

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS
April 17th, 2022

Monday – Friday office hours	8:00 am – 3:00 pm
Sunday, April 17: Easter Sunrise Service	6:00 am
Youth Easter Breakfast	7:00 am – 9:30 am
Easter Divine Service	9:30 am
Monday, April 18: No School	
LifeLight Bible Study	9:00 am
High Rise Church	1:00 pm
ILCW / LWML Meeting	6:30 pm
Tuesday, April 19: Blood Drive (CLC)	11:45 am – 5:45 pm
Wednesday, April 20: Chapel	8:25 am
Confirmation	6:00 pm
Friday April 22: Fish Fry, Silent Auction, Live Auction	4:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Sunday, April 24: Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:15 am
Bible Study	9:10 am
Sunday School	9:10 am
Quarterly Voters Meeting	11:15 am

Immanuel Lutheran Church will be having the Quarterly voters meeting **Sunday, April 24, 2022 after the late church service** in the church basement. All voters of Immanuel are welcome to attend.

Thank you to the instruments playing in our balcony today as we celebrate Easter:

Alto saxophone Mark Liebenow, Trumpet Anna Augustine, Euphonium Henry Borgschatz, Flute Kim Zabel, Organ and piano Debra Eggenberger and Barb Lutringer. Your talents are greatly appreciated!

Enrollment is now open for the 22-23 school year! Registration paperwork is available now for the upcoming school year for all grades Pre-K – 8th grade. Our 5 day Pre-K morning class is filling up fast so please register soon to claim your spot! We also have **new** class offering this coming year; a 3 day afternoon class for 3 years old students! Please stop by the office to pick up paperwork or call the office with any questions! 507-534-2108

The 12th annual Fish Fry is coming up this Friday, April 22nd! Join us for a delicious fish meal at the American Legion in Plainview, served from 5 pm – 7 pm or until sold out! Our live and silent auctions are back this year so please join us to bid on some great items and the fun of a live auction starting at 7 pm! This our school's biggest fundraiser of the year and we are so thankful for your support! See you there!

We still need a few more last minute volunteers and donations for the Fish Fry! We are also looking for people to donate "forkless" desserts. Do you know someone who loves to bake? We would love for them to make some desserts! Sign up here: <https://signup.com/go/YGjuOKO> or call the office 534-2108! Thank you!

Immanuel Lutheran Church Women (ILCW/LWML) meeting will be held **Tuesday, 4/18/22 at 6:30 pm** in the church basement. There will be a Bible study and lunch will be served by Barb Larson. Remember to bring your mites. All women of Immanuel are welcome. If questions call Bonnie Boettcher at 534-3045

LWML April featured grants #9 & #10:

Propelling the Gospel - LAMP Ministry, Inc.— LWML Mission Grant #9 - \$65,000

The LWML has supported Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots (LAMP) Ministry, Inc. since it began in 1970, and has helped with the purchase of two planes which have been instrumental in the mission of LAMP Ministries. Hundreds of volunteer missionaries fly with LAMP to remote areas of North America to teach VBS to thousands of children who have never heard God's Word. This grant will help upgrade the avionics of the airplanes so that the pilots can safely reach their destinations. *"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you: and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth"* (Acts 1:8).

Educating Pastors in Africa - Mission Central — LWML Mission Grant #10 - \$100,000

God is calling African men to become pastors. Our LCMS missionaries have answered God's call to support their African brothers in the faith. Mission Central has answered God's call to support the missionaries and the mission.

Save the date! PJ Aarsvold's will soon find out where the Lord is calling him to serve! The call service will be live-streamed from Concordia Seminary, St. Louis at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 26. A watch party is planned for any who would like to view the service together. It will be in the church sanctuary on the big screen TV. Service bulletins will be printed up to follow the service. Keep PJ, Melanie, and Talek in your prayers!

ILS' Adopt a Highway clean-up planning is underway. The date picked is Sunday May 1st, 2022 at 1:00 p.m. Please meet at the Church parking lot so we can carpool to the sections for the cleanup. Participants must be 12 years old or older, please contact the church office for a paper copy or pick up a paper copy in the church resource room. An Adopt a Highway Permission slip is to be signed and returned the day of if you would like to volunteer (required for age 12 - 17). Please **call (507-272-2125) or send a text to Deb Bigelow** if you'd be interested in helping the day of.

**We could also use a couple of side by sides to help move the full trash bags near our Adopt a Highway sign's for pick up by MnDOT. Thank you, Debra

VBS planning Christian Caring and Outreach is looking for some additional people to help organize this summer's VBS! This could be 2 or more people, please let the office know and we will start planning. Our children look forward to this! Thank you!

Church stained-glass windows update: Fund raising continues. Our first goal was to raise \$25,000 to receive a matching \$25,000 gift. To date we have raised **\$27,272.00** Additional funding such as memorials, donations, other fundraisers, etc., are appreciated. Make checks payable to Immanuel Lutheran Church – Stained-glass Window Fund, or use special envelopes provided at the entrances.