

News and Notes of Interest

DIVINE SERVICES 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.

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. We encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity.

VOTERS MEETING will be held TODAY after the Divine Service.

TREASURER'S REPORT: If you would like to see the full detailed 3rd Quarter Treasurer's Report, a copy can be found in the Treasurer's mail box.

TUESDAY MATINS & BIBLE STUDY: You are invited to join us on Tuesday mornings for a Matins Service (prayer, Scripture, hymns) at 9:00 a.m., following with a Bible study from 9:30-10:30 a.m. We are currently studying the Book of Exodus.

SOUP SUPPER VOLUNTEER SIGN UP TODAY: The church soup supper is scheduled for November 13th from 4:30-7:00 pm. Volunteers are needed to bring salads & pies and for working one of the shifts that night. The Stewardship Board will have sign-up sheets available after church today in the parish hall. Proceeds will go to two of our church's families that have newborn babies, one that is in the NICU at Bryan and one that is at Children's recovering from heart surgery. Thrivent will be providing supplemental funds.

BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN: This is the LAST SUNDAY to grab a baby bottle and fill it with coins, checks, or cash! Baby bottles are still available on a table in the parish hall for you to pick up. There is information on the table to explain how the fundraiser works. Please return filled bottles, partial or full, by next Sunday October 30th. Thank you!

TUITION ASSISTANCE is available for students attending an LCMS elementary or high school. The application deadline is November 15th. Contact a member of the Board of Education for an application.

25 YEARS WITH PASTOR KUHLMAN! Trinity Lutheran Church (Murdock) would like to invite you to join them in celebrating the 25 years that Pastor Brent Kuhlman and his wife Robin have been with them. Join them for a dinner on Sunday, November 6th at 11:30 a.m. (31104 Church Road – 2 miles north of Murdock).

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY: Just a reminder that, regardless of the time of the day, please contact Pastor in case of an emergency (cell # 402-440-4965). If it is in the middle of the night and he does not answer his cell phone, please call the parsonage land line (402-781-2776). Keep calling until you actually talk to him (and don't assume he will see the text or hear the voicemail). His phone numbers are included inside the front cover of each week's bulletin, but we encourage you to include them in your contacts.

EAGLE FOOD BANK: LWML continues to collect food for the Eagle food bank. Items needed include, toilet paper, canned pasta, hearty soups, fruits, shelf milk, hot chocolate, coffee, toothpaste, deodorant, dish soap, detergent and cleaning supplies. Donations can be left in the tote by the church entrance. Thank you for your donations!

PORTALS OF PRAYER for Oct-Dec are available on the Guest Book table in the narthex.

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. You can listen on-demand at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

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.

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



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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 + Jonathan Umland (Bill & Verda's grandson) + **Hospitalized, Suffering, Ill or Recovering** + Owen Hestermann, Rev. Dale Brynestad (friend of Bolins), Denise Ortlieb (Art's wife), Larry Kimble (Frank & Gloria Umland's son-in-law), Hudson Vrbka, Matt Maloy (Bonita Severson's brother-in-law), Siouxsee Taylor (Bonita Severson's cousin), Lori Koepsel (Obenland's friend), Bud Yelkin, Carol Luedders, Greg Bauer (friend of the Bakers), Maverick Roland (Dan & Cheri's son), Larry Ikenberry, 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 your home devotions. 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

Acolyte: Tenley Peery

Altar Guild: Sheryl Stine & Lisa Schmidt

Elders: Dallas Obenland (786-7277), Shawn Luedders (960-0659)

Ushers: Joe, Owen, Charlie Reimer, Wyatt Baker

Gifts of Time and Treasure

Divine Service:	94	Sunday School:	10
<u>Last Week's Offerings</u>		<u>Year To Date Offerings</u>	
*Sunday Divine Service	\$ 1,474.75	General Fund Offerings	\$ 133,573.45
Sunday School	\$	Sunday School	\$ 149.22
Building Fund	\$ 110.00	Building Fund	\$ 4,090.00
Other Offerings	\$ 10.00	Other Offerings	\$ 585.00
**Total Offerings	\$ 1,594.75	Offerings Received	\$ 138,397.67
<u>Last Week's Budget</u>		<u>Year To Date Budget</u>	
General Fund Needed	\$ 3,957.02	General Fund Needed	\$ 166,194.81
Difference	\$(2,482.27)	Difference	\$ (32,621.36)

**Includes only General Fund Offering towards the Budget*

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

The Lord's Week

Sunday, October 23 rd	9:00 am	Divine Service
	10:15 am	Sunday School/Youth Bible Study
	10:15 am	Voters' Meeting
	11:15 am	Youth Group – Pumpkins, Pizza & Pie
Monday, October 24 th		
Tuesday, October 25 th	9:00 am	Matins
	9:30 am	Bible Study
Wednesday, October 26 th	6:30 pm	Catechesis Classes
Thursday, October 27 th		
Friday, October 28 th		
Saturday, October 29 th		
Sunday, October 30 th	9:00 am	Divine Service
	10:15 am	Sunday School/Youth/Adult Bible Study

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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