



**Weekly Calendar**  
**Jan. 16-22, 2023**

1/23–1/29  
*Lutheran Schools' Week*

**Tuesday, 1/24**  
6:30a Men's Bible Study  
1-4p Quilters' Guild

**Wednesday, 1/25**  
9:30a Adult Bible Study  
6:30p Midweek Classes  
7-8p Choir  
8:05p Agape Ringers

1/26–1/28  
*Preschool Pizza Dinners—times vary—contact the church office for more details or to RSVP*

**Thursday, 1/26**  
*Pastor Demski's Day Off*  
1-7p Quilters' Guild

**Saturday, 1/28**  
5:30p Holy Communion


**Sunday, 1/29**  
7:45a Holy Communion  
9:00a Sunday School & Bible Classes  
10:15a Holy Communion & Preschool Children Sing  
6-8p Youth Group

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

**YOUTH GROUP:** *Sunday, Jan. 29. 6-8 p.m.* All 6th-12th grade students are invited for a time to hang out, grow together in Christ, and enjoy some snacks. Friends are welcome as always. We'll meet in the youth room before heading over to the church for some activities.

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK:** Each week during the school year, Immanuel's Preschool recognizes one student as the "Student of the Week." There is a board in the narthex with some fun info about this child and his/her family. This week (Jan. 22-28) the student is Gavin. Gavin's mother is Robin Miller. Please keep Gavin and his family in your prayers.

**COLLECTIONS:** Lists of needed items can be found on the collection box in the narthex. Donations can be dropped in that box or in the church office. Our on-going collection supports the Bi-County Backpack Program, and our January collection supports Life Network of Southern Illinois. A list of needed items are available in the narthex.

 **SUPPORT IMMANUEL THROUGH AMAZON:** Use Amazon Smile for a portion of your orders to benefit Immanuel. Use the special QR code!

**CHOIR VOICES ARE NEEDED!** Do you have the love of singing with others? Please consider joining Immanuel's Adult Choir. We are in need of all voices (SATB). If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ann Frank (618.282.6597 or [afrank@htc.net](mailto:afrank@htc.net)), or check out the Music Ministry info on the church's website.

**IMMANUEL PRESCHOOL AMAZON WISH LIST:** Supplies and other items are always needed throughout the school year. If you would like to support them, follow the QR code for their wish list.



**NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS:** Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany. The readings will be Micah 6:1-8; 1 Cor. 1:18-31; and Matt. 5:1-12.

**LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK—JAN. 23-29.** Please keep our Preschool, the teachers, and the families we serve in your prayers this week and always. Join us as the Preschool children will be singing and sharing God's love with us during the 10:15 a.m. service this Sunday!

**PRESCHOOL PIZZA DINNER PARTY:** January 26-28, 2023. RESERVATION SPOTS STILL AVAILABLE! A fun fundraiser in support of the Preschool Before & After Care Program. **See the next page for all the details, and how to reserve your table and/or volunteer to help!**

**Our Weekly Birthdays & Anniversaries!**

Birthdays:

- 23 Bonnie Doty  
Addie Janssen
- 25 Denise Gruber  
Mike Hemmer
- 27 David Rehmer  
Evan Williams
- 28 Rose Hoeffken
- 29 Mark Johnson

Anniversaries:

- 26 Bud & Gloria Knoke (72)
- 28 Dennis & Nancy Rodenberg (39)

**Worship Helpers:**

**Saturday, January 28, 2023 - 5:30 p.m.:**

Pastor - Pastor Demski                      Pianist - Ron Jones  
Server - Cal Neeman                         Acolyte - Lorelei Griffin  
Altar Guild - Susan Starbuck               Media - Liam Garner

**Sunday, January 29, 2023 - 7:45 a.m.:**

Pastor - Pastor Demski                         Music Director - Ann Frank  
Server - Dean Harbison                       Lector - Bob Polansky  
Media - Clark Deptula                         Altar Guild - Debbie Olsson  
Ushers - Chuck Keller, Larry Taake, Dawn Rubemeyer,  
Craig Mehner   Acolytes - Chase Richey & Jacob Dethrow

**Sunday, January 29, 2023 - 10:15 a.m.:**

Pastor - Pastor Demski                         Music Director - Ann Frank  
Server - Rodney Clamors                     Lector - Jen Janssen  
Altar Guild - Susan Hargrave  
Ushers - Alan Stumpf, Paul Broske, Tom McDaniel  
Acolytes - Avery & Jensyn Collmeyer  
Media/Facebook Live - Ayda Eggemeyer



January 26-28, 2023

**4th Annual Preschool Pizza Dinner Party and Preschool Student Art Show**  
*In support of Immanuel Lutheran Preschool Before and After Care Program*

Join us for a FUN Preschool Event. Proceeds will go toward our preschool. This event will be run by the teachers and students of Immanuel Lutheran Preschool, along with the help of MANY church volunteers and preschool families.

**How can you participate?**

1. Volunteer—we need MANY volunteers to make this event a success (all ages welcome)
2. Reserve a Table and enjoy **Pizza and Games** with **all** your family and friends.

Return the attached RSVP with your payment ASAP to reserve your preferred dinner time. You will need to make your top 3 choices of preferred dinner times. While trying to honor your top 1 choice, we will need to reserve the time slot that best fits into our schedule. Time slots are filled on a first-come basis. So, please RSVP ASAP!

Once we receive your reservation and payment, we will email you a dinner ticket showing the date and time of your reservation.

**Volunteers** – Please fill out the volunteer form stating the dates and times you are available to help. Thank you in advance for your dedication and support!

**Preschool Pizza Dinner Party 2023**  
**Preschool Pizza Dinner Party**  
**Volunteer Form**

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Please complete & return this page to Narthex Box, Lisa C or Linda P **No later than Jan 22nd**

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**Volunteer Name(s)**

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**Contact Phone Number**

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Please mark all dates and times that you are willing to volunteer to help!

**Wednesday, January 25**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:00-3:00 pm Food Prep

\_\_\_\_\_ 3:00-5:00 pm Food Prep

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**Thursday, January 26**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:00 -5:00 pm Food and Table Prep Work

\_\_\_\_\_ 4:30-9:00 pm Serve, Cook, Prep &/or Clean

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**Friday, January 27**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:00 -5:00 pm Food and Table Prep Work

\_\_\_\_\_ 4:30-9:00 pm Serve, Cook, Prep &/or Clean

\_\_\_\_\_ 8:00-10:00pm Food and Table Prep Work

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**Saturday, January 28**

\_\_\_\_\_ 9:00-11:00 am Food and Table Prep Work

\_\_\_\_\_ 10:30am-2:00pm Serve, Cook, Prep &/or Clean

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:30-5:00 pm Serve, Cook, Prep &/or Clean

**2023 Congregation**  
**Preschool Pizza Dinner Party 2023 Congregation**  
**Preschool Pizza Dinner Party**  
**Reservation Form**

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Please complete return this page with your check – **No later than January 22, 2023**

\_\_\_\_\_ Reservation Name

\_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_ Email for Reservation Confirmation

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\_\_\_\_\_ Number of dinner tickets purchased (\$15.00 each)

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of children ages 2 and under (FREE)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ Check Number

Choose your preferred date/time for your dinner reservation. **Make 3 choices**

#1 – your preferred date/time

#2 – your second choice

#3 – your third choice

*Submit ASAP. Reservations are made in order received.*

Thur, Jan 26	Fri, Jan 27	Sat, Jan 28
_____ 5:00 pm	_____ 5:00 pm	_____ 12:00 pm
_____ 5:30 pm	_____ 5:30 pm	_____ 12:30 pm
_____ 6:00 pm	_____ 6:00 pm	_____ 1:00 pm
_____ 6:30 pm	_____ 6:30 pm	_____ 1:30 pm
_____ 7:00 pm	_____ 7:00 pm	_____ 2:00 pm
_____ 7:30 pm	_____ 7:30 pm	_____ 3:30 pm
_____ 8:00 pm	_____ 8:00 pm	_____ 4:00 pm