBW 439**

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Pastor Phil Nielsen

Intern Jared Walters

Ministers - EVERY MEMBER OF IMMANUEL

	Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Sunday, 9:00 a.m.
Deacon on Duty:		Scott Shannon
Pianist:	Ivy Nielsen	Ivy Nielsen
Greeters/ Ushers:	Terry & Shelly Saunders	John & Gaylen Petsche
Fellowship Coffee:		Ken & Vicki Carstens
Acolytes:		Truman Kjergaard
		Harper Petsche
Lector:		Vicki Carstens
Projectionist:	Kaitlyn Walters	Teri Johnson
Sound Technician:		Seth Johannsen
Videographer:		Grant Chipman

ALTAR FLOWERS are in honor of Galan and Janet Johannsen’s 60th wedding anniversary.

OUR PRAYER LIST: Harry Priest, Gayl Jensen, Duane Larsen, Judy and Dave Pedersen, Phil Miller, Shirley Haner, Ellie Nelson, Ruthe and Pat Pattison, Phil Smith, Arlynn Gittins, Kay Koos, Connie & Ed Benson, Jeann Nelson (Julie Vorm’s sister), Larry Andersen (Connie Behrens’ brother), Gail Andersen (Connie Behrens’ brother), Grace Ashdown (Randi McEvoy’s sister-in-law), Tracy Klein (Larry Klein’s son), Dan Abendroth (Sandy Sisson’s brother), Dave and Kim Burmeister, Howard Jensen (Brother of Dalton Jensen), Waylon Heth (Friend of Dave and Diana Greve), Rowly Burton, Roy Hicks (Karen Plewes’ stepson), and Marilyn Torgersen (Judi Pedersen’s sister).

Pastor Phil’s 35th Ordination Anniversary Potluck Brunch

Sunday, September 13 at 10:30 pm— Please join us as we celebrate **Pastor Phil’s 35 years of ordained ministry!** Bring your favorite breakfast item for the Potluck Brunch (Egg Casseroles, French toast casserole, muffins, cinnamon rolls, fruit, etc.)..

We hope you’ll join us for this special celebration!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME! We are glad you are here today. Thank you for joining us in worship. You are welcome to join us for donuts, coffee and juice in the fellowship hall after worship. Please sign the fellowship registers at the end of your pew by the center aisle.

CHILDREN ARE WELCOME at Immanuel. We have busy bags and Bible story books for children to use during worship. For parents who feel a need to take a child out of the sanctuary for calming or for a diaper change, we have the Child Cozy Corner to the left and a larger playroom down the hall by the restrooms. Please do not allow children to be in those spaces unattended.

BELL CHOIR Have you ever thought it might be fun to ring bells with Immanuel’s Bell Choir, but aren’t necessarily musically inclined? There are basically only 2 skills needed to play bells in our choir: 1. Be able to count to 4 2. Be able to tell the difference between the colors pink, blue, orange and green. We practice each Wednesday at 5:30, beginning September 16th. We perform, as a general rule, the second Sunday of each month, beginning October 11th. If you are interested in joining this fun group of ladies, or would just like a little more information, please contact me at 712-579-2261, or catch me at church on Sunday. Donna Nelson

THANK YOU We wish to extend our greatest thanks to the members of Immanuel Lutheran Church and to all the others—too numerous to mention—who have shown us such kindness and support during our medical ordeals. Thank you for the generous gifts of food, your visits, and especially your prayers. Your thoughtfulness and caring have meant so very much to us during this difficult time. We are truly grateful for each and every one of you. Thank you all so very much! David and Judy Pedersen and Angela, Sheila, Josh

Hallelujah Open & Fairway and Fellowship (Time Change) Join us for our church golf outing on Sunday, September 13, at the Shelby County North Course Sign-in: 1:30 PM Shotgun Start: 2:00 PM Meal: Following golf, approximately \$7–\$9 per person. If you are not a Course member, you will need to pay a reduced green fee. A sign-up sheet is available on the church bulletin board, or you can call the church office to sign up. Don't have a foursome? No problem! We can pair you with another group. If you have an extra golf cart available, please let us know. Come enjoy a fun afternoon of golf, fellowship, and food!

CARD SHOWER Galan and Janet Johannsen will be celebrating their 60th Wedding Anniversary on September 2! Their children are hosting a Card Shower in their honor and would love you to help fill their mailbox with cards, notes, and well wishes as they celebrate this wonderful milestone. Their address is: 834 Timber Road, Harlan, Iowa 51537. **Please join us in congratulating Galan and Janet on 60 years of marriage!** Your cards and warm wishes will help make their anniversary extra special. The kids will be serving cake in the Fellowship Hall after services today.