

Announcements

For the week of Sunday, November 12, 2023

5th Grade Call On Oct. 22nd our voters' assembly extended a divine call to Mr. Philip Warnecke to be our 5th grade homeroom teacher and departmentalized 5th-8th grade science teacher, starting with the 2024-2025 school year.

Please keep Mr. Warnecke, his wife, Staci, and young daughter, and Risen Savior Lutheran Church and School in Milwaukee, where he currently serves, in your prayers as he deliberates where best to serve the Lord in His kingdom. Immanuel members, if you'd like to contact Mr. Warnecke with your encouragements, his email address is pwarnecke@rslsmke.org and his phone # is (920) 342-2246.

Join ECHO our church newsletter. Looking for help on the assembly team. Only one hour, every other month. Please contact Jennifer Lemke: church@ilutheran.org or 920.684.3404. Just know, that because of volunteers' assistance you save our church over \$100 every month. Thank you to those who already give of their time and talents.

Thanksgiving cards are now available in the Fellowship area.

Worship Service Greeters - Do you enjoy meeting people, making them feel welcome? We have an opportunity for you! Join Immanuel's Greeter Team! If this is an area of service that interests you, please contact Jenny at the church office **before Monday, November 13th** by calling 920-684-3404 or email her at church@ilutheran.org. When you contact Jenny, please indicate if you prefer greeting for the early or late worship service. If you are currently a greeter, please let Jenny know if you would like to continue serving your Immanuel family in this way. We are happy to work around your schedule. No experience necessary, just a smiling face and a warm welcome to everyone.

Order Your Poinsettias! - Help to beautify Immanuel for the celebration of the birth of our Savior! Place your order for poinsettias for the Christmas celebration beginning **Sunday, Nov 5**. The cost is \$12.00 per plant. The plants are in 6.5" pots and approximately 15-17" tall. The color of the poinsettias is red. There will be envelopes for signing up in the back of the Gathering Room. **The deadline for signing up is Sunday, Dec 3**. You are able to take your poinsettia home following the Christmas Day worship service. Questions? Call or text Judy Fuerbringer at 920-973-3355.

SAVE THE DATE - ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT - Women of Immanuel are invited, and are encouraged to invite your female family members, friends, and neighbors to join you at this year's Advent by Candlelight on **Saturday, Dec 9 at 5:30 PM** in the church Fellowship Hall. Please plan to join us for an evening of visiting, encouragement, and enjoying beautiful music and delicious dessert. This evening is a wonderful event to prepare your hearts for Advent. Watch for more information in the coming weeks.

Women's Bible Study - Women of all ages are invited to join us for Women's Bible Study. We are meeting on **Saturday Nov 18 at 9:00 AM**. We meet in the Conference Room in the church office. We are currently enjoying a study of Paul's letter to the Ephesians. Paul wrote his letter to them while he was a prisoner in Rome and in it he reminded the Ephesians of what God's great power and grace has done for believers. That means you too! If you have any questions, please call or text Judy Fuerbringer at 920-973-3355. **Join us to be refreshed & encouraged!** Also, if you have any suggestions for future a Women's Bible Study, please let Judy know.

Surviving the Holidays is a single-session, 2 hour event to help people who have lost a loved one to death and would like some help in navigating the holidays without their loved one. We will: learn how to deal our emotions; tips for surviving social events; what to do with holiday traditions; how to find hope for the future. There is a 40 minute video by counselors and mental health experts with interviews of people who have experienced the loss of a loved one. We'll take some time to discuss the video, though sharing is not required. Each attendee will be given a guide book to take home and implement. Surviving the Holidays will meet **Saturday December 2nd from 9-11 am** at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 916 Pine St, Manitowoc, WI. If you need further information, have any questions or to register please contact Larry Verlinden at 920-323-2297 or verlinden@comcast.net. You can also get more information and register on the GriefShare website griefshare.org. **Please register by November 22nd** so we can make sure we have enough guide books. There will be a charge of \$7 to cover the cost of the guide book. Please consider joining us!

Decorating Church for Christmas Calling all men and women to help decorate Immanuel Lutheran Church for Christmas on **Saturday, Nov.25th, from 9 am to Noon**. We will put up 2 small trees by the altar, 1 large tree in the gathering room, wreaths, pew candle sconces, flying angels decorations and a swag in the balcony. Many hands make light work! See you on Saturday, Nov.25th! Questions? Call Linda at 920-683-3432.

Attention all current 8th -12th graders at Immanuel! WELS International Youth Rally at Colorado State University from June 25-28, 2024. Provides youth and youth leaders across the synod to a large-scale worship, education, fellowship, recreation, and service opportunity that deepens commitment to Christ and his church. The cost to attend the Youth Rally is \$410, and transportation and lodging would be around \$350. **Sign up here by November 19** <https://forms.office.com/r/dfk1yGQ4zJ>. Please contact Nate Hochmuth at 920-682-0215 Ext: 301; Cell: 920-860-9591; nhochmuth@mlhslancers.org if you have any questions.

Coming Up at MLHS

November 10-12 | Fall Play – The Legend of Sleepy Hollow & Rip Van Winkle

November 11 | Federation Meeting

Thursday, December 21 | MLHS Christmas Concert

Night to Shine Registration OPEN! Registration is NOW OPEN for Night to shine here at MLHS. Please help us spread the word that we are hosing Night to Shine here. Register by visiting the MLHS website www.mlhslancers.org

SCRIP (School Cash Rebate Incentive Program) News Do you want to help support MLHS? The scrip program is a great way to help MLHS with purchasing non-budgeted items AND to earn credits to be used for tuition, hot lunch, spirit wear and more! If you don't have children or grandchildren attending MLHS, you can still use Scrip. Stop in the scrip office and we will help you get started!

Part-time Afternoon Preschool Assistant Position Available: Jesus' Lambs of Grace (2426 N. Rapids Rd., Manitowoc) is looking for one or more people willing and able to assist with the care of children during the afternoon hours of 1:00-5:30pm Monday through Friday. This shift could be split if we have more than one person interested. If you, or someone you know, over the age of 18, loves working with kids, has one or more afternoons available, and would like a flexible part-time job, please contact the preschool at 920-482-0001 and ask for Peg Janke.

Repeat Performance This week 10/30-114 50% off Wall hangings, Glassware, Dishes
Hours: M-F 9AM-1PM, Repeat is always looking for volunteers to help sort and move donations, stop in the store and ask for Carol about helping out.

WORSHIP NEXT WEEK – You may wish to prepare for worship next week by meditating on the Scripture lessons for the Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost.

Scripture Lessons: Isaiah 1:10-18; Romans 12:1-8; Matthew 25:14-30

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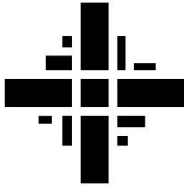
Our Thanks for God's Love

Last Week's Attendance: **36 + 168 + 123 = 327**

Thankful Gifts Offered (*last wk*): **\$13,870** Thankful Gifts Needed (*weekly*): **\$15,610**

This Week at Immanuel – November 12, 2023

Monday, Nov 13	12:00pm	Open Sew
	6:00pm	God + Me Class #12
	6:00pm	Adult Choir
	7:00pm	Church Council Meeting
Tuesday, Nov 14	6:00pm	Board of Education Meeting
	6:00pm	Elders' Meeting
Wednesday, Nov 15	4:30pm	Public School Confirmation Class
	5:30pm	GriefShare
Thursday, Nov 16	6:30pm	WORSHIP w/ Lord's Supper
Saturday, Nov 18	9:00am	Women's Bible Study
Sunday, Nov 12	8:00am	WORSHIP w/ Lord's Supper (K-1 sings)
	9:15am	Family Bible Study (<i>lower level</i>)
	10:30am	WORSHIP w/ Lord's Supper
	11:45am	Hand bell practice



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is a family glorifying God, growing in faith,
and leading others to Christ.*

Worship Schedule:
Thursdays at 6:30 PM
Sundays at 8 AM & 10:30 AM

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