

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE  
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22**  
9:00 Worship/Children’s Program  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
10:15 No Adult Bible Class  
5:00 Boy Scouts

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24**  
CHRISTMAS EVE  
4:00 Communion  
6:00 Communion

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25**  
CHRISTMAS DAY  
OFFICE CLOSED

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26**  
NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28**  
5:00 Worship

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29**  
8:00 Choir  
9:00 Worship  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
10:15 Adult Bible Class  
5:00 Boy Scouts



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)

December 22, 2024  
Advent 4

Welcome  
Call to Worship Psalm 131 on screen

Gathering Hymn “Your Little Ones, Dear Lord” LBW 52

Confession and Forgiveness  
Lighting of the Advent Candles (with children)

Hymn of Praise “Joy to the World” LBW 39

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Isaiah 7:10-14, Hebrews 10:5-10, Luke 1:39-45

Bell Choir “Mary Did You Know?”

The Apostles Creed LBW, pg. 65

Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer  
Hymn of the Day “Angels from the Realms of Glory” LBW 50

Message Three Wise Men and a Baby

Hymn “Go Tell It on the Mountain” LBW 70

Blessing

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR CHURCH FAMILY  
Pastor Phil Nielsen  
Ministers: EVERY MEMBER OF IMMANUEL

	Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Sunday, 9:00 a.m.
Deacon On Duty:		Rich & Barb Furst
Pianist:	Ivy Nielsen	Ivy Nielsen
Greeters/ Ushers:	Gayle Jensen	Cathy Murray & Michelle Musich
Acolytes:		Cade Neve & Jace Palmer
Lector:		Donna Nelson
Fellowship Hosts:		Ken & Vicki Carstens
Projection:	Cheryl Nielsen	Teri Johnson
Sound Tech:		Kayla Weis
Videography:		Rick Chipman

**OUR PRAYER LIST:** Bob and Lavera Stern, Art Andersen, Mary Beaman, Linda Christensen, Larry Haas, Ruthe and Pat Pattison, Christine Jones, Dave Pedersen, Ellie Nelson, Phil Smith, Arlynn Gittens, Lorene Thiede, Kayla Weis, Kay Koos, Connie Benson, Bill Broveak (son-in-law of Ed & Sheila Mills), Wade Mills (son of Ed & Sheila Mills), Megan Leslie (Steve Allen’s niece), Ken Johannsen (Seth Johannsen’s father), Dan Abendroth (Sandy Sisson’s brother), Jim Halagarda (friend of Kirk Jacobsen), Denny Porter (brother-in-law of Sue Olson), Jacquelyn Teter (Lois Hansen’s grand-daughter), and Dave Burmeister (Sue Olson’s son-in-law).

**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, and conversation in the fellowship hall after worship. Please sign the fellowship registers at the end of your pew by the center aisle.

**THE TANZANIA GROUP** still has some pies left. A few apple pies and rhubarb. \$14 each. Please feel free to come into the church office anytime during the week to purchase.

**WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP SCHEDULE** there is a revised copy in the office and if you are listed you have been sent one in the mail. Please disregard in the newsletter that was sent out this month.

**CHOIR NEWS** Immanuel’s choir will resume rehearsals Sunday, the 29th of December at 8:00 a.m. Anyone who is interested is welcome to join us!  
Thanks, *Linda Mosher*

**WARM COATS** Some individuals of our Immanuel family have a need for warm winter coats in the following sizes: Boys sizes 8-10, 10-12, 14-16, and men's small.

**THANKS** to the Handbell Quartet of Donna Nelson, Jonelle Conrad, Sharon Krogger, and Sharon Davidson.

**THANKS** to the GROW kids for presenting this year’s Christmas pageant: Alec Bruck & Avery Nippert (narrators), Daphne Baxter (kid), Charlie Osborn (Mary), Lane Sette (Joseph), Easton Langer & Georgia Weis (innkeepers), Camden King, Graham Svendsen, & Maddy Holsing (shepherds), Sophia Greer (angel), Karsen Donahoo, Olivia Sanduk, Abi Meiners (wisemen), and Carter Clay (Herod).