

Celebrate!

Happy Birthday to...

16-Apr: Savannah Davila, Tyler Hadad, Cheryl
Henke, Tommy Hewes, Karen Kamholz
17-Apr: Alex Bray, Rosemarie Brierley, Ashley
Goeddeke, Jessica Hansen, Doug Kreuz, Brayden
Meehan, Chad Sisson
18-Apr: Cloe Hacker, Curtis Kiolbassa, Brady Voyles
19-Apr: Olivia Likens, Owen Siddons
20-Apr: Dave Eskoff, Dar Morton, Karen Pratt,
Noah Ratliff-Bosack, Trinity Sauers
21-Apr: Brayden Brock, David Callahan, Adam
Glover, Ann Grischow, Arleen Klug, Anna Mertel,
Kash Simonsen, Taelor Tripoli
22-Apr: Noah Hewes, Ann Meier, Jane Sotos

Happy Anniversary to...

17-Apr: (46 yrs) Bob & Gail Borchardt
(19 yrs) John & Cindi Gurrieri
18-Apr: (47 yrs) Joseph & Linda Ebel
19-Apr: (9 yrs) Mac & Portia Cochrane
22-Apr: (22 yrs) John & Ellen Kiolbassa

6 pm Sat. Evening Traditional Service
Historic Church

8 am Sun. Traditional Service
Commons

9:30 & 11 am Sun. Contemporary Service
Commons

9:30 am Sun Sunday School, Student Ministries
and Adult Bible Studies
Commons

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Connecting through Praise & Worship:

Sat 6 pm: 73 Sun 8 am: 152
Sun 9:30 am: 156 Sun 11 am: 336

Total: 720

Education Hour: Adults: 93 Children/Youth: 140

In Our Prayers

Family & Friends

Ayares, Hannah	Peterson, Lorelei
Burns-Dorsett, Maida	Popp, Bob
Darling, Jennifer	Rasmussen, Blanche
Frenk, Bill	Ricker, Lenore
Gray, Gabby	Rolando, Sally
Haseman, Irma	Schneiderwind, Joy
Illich, Seth	Schroeder, Chuck
Johnson, Harry	Shipbaugh, Keith
Kienzle, Charlie	Stone, Robert
Knudsen, Ava	Tatarinowicz, Roman
Markham, Amber	Voigt, Horst
Nolte, Nova	Wilson, Char

Military Personnel

Annand, Elizabeth	McDonald, Matthew
Bernero, Justin	Neumeier, Eric
Bickley, Chad	Page, Daniel
Blasy, Bryan	Picard, Michael
Blum, Todd	Reed, Bill
Chan, Mike	Rizzo, Robert
Connelly, Christopher	Sanders, Joe
Erickson, Brandon	Shulfer, Erin
Fessler, Julia	Sylvester, Clayton
Hanson, Erik	Vargas III, Ramon
Katzenberger, KC	Wood, Jeremy
Kearley, Kevin	Wood, Nick
Lowe, Andrew	Alex Yentsch
Lyster, Geoffrey	Randy Yentsch

We Pray — Wednesdays at 8:30 am (Conf Room)

All are welcome to join us! We prayed for the congregational prayer concerns. We prayed for the Holy Week and Easter services and for the leadership, strength and call to serve of Pastor Tieman and Pastor Bob. We prayed for the 4th Grade Sunday School class and for the Easter Vigil Baptism of Sydney Dennis. We prayed for the health concerns of Jan Smith, Jean Dorn, Annie Holsten, Bob Popp, Jim Kirk and Bill Frenk. We prayed for those visiting our Immanuel congregation this Easter weekend and for those travelling, we prayed for safety and protection. Finally, we prayed for world peace and the people of North Korea to come to know Christ as their Lord and Savior.

In Other Business

Contributions: (Apr 6—12, 2017)

Contributions: \$21,697

Budgeted Contributions: \$21,994

Mission - Northern Illinois District: \$268

Capital Reserve: \$145

City on a Hill Giving Campaign: \$9,720

City on a Hill Giving Campaign (4/12/17):

Participating Families: 216

Total Pledged: \$3,317,992

Total Received: \$1,696,905

Contribution Summary: Jan-Mar 2017

Actual: \$220,670

Budget: \$217,343

Share the News!

We look forward to hearing what's
happening here at Immanuel

- Deadline:** Wednesday noon
- Size of Announcement:** 50 words or less
- Must Include:** Contact Name, Phone & eMail Address

E-mail submissions to:

announcements@immanuelcl.org

Announcements are subject to approval, may be edited, and must be Immanuel related, reflecting the mission of the church and school. Announcements may run up to two weeks prior to an event, depending on space, calendar and timing. We're excited to hear about what's happening next here at Immanuel!



*"Touching Hearts and Transforming Lives
with the Light of Jesus Christ"*

April 16 — 22, 2017

Today . . .

"You've Been Raised Up"

Rev. Dr. Larry Tieman, Senior Pastor

Join us back next week as we gather and grow . . .

Sunday School and Education Hour Classes

Tot Time for Parents and Toddlers in the gym
Sunday School (3 yr old through 5th grade) Registration table located in front of computer lab
The Verge (6th Grade) in Room 211
The Path (7th Grade) in Room 210
The Path (8th & 9th Graders) in MP Room
Cup of Joe w/John (Grades 10-12) in Youth Room

Adult Studies:

Lifetree Café—Library
Gospel of Luke — Room 201
Gospels of Matthew & Mark (Men's Study) — Room 202
God Connects — Room 204
Portraits of Jesus — Music Room

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This Week...

SUN Apr 16: Easter Sunday

6 Sunrise Worship Service—Music Room
7:30—10 am Continental Easter Breakfast—
Commons
8, 9:30 & 11 am Worship — Gym

MON Apr 17: No School

8:30 am—2 pm Immanuel Volunteer Day at
Crystal Lake Food Pantry

TUES Apr 18:

9—11 am MOPS
2:30—3:30 pm Adult Bells—Music Room
2:30—4 pm Peter Pan Rehearsal
4—5:30 pm Track Practice
7—8:30 pm Choir—Music Room
7 pm Lifetree Café—The Pointe

WED Apr 19:

8 am Chapel
8:30 am WePray—Conference Room
6—8 pm Youth Night

THURS Apr 20:

9:30 am Bible Study at The Pointe
2:30 pm Bible Study at The Pointe
2:30—4 pm Peter Pan Rehearsal
7—8:30 pm Praise Team Practice

FRI Apr 21: Fine Arts Festival No School—Grades LA—4

SAT Apr 22:

6 pm Worship—Church

SUN Apr 23:

8, 9:30 & 11 am Worship
9:30 am Education Hour

Plugging In

CLASSES BEGINNING/RESUMING ON APRIL 23:

LIFETREE CAFÉ — Each week join in the Library for compelling DVD stories that help us make sense of our faith and our lives. Every week Lifetree Café gathers as a comfortable place where participants talk about the big and little stuff that shapes our lives, our family, our friends, our balance, our money, our heaven, our peace and our purpose.

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE — Join Pastor Bob upstairs in Room 201 to learn about the apostle Luke and the insight that he provides about Jesus Christ in his Gospel.

STUFF THEY DIDN'T TEACH ME IN SUNDAY SCHOOL: GOSPELS OF MATTHEW & MARK — Peter Haupt will lead this Men's Ministry study upstairs in Room 202 that sheds light on one of the New Testament's unsung heroes. Join Bruce Wurdeman from the Lutheran Hour Men's Network as he bridges the gap between the Old and New Testaments and launches into the Gospels beginning with the books of Matthew and Mark.

GOD CONNECTS — If you are beginning to think of Immanuel as home or simply wish to gain a deeper understanding of what we believe, this class is a great start! Weekly classes meet upstairs in Room 204.

PORTRAITS OF JESUS — Join Don Kearley in the Music Room to explore the various matchless names of Jesus. Some of His names we are very familiar with such as Savior, Son of Man, Good Shepherd, and Lamb of God. Some of His names we are not so familiar with such as Shiloh, Rose of Sharon, Lily of the Valley, and Dayspring. This study examines the names and titles that paint a beautiful portrait of our Lord and Savior.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS is presently doing the series entitled The Promised Land by Ray Vander Laan. Class meets at 9:30 am at The Pointe. Bob Popp at 815-459-3751.

THURS AFTERNOON BIBLE CLASS — "Stuff They Didn't Teach Me in Sunday School" Led by David Schiman, Thurs., 2:30pm at The Pointe.

MISSION ENDOWMENT FUND REQUESTS — The Mission Endowment Committee will be meeting on April 17th. Please submit all requests by Easter, April 16th, to Randy Wiggs or Pastor Tieman.

PRAYER SHAWL — The next Prayer Shawl meeting will be held on May 8 and again on May 22 for our May meetings. The success of the Prayer Cloths distribution was due to so many! Volunteers were church members, office staff, and Prayer Shawl members. May they be used often. Extras will be available in a basket on a table in the Commons. God has really blessed us.

Panther Prints

TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK — Week of May 1! Teacher Appreciation Week is fast approaching—week of May 1, 2017. The theme is Peter Pan and we need volunteers to decorate doors and make food. **A planning meeting is scheduled for April 12 at 2 pm.** If you are interested in volunteering at the school that week or make a dish, please contact Janet Rudsinski at janetrudsinski@yahoo.com. Thank you, The Teacher Appreciation Team

LIBRARY CORNER — Our students are always talking about SUPERHEROES! This week we are reading and talking about THE GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD in every class. Go ahead and read it in Matthew, Luke or John. The ending is the best... The SUPERHERO beats out death, comes ALIVE and SAVES the world for all who believe in HIM. The big difference from other superhero stories is that THIS STORY IS TRUE! Also, I would like to thank Eve Tonyan and the Nanos family for the books and Caryl Wenzel for the Wildlife Fact Files donated to our library this week. Many thanks!!

KIDS OF THE KINGDOM — We blessed the Kairos prison ministry this week with cookies, cards and posters. The kids also filled Blessing Bags to hand out to those in need. Thank you to all who helped with this effort! I can't believe our last meeting is next month! We plan to go singing at the Fountains.

HURRY AND SIGN UP FOR THE 2017 PANTHER PURSUIT RUNNING FESTIVAL! Spots are filling up quick! Register by April 23 to guarantee you get one of our AWESOME 2017 commemorative dri-tech t-shirts and sport bag. Go to: pantherpursuitrunningfestival.itsyourrace.com to sign up now!

Immanuel SUMMER CAMPS & EXTENDED CARE REGISTRATION is OPEN! Education and Sports Camps offered throughout the summer with Extended Care options each day. Deadline: June 1, 2017 or when class capacity is reached.

QUALITY KIDS CHRISTIAN PROGRAMMING— RightNow Media is a free, Netflix like Christian resource for adults and kids alike, which has age-appropriate kids' programming. All church members will be receiving an invitation to access RightNow Media. But, this free resource is open to anyone, so if you would like an invitation contact Laura Gilleland at lgilleland@immanuelcl.org or Monica Wolowiec at mwolowiec@immanuelcl.org in the church office.

VBS — Yay!! It's coming! Vacation Bible School is June 19-23, 2017 each day from 9-noon, with an Ice Cream Social Celebration on Sunday, June 25. Join Immanuel for an awesome theme: Maker Fun Factory: Created by God Built for a Purpose. For more information, registration and volunteer forms, visit Immanuel's website at www.immanuelcl.org Or, stop in the church and school office to get your questions answered and fill out a paper form.

Other News

MANY THANKS to all the people who purchased Palms and Plants for the EASTER CELEBRATION! Please feel free to take them home after the last Easter service or get them later next week. The plants not picked up will be used in the school or planted outside by the Kindergarten room.

APARTMENT/ROOM RENTAL WANTED! We have a request for an apartment/room/house rental for Raul Ruiz. If anyone has an extra room available or knows of rental property available, please contact Pastor Tieman at ltieman@immanuelcl.org to discuss details.

A HEARTFELT NOTE FROM JAN SMITH: "Dear, dear Friends: I truly am grateful for all the hard work everyone put in at my home. Thanks aren't enough — true experts at doing a wonderful job of cutting wood. So very much work just cleaning up and getting rid of branches. Always, our sweet, Heather and family getting everyone to help and making sure they ate well. Thank you so much! What a wonderful family at Immanuel. I love being a part of that family — yes, I am blessed! May everyone of you continue to be a blessing to others. God Bless — Jan Smith"

CRYSTAL LAKE FOOD PANTRY — The next Immanuel Volunteer work-day is Monday, April 17, 8:30 am—2 pm at the new building, 42 East Street, Crystal Lake. For more information about volunteering, please contact Linda Mader at 815-459-3349 or Kathy Schulz at 815-459-4894.

How Can We Help?

Rev. Larry Tieman, Senior Pastor

Rev. Bob Pudell, Executive Pastor

Bob Dorn, Invite Leader

Edward Bower, School Principal

Lynette Mobley, Business Manager

Julie Kearley, Office Manager

Robert Blazek, Director of Music

Laura Gilleland, Dir. of Children & Family Ministries

Karl Koenig, Director of Student Ministries

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