IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Welcome & Announcements

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Prayer of the Day

God of all compassion, you call us to be salt and light for your world, yet without your Spirit we are powerless to answer that call. Empower us to hear your voice and respond with faith and boldness; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading Isaiah 58:3-9
Psalm Psalm 112:1-9
Second Reading 1 Corinthians 2:1-16
Gospel Matthew 5:13-20

Sermon Rev. Eric M. Miletti

Sermon	Rev. End W. Willetti	
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Welcome to our worship in Jesus' name!

Your presence in worshiping the Lord is our joy! Thanks be to God who grants you faith which brings you here. Please come again!

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Will & Renee Scull in honor of Henry's birthday.

Attendance Book and Prayer Request Card – Visitors and members, please add your names to the book and pass it to others in your pew. If you have a Prayer Request, an usher will pick up the card during the first hymn.

Holy Communion: All who are baptized and believe that Christ is truly present in the Sacrament are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table. Come forward at the direction of the usher. If you are unable to come forward to receive the Sacrament, please let the usher know, and the Sacrament will be brought to you. Grape juice and gluten-free wafers are available; let the pastor or communion assistant know of your need as you are served. Any who have not been instructed in the Sacrament may come forward to receive a blessing.

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

Sun	8:00 am 9:15 am	Worship / Holy Communion Coffee Fellowship 'Back to Basics Bible Study' Sunday School / Confirmation
	10:30 am	Worship / Holy Communion
Mon	6:00 pm	SMH Group Meeting – PH
	6:30 pm	Festival Committee Meeting
Tue	6:00 pm	Bell Choir Practice – A
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – S
Wed	6:00 pm	Adult Meal / Bible Study – P
	•	Peacemakers' Fellowship Fun
		Night – PH

Pre-Spring Clean-Up: Please join us on four Tuesdays, beginning January 31st – February 28th from 8 to 12 at the parsonage. We will be doing some reorganizing!

Up for grabs! There is a table full of items that were found while doing the clean up of the parsonage. If you are interested, head on over to the kitchen and take a look at what's there. Books, baskets, arts & crafts, fans, and other miscellaneous stuff. Must be gone by Tuesday, February 8th

A "THANK YOU" is in order for the following behind-the-scenes helpers:

Flowers: Renee Scull

Greeters: Dianell Recker; Heather Bales

Ushers: Randall Richter, Darla Buccigrossi; Travis Mabry, Jeanie Walpole

Readers: Dianell Recker; Jeanie Walpole

Acolytes: Kolby Louis, Ryan Maynard; Abby Clarke, Lillie Faglie

Altar Guild: Chrystal Coble, Amy Wagner; Jeanette Bailey, JoElla Heinsohn

Multimedia: Brent Recker; Jackson Faglie

Slides: Jana Clarke Facebook Live: Jana Clarke

Tellers: Jacy Reeves, Darla Buccigrossi

OUR PRAYER LIST

Those in our congregation: Larry Bailey, Marvin Baumann, Willie Jean Boeck, James Bonds, Kyle, Vernon, Wanda Mabry, Ronnie & Brenda Moore, Sharon Poarch, Phyllis Stensgaard and Terri Walker.

Those all who are ill in our community: Hollis Arnold, Hector Arredondo, Ivy Baumann, Rodney Bartlett, John Briscoe, Rodney Brown, Susan Bruno, John Colson, Jim Ellis, Jennifer Fitzgerald, Baby Quinn Freeman, Donna Gabrysch, *Linda Garcia*, Eric Garza-Colvin, *Renee Hebert*, Andrea Herrera, Kathy Hutchinson, Bethany Jahnke, Kim Jameson, Johnny Lahodny, Ashley Leyendecker, Chelsea Lyssy, *Noelia Maldonado*, Melissa Marlowe & family, Mike McEnery, Edna Otto, Marcus Peterson, Grace Phillippe, Geary Ransom, Carl (Kip) Richter, Larry Rose, Tammy Saldana, Brandon Strey, Susan Thompson, *David Velez*, Alene Wanek, *Chandler White*, and Billy Willeford.

For those grieving: The family of Scott Biemer on the loss of his mother, Frances O. Biemer

For our building project:

For our country and for world peace:

FOR RAIN!

For all who serve our country here and abroad or have served in the past. For those who have given their life so that we may be a free nation: Brian Alderson, Taylor Clarke, Thomas Elder, Stephen Ferry, Eric Koepp, Joshua Miller, Nathan Pianfetti, Farrah Schluter, Larkin Tremaine, Ashley Trompeter, and Michael Troy Jr.

This week's NALC devotions: February 5 – February 11, 2023

Sunday

Isaiah 57:1-13; Hebrews 12:1-6; John 7:37-46; Psalms 19 & 150 (AM); Psalms 81 & 113 (PM)

Monday

Isaiah 57:14-21; Galatians 6:11-18; Mark 9:30-41; Psalms 135 & 145 (AM); Psalms 97 & 112 (PM)

Tuesday

Isaiah 58:1-12; 2 Timothy 1:1-14; Mark 9:42-50; Psalms 123 & 146 (AM); Psalms 30 & 86 (PM)

Wednesday

Isaiah 59:1-21; 2 Timothy 1:15-2:13; Mark 10:1-16; Psalms 15 & 147:1-12 (AM); Psalms 48 & 4 (PM)

Thursday

Isaiah 60:1-22; 2 Timothy 2:14-26; Mark 10:17-31; Psalms 36 & 147:13-21 (AM); Psalms 80 & 27 (PM)

Friday

Isaiah 61:1-9; 2 Timothy 3:1-17; Mark 10:32-45; Psalms 130 & 148 (AM); Psalms 32 & 139 (PM)

Saturday

Isaiah 61:10—62:5; 2 Timothy 4:1-8; Mark 10:46-52; Psalms 56 & 149 (AM); Psalms 100 & 63 (PM)