

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL**  
**WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**April 4, 2021**

Monday – Friday office hours	8:00 am – 3:30 pm
Sunday, April 4: Easter Sunday Services	6:00 am & 10:00 am
Monday, April 5: Women’s Bible Study	9:00 am
Board of CCO	6:00 pm
Board of Youth	6:00 pm
Trustees Meeting	6:30 pm
Elders Meeting	7:00 pm
Board of Stewardship	7:30 pm
Tuesday, April 6: Board of Ed	6:00 pm
Wednesday, April 7: Chapel	8:25 am
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation	6:00 pm
Saturday, April 10: LWML Spring Rally	8:30 am
Sunday, April 11: Divine Services	8:00 am & 10:00 am

**Organ Project background:** Arthur and Maxine Vogt were faithful members of Immanuel Lutheran Church. Art died in October 2008, and upon Maxine's passing in May 2018, the estate went to her children, Diane and Jim. Once the estate matters settled, Diane and Jim and their spouses desired to give a gift to Immanuel in memory of their parents and the joy their church gave them in knowing Christ and singing His praises. A gift was designated to provide organ repairs that were needed on the instrument that was wearing out. The project evolved when the organ builder, Mr. Roland Rutz, secured an organ from Carleton College in Northfield, MN that was being decommissioned. For the same cost, Mr. Rutz offered to install this replacement organ which would have more options and better technology than what he could do with our old organ. We give glory to God and thank Him for the Vogt family gifts and the talents of Mr. Rutz that have provided this replacement organ to adorn our worship of God with beautiful music!

**Softball Coach needed for Immanuel Lutheran School children grades 3-8** There are 15 to 20 kids signed up and anxiously waiting to start the softball season which begins this week, the first game being April 13<sup>th</sup>. Softball practices/games are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. We have volunteers who are able to help the coach or fill in at times. If this is something you would like to do, contact the church office.

**Quilting** on Tuesday afternoons is done for the year with 60 quilts in the closet. There will be a Quilt Blessing on April 18. Several kits of blocks to sew for next winter are available for anyone interested. Thank you all for your time and talent. This is a lot of quilts!

**Church Entrances:** All entrances to the church are now open to use for both entering and exiting. Please be mindful of shared surfaces and make use of hand sanitizer if desired. Masks and social distancing are still required.

### **VIEWING DAYS FOR ILS AUCTION ITEMS:**

There will be two days during the online auctions when the Fish Fry Auction items can be viewed in person at Immanuel Lutheran School. Those days are April 22nd from 2 p.m. until 7 p.m. and April 24th from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. Come take a look!

**Fish Fry Donations / Volunteers** If you would like to help with or donate food or other items for the fish fry, please contact Sherry Tuxen at [s.tuxen44@gmail.com](mailto:s.tuxen44@gmail.com) or 507-676-2210 or go to the signup.com link: <https://signup.com/go/RaTvujz>

**ILS Fish Fry & Auction** The 11th annual ILS Fish Fry & Auction is Friday, **April 16th** and the auction will be held **April 17-27th** online through Plain-View Online Auctions. We need your help to make this event a success. We are looking for donations of new larger items (electronics, bikes, quilts, furniture, etc.) experiences (river cruises, dinners, outings), baked goods, gift cards to local businesses, and themed lots (think silent auction baskets without the basket - kitchen goods, meals, baby shower, kids' stuff.) **Auction items need to be delivered to school by 7 p.m. on Monday, April 5th.** As always, 100% of the proceeds will go directly to ILS to fund technology and curriculum needs. If you have questions or if you are donating something that needs to be baked or brought in right before delivery, please talk to Anne Borgschatz about arrangements at 534-2487 or [aborgschatz@hotmail.com](mailto:aborgschatz@hotmail.com)

**CONSIGNMENT AUCTION for Immanuel Lutheran School** - please read the bulletin insert for more information about the consignment auction. **We are still looking for your items!** Note a change - initially we said no electronics - but we will take electronics that are current, with up to date technology. As far as computers, printers, and TVs, we would consider if they are less than 1 year old. If you have questions, please contact Tom (507-475-4064) or Lisa (507-251-3998) or email [gldnchrn@aol.com](mailto:gldnchrn@aol.com)

If you have never participated in an online auction, we strongly recommend you check one out. Plain-View Online Auctions does their auctions through HiBids. You can go to that website and check out any of the auctions to see how they work.

**God provides** for our daily bread. Perhaps you have been blessed with a tax refund or another COVID stimulus payment or anticipating it in the days/weeks ahead. Consider a 10% “thank you” offering to the church or school - or charity of your choice. What better way to use this gift than to pay it forward to those organizations dedicated to serving you with the Gospel! *“Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others” (Philippians 2:4).*