IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCMENTS September 20, 2020

Monday – Friday office hours 8:00 am – 3:30 pm Sunday, Sept 20: Divine Service 8:00 am & 10:00 am Monday, Sept 21: Women's Bible Study 9:00 am Wednesday, Sept 23: ILS Chapel (CLC) 8:25 am

Thursday, Sept 24: Living Hope Watch Party
Sunday, Sept 27: Divine Service
7:00 pm
8:00 am & 10:00 am

<u>Welcome to the Family!</u> Baptized into Christ between Sunday services today is Brystol Rae Berge, daughter of Peyton Grummons and Logan Berge, born December 10, 2019. Pray in thanksgiving to God's grace poured out upon Brystol and welcome her to God's forever family!

<u>Organ Moving</u> Roland Rutz will be here to move the organ on September 21 & 22. If you are able to help with this please contact Mark Bartsh at 273-8769 or <u>mark@greenwoodagency.com</u> – Thank you!

<u>Living Hope International watch party</u> – Let's get together in the Christian Life Center on Thursday, September 24 for a live-streamed celebration of what God is doing to provide in body and soul for children in need through an orphanage in Puebla, Mexico. The family of Ferman Lanning will sponsor some ice cream treats in his memory, starting at 6:30 p.m. The live stream will begin at 7:00 and should not last more than an hour. Information will be available on donating to the orphanage, sponsoring a child, or donating to help local youth go on another mission trip in 2021. Find out more information and register online at **lhibenefit.org** (click on the link to "attend a watch party" and look for Immanuel's host site).

<u>Winter Snow Removal</u> – The Trustees are looking to hire someone for winter snow plowing of the church/school parking lot. Please contact Darvey Sloan or Randy Boettcher if interested or to pass on a name of someone who does the work.

<u>Choristers</u> is suspended for now. Practice will commence when circumstances permit. If anyone is interested in singing for church in a small group of 2 to 4 singers, it would be a special addition to the church service. There is general service music as well as Advent, and Christmas music in 2 or 3 parts. It would be wonderful if a small group or solo sang for Christmas Eve or Christmas Day. Think about it and let the church office know if this is something you would like to do. Either Barb Lutringer or Deb Eggenberger can work with these small groups if needed.

<u>Pastor's day off</u> is back to Fridays. He may work from home at other times during the week, so please call ahead if you need to visit with him.

<u>Pastor's Bible Class</u> on Sunday mornings is suspended until January. Portals of Prayer are available for daily devotions.

<u>Mask Requirements</u> – Per Governor Walz' executive order #81, masks are now required as of July 25 for all indoor gatherings. The Elders request your cooperation with this effort to love our neighbors who may be vulnerable to COVID19.

SCRIP program update: The SCRIP program is being discontinued at Immanuel. Please find an updated list of what is remaining on the resource table.

<u>Fish Fry Fundraiser</u> - Over the past 10 years, Immanuel Lutheran School has had a fish fry & auction to raise funds for new technology at ILS. Since the Coronavirus has changed our lives over the past few months, Immanuel Lutheran School will not be having our regular fish fry & auction in 2020. If you are so moved, please continue to support our school by prayerfully considering a donation to the Fish Fry Fund.