

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS
April 13, 2025

Monday-Friday Office Hours:	8:00 am – 3:30 pm
Sunday, April 13: Palm Sunday Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:15 am
Education Hour	9:00 am
Monday, April 14: Stephen Ministry	6:30 pm
Tuesday, April 15: Quilting Club	1:00 pm
ILS Softball Home vs Silo	4:00 pm
Stephen Ministry Training	5:00 pm
Wednesday, April 16: Chapel	8:25 am
Youth Examination Practice	6:00 pm
Adult Choir Practice	6:30 pm
Thursday, April 17: No School – Easter Break April – 17 th through 21 st	
Men's Thursday Bible Study	6:00 am
Maundy Thursday Church Service	6:30 pm
Friday, April 18: Good Friday Church Service	6:30 pm
Sunday, April 20: Easter Sunday Divine Service	6:00 am & 9:30 am
Easter Breakfast served by Youth	7:00 am

The ILCW ladies are handing out palms this morning before both services - one to a family please. Take these palms home and use them as a reminder of our Lord's glorious ride into Jerusalem to prepare for his Passion!

If you have Easter flowers for our Easter Cross that are in memory of a loved one, please let the office know so that we may include their names in the Easter bulletin. Please bring flowers to the church by Saturday, April 19th at 10:00am. If you have questions, contact Missy Bartsh directly at 421-8361. Thank you!

Youth group will once again be hosting Easter morning breakfast. Serving will take place from 7 am to 9:30 am. The menu will consist of scrambled eggs, cheesy hashbrown potatoes, sausage patties, fresh fruit, yogurt and granola, donut holes and assorted drinks. The group is collecting donations to help prepare the meal. Sign-up sheets are located in the resource room. Many thanks for the continued support from the congregation.

The 15th Annual Fish Fry and Auction is approaching fast! It is Friday, April 25th, 2025, at the Plainview American Legion. Tickets at the door will be \$15. We are accepting auction donations. To allow for the best success of auction item preparation and inventory; all donations should be display ready and delivered to the school office no later than **April 18th, 2025**. If you have questions, please contact the Fish Fry Committee at ilsfishfryandauction@gmail.com. Thank you!

We need your help! It is spring ditch cleanup time again for our Immanuel sponsored road. The date is **Saturday, April 26** at 10am and we should be done around 12 noon. We will meet on the west side of Doane Feed parking lot. On behalf of the Stewardship Committee thank you for volunteering. If you have questions contact Cheryl Gensmer 507-273-9070.

We would like to thank those who helped set up the Easter scene in the front of the church this year. We thank Alvin Lutringer, Ryan Lamprecht , Nafis Bin Nazrul, Henry Borgschatz, and Don Borgschatz. This beautiful scene reminds us that **Christ is Alive! Alleluia!**

THANK YOU for your generous donations food & supplies for the PEM Food Shelf from Can-it-Sunday. There was 112 pounds collected & \$26.00. There is a great need in our communities & it is great that we can help. We have very generous donors & pray the Lord will continue to bless each of you richly.

ILCW Cookbook - If you want to contribute recipes to the ILCW 150th Anniversary Cookbook, please read the flyer insert for more details and instructions on how to enter them into the website. There are also sheets in the resource room with the instructions and tips on the format for entering your recipes. We ask that if you are able to enter them onto the website, please do so. If you are not able, there are recipe sheets also in the resource room or you can write your recipe on a sheet of paper (one recipe per sheet). There will be a basket to place those recipes in - also in the resource room, or they can be brought to the office and put in the ILCW mail slot. Let's have fun and create a great recipe book!!

SAGES (Saints Alive, Growing, Ever Serving) is organized to enhance the Older Adult Ministry of the Minnesota South District by providing experiences in Christian fellowship, service, and life enrichment. **All “seniors” are invited to their annual gathering at the Country Inn and Suites in Mankato, MN on May 5 and 6. Rev. Dr. Reed Lessing is the featured speaker on “Overcoming Life’s Sorrows: Learning from Jeremiah”.** Find their newsletters and registration info online at <https://www.mnsdistrict.org/sages>. Printed copies of the latest newsletter is in the resource room.

A Financial Peace University class will be offered Tuesday evenings (6:30-8:30pm) with Jeff Fry from May 6 to July 1 at Trinity E. Free Church. If you've ever felt like you just can't get in control of your money, you're not alone—but it's time for your struggle to end. Learn how you can pay off debt, save more money, and build wealth. Registration will be \$79 per household and will include class workbooks and 12 months of access to online tools & resources from Dave Ramsey.