

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS
September 10, 2023

Monday – Friday office hours	8:00-3:30 pm
Sunday, September 10: Divine Service Praise the Lord Sunday	8:00 & 10:15 am
Christian Education Hour	9:15 am
Meal provided by Youth Group	11:15 am
Monday, September 11: Stephen Ministry	7:00 pm
Tuesday, September 12: Church Council	6:30 pm
Wednesday, September 13: Chapel Service	8:30 am
Confirmation classes begin	6:00 pm
Sunday, September 17: Divine Service	8:00 & 10:15 am
Christian Education Hour	9:15 am

The gladiolas that adorn the lectern and pulpit are a thank you to all teachers, volunteers, and Pastor who dedicate their time and talents, educating children in Christian training and music at Immanuel.

Today is Praise the Lord Sunday! At both services, we recognize and commission this year's servants of Christian Education for the Lutheran school, Sunday School, and Release Time. At today's 10:15 there will be a formal installation of Dr. Ruth Badciong as Interim Principal of the Lutheran school for the 2023-24 school year.

There will be a meal provided after late service. On the menu is shredded pork sandwiches, coleslaw, chips, desserts and beverages. All is being provided by the Youth Group. Following the meal there will be a wiffle ball game played. Plan to come and enjoy!

Reminder: Youth and Pastor's Bible classes begin today.

Sunday School parents should sign up for the Remind messaging group by texting @ded9he to the number 81010. This helps our teachers communicate any changes or cancellations to you. You can also use the Remind app to sign up.

Salad Supper Immanuel Lutheran Church Women (ILCW) will be having a **SALAD SUPPER on Tuesday, September 19th, 6:00 pm** in the church basement. Please bring a salad to share if you are able. Desserts will be provided. There will be a short meeting following the meal. **ALL** women of Immanuel are welcome. Please consider joining us for fellowship & hearing more about how God leads us to be connected with Him. If questions call Bonnie at 534-3045.

Lutheran Women's Missionary League is having a Fall Women's Retreat on September 16th at Camp Omega, Waterville, MN. They are asking for Gifts from the Heart to be used to further the ministry at Camp Omega. Things that are on the wish list are: Paper towels, paper plates (any size), paper cups (any size), septic safe toilet paper, & duct tape. There is a donation box in the church basement. Everyone is welcome to donate. If questions, please call Becky Luckstein at 951-1716.

Meal Train Message to share from Missy Bartsh: As many of you know, Rick Arguto is dealing with ALS. With their needs changing daily, and his wife Pam teaching at ILS, we have decided to start a food train for them.

We would like to offer meals twice during the week. Meal days will be Monday and Thursday. Meals should be dropped off at the Christian Life Center refrigerator by 3:00 pm. If this does not work, I can arrange for drop-off after 4:00 pm at their home in Elgin. Things to note: Rick does not eat beans of any sort and the food needs to be on the softer side and easy to digest.

Let's show the Arguto's our Christian love and support on this journey. You can contact me via email or cell phone for availability and further details. Thank you! *Missy Bartsh 507-421-8361* missy@greenwoodagency.com

Heritage Fest is just around the corner! We are planning a silent auction again this year and will be looking for donations of new items, baskets, canned goods, garden produce, hand crafted items, woodworking, dinners, baked goods, services, etc. Heritage Fest is **Sunday, Oct. 15th**. Mark your calendars! Watch future bulletins for more details.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church (Belvidere) Goodhue, MN invites us to their 150th Celebration Service on September 24, 2023 at 2 PM. Guest Pastor Dale Kohrs & guest pianist Carmen Zuelsdorff will lead an outdoor worship followed by a catered meal.

Peace United Methodist Church Elgin is having a Harvest Supper on Saturday, September 16th, 5:00 pm til gone (around 8:00 pm) Beef & pork roast, mashed potatoes & gravy and all the fixings. There will also be a bake sale. All welcome!

The Plainview Elgin Area Food Shelf is preparing for the annual distribution of winter outerwear to our clients. Donations of new or clean, gently worn coats, scarves, mittens, and boots of all sizes are greatly needed and much appreciated. **Donations may be dropped off at the Plainview and Elgin branches of People's State Bank during regular banking hours, September 11– October 13.** Donations will also be received at the Food Shelf, 25 Main St W, Elgin from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm on Wednesdays. Distribution will begin on October 18th and run for four weeks. Information is also available on the Food Shelf Facebook site <https://www.facebook.com/PlainviewElginFoodShelf>

Sharing from the kitchen
Immanuel Lutheran School
current hot lunch needs

Please bring any donations to the School office. Thank you in advance!

Ranch Dressing
Western Dressing
Jiff Peanut Butter
Ketchup in Bulk
Gallon Cans Fruit
-sliced peaches
-sliced pears
-mandarin oranges
-pineapple tidbits
-mixed fruit

Strawberry Jam
Pam Pan Spray
Napkins
Sandwich Bags & Gal Freezer Bags-Ziplock
Paper towels

Garden items:

Green Beans
Carrots
Squash
Cucumbers
Onions
Cantaloupe

Gift Cards to:

Bennetts
Sams Club
Walmart
THANK YOU!

