

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE  
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK**

**SUNDAY, September 7**

8:00 Choir  
9:00 Communion  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
10:15 Adult Bible Class  
5:00 Boy Scouts

**TUESDAY, September 9**

9:00 CF Quilters  
9:30 Caregivers Compass  
6:30 Executive Comm.  
7:00 Church Council

**WEDNESDAY, September 10**

4:00 ILCW Board Meeting  
5:15 ILCW Gathering  
3:30 GROW  
5:30 Confirmation  
6:30 LYO

**SATURDAY, September 13**

5:00 Worship

**SUNDAY, September 14**

8:00 Choir  
9:00 Worship/JAM  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
10:15 Adult Bible Class  
2:00 Hallelujah Open!  
5:00 Boy Scouts

**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**

Church Office: 755-5207

1700 19th Street

E-Mail: [ilc@fmctc.com](mailto:ilc@fmctc.com)

Pastor Phil's Email: [peacephillip@gmail.com](mailto:peacephillip@gmail.com)

Website: [www.harlanimmanuel.org](http://www.harlanimmanuel.org)

Office Hours: 9-1:00 (M-F)

Pastor Phil's Cell Number: 712-579-2098

Home Number: 712-766-3178

Sunday Worship Service: 9:00 am

Saturday Worship Service: 5:00 pm

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)**

**September 6-7 2025**

**Pentecost 13**

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**

*Psalm 119*

**Gathering Hymn**

*"This Is My Father's World"*

**LBW 554**

**Confession and Forgiveness**

**Hymn of Praise**

*"Sunday School Medley"*

**on screen**

**Prayer of the Day**

**Scripture**

*Isaiah 58:9b-14, 2 Corinthians 12:1-10, Luke 14:25-33*

**Children's Message**

**Message**

*"Power and Weakness"*

**Hymn of the Day**

*"In a Lowly Manger Born"*

**LBW 417**

**The Apostles Creed**

**LBW pg. 85**

**Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer**

**The Great Thanksgiving**

**LBW, Page 88**

**Words of Institution & The Lord's Prayer**

**The Communion**

*"Children of the Heavenly Father"*

**LBW 474**

*"O God of Jacob"*

**LBW 477**

*"Oh, that the Lord"*

**LBW 480**

**Blessing**

**Hymn**

*"Take My Life, that I May Be"*

**LBW 406**

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Pastor Phil Nielsen

Ministers - EVERY MEMBER OF IMMANUEL

	Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Sunday, 9:00 a.m.
Deacon on Duty:		Scott Shannon
Pianist:	Ivy Nielsen	
Greeters/ Ushers:	Linda Peterson	Preston & Shelby Nelson
Altar Guild	Kayla Jacobs	Donna Nelson Vicki Strissell
Communion Servers		Judi & Craig Olson
Fellowship Coffee:		Peg & Larry Haas
Acolytes:		Jace Palmer Harper Petsche
Lector:		Lois Hansen
Projectionist:	Cheryl Nielsen	Teri Johnson
Sound Technician:		Gaige Lytle
Videographer:		Alan Ahrenholtz
OUR PRAYER LIST: Sherry Lytle, Ellie Nelson, Linda Christensen, Ruthe & Pat Pattison, Dave Pedersen, Phil Smith, Arlynn Gittins, Kayla Weis, Kay Koos, Connie & Ed Benson, Megan Leslie (Steve Allen’s niece), Ken Johannsen (Seth Johannsen’s father), Dan Abendroth (Sandy Sisson’s brother), Denny Porter (Sue Olson’s brother-in-law), Dave Burmeister (Sue Olson’s son-in-law), Julie and Lee Kaufman (Parents of Kayla Weis and Mary Hoch), Larry Gittins, Waylon Heth (Friend of Dave and Diana Greve), Larry Anderson (Connie Behren’s brother). Jared Walters, Jesse Hansen, Christian Brownlee and Titan Coleman (Dave Pedersen’s great grandson) serving in the Iowa National Guard on deployment.		

**CAREGIVERS COMPASS** will meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. We are a supportive care group that offers friendship and a safe place as we navigate health issues, losses and the new purpose we now face.

Contact: Elaine Miller 712-579--0925, Joyce Folley 712-579-1837, or Jan Applegate 712-579-2160.

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.

**AVAILABLE** Christ in Our Home Booklets are available on the table across from the chapel.

**ILCW** (Immanuel Lutheran Church Women) will be gathering **Wednesday, September 10 at 9:30**, in the fellowship hall. Kelly Mure, who was a refugee at the age of 6, will be speaking of her life experiences. This will be an interesting program since many friends from South Sudan are attending and becoming members of Immanuel. We hope to see you there and invite your friends. As always there is good food and visiting with friends.

**Harvest Bazaar October 15:** You will be able to purchase luncheon tickets, sign up to make a harvest cake, and bring items for the luncheon before and after church. You can also do this in the church office. Thank you for your support.

**THE HALLELUJAH OPEN!** is a 4-person best ball scramble for members and friends of Immanuel. We will golf at the North Course on Sunday, September 14, at 2:00 p.m. Sign up as individuals or as teams. Also, if you have a cart to use or a cart to loan, please sign up on the list of carts available. Come enjoy fellowship on the golf course.

**THANK YOU** Immanuel family. Hilda would like to THANK everyone for the warm welcome. She has been busy visiting the sights of Iowa. Thank you to everyone who has taken the time to include her in your everyday life, meals, outings and the many gifts. Hilda will go home with many memories and stories to tell Kidugala about Immanuel. Your generosity has been amazing. God Bless. Mungu Akubariki.

**ORGAN DEDICATION:** St Paul’s Lutheran Church and Music Conservatory is having a Pipe Organ Dedication concert with Organist, Timothy Schreiber on Sunday, September 14 at 4:00pm. Reception will follow at Undercroft, 239 Frank Street in Council Bluffs.

**JAM NOTE:** JAM will begin on September 14. Note the change from the Insight’s Newsletter.

**GRIEF SUPPORT CLASS** sponsored by Myrtue Medical Center Hospice “Understanding Your Grief” is a support and education program for adults who have experienced the death of a loved one. Every Tuesday: September 16,23,30-October 7,14,21 from 9:30 am-11:00 am at Myrtue Medical Center, 1213 Garfield, Harlan, Business Center Entrance Myrtue’s Board Room. **Registration is required by September 8th. Call 712-755-4308.**