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Immanuel’s Calendar This Week

Today - 9:00 a.m. Worship Service with Communion
Monday – Clara City Care Center Birthday Party
Sunday – 9:00 a.m. Worship Service with Communion
12:00 Noon – Belview Winery Event

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<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
PowerPoint/Acolyte: Alyson Strommer	Kayden Prekker
Lay Reader: Laine Rieger	Annette Rosen
Ushers: Gary & Cindy Meyer	Curt Knapper & Keith Harms
Communion Server: Gary Meyer	Michele Schubert
Altar Guild: Nancy Gosseling	Kathy Speiser
Coffee Servers: No Coffee	No Coffee

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Worship Services are now broadcast over FM radio 93.9, and AM 1460 or view the livestream of the service at Immanuel Lutheran’s Facebook page.

For Upcoming Events, Happenings, and Weekly Updates – Please check Immanuel’s Facebook page. All events, times and changes for Immanuel will be posted there.

Reminder: If you would like Pastor Joel to visit you or your family member, you need to let him, or the church office know. We are always available for you in bad times, good times, and anxious times. Please call 320-847-2138 or 952-807-3330 (Pastor Joel’s cell phone number).

Offering Plates and Mission Globes – will be passed during the worship service. The silver plates are for the general fund and the globes are for missions.

AUGUST 16, 2026

12th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS SCREEN

HYMN: OH, FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING #886 / SCREEN

GREETING PG. 212 / SCREEN

KYRIE PG. 213 / SCREEN

CANTICLE OF PRAISE PG. 213 / SCREEN

PRAYER OF THE DAY INSERT / SCREEN

FIRST READING: ISAIAH 56:1, 6-8 INSERT / SCREEN

PSALM 67 INSERT / SCREEN

SECOND READING: ROMANS 11:1-2a, 29-32 INSERT / SCREEN

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION PG. 216 / SCREEN

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 15:10-28 INSERT / SCREEN

SERMON

HYMN & OFFERING: THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION #654 / SCREEN

OFFERTORY PRAYER SCREEN

NICENE CREED PG. 104 / SCREEN

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION SCREEN

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & LORD'S PRAYER PG. 221 / SCREEN

COMMUNION

HYMN: WE COME TO THE HUNGRY FEAST #479 / SCREEN

HYMN: HEALER OF OUR EVERY ILL #612 / SCREEN

BLESSING

HYMN: I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY #661 / SCREEN

DISMISSAL: SCREEN

The Radio Broadcast –is sponsored by Roger and Linda Wilkens, in honor of their 56th Wedding Anniversary. Happy Anniversary!

ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE LORD'S TABLE! If you are unable to come forward and would like to receive Communion, please let an usher know.

Immanuel Is Going to the Belview Winery – on Sunday, August 23rd! The cost is \$10 per person plus the cost of your beverage. Transportation is not included. The sign up sheet is in the back of church. All are welcome!

Confirmation Students Grades 7-10 and Parents – We will be meeting on **Wednesday, September 2nd** at 7:00 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. We ask that at least one parent be present with your child at the meeting.

Open Radio Broadcasts for September – The following radio broadcasts are open for sponsorship in September: September 13 and 20. If you would like to sponsor any of these, please call the church office at 847-2138, talk to Pastor Joel or Kathy Speiser. The cost is \$110 for each broadcast.

MACCRAY School Supplies Needed – We have put a box in the back of the sanctuary, with the list of supplies that are needed for each classroom. If you could help with this, please put your donated supplies in the box. Thank you for your generosity.

Immanuel Will No Longer Collect Plastic After September 1st – Thank you all for donating your plastic. We have now received 2 benches that sit outside our church. We hope you continue to recycle, to protect what God has given us. LuAnn Kruger

Faithful Giving All Year Round – As you enjoy time away with family and friends this summer, we kindly ask that you continue to support Immanuel's ministries. Your consistent giving ensures that our outreach, worship, and community programs remain strong all year long. To set up automatic recurring donations, please go to Immanuel's website (NOT FACEBOOK). Visit us at: <https://www.ilc-claracity.org/> Click "Online Giving" at the top of the page and choose your desired fund. Follow the instructions online. Any questions, please talk to Katherine Schwitters.

Immanuel's Noisy Offering – DOUBLE the DONATIONS for Immanuel's Noisy Offering!! Your dimes, quarters and dollars will be doubled through matching funds from Endowment. The 3rd quarter Noisy Offering will go toward Water's Edge Ministries (formerly Green Lake Bible Camp).