The family of Immanuel Lutheran Church welcomes you. We hope that you will Worship with us often.



#### IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

"A Stephen Ministry Congregation"
The Rev. Charles P. Marshall

Our mission as disciples of Jesus, is to commit ourselves to making Christ known through worship, service, outreach, learning, and loving one another

Saturday, October 20, 2018 Sunday, October 21, 2018 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

#### A SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

Welcome! We invite you to become a part of the ministry at Immanuel. For more information about the church and how to get involved, speak with the pastor following the service. Please sign the Red Pad found at each center row pew. The Head Usher can assist you at any time during the service. Sunday School classes are after the Sunday service for children 2 years old through adult. Please stop by while you are here!

# Worship Assistants

	Sat Oct 20	
Head Usher	Rodgers Hagert	
Greeter	er Barb Davidson	
Lector	Linda Black	
Offering	Barb Davidson	
Ushers Ron Davidson		
Communion	Linda Black	

\*Cell Phone / Electronics Announcement\* Kindly, turn off or silence ALL devices during our services. Thank you.

	Sun Oct 21	
Head Usher	Joe Fleck	
Altar Guild	Rhonda Kiler	
	Ellen Linsenbardt	
Greeters	Linda Gregg	
	Carolyn Kittelberger	
Lector	John Gregg	
	Laurie Miller	
Offering	Steve Miller	
Ushers	Brenda Murray	
	Brenda Wulforst	
	Frank Burnette	
Communion	Susan Burnette	
Stewards	Bart Walder	
	Barb Yingling	
Acolytos	Zoe Gregg	
Acolytes	Danica Reiley	
Pray w/ Pastor	Connie Dattilio	
Bell Ringer	Ernest Weiss	

# INDIVIDUAL PRAYER AND HEALING:

Pastor Charlie offers individual prayer at the communion rail, with anointing and laying of hands for healing for those who desire it, 20 minutes before each service.

## **DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION:**

Our hope is that you feel welcome at the Lord's Table. We welcome all baptized Christians who proclaim with us the crucified and risen Christ's real presence as he gives us his body and blood as food and drink. Grape juice and gluten free wafers are also available, please let the Communion assistants know of this dietary preference. The pastor also offers a pastoral blessing at the Communion Rail for those who do not wish to receive Communion.

## **FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN**: We are glad you are here!

- Activity bags are in back to help little ones keep themselves occupied.
- The Oak Tree Room and the Pre-School Room are available for nursing mothers and others with small children and allow you to listen to the service.
- Baby Sunday School is offered for little ones accompanied by an adult most Sundays during worship (after children's sermon and return before Communion).

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

Sovereign God,

you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

#### LEAD JOURNEY PRESENTATION

#### FIRST READING

Isaiah 53:4-12

This reading is from the last of four passages in Isaiah that are often called "servant songs." Christians are probably most familiar with this servant song. In light of Christian faith, the servant's healing ministry and redemptive suffering are understood to be fulfilled in the life and death of Christ.

<sup>4</sup>Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases;

yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted.

<sup>5</sup>But he was wounded for our transgressions,

crushed for our iniquities;

upon him was the punishment that made us whole,

and by his bruises we are healed.

<sup>6</sup>All we like sheep have gone astray;

we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

<sup>7</sup>He was oppressed, and he was afflicted,

yet he did not open his mouth;

like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth.

<sup>8</sup>By a perversion of justice he was taken away.

Who could have imagined his future?

For he was cut off from the land of the living,

stricken for the transgression of my people.

<sup>9</sup>They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence,

and there was no deceit in his mouth.

<sup>10</sup>Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with pain.

When you make his life an offering for sin,

he shall see his offspring, and shall prolong his days;

through him the will of the LORD shall prosper.

<sup>11</sup>Out of his anguish he shall see light;

he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.

The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities.

<sup>12</sup>Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong; because he poured out himself to death, and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

#### SECOND READING

**Hebrews 5:1-10** 

Using imagery from scripture and from Jewish worship practices, Jesus is presented as the great high priest who was obedient to God's saving plan. Through his suffering and death he has become the source of eternal salvation.

<sup>1</sup>Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. <sup>2</sup>He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; <sup>3</sup> and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. <sup>4</sup>And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

<sup>5</sup>So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; <sup>6</sup>as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek."

<sup>7</sup>In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. <sup>8</sup>Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; <sup>9</sup>and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, <sup>10</sup>having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL Mark 10:35-45

The holy gospel according to Mark.

# Glory to you, O Lord.

On the way to Jerusalem the disciples ask Jesus to grant them seats of honor. Jesus responds by announcing that he and his followers will "rule" through self-giving service. <sup>35</sup> James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." <sup>36</sup> And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" <sup>37</sup> And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." <sup>38</sup> But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" <sup>39</sup> They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; <sup>40</sup> but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

<sup>41</sup>When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. <sup>42</sup>So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. <sup>43</sup>But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, <sup>44</sup>and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. <sup>45</sup>For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Sun Oct 21	++ Upcoming Week ++ Worship Service w Communion Sunday School Bible Study-Martin Luther Room Confirmation Class	<b>9:00am</b> 10:15am 10:15am 7:00pm
Mon Oct 22	Scout Den Mtg – SS Rooms AA and Al-Anon	7:00pm 8:00pm
Tues Oct 23	Bible Stugy – Oak Tree Room Scouts Bible Study – Pastors Home	11:00am 7:00pm 7:00pm
Wed Oct 24	AA	7:15pm
Thur Oct 25	Chime Choir Practice Adult Choir Practice	6:00pm 7:00pm
Fri Oct 26	AA and Al-Anon (in Social Hall)	8:00pm
Sat Oct 27	Reformation Weekend <i>Worship Service w Communion</i> AA	<b>5:00pm</b> 6:30pm
Sun Oct 28	Reformation Sunday Worship Service w Communion Sunday School Bible Study-Martin Luther Room Women's Choir Practice Confirmation Class	<b>9:00am</b> 10:15am 10:15am 10:30am 7:00pm

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please Note: Annual Congregation Meeting is on Sun, November 18.

The **Altar Vases** are <u>unsponsored</u> for <u>this weekend, October 20-21</u>. Please contact Altar Guild if you would like to <u>take one or both vases</u> of flowers following the Sunday Service. Flowers will be bagged for your easy transport. Thank you.

The Cemetery Board is glad to announce it has completed survey and title work on 2+ acres of land, given by Mr. Gary LaMotte, adjoining the New Cemetery. The Board is extremely pleased with such a generous gift. This property will be used for future expansion of the cemetery.

Our *two devotionals*, <u>Our Daily Bread</u> (for September, October and November) and <u>Christ In Our Home</u> (for October, November and December) are available for your home study in the tiered display case at the stairway entrance. Stop by and get your copies!

Collecting the items listed below for Operation Christmas Child.

All the items can be found in the dollar section at Carroll Drugs Pharmacy in Manchester or at the Dollar Store! (no liquids or war related items)

Bars of soap Wash cloths Hair ties Combs Toothbrushes Packs of crayons Activity/coloring books Packs of Pencils Small toy/stuffed animal

Place donations in the Operation Christmas Child boxes outside of the sanctuary. Last year we packed 60 shoeboxes. Our goal is to beat that number this year! If you have any questions please contact Matthew or Jamie Rooney at 443-536-3541 or jamielr126@gmail.com



Our shoebox packing party is on Nov 4<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is invited to attend.

#### OCTOBER 2018 LECTIONARY ~ for your Home Bible Study

Week of:	First Reading	Psalm	Second Reading	Gospel
October 1 ~ 7	Genesis	Psalm	Hebrews	Mark
	2:18-24	8	1:1-4, 2:5-12	10:2-16
October 8 ~ 14	Amos	Psalm	Hebrews	Mark
	5:6-7, 10-15	90:12-17	4:12-16	10:17-31
October 15 ~ 21	Isaiah	Psalm	Hebrews	Mark
	53:4-12	91:9-16	5:1-10	10:35-45
October 22 ~ 28	Jeremiah	Psalm	Romans	John
Reformation	31:31-34	46	3:19-28	8:31-36

#### OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN AND GROW AT IMMANUEL

No previous knowledge of the Bible is required for any Bible study



#### SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:

**Year-round Sunday morning Bible study** is in the Martin Luther Room after the worship service, approx 10:15 to 11:15am. (Coffee Hour Sundays, 10:45–11:30) Each week we explore the Gospel reading for the following Sunday.

Oct 21: John 8:31-36 Oct 28: John 11:32-44

#### MIDWEEK PRAYER AND BIBLE STUDY GROUPS:

THE BIBLE & THE AFTERLIFE

What happens after we die? In October, our midweek groups will continue to explore Bible passages that help answer this perennial question. We will learn how the understanding of the afterlife developed from ancient Israel to the New Testament Church. Everyone is welcome, and no previous knowledge of the Bible is needed. Bible Study will not meet Oct. 16-19, while Pastor Charlie is away.

**Morning Group** meets 11am in the Oak Tree Room on Tuesdays, Oct 23 & 30.

**Evening Group** meets 7pm at Pastor's home, (840 Hughes Shop Rd, 21158) on Tuesdays, Oct 23 and 30.

## CONFIRMATION CLASS: THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Confirmation Class meets Sundays, Oct 21 & 28 at 7-8pm in the Oak Tree Room. This year we are exploring the Small Catechism, beginning with the Ten Commandments. New students are welcome any time!



**NEW YOUTH MINISTRY!** Immanuel is one of at least 3 churches taking part in a new joint youth ministry group! We hope to have an activity each month. Anyone is welcome to attend! The first planned activity is <u>Saturday</u>, Oct 20: Corn Maze at Showvaker's, Manchester 7-9pm (raindate Oct 27)

**The Festival of the Reformation** is the weekend services of <u>Oct 27-28</u>. Everyone is encouraged to wear something **RED** to their service of choice.

#### ARE YOU RECEIVING PASTOR CHARLIE'S WEEKLY EMAIL?

If you want a weekly message from Pastor Charlie with reminders about what's happening at Immanuel, send your email to pastorc@ielcmd.org.

#### 2018 ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORSHIPS ~ LESSONS & PRAYERS



2018 Sponsorship request form and envelopes are still available on the **FLOWER SPONSORSHIP CALENDAR** bulletin board of the office hallway. Your written information and payment, <u>must be received by 12 noon of the Wednesday prior to your reserved sponsorship date</u> to insure inclusion in the weekly bulletin. We suggest that you co-Sponsor with a family member or a friend to split the cost.

Prices: \$50 for both Altar Vases

\$25 for only one sponsored vase

\$30 for Center Arrangement \$20 for Lessons & Prayers

# Open Weekends Still Available:

- Oct 27-28 Altar Vases ~ Center Arrangement ~ Lessons & Prayers Reformation
- Nov 3-4 Altar Vases ~ Center Arrangement ~ Lessons & Prayers All Saints
- Nov 10-11 Altar Vases ~ Center Arrangement ~ Lessons & Prayers Veterans' Weekend
- Nov 17-18 Altar Vases ~ Center Arrangement
- ➤ **Nov 10-11** Altar Vases ~ Lessons & Prayers Christ the King

#### It is hard to believe, but it is time for our Holiday families.



We would like to extend our help to families at Immanuel Church. If you know a family that is in need Sponsorsilly and could use our help this year (Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter), contact Amanda Yingling or Debbie Hebrank.

Or place their name and contact information in an envelope and put in Social Ministries mailbox. Please let us know by October 31st. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call or see one of us.

# Looking Ahead ... Save these Dates

#### October 27-28

Festival of the Reformation Weekend Services at 5pm and 9am Woman's Harmony practice following Sunday worship in choir loft

#### November 3-4

All Saints Remembrance Weekend Services at 5pm and 9am Daylight Saving Time ENDS Sunday 2am - FALL BACK ONE HOUR Special Missions Weekend Offering collected for 'Food for the Poor' Sunday Coffee Hour in Social Hall following worship

#### November 10-11

Veterans' Thank You Weekend at 5pm and 9am Altar Guild Annual Meeting in Oak Tree Room at 10:30am

# Sunday, Nov 18

Woman's Harmony Choir provide special music (practice at 8:30am) Annual Congregational Meeting (Social Hall) following Sunday worship

# Wednesday, Nov 21

Thanksgiving Eve Service at 7pm

# Sunday, November 25

Festival of Christ the King Weekend Services at 5pm and 9am

# December 1-2

#### Advent 1

Special Missions Weekend Offering collected for 'World Hunger' Poinsettia Sale begins Sunday Coffee Hour in Social Hall following worship

It is SOCK-tober !! Socks are one the most needed items in homeless shelters, but also one of the least donated. We are holding a Sock Drive the month of October to benefit the less fortunate in our community. A box is in the Narthex to collect new sock donations. If you have any questions please contact Amanda Yingling: 717-880-5215, mandymae1210@gmail.com.

Westminster Cluster of WELCA Fall Meeting is at 9:30am on Saturday, October 27 at Carroll Lutheran Village (classroom 1 in Wellness Center). RSVP to Gloria Kniss at 717-359-7681. Devotions by Doris Dell.

The **Woman's Harmony Choir** will have a **practice on Sun, October 28**, following morning worship, in the <u>choir loft</u>. We still need more members, including any 'younger' voices! We plan <u>to sing on Sunday, November 18<sup>th</sup> during the 9am service.</u> Contact Susan Burnette if you'd like to help!!

# PASTOR CHARLIE'S OCTOBER BIBLE CHALLENGE: JESUS OUR HIGH PRIEST

Our October Bible Challenge will take us through the New Testament book of Hebrews. This letter, more like an extended sermon, encourages discouraged believers to remain faithful to God by following the example of Jesus, our great High Priest. The online Bible Study will continue with daily comments from Pastor Charlie on Facebook. If you would like to join this private group or receive copies via email of the comments he posts each day, email pastorc@ielcmd.org.

10/19 Hebrews 8:8-13	10/24 Hebrews 10:19-25	10/29 Hebrews 12:18-29
10/20 Hebrews 9:1-14	10/25 Hebrews 10:26-39	10/30 Hebrews 13:1-16
10/21 Hebrews 9:15-22	10/26 Hebrews 11:1-22	10/31 Hebrews 13:17-25
10/22 Hebrews 9:23-28	10/27 Hebrews 11:23-40	
10/23 Hebrews 10:1-18	10/28 Hebrews 12:1-17	

We serve lunch at 'Table Of Grace' on October 30<sup>th</sup>. If you are unable to help during the day, consider donating a baked good (homemade or store bought). Our clients love anything with icing and love pies! If you have any questions, please contact Debbie, Rhonda or Brenda.

## Local Pantry Collection for October:



NESAP/ToFF is in need of Canned Fruit and Paper Towels. Labeled baskets are in the



Narthex for your donations. They also need plastic and paper bags (the ones you get from Miller's.) The bags can also be dropped in the baskets. Thank you!

**The Festival of All Saints** will be celebrated Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>. Those who have died during the last twelve months will be remembered during the Prayers of Intercession. White carnations will be given in their memory.

# Consider becoming a part of the *Music Ministry of Immanuel*! We currently support *five* various groups:

- ~ The Sunday Adult Choir ~ The Chime Choir ~ The Luther Men
- ~ The Children's Choir ~ The Woman's Harmony Choir
  If you are not able to commit to regular practices at this time, but can
  participate during the year, please contact:
  - ~ Jerry Hoffman (Organist/Choir Director)
  - ~ Audrey Moose (Chime Choir Director)
  - ~ Wayne Thomas (Luther Men Choir)
  - ~ Amanda Yingling (Children's Choir Coordinator)
  - ~ Susan Burnette (Woman's Harmony Choir contact)

No Experience Needed, just your willingness to 'make a joyful noise'!

- > The Sunday Adult Choir practice on Thursdays @ 7pm
- > The Chime Choir practice on Thursdays @ 6pm
- > The Luther Men sing quarterly, practice as needed
- The Children's Choir sing quarterly, practice as needed
- The Woman's Harmony Choir sing quarterly, practice as needed \*Practice, Sunday, October 28 @ 10:30am, choir loft Sing, Sunday, November 18

More information on *Music Ministry Bulletin Board* in the office hallway.

## October Wedding Anniversaries

John & Linda Gregg Oct 1, 2005 Gene & Sandy Voight Oct 11, 1975 Brian & Amanda Yingling Oct 1, 2011 Dale & Alice Warehime Oct 12, 1958 Robert & Cheryl Chaney Oct 4 Pete & Brenda Wulforst Oct 18, 1985 Luke & Nicole Campbell Oct 7 Brad & Ashley Calp Oct 20, 2012 Ron & Linda Schmidt Oct 11, 1964 Matthew & Jamie Rooney Oct 27, 2012

#### **October Birthdays**

Christine Hoffman Layla Campbell Ava Yingling Tim David Toby David Leonora Hoffman Delores Leese Mary Ann Cardinale

Maureen Cobak Ron Schmidt Gary Eppley Natalie Bolander Carolyn Hamlet Carl Welsh Gail Miller Bert Hamlet Nancy Hagert Ava Lee Paul Dattilo Doug Mace Donna Patterson Rose Frase Susan Yingling

The <u>last time</u> **Veterans Day** fell on a <u>Sunday</u> was in 2012. Since then, if you have served in the military and are now retired, please contact Susan Burnette. A short <u>Veterans' Questionnaire</u> is available for you to provide your information (last page of October Newsletter). You will be honored and thanked on **Veteran's Weekend**, <u>November 10-11</u>.

WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE Now through November 11, we are collecting new and gently used coats, hats, gloves and scarves. All sizes, infant through adult, and for male and female. Minor repairs and cleaning as needed done by Admiral Cleaners in Westminster. Place donations in the designated area in the narthex. FREE distribution to Carroll County residents through Shepherd's Staff.

The **Altar Guild** at Immanuel will have their <u>annual planning</u> meeting on <u>Sunday</u>, **November 11**<sup>th</sup>, in the Oak Tree room, following the morning worship. ALL members are encouraged to attend.

**Congregation Meeting and Potluck Lunch** will be held in the Social Hall following the 9am service on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>November 18</u><sup>th</sup>. Sign up in the back of church. Fellowship will provide fried chicken, paper products, and drinks.

12th Annual Carroll County Festival of Trees at John Street Quarters in



Westminster (next to Westminster Fire Dept) on November 23, 24, and 25. Featuring silent auction of over 30 decorated trees. Proceeds to benefit The Shepherd's Staff.

For more information, visit www.shepstaff.org.

# Please remember in your prayers:

Jeff Dell \*Walter Ruby \*Ardice Holbrook Ann Trent Cary Myers Gail Brown Fred Davies Reid Ronayne Dorinda Smith Dolly Ruby Jan Rhoten Robert Rhoten Joe Morris \*Ginny Sellers Deborah Moose Elissa Snedeker John Leitner \*Romaine Harper \*Paulyne Hartlaub Joe Miller Esther Miller Ann Harden John Marshall Don Diseroad Thelma Blizzard Donna Mummert Pam Miller Jim Moose **Dhruv Dhingra** 

Nancy Hoffman

Bonnie Sterner

Bryan Ridgely

Janice Farley

Steven Garv Karen Schaefer **Gary Southard** Paul Moffitt Gaiser Family Angela Locke Janis Hagert Dot Matthews Carolyn Kittelberger Bill Skelley Gary Eppley Kelly McNeal Carter Murphy Maria Barczak Jodi Grossman Jeffrey Jones Jim Federici Dan Riley Kathryn Riley David MacArthur Max Murphy Joeann Peach Jan Engman Bill Whitehead III Ryan Whitehead Norma and Joe Pat Morris Linda Price Jean Honevcutt Gladys Riley Margie Lookingbill

Daniel Woo Lisa Wulforst Katie & Brian Benden Denise Rickell Connie Dattilio **Justin Tawney** Jackie Losiewski Brenda Kiler Perry Janet Gross June Hale Mary Ayers Mary Popp Jim Menaes Cvndi Seibel Janet Brady Marianne Lieberman Pastor Greg Knepp Donna Frase Susie Zepp Arnold Speert Diana Thompson **Brian Yingling** Angie Keffer Aurthur Ensor Sr. Jess (Biondo) Redifer Don Sites Nathan and Jackson Sharon Hevet Laura Kiler

Sophie Kiler

\*Pastoral Care list

Family of Gary Ross, parent of children who attended CLS

**Brooklynn Hays** 

Our Missionary in South Sudan refugee camps: Rev. Wal Reat
Those serving in the military: Brett Richardson, Jenelle Espinoza,
Kyle Pasta, David Mace, Cassy Sanders, Gavin Bussard, Austin Maloney

