

Announcements

For the week of Sunday, February 25, 2024

Special Opportunities: The Immanuel Lutheran Endowment Fund (ILEF) - Committee continues to offer an opportunity for all Immanuel organizations to request funds from the ILEF. The grant amount from 2023 funds (awarded in March of 2024) will be \$11,000.

All requests should align with the mission of Immanuel: ***Immanuel is a family glorifying God, growing in faith, and leading others to Christ.*** Primary consideration will be given to requests for projects or ideas that are non-budgetary, innovative, and outreach focused. If your group has an idea or project in need of special funding, please pick up a grant request letter and form (available on the information center at the back of church). Complete the form and forward it to the ILEF Committee no later than February 29, 2024. Contact Greg Schmill for additional information (920-323-0440 or gschmill@sbcglobal.net).

LENT Worship/Meals The theme that are using for this year's Lenten worship is: ***"Baptized Into His Death"***. His gift of Baptism is a beautiful connection to his suffering and sacrifice for us. Jesus will fill our minds, good food will fill our bellies, and friendship will fill our hearts. Join us for dinner between services on the following Wednesdays. **If you are willing to host a supper, Wednesday, March 20th is still available.** Please call Jenny at the church office—920-681-3404 to reserve.



Read A Thon! PIE Fundraiser Are you a small business owner? Our Immanuel students are having a read a thon March 8. They are looking for sponsors to donate to the PIE (*Partners in Education*) fundraiser. Would your small business be interested in donating to the cause? We have \$7,000 left to go. Please contact Jaimie Carlson 920-242-4286.



Easter Lily Sign Up As we inch our way toward Holy Week, we are already preparing for the celebration of our Jesus' resurrection. If you would like to help add some special beauty to honor Jesus' Easter Victory you might consider ordering lilies for our Easter morning worship service. The cost is \$12.00 per plant (includes saucer). There are envelopes for signing up at the Gathering Room podium. The **deadline for ordering lilies is Sunday, March 7th**. All lilies can be taken home following the 10:30am Easter Sunday worship service. If you have any questions, please call or text Judy Fuerbringer at 973-3355.

Offering Envelopes – If you haven't already done so, please stop by the church office to pick up your 2024 church offering envelopes.

Have a passion for serving our seniors? Especially during these cold months, we're looking for people to visit our homebound members with a recorded worship service. Some of our members know how to or have someone helping them worship using our online services, but there are those who don't. Could you load an archived service and then sit to worship with them? What a blessed interaction – two people gathered in the Word and striving to make our homebound members still feel a part of this church family. If you are interested in volunteering, please let the church office know! *Laptops will be provided.*

Have a School or Church key? Excluding staff, if you are in possession of a key, key card and/or fob for Immanuel's campus please notify the office by phone (684-3404) or email church@ilutheran.org. For security reasons each key should be identified and accounted. If you no longer have need for regular access, please return key, key card and/or fob. Thank you!



MLHS WEEKLY UPDATE

Spring Musical Tickets Available

MLHS Presents 'Bye Bye Birdie'

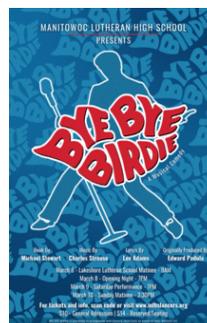
March 8 - Opening Night - 7:00 PM

March 9 - Saturday Performance - 7:00 PM

March 10 - Sunday Matinee - 2:00 PM

\$10 General Admission \$14 Reserved Seating

For tickets visit www.mlhslancers.org/finearts



Youth Soccer Registration Open The Youth Soccer program will cover all grades (K to 12). Any children that belong to one of the WELS Churches within the Manitowoc Lutheran Federation are eligible to participate. The Manitowoc Lutheran Youth Soccer Club is a member of the Wisconsin Youth Soccer Association and is a member of the Lake to Lake Soccer League for grades K to 12. The Lake to Lake Soccer League will be a recreational league and all players will be assigned to a team. The League is made up of coed teams.

Visit www.mlhslancers.org/kids to register today!

Junior Lancer Baseball Registration Now Open Open to all boys grades 7-8 in a LLS and or area WELS congregations. Join us today and become part of the Junior Lancer family!

Season is May - July, Cost \$125

Scan the QR code or visit www.mlhslancers.org/jrlancers to register or learn more.

MLHS Call News Late last week we received two great pieces of news, Miss Charis Scharf announced that she has returned the call to serve at St. Croix Lutheran Academy in West St Paul, MN. Mr. Nathan Hochmuth announced that he has returned the call to serve at Arizona Lutheran Academy. We praise God they both will continue to serve here at MLHS. Also, late last week, Mr. Mark Moldenhauer returned our call to teach English and Geography.

Mr. Nathan Meitner, who currently serves in our social studies department as well as leading our Shining Through Christ group still hold the call to teach at Sola Fide Academy in Lawrenceville, GA. Rev. Daniel Bondow is still holding our call to serve in the Theology department.

WORSHIP NEXT WEEK – You may wish to prepare for worship next week by meditating on the Scripture lessons for the third Sunday in Lent.

Scripture Lessons: Exodus 20:2-17, 1 Corinthians 1:18-25, John 2:13-22

Prayer for Worship: 1st page in blue *Christian Worship*

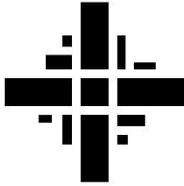
Our Thanks for God's Love

Last Week's Attendance: (Wed) **195 + 63 = 258**; (Sun) **163 + 137 = 300**

Thankful Gifts Offered (*last wk*): **\$ 19,670** Thankful Gifts Needed (*weekly*): **\$15,610**

This Week at Immanuel – February 25, 2024

Monday, Feb 26	6:00pm	God+Me #5 (<i>The Bible</i>)
	6:00pm	Final Christian Parenting Class
	6:00pm	Adult Choir
Tuesday, Feb 27	6:00pm	School Campaign Leadership meeting
Wednesday, Feb 28	4:00pm	Worship (<i>5&6 grade sings</i>)
	4:45pm	Lenten Supper (<i>Youth Group hosts</i>)
	6:30pm	Worship
Thursday, Feb 29	2:30pm	GriefShare
	4:30pm	Public School Confirmation
Saturday, March 2	8:00am	Men's Bible Study – Grace
Sunday, March 3	8:00am	WORSHIP w/ Lord's Supper (<i>1st grade sings</i>)
	9:30am	Bible Study (<i>lower level</i>)
	10:30am	WORSHIP w/ Lord's Supper



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*Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church
is a family glorifying God, growing in faith,
and leading others to Christ.*

Worship Schedule:

Wednesdays (Lent) at 4:00 PM & 6:30 PM

Sundays at 8 AM & 10:30 AM

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