

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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O God, you taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit. Grant us, by the same Spirit, to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; 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 Numbers 11:24-30

Psalm Psalm 25:1-14

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Sermon Rev. Eric Miletto

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Benediction

Closing Hymn "Wade in the Waters"

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.

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Darryl & Rebe Penshorn in honor of their grandchildren's, Landri and Tatum, birthdays.

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 5/14/23: \$6,125; there were 125 members & 13 visitors, and 57 views on Facebook Live.

Offerings and Attendance on 5/21/23: \$5,559; there were 150 members & 33 visitors, and 94 views on 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
Wed	6:00 pm	Adult Meal / Bible Study
Sat	8:30 am	Food Pantry Workday

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, 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, Heidi Cox, Sue Dean, Melissa Doyle, 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, María Elena Martinez, Mike McEnery, Michael Miles, Edna Otto, Little Sutton Pierdolla, Geary Ransom, Carl (Kip) Richter, Larry Rose, Brandy Shannon, Tim Smith, Brandon Strey, Susan Thompson, Chandler White, Rebecca White, Billy Willeford, Jackie Wiseman, Mike Zoch, Dennis, Freddie 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: May 28 – June 3

Sunday

Isaiah 11:1–9; 1 Corinthians 2:1–13; John 14:21–29; Psalms 93 & 150 (AM); Psalms 117 & 139 (PM)

Monday

Isaiah 63:7–14; 2 Timothy 1:1–14; Luke 11:24–36; Psalms 5 & 145 (AM); Psalms 82 & 29 (PM)

Tuesday

Isaiah 63:15–64:9; 2 Timothy 1:15–2:13; Luke 11:37–52; Psalms 42 & 146 (AM); Psalms 102 & 133 (PM)

Wednesday

Zephaniah 2:14–15a, Isaiah 12:1–6; Romans 12:9–16; Luke 1:39–47; Psalms 113 & 147:1–12 (AM); Psalms 1 & 33 (PM)

Thursday

Isaiah 65:17–25; 2 Timothy 3:1–17; Luke 12:13–31; Psalms 97 & 147:13–21 (AM); Psalms 16 & 62 (PM)

Friday

Isaiah 66:1–6; 2 Timothy 4:1–8; Luke 12:32–48; Psalms 51 & 148 (AM); Psalms 142 & 65 (PM)

Saturday

Isaiah 66:7–14; 2 Timothy 4:9–22; Luke 12:49–59; Psalms 104 & 149 (AM); Psalms 118 & 111 (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.

Confirmation 2023

For those of you who were not able to attend, these are the nine Confirmands who were celebrated on Sunday, May 21, 2023:

BRYSON CADE COLEMAN Son of Ronnie and Shannon Coleman Mentor: Billy Bunton
Sponsors: John and Kelli Thompson, Craig and Sherry Schneider, Valerie Frazier & Lucas Mobley
Confirmation Verse: *"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young. Instead, set an example for the believers through your speech, behavior, love, faith, and purity."* 1 Timothy 4: 12

JACKSON SCOTT FAGLIE Son of Kevin and Bridgett Faglie Mentor: Mark Buccigrossi
Sponsors: Rick Willet & Tracie Wilson
Confirmation Verse: *"The Lord will fight for you, and you have only to keep still."* Exodus 14:14

CHRISTOPHER JORDAN HOMEYER Son of Jeffrey and Tina Homeyer Mentor: Hunter Homeyer
Sponsors: Reese and Bethany Homeyer
Confirmation Verse: *"Don't take revenge, leave that for Me."* Romans 12:19

KAYLA ANN HOMEYER Daughter of Jeffrey and Tina Homeyer Mentor: Jacy Reeves
Sponsors: Cary Homeyer (dec.) & Gwen Homeyer, Reese and Bethany Homeyer
Confirmation Verse: *"For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you, and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."* Jeremiah 29:11

RYAN JASON MAYNARD Son of John and Sarah Maynard
Confirmation Verse: *"Be imitators of Me, as I am of Christ."* 1 Corinthians 11:1

KASE DOUGLAS MORRISON Son of Shane and Melanie Morrison Mentor: Melanie Morrison
Sponsors: Shane and Melanie Morrison
Confirmation Verse: *"But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; They will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not be faint."* Isaiah 40:31

JOSHUA CHANCE STANUSH Son of Tracie Stanush and Jody Stanush Mentor: Harold Schott
Sponsors: Zach and Karrie Thomas, John and Lisa Stanush
Confirmation Verse: *"Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path."* Psalm 119:105

ZAYTHAN ANTHONY TAMEZ Son of Maggen Tamez Mentor: Jeffrey Homeyer
Sponsors: Raymond and Wendy Jenkins
Confirmation Verse: *"Once God has spoken; twice have I heard this; that power belongs to God, and that to you, Oh Lord, belongs steadfast love."* Psalm 62:11-12

KATELYN GRACE TRIPP Daughter of Kris and Kymberly Tripp Mentor: Lilia Miletta
Sponsors: Robbi and Kelly Southwell
Confirmation Verse: *"Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path."* Psalm 119:105