News and Notes of Interest

THE RITE OF CONFIRMATION will take place today. Our confirmands this year are Madison Kuebler, Malia McCreight, Hailee McDowell, Lainee McDowell, Maya Yelkin. God's richest blessings to you all!

CONFIRMAND RECEPTION: Thrivent invites you to attend a reception for our confirmands in the parish hall after the Divine Service today. Thank you to the Thrivent members for hosting this reception.

<u>DIVINE SERVICES</u> are on Sundays at 9:00 am with Sunday School, Youth and Adult Bible classes from 10:15-11:15 am. The service is livestreamed on Facebook live.

<u>CHRISTIANS IN A WOKE WORLD</u> is the title of our current Adult Bible Study that meets in the parish hall after the Divine Service. Hope you can join us!

SUNDAY SCHOOL is very beneficial for our children because it is a time spent hearing and studying God's Word, through which the Holy Spirit creates and sustains saving faith in Jesus Christ.

TUESDAY MATINS & BIBLE STUDY: Join us on Tuesday mornings for a Matins Service (prayer, Scripture, hymns) at 9:00 a.m. A Bible study follows from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. We are currently studying the Book of Exodus.

LWML MAY SALAD SUPPER: **TODAY** is the deadline to RSVP for the salad supper this Wednesday, May 3rd at 6:30 pm! You are welcome to invite your mom, sister, daughter, or a friend, just let Becky know by this evening. For more information on the program see the poster on the bulletin board across from the kitchen.

HIGHER THINGS DEVOTIONALS: A booklet of daily *Reflections* for Easter are available on the guest book table. Go to https://higherthings.org/reflections to see other formats that are available.

<u>PORTALS OF PRAYER</u> for April-June are available on the Guest Book table in the narthex.

EAGLE FOOD BANK: LWML continues to collect food for the Eagle food bank. Donations can be left in the tote by the church entrance. Thank you for your donations!

TUITION ASSISTANCE is available for students attending a LCMS elementary or high school. The application deadline is June 15th. Contact a member of the Board of Education for an application (*Abbie Porath, Leah Obenland, Rachel Hrabik, Bobbi Hohman*).

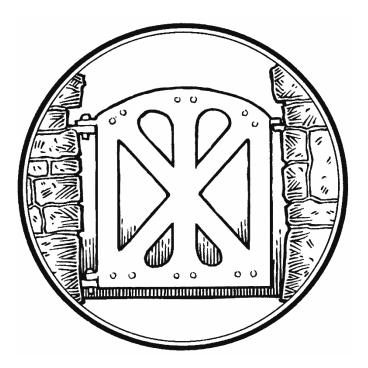
<u>ISSUES</u>, <u>ETC.</u> ... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen on-demand at <u>issuesetc.org</u>, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

LAWN MOWING SIGN-UP: If your family (or a couple of families) would be willing to mow the lawn on a particular week, please sign up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board. The church has two riding lawnmowers that can be used. If you have any questions, contact one of the Trustees (*Tom Hohman, Jeramy Yelkin, Terry Kuebler, Scott Hrabik*).

May 4-6 May 11-13 May18-20

** Note to Mowers: Please mow 3-4 passes around the A/C units with the grass clippings thrown away from the church. Questions, please ask a Trustee.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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APRIL 30, 2023

<u>WELCOME TO IMMANUEL:</u> We are glad that you are here as we gather around the Word and Sacraments of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you have not already done so, we ask that you would sign the guest book at the entrance to the church. If you do not have a church home, we would love for you to find a home here at Immanuel. If you have questions about the Christian faith and Lutheranism, please contact Pastor Porath, 781-2190.

THE LORD'S SUPPER IS A GIFT ... and as with all our Lord's gifts, we desire to give and receive them as He intends. The Lord's Supper is given for our benefit, but God's Word also says: "Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord" (1 Corinthians 11:27). Therefore, in faithfulness to our Lord, and in love for you, Immanuel follows the historic practice of closed communion.

<u>ALL GUESTS</u> are therefore asked to visit with our pastor before coming to the altar to receive the Lord's Supper. If you do not have opportunity to visit with him prior to the service, he is more than willing to visit with you during the week.

Prayers of the Church

+ Military + Alily Kliewer (Dallas & Becky Obenland's niece), Ryan Merrill (Scott & D'Ann Washington's relative) + Hospitalized, Suffering, Ill or Recovering + Dave Karle (Mike's brother), Clifford Schildt, Brian (Bonita Severson's nephew), Dallas Obenland, Kim Tatum (friend of the Bakers), Jay Berry (friend of the Bakers), Brenda Ivy (Carolyn Jensen's daughter), Denise Ortlieb (Art's wife), Larry Kimble (Frank & Gloria Umland's son-in-law), Siouxsee Taylor (Bonita Severson's cousin), Lori Koepsel (Obenland's friend), Carol Luedders, Maverick Roland (Dan & Cheri's son), Bill Umland, John Rader (Kenny's brother), Michael Gay (friend of the Colemans), Jenny Henderson (relative of Larry Severson), Larry Harschfield (Marlene Schroder's brother-in-law).

We ask that you would include these people in the prayers during <u>your home</u> <u>devotions</u>. Also include all Christians, our families, the governing authorities, and all who suffer in body or soul.

Please call 781-2190 if you have a petition to be included in the prayers.

In His Service

Pastor: Rev. Scott T. Porath (Cell: 440-4965; Parsonage: 781-2776)

Organist: Barbara Hohman Crucifer: Henry Reimer

Torchbearers: Brooklyn McDowell, Jaysa Yelkin Altar Guild: Alice Rader and Sharon Hestermann

Elders: Birk Baker (419-8008), Shawn Luedders (960-0659)
Ushers: Tim McDowell, Kevin Bolin, Cliff Schildt, Kenny Rader

Gifts of Time and Treasure

Divine Service:	95	Sunday School:	14	ļ.
Last Week's Offerings *Sunday Divine Service Sunday School Building Fund Other Offerings	\$ 4,109.35 \$ 9.25 \$ 100.00 \$ 25.00	Year To Date Offerings General Fund Offerings Sunday School Building Fund Other Offerings		66,917.99 81.09 1,910.00 235.00
**Total Offerings <u>Last Week's Budget</u> General Fund Needed Difference	\$ 4,153.60 \$ 4,218.15 \$ (198.80)	Offerings Received Year To Date Budget General Fund Needed Difference	\$ \$ \$	69,144.08 71,708.62 (4,790.63)

^{*}Includes only General Fund Offering towards the Budget

The Lord's Week

Sunday, April 30 th	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Divine Service w/ Rite of Confirmation Confirmation Reception Sunday School/Youth/Adult Bible Study
Monday, May 1st	6:30 pm	Board of Elders
Tuesday, May 2 nd	9:00 am 9:30 am	Matins Bible Study
Wednesday, May 3 rd	6:30 pm	LWML Salad Supper
Thursday, May 4 th		
Friday, May 5 th		
Saturday, May 6th		
Sunday, May 7 th	9:00 am 10:15 am	

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS are 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, Monday through Friday.

The office may be closed on occasion, so please call ahead.

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^{**}Total Received includes all offerings-General Fund, Building Fund, & other offerings (special funds)