

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS
December 6, 2020

Monday – Friday office hours	8:00 am – 3:30 pm
Sunday, December 6: Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:00 am
Sunday School	9:00 am
Wednesday, December 9: ILS Chapel (CLC)	8:25 am
8 th grade Confirmation	6:00 pm
Advent Service	7:00 pm
Sunday, December 13: Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:00 am
Sunday School	9:00 am

Advent Door Offering this week (Dec 9) will be towards the ILCW. Funds raised will be used for seminarian support and congregational activities.

Advent Devotions are available on the resource table in the CLC lobby. Grab one for yourself and a friend. We can print more!

We have extra cookies to sell from the fundraiser order that came in this week. Please let us know if you would like to purchase one. 5 dozen cookies package is \$20. They are Christmas shaped sugar cookies, ready to be baked and decorated! Please call the office if you are interested.

Each year Immanuel Lutheran Church Women have collected Christmas "gifts from the heart" for residents at Green Prairie Rehabilitation Center. This year especially, due to social isolation experienced because of Coronavirus precautions, we want to share our giving. We will be collecting gifts in December until 12/20/2020. Please bring gifts wrapped or in a gift bag. Indicate if gift for "man" or "woman" or "either." Suggestions from Activity Director: more women (32) than men (10), slipper socks with grips or regular socks, lotions, soaps, jewelry and such. Gifts will be collected in CLC entry. Thanks for your generosity. If you have any questions, contact Becky 951-1716.

Thank You from Herman & Janet Liebenow and family for everyone's prayers during Jill's (daughter) hospitalization and liver transplant. She went home for Thanksgiving after being at Mayo since August after her transplant. God is so good!

Thank you for all the cards & prayers during my illness. I am not there yet but hopefully soon! Also, thank you for the birthday cards. God Bless, Linda Hoiland

Remember our Seminarian – PJ & Melanie Aarsvold are out in Lakewood, CO (Denver area) for PJ's vicarage. If you would like to send Christmas greetings and words of love and encouragement or congratulations - they are expecting a child in February – their address is:

PJ Aarsvold
Bethlehem Lutheran Church
2100 Wadsworth Blvd
Lakewood, CO 80214-5707

Dear Immanuel Lutheran Church, It was a blessing to be able to join you for worship on Sunday. We are grateful that our bells class was able to perform during service. Thank you for your generous donation to Hope Lutheran. It is because of donations like yours that our school is able to function the way it does. God's blessings to all, Hope Lutheran High School Students and Staff.

Shoe Giveaway – The shoes in the CLC lobby are free for the taking. A donation can is there if you choose to provide a donation towards the window replacement in the church basement. Contact is Nancy McNallan.

The Annual ILCW Christmas Tea, usually held in December, will be canceled this year due to Covid-19 precautions. At this event we would reveal our 2020 Secret Prayer Pal and draw for our 2021 Prayer Pal. Since no gathering a decision was made ***to retain your same Prayer Pal for 2021.*** Those who have a current Secret Prayer Pal may give them a small gift or card at Christmas and continue to pray for them for another year! If you choose to give a gift it may be left in the church office. We pray for everyone's safety. May you celebrate Jesus' birth with joy and thankfulness! If questions call Becky Luckstein, President ILCW/LWML

Free Will/Door Offering opportunities during Advent in place of the suppers that would normally be served:

- December 16: Board of Trustees (to raise funds for church basement window replacement)

Sewers Needed Several kits have been made for sewing quilt tops. They are sewn with 1/4 inch seams. If you are willing to take one or two home to work on, it would be appreciated. The kits are in the CLC lobby in a small pink tub. When finished, they can be brought back to church. The quilt tying group doesn't meet until January so there is no rush. Hopefully, we can continue tying when January rolls around. Last spring, we had to discontinue much too early. Thanks for helping us sew. *Linda Zabel*

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