

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

9:00 Mission Quilters

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

9:00 CF Quilters

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

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

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

7:00 Men's Bible

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

5:00 Communion

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

9:00 Communion/ JAM
10:00 Coffee Fellowship
10:15 Adult Bible Class
5:00 Boy Scouts

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)

October 28-29, 2023

Reformation/Confirmation

Welcome

Call to Worship *Psalm 46* on screen

Gathering Hymn "A Mighty Fortress" **LBW 229**
Confession and Forgiveness **WOV, pg.10**

Hymn of Praise "Lift High the Banners of Love" on screen

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Joshua 1:1-9, 24:14-22, John 8:31-36

Children's Message

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

Sermon "Be Strong and Courageous"

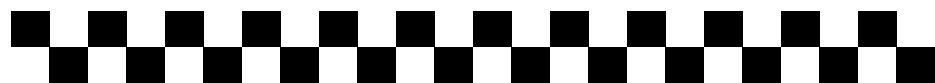
Hymn of the Day "Who You Say I Am" on screen

Sat: The Apostles Creed **LBW, pg. 65**
Sun: Rite of Confirmation

Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer

The Lord's Prayer and Blessing

Hymn "Here I Am, Lord" **WOV 752**



**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

Ministers: EVERY MEMBER OF IMMANUEL

	Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Sunday, 9:00 a.m.
Deacon On Duty:		John Taggs
Pianist:	Ivy Nielsen	Ivy Nielsen
Greeters/ Ushers:	Larry Klein	Ernie & Stacie Foss
Acolytes:		Trinity Haas
Lector:		Confirmation Class
Fellowship Coffee:		Rick & Cheryl Chipman
Projection:	Cheryl Nielsen	Teri Johnson
Sound Tech:		Seth Johannsen
Videography:		Mark Schechinger

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: Phil Miller, Judy Pedersen, Jackie Larsen, Lavon Christensen, Pam Jacobsen, Lorene Thiede, Richard Daberkow, Julie Vorm, Kayla Weis, Sandra Haney, Connie Benson, Bill Broveak (son-in-law of Ed & Sheila Mills), Wade Mills (son of Ed & Sheila Mills), Curt Olson (son of Sue Olson), Julie Duval, Grace Pauley, Daniel Novotney, Margie Schenck, Sandy Hopper (Joey Hansen's mother), Josh Pedersen (son of Dave & Judy Pedersen).

WE CELEBRATE confirmation of faith in Caden Herbst and Jolie Nielsen. May God complete the good work begun in their baptism into Christ.

2024 DEVOTIONALS from Guideposts magazine are available for free on the table near the statue of Jesus. Also available are free books telling the story of a Lutheran pastor who endured Soviet prison camps.

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.

ILCW: Mark your calendars!! The Ladies Christmas Program (Tea) will be Saturday, December 2nd at 10:00 in the Fellowship Hall. This program will be on the immigrants that came to our state, and the Christmas traditions they brought with them. There will be ethnic foods to taste and ethnic items to view. **LOOK for more information to come in the November newsletter.**

TANZANIA UPDATE: The Team that went to Tanzania this summer is anxious to share about their trip. We will be speaking November 4th and 5th, during the church services. Updates on the orphans, wells and old friends and new that we visited. There is lots to tell. We will also give more details and answer questions after church during coffee and rolls.

TIME TO CLEAN out your closets? Do you have any warm winter coats, stocking caps, scarves, mittens, or gloves to help keep someone warm this winter? There are many in our area that are in need. Good quality used or new winter wear will be appreciated. Please bring them to church on or before Sunday, November 5th. We will take care of getting these items down to West Central. Thank you!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD is again collecting gift boxes to ship to children around the world with the good news of Christmas. You are invited to participate either by taking a shoebox home with you to pack and bring back by November 6. Or you may donate small toys, personal care items, clothing, or school supplies, and we will have children pack the boxes at church. Donations can be left in the large gift wrapped box outside the sanctuary.

NEED BAGS for leaf raking? See Larry Haas.

CLOCKS FALL back next Saturday night.