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Holy One, your Son came into this world bringing salvation and life to all who believe. May your Spirit breathe life into the dry bones of our lives so that we may follow and serve you in the newness of life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading **Ezekiel 37:1-14**
Psalm **Psalm 130**
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The NALC's collection of devotions, *LOVED and FREED*, inspired by Revelation 1:5-6, can be accessed at thenalc.org/Lenten-devotional-2023/

Welcome to our worship in Jesus' name!

Your presence in worshipping 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 Brad & Heather Bales in honor of Lillie's 3rd 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 walk down the aisle and pick up the card during the first hymn.

Offerings & Attendance for 3/19/23 were \$7,908; there were 116 members, 14 visitors, and 73 views on FBL.

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	8:20 am	'Back to Basics Bible Study'
	9:00 am	Worship / Holy Communion
	10:30 am	AGAPE Brunch / Gathering
Tue	6:00 pm	Bell Choir Practice – A
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – S
Wed	6:00 pm	Lenten Supper —Men of Immanuel
	7:00 pm	Lenten Worship Service

2023 marks our 20th Annual Community Festival Anniversary! We would like to have all raffle donor names and items by May 1st. If you are interested in donating to the raffle, please see Lillian Kosub. Let's make this our best year yet as we celebrate this milestone!

40 Cans for 40 Days is a food drive benefitting the LV Christian Food Pantry. It began on Ash Wednesday and will go through Palm Sunday. Bring one can or forty or anything in between to support this effort. The tubs are in the Parish Hall.

Thrivent Members: Remember to use your Thrivent Choice Dollars **before March 31, 2023** by possibly considering a gift to Immanuel. Your generosity is greatly appreciated if you already made a donation.

Chorale & Bell Choir - Adrienne Kelley and Patrice Goodman invite any and all Junior High and High School youth (plus any adults) to join our choirs. A background in band or choir or the ability to read music would be necessary. *Come help us make a joyful noise unto the Lord!* See Adrienne or Patrice.

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

<i>Flowers:</i>	Brad & Heather Bales
<i>Greeters:</i>	Lillian Kosub
<i>Ushers:</i>	Kathy Volkmann, Amy Wagner
<i>Readers:</i>	Esther DeHaven
<i>Acolytes:</i>	Kimber Hild, Matthew Stanush
<i>Altar Guild:</i>	Rebe Penshorn, Taylor Witherell
<i>Multimedia:</i>	Karen Campbell
<i>Slides:</i>	Karen Campbell
<i>Facebook Live:</i>	Bill Roser
<i>Tellers:</i>	Rebe Penshorn, Darla Buccigrossi

OUR PRAYER LIST

Those in our congregation: Larry Bailey, Willie Jean Boeck, *Byron Durbon*, Erna Lee Hormuth, Donna Jefferson, *Katy Markgraf*, Sharon Poarch, Carl Rivers, Phyllis Stensgaard, Kyle.

Those all who are ill in our community: Vince & Louise Aguirre, Hector Arredondo, Ivy Baumann, Matthew Barron, Rodney Bartlett, John Briscoe, Rodney Brown, Susan Bruno, Titi Chave, Linda Duelm, Gladys and Luis Espinet, Alex Espinosa, Jennifer Fitzgerald, Baby Quinn Freeman, Brenda Gonzalez, James Hartmann, Beverly Hartwick, Andrea Herrera & family, *Don & Shirley Hormuth*, Kathy Hutchinson, Kim Jameson, Ashley Leyendecker, Chelsea Lyssy, Maria Elena Martinez, Milagros Martinez, Mike McEnery, Michael Miles, Ana Norwood, Edna Otto, Marcus Peterson, Lawson Ramon, Geary Ransom, Carl (Kip) Richter, Frank Rodriguez, Larry Rose, *Cohen Schoenert*, Tim Smith, *Jordyn Starrett*, Brandon Strey, Susan Thompson, David Velez, Alene Wanek, Chandler White, Fallyn Wegner, Billy Willeford, *Marvin Witte*, Jackie Wiseman, Bo, Leo, Paula, Nova, Dennis, Katlyn, and *the safety of the two children who were removed from their mother.*

For those grieving: *The family of Lacy Felix*

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: March 26– April 1, 2023

Sunday

Jeremiah 23:16–32; 1 Corinthians 9:19–27; Mark 8:31–9:1; Psalms 84 & 150 (AM); Psalms 42 & 32 (PM)

Monday

Jeremiah 24:1–10; Romans 9:19–33; John 9:1–17; Psalms 119:73–80 & 145 (AM); Psalms 121 & 6 (PM)

Tuesday

Jeremiah 25:8–17; Romans 10:1–13; John 9:18–41; Psalms 34 & 146 (AM); Psalms 25 & 91 (PM))

Wednesday

Jeremiah 25:30–38; Romans 10:14–21; John 10:1–18; Psalms 5 & 147:1–12 (AM); Psalms 27 & 51 (PM)

Thursday

Jeremiah 26:1–24; Romans 11:1–12; John 10:19–42; Psalms 27 & 147:13–21 (AM); Psalms 126 & 102 (PM)

Friday

Jeremiah 29:1–14; Romans 11:13–24; John 11:1–27; Psalms 22 & 148 (AM); Psalms 105 & 130 (PM)

Saturday

Jeremiah 31:27–34; Romans 11:25–36; John 11:28–44; Psalms 43 & 149 (AM); Psalms 31 & 143 (PM)