

RALLY DAY

next Sunday, August 30th

Sunday School Blessing

Register for Sunday School

Meet and Greet the Teachers

Ice Cream Social

Come to a dynamic worship service at 9:30 am

Children will be dismissed with their teachers to the FDC

After the service join them to meet and greet their new teachers Register them for Sunday School
Enjoy ice cream and fellowship

This event is for all members of the congregation
The children are grateful for your blessings and support

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What's On Wednesday

@PENN@US@

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd

Enjoy DINNER and FELLOWSHIP then PREVIEW the ALL NEW Faith-based workshops and activities for All Ages and Stages of Spiritual Growth!

Put this Date on your Calendar: Wednesday, SEPTEMBER 2nd.

Dinner you won't want to miss! Bring the Family and your Friends!

Prayer List

Kevin Arnold
Bill Ball
Arlene Albano
Eileen Fisher
Chase Junck & parents
Adele McLain
Mary Dyer
Stacy Walsh
Betty Mowry
Bob Mowry
Linda Rumbolo
Wally Stock
Jerry Miller
Don Morrison
Wilma Cook
Connie Harrell
John Bunai
Melissa Huneycutt

Richard Jackson
Sara Ritzler
Dee Knudsen
Ed McGee
Ed Phillips
Chase Souza
Bob Ahern
Frank Evans
Pat Lottman
Ann Marie Gardiner
Gail Driscoll
Betsy Oyer
Joan Graff
Bill Earle
Bill Fraser
Nancy Schuler
Russ Michel

Ray Klotz
Diane Pilone
Marc Lewis
Doug Behnke
Nick Bennett
Jackie Bennett
Josh Clifford
Sal Cubeta
Brenda Hemmelgarn
Norm Lovgren
Jim Hercl
Sherry Cerniglia

Ben Ruby
Richard Petersen
Logan Cerniglia
Rick & Debbie Raymer
Lori Bohm
Lisa Socker
Cleo Bohm
Berniece Shrum
Ruth Crago
Anna Maupin
Grace
Billy Licausi
Woody Haynes
Donna Weisbrod
Sheila Honan
John Paige
Laura Lee Turner
Michael Biggs

Sig-britt Nilsen
Christine Currier
Bill Dawson
Irene Semsel-Lewis
Tom Coffman
Kyle Cerniglia
Robin & Skyler Moreno
Evelyn Behnke
Kim Sawyer
Esther Parry
Cheryl Griffin
Charlotte Bott
Pat Sattler
Florence Ammarell
Helen Keitel
Yvonne Phillabaum
Joey Warych
John Maher
Tom Dixon
Nancy Novotny
Rudy Reinhard

Military

Adam Alter
Eric Anderson
Simon Berrio
Kyle Corcoran
Philip Cunningham
Brandon Davis
Jacob Dell
Kevin Dooley
Dean Durham
Jessica Granger
Michael Griffiths
John Hanson
Sam Heidorn
Bradley Koch
Devin Phillabaum
Kera Porter
Kent Snider
Johnathan Veysey



Prayer Requests

If you have a prayer request, for yourself, family, neighbor, or friend call the Church Office at 287-8188, or call Cheryl Gundersdorff at 221-8939 for the Prayer Chain. If a person is no longer in need of special prayer and wish to be removed from the prayer list, please

Last week's attendance

Saturday, 6PM — 60
Sunday: 8AM — 61
9:30AM — 174
11:15AM — 45
Sunday school — 23
Captivate — 28

Looking Ahead

Sat - 8/22

6:00PM Worship at Six Communion

Sun - 8/23

8:00AM Worship
9:30AM Contemporary Communion
10:05AM Sunday School
Back To School Blessing
Teacher Appreciation

11:15AM Worship

Mon - 8/24

School Resumes
7:00PM Congregational Life Meeting

Tues - 8/25

6:30PM Executive Meeting
7:00PM Council Meeting

Wed - 8/26

1:30PM Bridge
5:00PM Summer Youth Fun
6:30PM CWT Rehearsal

Thurs - 8/27

10:00AM Crafts/Banner
7:00PM Captivate

Fri - 8/28

10:00AM Friday Folders
8:00AM Al-Anon

Sat - 8/29

6:00PM Worship at Six

Sun - 8/30

8:00AM Worship Communion
9:30AM Contemporary
10:05AM Sunday School
Rally Day
11:15AM Worship Communion

Staff

Rev. Thomas D. Hartley,
Senior Pastor

Alphenia Shine, *Administrator*
Mark Jones, *Director,*

Music Ministries

Beth Tatem,

Director, Early Learning Center

Debbie Hutta, *Coordinator of*
Volunteers & Adult Education
Ministries

Adriana D'Amiano, *Coordinator,*
Children's Ministries

Karin Skoog, *Financial & Office*
Assistant

Ken Rucker & Indra GoPaul,
Sextons

Immanuel Christian

Library

Featured this week

"So What's The Difference?"
By Fritz Ridenauer takes a look at 20 worldviews, faiths and religions and how they compare to Christianity.

How does biblical Christianity differ from other faiths? In a straightforward, non-critical comparison, the author explores and explains the basics of Protestantism, Roman Catholicism, Eastern Orthodoxy, Judaism, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, Jehovah's Witnesses', Christian Science, New Age, Mormonism, Evolution, Unitarianism, Baha'i and other religions belief systems.

This easy to understand guide will help you better understand your own beliefs, recognize the differences between Christianity and other view points-and make it easier to explain and share your faith with others.

Announcements

Sunday Morning Bible Study

Join Gary Winslow, who is facilitating discussion of the *Christ in Our Home* daily devotionals for the week, leading up to the Sunday Gospel lesson. These devotional booklets are available at the Welcome Table. The study group meets in the Sr. High room (upstairs at the Faith Development Center) at 9:45 a.m. See you there!

August 26

Join us for Bridge at 1:30, if you would like to play please call Eleanor Andreasen at 287-7845.

August 30

In conjunction with launching the new Sunday School year, Congregational Life is hosting treats and some fun activities for the kids in the Faith Development Center, following Sunday School orientation in the classrooms. Look for more detail in next week's Newsletter.

Address and E-Mail Updates

We are asking you to verify/update your contact information, including your e-mail address. E-mail makes it possible for congregational communication without the cost of postage or paper. If you haven't gotten a form, ask the Usher for one. Put the completed form in the basket in the narthex, or e-mail your information to Judith Holley at [ju-dithh1@bellsouth.net](mailto:judith1@bellsouth.net). If you have questions, call Judith at (772) 545-4106.

Join the Visiting Committee

Additional teams are needed for the Visiting Committee. Teams of two make a 30-minute social call on one or two Immanuel households each week. The purpose of this committee is to foster a stronger connection within the entire Immanuel family. It's friendly, it's fun, and it's a great way to serve. If you like talking with people, I'd like to talk with you. Call Judith Holley at (772) 545-4106.

Resource Directory

We're building a Resource Directory of people in our congregation who offer goods, services, products in the course of their business. We want to make it easy to "call Immanuel family first". If you are involved in a business that would be of interest to the rest of the congregation, or if you provide services on a volunteer or donation basis, we would like to list you in our directory. There's a form for that! Pick one up at the Welcome

Worship Assistants

Saturday 6:00

Greeter: Lynnea Valpatic
Ushers: Jerry Pierr
Leroy Shank
Reader: Lynnea Valpatic
Communion Assistants: Marion Morrison
Barbara Shank
Linda Pierr
Karin Mills

Sunday 8:00

Greeters: Doris Jackson
Doris Ogden
Ushers: Phillip Carr
Doris Jackson
John Heiti
Carolyn Heiti
Reader: Gene Weber

Sunday 9:30

Acolyte: Katie Dorman
Crucifer: Savannah Ruby
Greeters: Lyla Ebright
Ruth Ann Katiluis
Ushers: Dave Mininger
Cliff Moore
Kay Moore
Dave Walsh
Ellen Higgins
Reader: Mary Donatucci
Communion Assistants: Cheryl Gundersdorff
Bev McAllister
Lila Ebright
Debbie Stingley
Ruth Ann Katiluis
Eileen Neal

Sunday 11:15

Acolyte: Matthew Altzner
Crucifer: Brian McGrath
Greeters: Ann Keyser
Ushers: Ron Froehlich
Paige Parrielli
Reader: Sandra McNiff

Coffee Host: Jeff & Brigid Kelly
Joy Spooner - treats

Sunday School Today

Toddlers

Location: Classroom C
Leader: Francesca D'Amiano

Pre K, K

Location: Classroom B
Leader: Stacey Heidebrecht

Grades 1,2,3,4, & 5

Location: Class Room A
Leaders: Kim Nicholas

Junior High

Location: Jr. High Room FDC
Leaders: Kathleen Ruby

Adult Bible Study

Location: Sr. High Room FDC
Leader: Gary Winslow

Coffee Fellowship

Coffee fellowship last Sunday was hosted by Margie King. If you're passing by the table without stopping, you're missing out on some of the best Lutheran coffee and treats known to man! There's also lemonade. Take a few moments, before or after worship, to enjoy socializing on the veranda. Meet up with old friends, or meet new friends. This is an excellent ministry in which to get involved, by hosting the coffee time or providing treats. It's easy, fun, and very rewarding. Stop by the coffee table, to sign up.

**CONTEMPORARY
WORSHIP SERVICE
BROADCAST "LIVE" Sundays,
on Radio station:
WSTU, 1450 on the AM Dial, 9:30AM**

Sponsors are needed, please call the church office and sign up!

Immanuel This Week

Immanuel Lutheran Church
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Our Mission: To introduce all people to Jesus Christ and the exhilarating power and undefeatable joy

August 22 & 23, 2009

Welcome to our visitors, guests, and members! We are delighted to have you with us today. All first time visitors, please sign our guest book at the Welcome Center and receive a free gift.

Hearing Assist Units are available at the sound booth. They are wireless, so you can sit wherever you want and still hear the entire service.

Nursery Service Available 9:00am-11:00am

Infants are welcomed in the sound-proof nursery room in the rear of Church.

Toddlers - Toddlers Room in the Education Building.

Back to School Blessing— Today at 9:30

Please join us as we celebrate the new school year with prayer and fellowship honoring all teachers, administrators and staff in

public, private, and religious schools.

May God bless you all year as you continue to fulfill your calling and make a difference in the lives of your students.

The Lord has given all of you special talents.

“Teach your children to choose the right path, and when they are older, they will remain upon it.” Proverbs 22:6

Rock The Universe

Sign up this week at the Welcome Center and join us Saturday, September 12th as we enjoy a day of music and thrills that will move, rock, and lift your soul. We will leave the church at 1:00pm. For more information please stop by the Welcome Center or call the church office at 287-8188.

Altar flowers are given by John & Carolyn Heiti in celebration of their 10th Wedding Anniversary.

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- * Dinner & Fellowship 5 - 6 PM
- * Faith Based Workshops & Study Groups 6 - 7PM
- * Activities and Study for Children, Jr. & Sr. High Youth 6 - 7PM
- * Dessert and fellowship 7 - 7:15PM

When does all this happen?

- * Open House - September 2nd
- * Dinner followed by overview of all workshops & study groups
- * Classes begin September 9th

Dinner Menu for Open House

Pepper Steak w/Saffron Rice

**Broccoli
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“Catch The Spirit”
every Wednesday Night!**

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Number of people attending:

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Bonnie Ciampi Immanuel Early Learning Center
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Al DeLorenzo Martin County High School
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Sandra McNiff Manatee Academy
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Kay Moore High Hope Preschool
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