



Weekly Calendar
Sept. 11–19, 2021

Saturday, 9/11
5:30p Holy Communion

Sunday, 9/12
7:45a Holy Communion
9-10a Bible Study & SS Classes
10:15a Holy Communion (Facebook Live)

Monday, 9/13
Pastor Troup off
7:00p Book Club

Tuesday, 9/14
6:30a Men’s Bible Study
1-4p Quilters’ Guild
6:30p Board of Social Ministry Meeting
7:15p Board of Christian Education Meeting

Wednesday, 9/15
9:30a Adult Bible Study
6-6:30p NO Immanubells
6:30-8p Midweek Classes
7-8p Choir
8-9p Agape Ringers

Thursday, 9/16
Pastor Demski off
1-7p Quilters’ Guild
7:00p Ladies’ Bible Study
7:00p Church Council

Saturday, 9/18
5:30p Holy Communion

Sunday, 9/19
7:45a Holy Communion
9-10a Bible Study & SS Classes
10:15a Holy Communion (Facebook Live) & Third Grade Celebration
11:30a Third Grade Family Luncheon

Making more and stronger disciples of Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Our Weekly Announcements

THE ALTAR FLOWERS this weekend are given to the glory of God by Cliff & Kay Bense in honor of their 31st wedding anniversary. Congratulations, Cliff & Kay, and may God continue to bless you always!

CROWN OF SILVER will take place this weekend, Sept. 11-12. We’ll be honoring Carol Rossel during our 5:30 pm service and Helen Clamors during our 10:15 am service. They have turned 85 years of age in 2021. What a blessing! Thanks be to God and congratulations, Carol & Helen!

WE WELCOME the Todt family (Cody, Dana, Camden & Nolan) into membership at Immanuel during the 10:15 am service this weekend. Their address is 709 Prairie Place, Waterloo, and their phone number is 314-258-4668. Welcome, Todt family! We are glad to have you as part of our Immanuel family!

PORTALS OF PRAYER (July-Sept) can be found in the narthex. Please pick up a copy today!

SUNDAY TREATS! The Women’s Christian Ministry is serving coffee & pre-packaged treats following the early service & before the late service in the narthex each Sunday. Please feel free to stop by. They are also looking for volunteers to bring pre-packaged treats and to help serve. Would you like to help? If so, there is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex.

GENERAL SERVICE INFO. Join us anytime! Please keep in mind that respecting others’ space is still very important. Masks are recommended by the CDC for everyone. Questions? Please contact the church office.

KFUO RADIO, AM850 & [KFUO.ORG](http://kfuo.org), a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, shares Christ for you on AM850 & kfuo.org via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand kfuo.org and where you get your podcasts!

ON-GOING COLLECTIONS. There is a collection box in the narthex for our on-going collections. **Current collections support Immanuel’s Preschool & the Bi-County Backpack Program.** Check out the lists of needed items on the collection box! To support the Preschool, see the QR code on reverse & the awesome bulletin board of needed items in the narthex. You can always drop off your donations in the church office as well. Thank you for your support!

BULLETIN BOARD IN NARTHEX. Please be sure to look at the bulletin board in the narthex for flyers about available job openings, upcoming local events, flower chart, etc.

DO YOU ORDER FROM AMAZON? Did you know that you can donate money from your purchases directly to Immanuel just by shopping through an AmazonSmile link? Simply shop at smile.amazon.com/ch/37-0734375 and AmazonSmile will donate to Immanuel at no cost to you.

Weekly Bible Studies & Sunday School Classes

For Men:

- Tuesdays at 6:30 am at Triada Advisors in Columbia. The group is studying the book of Daniel.

For Women:

- Thursdays at 7:00 pm in the overflow room. Faith Mueller leads a study on various chapters of 1 Corinthians.

For All Adults:

- Sundays at 9:00 am in the overflow room. Led by Pastor Troup. They are studying the book “The Christian in a Pagan Society” based on 1 Cor.
- Sundays at 9:00 am in the church basement kitchen. Led by Scott & Jen Janssen, this class has a faith development and parenting focus. Feel free to bring your little ones, too!
- Wednesdays at 9:30 am in the overflow room. Led by Pastor Demski. (Facebook Live, too!)

For Pre-K—College:

- **Preschool—6th grades:** Sundays at 9:00 am in the church basement. Led by Pam Nagel, Deborah Joellenbeck, Melissa Wiegand, Gayle Mesnarich, and Lisa Clamors.
- **7th & 8th grades:** Sundays at 9:00 am in the multipurpose room. “**A**ccounts of **C**hristian **T**eaching & **S**ervice” led by Alan Stumpf. Parents are welcome to attend, too.
- **High school and College-age:** Sundays at 9:00 am in Pastor Demski’s office. Led by Pastor Demski.

Last Week’s Attendance:

	2021	2020
Saturday	48	n/a
Sunday 7:45	42	n/a
Sunday 10:15	68	n/a
	158	n/a

2021 Average Weekly Attendance: 161
*Did you know? Our online services have 50-150 views each week which is not included in the average attendance.

Sunday School:		
PreS—8th	35	\$4.00
High School	5	
Adults	15	
	55	

Our Weekly Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Birthdays:

- 11 Julie Downs
Kevin Whelan
- 12 Kim Arbeiter
Brian Downing
David Renner
- 13 Evelyn Weihl
- 14 Steven Menke
Nancy Schanz
- 15 Tyler Major
Jennifer Patterson
Katelyn Prigge
- 16 Debbie Arras
Angie Filipiak
Waylenn Kruse
Chase Rubemeyer
Ely Rusteberg
- 17 Lauren Patterson
- 18 Lois Heise
Larry Taake
- 19 Corey Rahn
John Stratman
Alan Stumpf

Anniversaries:

- 11 Randy & Robin Wetzler (39)
- 13 Ed & Susan Stanglein (46)
- 14 Cliff & Kay Bense (31)
- 16 Claude & Barb Heimbürger (26)
Rob & Angela LaRue (19)
- 18 Larry & Janet Goessling (22)
- 19 Josh & Jessi Gregory (12)

In Our Prayers...

We Pray for our Fellow Parishioners: Millie Menke, Sandy Moore (MS), Perry Koch (nursing home), Ruby Muench (cancer), Iva Mesnarich (shut in), Alvera Jacobs, Lana Mueller (recovering at home), Helen Clamors, Marie Dietzel (broken hip), Marian Obst, Roy Weihl, Lori Collmeyer, Brad Altes, Chris Morris (ALS & Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma), Virgil Horn (stroke), Georgia Wynn (hospitalized), Dave Wiese

We Pray for Friends and Relatives of Parishioners: Michael Washausen, Nina Van Kamp (recovering from surgery), Ken Horn (cancer), Nicole Bachelier, Gordon Curd (dialysis), Steven Muench, Sarah Castelli, Glenda Manion, Pat Bolañius (dementia), Patrick Bolañius (cancer), Jean Stroisch (cancer), Daryl Bense (dementia), Eleanor Krebel (leukemia), Joan Rhower (cancer), Dale Brouk (lung cancer), Sharee Wilmes (cancer), Brian Kreher (brain tumor), Charles Williams (cancer), Daniel Morgan (recovering from Covid), Dorothy Mueller (recovering at home), Mike Ruby (bypass surgery), Valerie Anderson (cancer), Amanda Norris (recovering from surgery), Nicki Mueller, Zach & Cash Triefenbach, Richard Gill (Covid), John Taylor (heart attack), Elsa Wiemerslage (leukemia relapse), Anita Miller (cancer), Wilma Simonton (recovering from fall), Ethel Darbonne (Covid & other health issues), Joel Schoenborn (hydronephrosis & kidney blockage), Dave Daubach (gallbladder infection & sepsis), Ralph Simonton (recovering from fall)

We Pray for Those in the Service of Our Nation: Alicia Gunn, Dustin Bender, Aaron Bommarito, Alex Naumann, Paul Doty

We Pray for Our Missionaries and Special Missions: Immanuel's Preschool, Immanuel's Mission Team, Unity Lutheran Elementary School (E. St. Louis, IL)

More Announcements...

NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING! Are you interested in attending the next NYG in July 2022 but weren't able to attend the meeting? Let Pastor Demski or Cathy Whelan know so they can get you added to the list!

MEN'S MINISTRY! Join our Men's Ministry

for some fellowship and planning on the last Thursday of each month. Join us at Chris Michael's home (6733 Red Barn Farm Lane, Millstadt, IL 62260) on Thursday, Sept. 30 at 7:15 pm. All are welcome! Questions? Contact Chris Michael (618-407-1859) or Bob Kassel (618-504-2040).

NEXT SUNDAY is the Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost. The readings for next weekend will be Jer. 11:18-20; James 3:13—4:10; and Mark 9:30-37. This is being provided so that you can better prepare for worship.

LADIES' BIBLE STUDY is held at 7:00 pm on Thursdays in the overflow room! Join Faith Mueller and several other ladies for a study of various chapters of 1 Corinthians. All are welcome!

BOOK CLUB: We will meet in the narthex at 7:00 pm on Monday, Sept. 13 when we will discuss *They Left Us Everything* by Plum Johnson. The October 4th book will be Ken Ham's *The New Answers Book 3*. All are welcome.

THIRD GRADE CELEBRATION. During the 10:15 am service on Sunday, Sept. 19, our third graders will be receiving their very own Bibles. Such a wonderful celebration! All are welcome!

ADULT INFORMATION CLASS. Pastor Demski will be leading an Adult Information Class starting October 3rd. This class will meet between services (9-10 am). For 9 weeks he'll be leading the class through the basics of the Christian faith. The class is open to anyone who wishes to attend. While this class is for those who wish to become members of Immanuel, this is also ideal for people wanting to know more—or be reminded—about what we believe, teach, and confess as Christians as they walk through life or seek to raise children according to the teachings of Scripture. *If you're interested in taking the class or have any questions, please contact Lisa in the office.*

WURSTMARKT & COUNTRY STORE & MEAT SALES! Our Wurstmarkt is back! Sunday, October 3 — 11 am to 2 pm. CARRY OUTS ONLY. We will be offering the same meal (sausage, mashed potatoes & gravy, sauerkraut, green beans, applesauce, and pie). \$12/adult. \$6/child. Free for children age 5 and under. **Volunteers Needed:** We need lots of volunteers to help and there is a sign up form in your bulletins and a large sign up board in the narthex. You may have also received an email with a link to volunteer as well.

LAY BIBLE INSTITUTE. Saturday, October 9, 2021. See the bulletin board in the narthex for details.

Want to view our live services or past worship services? Need more info about our Preschool, upcoming events, or Bible studies? Need church resources, bulletins, announcements, or to view our calendar? Visit us at immanuelwaterloo.org.