

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE  
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

8:00 Choir  
9:00 Worship/JAM  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
10:15 Adult Bible Class  
5:00 Boy Scouts

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5**

1:00 Mission Quilters

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6**

9:00 CF Quilters  
6:00 Worship & Evang.

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7**

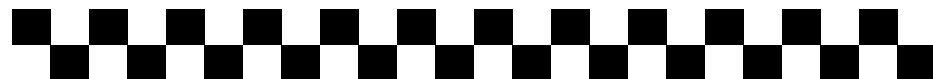
3:30 GROW  
4:00 Women's Bible  
5:15 Confirmation  
6:30 LYO

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9**

5:00 Worship

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

8:00 Choir  
9:00 Worship/JAM  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
10:15 Adult Bible Class  
11:30 Dinner  
1:00 pm Recital  
5:00 Boy Scouts  
7:00 Boy Scout Leaders



**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

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)**

February 3-4, 2024 Epiphany 5

Welcome

Call to Worship *Psalm 19* on screen

Gathering Hymn *"God Himself is Present"* **LBW 249**

Confession and Forgiveness

Hymn of Praise *"Lord, I Need You"* on screen

Prayer of the Day

Scripture *Jonah 4:1-11, Romans 14:1-13, Matthew 7:1-6*

Children's Message

*(Please sign the record of worship by the center aisle)*

Sermon *"Logs and Sawdust"*

Hymn *"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"* **WOV 290**

The Apostles Creed **LBW, pg. 65**

Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving **LBW, pg. 88**

Words of Institution **LBW, pg. 89**

The Lord's Prayer

The Communion *"O Lord, We Praise You"* **LBW 215**

*"O Bread of Life from Heaven"* **LBW 222**

*"In the Quiet Consecration"* **LBW 223**

Blessing

Hymn *"Go, My Children, with My Blessing"* **WOV 721**

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Pastor Phil Nielsen

**Ministers: EVERY MEMBER OF IMMANUEL**

**Saturday, 5:00 p.m.**

**Sunday, 9:00 a.m.**

**Deacon On Duty:**

John Taggs

**Pianist:**

Sharon Davidson

**Greeters/ Ushers:**

Terry Saunders

Wayne Nelson

Mindy & Owen Neve

**Acolytes:**

Kolton Jensen

Will Chipman

**Altar Guild**

Sandy Nelsen

Stacy Torneten, Vicki Strissel

**Lector:**

Mary Johnson

**Communion Servers**

Ron & Kathy Block

**Fellowship Coffee:**

Karma Petersen/Linda Peterson

**Projection:**

Cheryl Nielsen

Teri Johnson

**Sound Tech:**

Seth Johannsen

**Videography:**

Grant 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.

**OUR PRAYER LIST:** Tim Brelje, Jean Whitfield, Vicki Strissel, Allan Andersen, Arlynn Gittens, Ken Vorm, Lorene Thiede, Julie Vorm, Kayla Weis, Sandra Haney, Connie Benson, Bill Broveak (son-in-law of Ed & Sheila Mills), Wade Mills (son of Ed & Sheila Mills), Julie Duval, Grace Pauley, Margie Schenck, Sandy Hopper (Joey Hansen's mother), Melvin and Helen Allen (Steve Allen's parents), Megan Leslie (Steve Allen's niece), Ken and Audrey Johannsen (Seth Johannsen's parents).

**OUR SYMPATHY** to the family of Irene Hansen who died January 27. Her funeral was at Immanuel February 2, 2024.

**OUR SYMPATHY** to Derald Kumm and his family at the death of Patti Kumm. Patti died Friday, February 2.

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

**WE CELEBRATE COMMUNION** today. All baptized followers of Jesus who have received preparation for Communion are invited to participate. We believe that Communion is the reception of "the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ given with bread and wine instituted by Christ himself for us to eat and drink." Communion is a sacrament, a gift of the Gospel for the renewal and strengthening of faith. A person is well prepared and worthy to receive Communion who believes the words, "given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sin" because the words, "for you" require simply a believing heart. White grape juice is available in the center of the trays as an alternative to wine.

**JESUS AND ME (JAM)** Time is for children ages 3 through 2nd grade. After the gospel, 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.

**SOUP SIGN-UP** for suppers before our midweek worship during Lent are on a table outside the sanctuary. We need volunteers to make any kind of soup and to serve and to clean up.

**ONLY 16 RHUBARB PIES** left. They are available through the church office for \$14. Proceeds support orphans in Tanzania.

**OFFERING ENVELOPES** are available outside the sanctuary.

**DEDICATORY PIPE ORGAN RECITAL** is next Sunday at 1:00 pm. A free congregational meal of pork loins and potluck sides and desserts will be served at 11:30 a.m.

**TODAY WE DEDICATE** new candles and candlesticks donated in memory of Jackie Larsen.