

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE  
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK

SUNDAY, July 19

9:00 Communion  
10:00 Fellowship Coffee  
NO Adult Bible Class

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MONDAY, July 20

OFFICE CLOSED  
1:00 Mission Quilts

TUESDAY, July 21

9:00 CF Quilters

WEDNESDAY, July 22

11:00 Roger Schwieso  
Celebration of Life



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

THURSDAY, July 23

Newsletter Deadline

SATURDAY, July 25

5:00 Worship

SUNDAY, July 26

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

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Home Number: 712-766-3178  
Sunday Worship Service: 9:00 am  
Saturday Worship Service: 5:00 pm

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)

July 18-19

Pentecost 8

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|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Welcome                                    |                                                        |                    |
| Prelude for Preparation                    |                                                        |                    |
| Call to Worship                            | <i>Psalm 91</i>                                        |                    |
| Hymn                                       | <i>“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>               | <b>LBW 543</b>     |
| Confession and Forgiveness                 |                                                        |                    |
| Hymn of Praise                             | <i>“Lift High the Cross”</i>                           | <b>LBW 377</b>     |
| Prayer of the Day                          |                                                        |                    |
| Scripture                                  | <i>Isaiah 44:6-8, Romans 8:12-25, Matthew 13:24-30</i> |                    |
| Children’s Message                         |                                                        |                    |
| Message                                    | <i>“The Fortress of Faith”</i>                         |                    |
| Hymn of the Day                            | <i>“A Mighty Fortress”</i>                             | <b>LBW 229</b>     |
| The Apostles Creed                         |                                                        | <b>LBW, pg. 65</b> |
| Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer |                                                        |                    |
| The Great Thanksgiving                     |                                                        |                    |
| Words of Institution                       |                                                        |                    |
| Lord’s Prayer                              |                                                        |                    |
| The Communion                              | <i>“Children of the Heavenly Father”</i>               | <b>LBW 474</b>     |
|                                            | <i>“Come, Gracious Spirit”</i>                         | <b>LBW 475</b>     |
|                                            | <i>“Have no Fear, Little Flock”</i>                    | <b>LBW 476</b>     |
| Blessing                                   |                                                        |                    |
| Hymn                                       | <i>“Here I Am, Lord”</i>                               | <b>WOV 752</b>     |

## 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:    |                   | Vicki Strissel                 |
| Pianist:           | Sharon Davidson   | Organ                          |
| Greeters/ Ushers:  | Al & Bonnie Ickes | Ken & Shirley Olson            |
| Fellowship Coffee: |                   | Shane & Liz Pitts              |
| Acolytes:          |                   | Zoey Olson<br>Pyper Montgomery |
| Lector:            |                   | Becky Chipman                  |
| Altar Guild        |                   | Jen Booth<br>Peg Haas          |
| Communion Servers  |                   | Rich & Sharon Daberkow         |
| Projectionist:     | Al Ickes          | Teri Johnson                   |
| Sound Technician:  |                   | Rick Chipman                   |
| Videographer       |                   | Rick Chipman                   |

## OUR PRAYER LIST:

Angel Stern, Duane Larsen, Barney Ahrenholtz, Judy and Dave Pedersen, Phil Miller, Shirley Haner, Ellie Nelson, Pat Pattison, Phil Smith, Arlynn Gittins, Kay Koos, Connie & Ed Benson, Jeann Nelson (Julie Vorm's sister), Larry 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, Lindsay Beatty (Brother-in-Law of Todd & Angie Madsen), Howard Jensen (Brother of Dalton Jensen), Waylon Heth (Friend of Dave and Diana Greve), Jeff Albert (Dave and Diana Greve's niece's fiancé'), Roy Hicks (Karen Plewes' stepson), and Marilyn Torgersen (Judi Pedersen's sister).

## 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.

**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 tray.

**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.

**IMMANUEL'S CHOIR** will be starting soon. We would like to add more members to our group. No tryouts, only a desire to sing. Ages are high school and up. Please consider joining this fall. More specifics to follow in the August newsletter. (questions, contact Linda Mosher)

**ODD JOBS :** Do you need some help weeding your garden, mowing, cleaning the garage, or any other small jobs around the lawn or house? There are some hard-working teens in our congregation who are looking to make some money this summer. Give the church office a call and we can get you in contact with some good help.

**TEA TIME: The Shelby County Historical Museum** will host a "Revolutionary War Tea on Sunday, July 26th at 3:00 pm. Reservations are needed as there is a limited number available. Please contact: Maggie Buman at 712-755-2437.

**SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS** starts up again next Sunday, July 26 with a study of the story of David. All are welcome!!