

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK**

SUNDAY, December 12

8:00 Choir
9:00 Worship/JAM
10:15 Adult Bible Class
4:00 Boy Scouts

TUESDAY, December 14

9:00 CF Quilters
4:00-7:00 Community Kitchen

WEDNESDAY, December 15

3:30 GROW
4:00 Women's Bible Study
5:15 Confirmation
5:30 Bells
6:30 LYO

THURSDAY, December 16

3:00 4-H (P. Madsen)

FRIDAY, December 17

7:00 Kaster Rehearsal & Meal

SATURDAY, December 18

3:00 Kaster Wedding
5:00 Worship

SUNDAY, December 19

8:00 Choir
9:00 Worship w/Children's
Christmas Program
10:15 Caroling
4:00 Boy Scouts

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)

DECEMBER 11-12, 2021

(ADVENT 3)

Gathering Song

Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord

Welcome

Call to Worship

Psalm 130

Hymn

"Fling Wide the Door"

LBW 32

Confession and Forgiveness

Sunday:

Lighting of the Advent Candle (with children)

Hymn

"Hope of the Nations"

Prayer of the Day

Scripture

Zephaniah 3:14-18a, Philippians 4:4-7, Luke 1:26-38

Choir

"Come By Here"

Message

"Who Is Mary?"

Hymn

"Canticle of the Turning"

Apostles Creed

Prayers of the Church

Offertory Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Blessing

Hymn

"Awake, Awake"

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**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

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Pastor Phil Nielsen; Director of Music: Heidi Thies

Ministers - EVERY MEMBER OF IMMANUEL

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Council Person On Duty:

Pianist:

Greeters/ Ushers:

Heidi Thies

LaVon Christensen

Fellowship Coffee:

Acolytes:

Lector:

Projectionist:

Sound Technician:

Videographer:

Cheryl Nielsen

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Peg Haas

Heidi Thies

Joey & Jennifer Hansen

James & Joyce Folley

Jill & Elaine Miller

Donovan Smith

Owen Neve

Mary Johnson

Teri Johnson

Kayla Weis

Rick Chipman

CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE to notify us if someone is ill, having surgery, requires a pastoral visit. The hospitals *do not* call us. You may leave a message on the answering machine after hours.

ON OUR PRAYER LIST: Joanne Christensen, Connie Schwieso, Judi Pedersen, Twyla & Charles Grabill, Jeanette Kroger, Steve Allen, Harry Priest, Bev Burmeister, Sandra Haney, Nancy Christensen, Connie Benson, Sandra Farr (mother of Cora Chapman), Bonnie Mitchell (friend of Roger and Joann Christensen), Becky Bartels (niece of Cheryl Nielsen), Catherine Glenn (mother of Sharon Kroger) and Camden King.

Christmas Gift Idea: Do you have a person that you have no idea what to give them for Christmas? How about supporting an orphan in Tanzania with the gift of a uniform or school fees. For a donation of \$25, an orphan can receive a uniform or for \$40 an orphan can have a uniform and school fees for a year. The Tanzania Team has Christmas cards you can give to inform the recipient that a gift was given in their name. These cards are available in the church office. Checks for the cards can be made out to ILC Tanzania. Thank you for your support.

Pies for the Holidays: Apple, rhubarb and cherry pies are still available for \$12. Stop by the church office. All proceeds go to fund the orphans of Kidugala to attend school. Thanks for your support.

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.

JESUS AND ME (JAM) Time is for children ages 3 through 2nd grade. After the children's message, children will be invited to meet the JAM leaders at the back of the sanctuary. They will meet back with parents at the coffee fellowship time. Parents are also welcome to keep their children with them during the whole worship service if they choose.

ILC serves the Community Kitchen Christmas Feast Tuesday, Dec. 14. We need cooks, cookies, and servers. Sign up in the church office or by calling the church office at 755-5207.

CAROLLING anyone? We are looking for carolers to join us to bring the joy of Christmas to our shut-ins and those who have lost loved ones in the past year. We will be leaving from Immanuel at 10:15 am on Sunday, Dec. 19. We plan to be done before noon. All ages invited.

Please come and enjoy the Danish Doll's 13th annual Aebelskiver and Frikadellar Dinner. Dine-in or carry-out will be available from 5 to 7 PM on Saturday, January 22, 2022. The freewill donation for dinner and bake sale, featuring many Danish goodies, will benefit the scholarship fund for mission trips to Tanzania.

COMMUNITY CHORUS CANTATA "Were You There On That Christmas Night" will be performed Dec. 18th at 2:00 at the Elk Horn Lutheran Church. This hour performance includes members from the following communities: Atlantic, Avoca, Brayton, Elk Horn, Harlan, Kimballton and Marne. Come celebrate Jesus' birth through song.

WORSHIP SERVICES at Immanuel are recorded for viewing on HMU channel 15 (9:00 a.m. Sunday and 6:00 p.m. Sunday, Monday and Wednesday) and on FMCTC channel 48 (4:00 p.m. Wednesday). Our worship services are also posted on our Facebook page (www.facebook.com/ilcharlan) and on our website (www.harlanimmanuel.org/sermons.html).