News and Notes of Interest

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

ADULT BIBLE STUDY is studying the Epistle to the Romans. Everyone is invited to attend. Grab a cup of coffee and join us.

TUESDAY MATINS & BIBLE STUDY: Matins is a service of Scripture and prayer that begins at 9:00 a.m. We are currently studying the Gospel of St. Matthew, and that study begins at 9:30 a.m.

JULY VOTERS' MEETING is scheduled for Sunday, July 25th after the 9:00 a.m. Divine Service. All voting members are encouraged to attend.

<u>THANK YOU</u> to all who sent cards in celebration of Larry's 79th birthday. They were wonderful! (Ikenberry family)

<u>ACELC CONFERENCE</u>: The Association of Confessing Evangelical Lutheran Congregations invites you to join us for our annual conference to be held July 27-29, 2021. We here at Immanuel are honored to host the conference! It is our hope that this conference will help in unifying the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod in doctrine and practice. This year's theme is, "Christ For Us: Ecclesiastical Supervision." For more information, and to register, go to <u>www.acelc.net</u>

<u>ACELC CONFERENCE VOLUNTEERS</u>: We are looking for some people to help with a variety of things for the ACELC conference. Please speak with Birk Baker for more information, or to offer your services. Thank you!

SIBERIAN LUTHERAN MISSON SOCIETY will be the focus of a presentation during the Adult Bible class on Sunday, July 18th. There will be other presentations and activities throughout the day at the American Historical Society of Germans from Russia (AHSGR) and at the University Lutheran Chapel in Lincoln. See the flyer posted on the bulletin board for more information. Hope you can join us to learn more about the Lutheran church in Siberia.

FLOWERS: If you would like to provide flowers, there is a sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board across from the kitchen.

<u>RSVP NEEDED</u>: If you have not already done so, please RSVP, by Wednesday, July 14 to Dallas Obenland, if you plan to attend the lunch on Sunday, August 1, in honor of Pastor's 30th ordination anniversary. Serving will start around 11:30 am, and it will be a catered meal.

SHARING TABLE: Do you have extra produce from the garden? Bring it to church and put it on the Sharing Table in the front entry. If you see something on the Sharing Table that you would like to eat, pick it up and take it home.

<u>CHURCH REMODEL LOAN</u>: The projects for the church remodel have been completed. There is still an outstanding loan balance of \$1,769.36. You can help to pay off the loan by giving an offering to the Building Fund (please mark your donation accordingly).

<u>PORTALS OF PRAYER</u> for July-September are available on the guest _book table in the narthex. Take one for your family devotions, or take one to a friend.

ISSUES, ETC. ... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's teachings include: The Calling of Christians in the 21st Century, The Social Justice Movement, The Scandinavian Reformation, Lutheran Hymnwriter Anna Hoppe and more. You can listen on-demand at <u>issuesetc.org</u>, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

<u>IF YOU NEED HELP</u> in these days (finances, help with groceries, pick up medications, a ride, etc.), please contact Pastor or the church.

LAWN MOWING: 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.

July 15-17 Cosby July 22-24 Vrbka July 29-31

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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JULY 11, 2021

WELCOME TO IMMANUEL: 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.

ALL GUESTS 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 + Daniel Yslas (Dan & Susan Vrbka's grandson), Jonathan Umland (Bill & Verda's grandson) + Hospitalized, Suffering, Ill or Recovering + Melva Nielsen (Scott's mother), Michael Gay (friend of the Colemans), Layne Saunders (Kenneth & Alice Rader's great-granddaughter), Gary Sindelar (Suzanne Yelkin's brother-in-law), Bill Umland, Diane Bolin, Duane Arends, Larry Ikenberry, Jenny Henderson (relative of Larry Severson), Mike Johanek (Sheryl Stine's cousin), Anselm Wimmer (Suzanne Yelkin's relative), Jordon Powell (Lisa Schmidt's brother-in-law), Peggy Pauley (Jodi Manley's friend), Raven Curtis (Gregg Fusselman's granddaughter), Larry Harschfield (Marlene Schroder's brother-inlaw).

We ask that you would include these people in the prayers during your home devotions. Also include the governing authorities, those in medical professions, those suffering because of the coronavirus, and all who mourn the death of loved Please call 781-2190 if you have a petition to be included in the prayers. ones.

In His Service

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

Barbara Hohman Organist:

Acolyte: Tenley Peery

Altar Guild: Mary Coleman, Catherine Porath

AJ Reimer (515-0748), Birk Baker (419-8008) Elders:

Tom Hohman, Nathan Hohman, Andy McLaughlin, Marcus Schmidt Ushers:

Gífts of Tíme and Treasure

Divine Service:	99	Sunday School:	10
Last Week's Offerings		Year To Date Offering	s
*Sunday Divine Service	\$ 4,034.75	General Fund Offering	s \$ 88,531.08
Special Service	\$	-	
Sunday School	\$ 8.20	Sunday School	\$ 83.40
Building Fund	\$ 100.00	Building Fund	\$ 5,305.00
Other Offerings	\$ 25.00	Other Offerings	\$ 230.00
**Total Offerings	\$ 4,167.95	Offerings Received	\$ 94,148.48
Last Week's Budget		Year To Date Budget	
General Fund Needed	\$ 3,820.50	General Fund Needed	\$ 103,153.50
Difference	\$ 214.25	Difference	\$ (14,622.42)
*Includes only General Fund Offe **Total Received includes all offer			s (special funds)

The Lord's Week

Sunday, July 11 th	9:00 am	Divine Service	
	10:15 am	SS / Youth / Adult Bible Study	
Monday, July 12 th	10:00 am	Circuit Pastors' Conference	
Tuesday, July 13 th		Matins Bible Study	
Wednesday, July 14 th	9:30 am	Didache	
Thursday, July 15 th			
Friday, July 16 th			
Saturday, July 17th			
Sunday, July 18 th	,	Divine Service SS / Youth / Adult Bible Study with Siberian Lutheran Mission Society Presentation	

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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