

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Majestic Trinity, mystery of Three-in-One and One-in-Three, we worship you. Before time your love burst forth creating the world in which you took delight. Strengthen us in our faith, defend us from all evil and temptation, and bring us into the everlasting presence of your love; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading Genesis 1:1 – 2:4a

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Sermon **Rev. Eric Miletti**

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Sending

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. Join us for coffee and fellowship in the Parish Hall between services.

Welcome to Phyllis Coldewey as the new office secretary.

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Charles & Candy Stork in honor of Troy's 30th birthday.

Prayer Request Card – If you have a Prayer Request, an usher will pick it up **during the first hymn** for Pastor to include later in the service.

Offerings and Attendance on 5/28/23: \$4,297; there were 102 members & 5 visitors, and No Facebook Live

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 also 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 Worship with Holy Communion
9:15 am Coffee & Fellowship
'Back to Basics' Bible Study
10:30 am Worship with Holy Communion

Sat 8:30 am Mens Breakfast

Women's Retreat – Remember to turn in your deposit for the October event to Darla Buccigrossi, Patrice Goodman, or Shirley Stanush **by June 1st.**

Vacation Bible School

Keepers of the Kingdom VBS will be July 16 – 20 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

Registration is now open on the Immanuel Lutheran Facebook page.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, contact Shasta Franklin or Chelsey Thayer.

OUR PRAYER LIST

Those in our congregation: Jeanette & Larry Bailey, Willie Jean Boeck, Marc Gray, JoElla Heinsohn, Erna Lee Hormuth, *Guy Morgan*, Jimmy Norwood, Sharon Poarch, Carl Rivers, Phyllis Stensgaard, and Kyle.

Prayers: Those in our community - (will remain on this list for three weeks unless otherwise instructed) Vince & Louise Aguirre, Hector Arredondo, Rodney Bartlett, John Briscoe, Rodney Brown, Susan Bruno, Leroy Carrion, Linda Duelm, Lois Elles, Alex Espinosa, Jennifer Fitzgerald, , Don Gotcher, Paula Grigsby, Beverly Hartwick, Myrna Howell, Kim Jameson, Duane Killian, Ashley Leyendecker, Chelsey Lyssy, Fawn Mann, *Ty Martin*, María Elena Martinez, Mike McEnery, Michael Miles, Edna Otto, Little Sutton Pierdolla, *Doyle Pryor*, *Marvin Quinney*, Geary Ransom, Carl (Kip) Richter, Larry Rose, Brandy Shannon, Tim Smith, Brandon Strey, *George Swarner*, Susan Thompson, Chandler White, Rebecca White, Billy Willeford, Jackie Wiseman, *Tracy Young*, Mike Zoch, Dennis, Freddie & Vanessa, Charlotte, David, Marge, David & Marti, and Arnie.

For those grieving:

For those affected by natural disasters:

For our building project:

For our country and for world peace:

For those serving in military service here and abroad: Taylor Clarke, Stephen Ferry, Eric Koepp, Kayla Martin, Joshua Miller, Kevin Neu, Nathan Pianfetti, Farrah Schluter, Larkin Tremaine, Ashley Trompeter, and Michael Troy, Jr.

This week's NALC devotions: June 4 – June 10

Sunday

Ecclesiasticus 43:1–12, 27–33; Ephesians 4:1–16; John 1:1–18; Psalms 19 & 150 (AM); Psalms 81 & 113 (PM)

Monday

Ruth 1:1–18; 1 Timothy 1:1–17; Luke 13:1–9; Psalms 135 & 145 (AM); Psalms 97 & 112 (PM)

Tuesday

Ruth 1:19–2:13; 1 Timothy 1:18–2:8; Luke 13:10–17; Psalms 123 & 146 (AM); Psalms 30 & 86 (PM)

Wednesday

Ruth 2:14–23; 1 Timothy 3:1–16; Luke 13:18–30; Psalms 15 & 147:1–12 (AM); Psalms 48 & 4 (PM)

Thursday

Ruth 3:1–18; 1 Timothy 4:1–16; Luke 13:31–35; Psalms 36 & 147:13–21 (AM); Psalms 80 & 27 (PM)

Friday

Ruth 4:1–22; 1 Timothy 5:17–25; Luke 14:1–11; Psalms 130 & 148 (AM); Psalms 32 & 139 (PM)

Saturday

Deuteronomy 1:1–18; 1 Timothy 6:6–21; Luke 14:12–24; Psalms 56 & 149 (AM); Psalms 100 & 63 (PM)

2023 Graduates

FREEMAN 'MASON' CONE Son of Hensley and Debie Cone May 26, 2023 from La Vernia High School
He will be attending Texas A & M University – Kingsville to earn Ag Science & Teacher Certification degrees; he plans to become an Ag teacher in the future.

KYLEE BLAZE BUNTON Daughter of Billy & Sharon Bunton May 20, 2023 from Texas A & M – Corpus Christi.
Kylee graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Kinesiology. She plans to continue her studies in Kinesiology and become a collegiate sports and conditioning coach.

DYLAN HENRY WILLEFORD Son of Eddie and Brenda Willeford May 11, 2023 from Texas A & M – College Station . Dylan received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Economics with honors.