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Immanuel's Calendar This Week

Today - 9:00 a.m. Worship Service with Communion
10:00 a.m. Fellowship Hour/No Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Endowment Committee Meeting
Monday – 1:30 p.m. Joy Bible Study
Wednesday – 6:30 p.m. Confirmation
7:00 – 8:15 p.m. Youth Group
Sunday – 9:00 a.m. Confirmation Sunday
10:00 a.m. Receptions for Confirmands/Sunday School
2:00-4:00 p.m. Immanuel's Annual Trunk or Treat

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<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
PowerPoint/Acolyte: Jana Rand	Tia Schwitters
Lay Reader: Beth Gaebe	Ann Hovda
Ushers: Tim & Carter Sabe	5 th & 6 th Graders
Communion Server: Sara Sabe, Noel Emkes, Linda Wilkens	5 th & 6 th Graders
Altar Guild: Ann Hovda	Kathy Speiser
Coffee Servers: Dave & Carol Groff	5 th & 6 th Graders

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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.

OCTOBER 18, 2026

21st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

SCREEN

HYMN: WORD OF GOD, COME DOWN ON EARTH #510 / SCREEN

GREETING PG. 184 / SCREEN

KYRIE PG. 184 / SCREEN

THIS IS THE FEAST PG. 187 / SCREEN

PRAYER OF THE DAY INSERT / SCREEN

CHILDRENS SERMON

FIRST READING: ISAIAH 45:1-7 INSERT / SCREEN

PSALM 96 INSERT / SCREEN

SECOND READING: 1 THESSALONIANS 1:1-10 INSERT / SCREEN

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION PG. 188 / SCREEN

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 22: 15-22 INSERT / SCREEN

SERMON

HYMN & OFFERING: TAKE MY LIFE, THAT I MAY BE #685 /
SCREEN

OFFERTORY PRAYER SCREEN

APOSTLES CREED PG. 105 / SCREEN

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION SCREEN

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & LORD'S PRAYER PG. 191 / SCREEN

COMMUNION

HYMN: DRAWN TO THE LIGHT #593 / SCREEN

HYMN: MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHINGLESS #597 / SCREEN

BLESSING

HYMN: GOD OF GRACE & GOD OF GLORY #705 / SCREEN

DISMISSAL: SCREEN

The Radio Broadcast – is in honor of Carol Schipnewski's 90th birthday, given by Owen and Darci Schipnewski and family.

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.

Faithful Giving All Year Round – 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.

Sign Up Sheet for Bringing Treats for Fellowship Hour – will be posted on the table by the coffee pot. Thank you to all that have shared their treats with us!

Trunk or Treat – Immanuel will again be doing Trunk or Treat in our church parking lot, on **October 25th from 2:00-4:00 p.m.** This event is for our community. Last year we had well over a hundred kids attend! If you are participating or have any questions, please contact Sarah Doesken. All are welcome!

Noisy Offering – for this quarter will be going to Immanuel's Crisis Fund.

Endowment Committee – will meet **today**, after the worship service.

Confirmation Sunday – is next Sunday at the 9:00 a.m. **Worship Service.** A reception will be held after the worship service. All are welcome.

Joy Bible Study – meets on **Monday, October 19th** at 1:30 p.m.

Confirmation – will meet on **Wednesday, October 21st** at 6:30 p.m. The **Youth group** will meet at 7:00 p.m. .

5th & 6th Graders – will usher and serve coffee next **Sunday, the 25th.**

No Sunday School today.

More Announcements:

Immanuel's Food for Kidz Packing Event – Want to make a difference in the lives of hungry children and families, locally and globally? Immanuel's Food for Kidz packing event needs a new leader or co-leaders. If you have a bit of extra time and feel called to help, please contact Laine Rieger at 320-894-6649 for information. There is a solid structure in place and great notes because Immanuel has done this pack 7 times.

Household Decluttering Workshop – on Thursday, October 22 from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. at Bethany Church Chapel. If you missed the downsizing and decluttering workshop, you are welcome to attend this seminar. Please text Jan Beyerl at 320-979-4728, so she can get a head count and have enough handouts.





Hello!

calling All BAKERS

THE CHURCH YOUTH ARE
LOOKING FOR BAKED GOODS FOR
THEIR NOVEMBER 7TH BAKE SALE

PLEASE HAVE BAKED GOOD TO THE CHURCH BY 9:00 THE DAY OF THE SALE



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH PULLED PORK DINNER & **BAKE SALE**

YOUTH FUNDRAISER

NOVEMBER 7TH

Dinner Served

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Free Will Donation

TAKE OUTS AVAILABLE



Bake Sale

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM



IMMANUEL YOUTH

THANKSGIVING

FOOD DRIVE

Help us bless local families this Thanksgiving by donating non-perishable food items!

FOOD DEADLINE:
NOVEMBER 22ND



Leave donations
in back of church

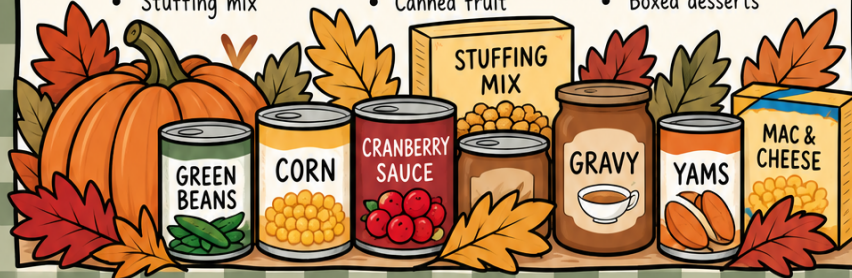
OR

We will pick up donations
on Wednesday, November 18th
during youth group -

If you choose this route please
let Addisyn know @ 320-321-3681
or let Kathy in the office know!

SUGGESTED ITEMS:

- Canned green beans
- Canned corn
- Canned peas
- Canned carrots
- Stuffing mix
- Mashed potatoes
- Gravy
- Cranberry sauce
- Canned yams
- Canned fruit
- Mac & cheese
- Soup
- Pasta
- Rice
- Boxed desserts



Paying Taxes to Caesar

Then he said to them, "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's." Matthew 22:21

Based on Matthew 22:15-22 (NIV)



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GOD
CAESAR
WAY
PHARISEES

WORDS
TAXES
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TEACHER

DISCIPLES
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OPINION
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TRUTH