

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE
DURING THE UPCOMING WEEK**

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMC)

July 12-13, 2025

Pentecost 5

SUNDAY, July 13

9:00 Worship
10:00 Coffee Fellowship
NO ADULT BIBLE STUDY

MONDAY, July 14

12:30-3:00 Twirling Camp

TUESDAY, July 15

9:00 CF Quilters
12:30-3:00 Twirling Camp
2:30 ILCW Community
Comm. At ElmCrest

WEDNESDAY, July 16

12:30-3:00 Twirling Camp
5:00 Bells

THURSDAY, July 17

12:30-3:00 Twirling Camp

NEWSLETTER

DEADLINE

6:30 Ladies Homestead

Gathering

FRIDAY, July 18

12:30-3:00 Twirling Camp

SATURDAY, July 19

5:00 Communion

SUNDAY, July 20

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

Welcome

Call to Worship

Psalm 85

Gathering Hymn

"Immortal, Invisible"

LBW 526

Confession and Forgiveness

Hymn of Praise

"In Christ Alone"

On Screen

Prayer of the Day

Scripture

Deuteronomy 7:7-9, 1 Corinthians 1:18-31, Luke 23:32-43

Special Music

South Sudanese Choir

Message

"The Power and Message of the Cross" by Alistair Begg

Hymn of the Day

"When Peace Like a River"

LBW 346

The Apostles Creed

LBW pg. 65

Prayers of the Church and Offertory Prayer

Blessing

Hymn

"I Love Your Kingdom, Lord"

LBW 368

**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:

Sharon Davidson

Sharon Davidson

Liturgist:

Ivy Nielsen

Ivy Nielsen

Greeters/ Ushers:

Mert & Diane Kastens

Paula & Harrison

Kjergaard

Fellowship Coffee:

Craig & Judi Olson

Acolytes:

Harper Petsche

Lector:

Craig Olson

Projectionist:

Cheryl Nielsen

Teri Johnson

Sound Technician:

Alan Ahrenholtz

Videographer:

Alan Ahrenholtz

OUR PRAYER LIST 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), Lee Kaufman (father of Kayla Weis and Mary Hoch), Larry Gittins.

Jared Walters and Jesse Hansen (serving in the Iowa National Guard on deployment)

BENEFIT DINNER for Will Griffith who has been out of work due to ongoing medical issues. The dinner will be a free will donation on Saturday, July 19th at the First Presbyterian Church, Walnut, Iowa, from 12-3. There will be ongoing raffles and silent auction during the event. Winners announced at 5:00. All proceeds will go to assist Will and his family with living and travel expenses. Please pray for the Griffith Family as they navigate the uncertainty of the days, weeks and months ahead.

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.

THANK YOU to Ivy Nielsen for being our Liturgist for the Saturday and Sunday services this week.

THANK YOU to the South Sudanese Choir for the Special Music today.

CONGRATULATIONS TO Chris and Jennifer (Malone) Booth who were married on Saturday, July 5.

YOUTH INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE: ILC is looking for youth to join in instrumental music ensembles. Ryan Meyer will lead young musicians (7th grade and above) to contribute their musical gifts to our worship services in preludes, Communion music, accompaniment, and in whatever way youth would like to participate. There will be an organizational meeting in the fall. Hopefully we will have lots of great music this fall and for Christmas. Contact Ryan Meyer (ryanjamesmeyer@gmail.com) or Becky Chipman (jbchip@harlannet.com) or Pastor Phil (peacephillip@gmail.com).

RETIREMENT CELEBRATION for Pastor Jon Benson will be held July 19 & 20 at St. John Lutheran Church in Council Bluffs. Saturday, July 19 will have Heavy Hors d'oeuvres after services. Sunday July 20 there will be a brunch after services. RSVP needed by July 13: info@saintjohnelca.org or 712-323 7173 . If you can't attend and would like to send a greeting card, please sent to: Saint John Lutheran Church, 533 Willow Ave, Council Bluffs, IA 51501

MANY PENNY OPERATION: Jimmy Schumacher and his 2 boys lost everything in a house fire on July 4th. We have a basket in the narthex for any loose change that you would like to contribute to the family. There will also be a basket for items that they could use like: deodorant, shampoo, soap, underwear size medium, socks large, etc. They are also in need of clothing size large shirts, sweatshirts, jackets, medium and large(31-32)athletic pants and shorts, shoe & sandals size 11 and 11 1/2 . Jimmy's Venmo is: @James-Schumacher-49.

ILC REFUGE FUND welcomes gifts to provide food to refugees from South Sudan in the Sherkole Camp in Ethiopia. If you would like to participate regularly in this project, there is a small form available to register your estimated intention so that we can budget our funds consistently. Completed forms may be turned in to the church office. Or you can call or email the office with your estimate of giving.