

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS
April 6, 2025

Monday-Friday Office Hours:	8:00 am – 3:30 pm
Sunday, April 6: Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:15 am
Education Hour	9:15 am
Pancake Breakfast & Bake Sale Fundraiser in CLC	9:00 am -12:30 pm
Youth Group Fellowship in CLC gym	5:30-7:30 pm
Monday, April 7: Stephen Ministry training	4:00 pm
Board of CCO	6:00 pm
Trustees Meeting	6:00 pm
Board of Youth	6:30 pm
Elders Meeting	7:00 pm
Tuesday, April 8: Quilting Club	1:00 pm
Church Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Wednesday, April 9: Chapel Service	8:25 am
Lenten Supper	5:00-6:15 pm
Lent Worship Service	6:30 pm
Adult Choir Practice	7:15 pm
Thursday, April 10: Men's Thursday Bible Study	6:00 am
Pastor serving at Green Prairie Chapel	1:30 pm
ILCW Meeting	6:30 pm
Friday, April 11: ILS Softball Game vs. Resurrection	
Saturday, April 12: ILS Spelling Bee in Winona	
Stephen Ministry Training	7:00 am
Sunday, April 13: Palm Sunday Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:15 am
Education Hour	9:00 am

Pancake Breakfast & Bake Sale Fundraiser TODAY, April 6, in the Christian Life Center from 9 am – 12:30 pm. This fundraiser is for the Esperanza Viva Mission Trip 2025. All proceeds will support nearly 20 Plainview-Elgin-Millville community members, mostly youth, as they spend a life-changing week providing project support and spreading God's love at Esperanza Viva Orphanage in Pueblo, Mexico.

Can-It-Sunday TODAY The need is great. Pick up a few extra items each week when you shop and bring to church on the first Sunday of the month (or place in boxes anytime during the month). There will also be a can in each box for cash/check donations. There is one box near the elevator and another box near the middle set of double doors in the entry area. Any amount that you can share is greatly appreciated.

Lent Supper will be served by the 150th Anniversary Committee this Wednesday, April 9. The menu includes BBQs, Chips, Salad, Bars/Cookies. Free will offering to support the celebration of Immanuel Lutheran's 150th Anniversary.

The 15th Annual Fish Fry and Auction is on 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 no later than April 18th, 2025. If you have questions, please contact the Fish Fry Committee at ilsfishfryandauction@gmail.com. Thank you!

Easter Flower Garden order DUE TOMORROW, APRIL 7TH Missy and Mark Bartsh are ordering flowers for Easter Sunday for those who wish this as an option to fill our Church Cross Flower Garden. There is a basket in the church entrances for order forms when completed. You are also welcome to bring your own flowers without purchasing from this form. If you have questions contact Missy Bartsh directly 421-8361. Thank you!

ILCW is planning a Cookbook for the 150th Anniversary Celebration. More information will come, but it's time to start the search for your favorite recipes! Categories to be determined. We would like about 4 recipes per person (men, women and children) and, if you have one in memory of someone, please make that note. We will let you know how the process will work when we have more information. For now, get those recipes ready!

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.

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.

Join Us for Youth Bible Study!

We invite all Immanuel Lutheran youth in grades 7-12 to be part of our weekly **Youth Bible Study**, held on **Sundays from 9:15-10:00 AM in the Youth Room**. Explore the scripture that inspired the hit TV show *The Chosen* and see how these powerful stories come to life on screen. **Parents, while your children grow in their faith, you can too!** You're welcome to attend **Pastor Augustine's Adult Bible Study** in the church basement during the same time. We look forward to seeing you there!