

Celebrate!

Happy Birthday to...

12-Aug: Amy Giesey, Evan Gilleland, Logan Johnson, Greg Rutzen, Larry Stech
 13-Aug: Michelle O'Connor, Alyssa Pedersen, Andrew Tieman
 14-Aug: Taylor Aggarwal-Burman, Matthew Borchert, David Callahan, DJ Hacker, Jr., Brandon Helsom, Bri Karmalita, Stan Kottke, Sarah Kretschmer, Larry Olmstead
 15-Aug: Logan Muench, Jim Page, John Simko, Jillian Wilken
 16-Aug: Tom Rancak
 17-Aug: Ehren Braun, Mark Noennig, Victor Rehberg
 18-Aug: Jerry Elpers, Ashton Proctor

Happy Anniversary to...

12-Aug: (12 yrs) Nick & Gina Nomikoudis
 12-Aug: (18 yrs) Joe & Amy Shulfer
 13-Aug: (7 yrs) Jacob & Nicki Shaffer
 14-Aug: (30 yrs) Pastor Larry & Sharon Tieman
 16-Aug: (21 yrs) Mark & Michelle Proctor
 16-Aug: (60 yrs) Bob & Jo Ratcliff
 18-Aug: (55 yrs) Paul & Carol Litke
 18-Aug: (11 yrs) Dave & Kimberley Schumacher

Connecting through Praise & Worship:

Saturday 6 pm: 53 Sunday 8 am: 110
 Sunday 9:30 am: 188 Sunday 11 am: 76
 Total: 427

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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 Congregation, Inc.

In Our Prayers

Family & Friends

Curtiss, Diane	Pfeifer, Norma
Dorn, Jean	Popp, Leonor
Frett, Liam	Popp, Lois
Glasshagel, Steve	Schneiderwind, Joy
Kahl, Bonnie	Schroeder, Sue
Kirk, Jim	Seegers, Lill
Lachel, Stephanie	Shipbaugh, Keith
Meier, Ed	Stegeman, Eleanor
Nolte, Nova	Storz, Beverly
Nerby, Ron	Westphal, Robert

Military Personnel

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

WE PRAY — This week we prayed over the prayer requests left on the congregation Connection Cards. We prayed for the Kaiser family in the sudden loss of Florette. We take comfort knowing that our good and faithful servant is in the glory of her Heavenly Father. We prayed for Ron, their children and grandchildren at this time of grieving and mourning. Prayers of thanksgiving for the legacy she has left to Immanuel Altar Guild and this entire church. Prayers for safe travels for the Tieman family. Prayers for Mark Tieman, Greg Smith, Jean Dorn, Sue Schroeder, Joyce Schneiderwind, Jim and Erika Kirk, Stephanie Lachel and Rich Ringel. Praise and thanksgiving for the Clinic — for the guests that came and blessed by the services possible only through God's provisions. We prayed a prayer of praise and thanksgiving for Jackie Tonyan and family for her servanthood here at Immanuel. She will be missed. Lastly, we prayed for the wildfires and for those survivors suffering the loss of loved ones in the Branson boat drownings.

In Other Business

Contributions: (Aug 2 —8, 2018)

Contributions: \$15,840

Budgeted Contributions: \$17,489

Mission - Northern Illinois District: \$490

Capital Reserve: \$296

City on a Hill Giving Campaign: \$2,735

City on a Hill Giving Campaign (08/08/18):

Participating Families: 232

Total Pledged: \$3,328,762

Total Received: \$2,443,811

Contribution Summary:

January—July 2018

Actual: \$603,586

Budget: \$570,250

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.



“Touching Hearts and Transforming Lives with the Light of Jesus Christ”

August 12 —18, 2018

Today . . .

“I Wonder About the End of the World”

Rev. Dr. Larry Tieman, Senior Pastor



Sermon Series now through August 19!
 Join us each weekend as We Wonder.

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This Week...

SUN Aug 12:
8, 9:30 & 11 am Worship—Commons

MON Aug 13:

TUES Aug 14:
9:30—11:30 am Tidy Up Tuesday—Commons
7 pm Chancel Choir

WED Aug 15:
10 am Preschool Park & Play at ILS Playground

THURS Aug 16:
9:30 am Bible Study at The Pointe
2 pm Bible Study at The Pointe
6:30 pm Praise Team Practice

FRI Aug 17:

SAT Aug 18:
8 am—12 noon God Connects Class
6 pm Worship—Historic Church

SUN Aug 19:
8, 9:30 & 11 am Worship—Commons

PRESCHOOL PARK AND PLAY — Upcoming dates and locations are as follows: Wednesday, August 15 at our Immanuel Lutheran Playground. Begins at 10 am. Any questions? Contact 815-459-1444.

TIDY UP TUESDAY August 14th at the Commons—Come help clean last minute items to get ready for the start of the school year. 9:30—11:30 AM. Bring your lunch and your energy for a fun morning making a difference!

Plugging In

GOD CONNECTS — Interested in learning more about Lutheran teachings or becoming a member of Immanuel? God Connects Summer School will be offered August 18 from 8 am to 12 noon. Contact Sharon at stieman@immanuelcl.org to register or for more information.

FAMILY FEST SEPTEMBER 21—23 — Save the date!! Carnival—Food—Bands—Games!!
Worship on Sunday in the tent with lunch afterwards!

Also, we are looking for business sponsors for the bands throughout the weekend. Contact Tom Rancak at mortgageguy164@gmail.com to learn more.

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE— Would you like to serve on an usher team? We are looking for men, women, children, or families to usher at a weekend worship service. Families, along with children 4th grade and up are welcome to consider this service opportunity. Looking for friendly and welcoming people who can hand out bulletins, collect offerings, and lead people during communion. Contact stieman@immanuelcl.org if you are interested.

SEEKING MILITARY ADDRESSES — We are looking for addresses to any military people that we could send cards or notes to for a special project. Send addresses to stieman@immanuelcl.org.

CHANCEL CHOIR WELCOMES YOU! NEW MEMBERS WANTED!!! Are you tired of singing in the shower or car all alone? Is music in your blood? If so, we invite you to sing with us in the Chancel Choir. The Chancel Choir sings at the 8:00am worship service basically every other week. We rehearse on Tuesday evenings at the church from 7:00-8:30pm. Rehearsals start up again on Tuesday, August 14. The chancel choir is a group of dedicated people serving God through His gift of music. We enjoy each other and share in fellowship and fun. Just think how great you will look in that robe. Please contact Robert Blazek at rblazek@immanuelcl.org.

RALLY DAY!—Mark your calendars now for Sunday, Aug. 26th when we kickoff Education Hour and Sunday School! Let's get back into our routine of Sunday classes during the 9:30-10:30 am hour. Find a class for your age group; Sunday School for 3 yr olds—5th grade, Verge for 6th grade, Confirmation for 7th & 8th grade and various classes for adults! Church nursery available for babies and toddlers too. Learn together and worship together at Immanuel!

Plugging In

EXTENDED CARE is looking to expand our staff! We are looking for people to work part time- maximum 20 hours a week. Extended Care is open Monday through Friday 7:00 am- 6:00 pm. If interested or would like more information, please contact Emily Wheaton at ewheaton@immanuelcl.org.

THE CLINIC — Thank you to all the volunteers for giving of your time and talents. You were a blessing to many and we are very appreciative of your help in all areas — from volunteering that day to backpack donations! Thank you! Heather & Bob

MOPS AT IMMANUEL - Are you a mom with a baby, toddler, preschooler, kindergartner or all of the above? Join and meet other moms and share and support each other with wisdom, faith and friendship. This is all while your kiddos are being cared for in our loving childcare rooms or are at school. MOPS meets 2 Tuesdays a month during the school year in Immanuel's Library from 9 - 11 am. First meeting Sept. 11. Contact Allie Kreuz for more info and to learn about this amazing ministry for moms at senorakreuz@gmail.com.

DO GOOD DATE NIGHT —Join other couples for a night of service and fun! \$20 per person will include a great meal catered by BBQ King, 2 drink tickets, and supplies for 3 different service projects. Saturday, September 8th at 5:30 PM at the Pointe! Don't miss the fun! Invite friends and neighbors. Stop by the ministry table today or buy tickets from Sharon Tieman.

FAITH LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL is looking to hire a part-time math teacher for the 2018-2019 school year. Eligible candidates should be able to teach Algebra 2, Pre-Calculus and Calculus. Experience in teaching statistics is a plus. Schedule is somewhat flexible-morning or afternoons. Interested candidates should send their cover letter and resume to Laurie Mathiesen at mathiesenl@faithlhs.org.

A NOTE FROM MRS. AMY MOELLER — I am writing to let you know that I have been extended, and have accepted a call to teach at St John's Lutheran School in Elgin. I have been blessed by my years at Immanuel, but feel that God is leading me to continue my ministry at St. John's. I'm grateful for the welcome that I received to Immanuel four years ago, and for the support that the congregation has shown me. I will miss you all.

Other News

HOLY LAND TOUR — Pastor and Sharon Tieman will be leading a tour to the Holy Land June 11-20, 2019. Take the trip of a lifetime to explore the places you have read about in the Bible! Grow in your faith as you retrace the steps of Jesus' ministry! If interested, see Pastor or Sharon or stop by the ministry table in the entranceway.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE, CRYSTAL LAKE, DONATES!! Did you know that if you dine at the Crystal Lake Texas Roadhouse (Routes 14 & 31) on Sundays (any Sunday throughout the year) and show your church bulletin to your server, they will donate 10% back to Immanuel Lutheran Church! What a yummy way to help further the ministry here at Immanuel!

THURSDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE CLASS — "Stuff They Didn't Teach Me in Sunday School" will meet the rest of the summer at 2 pm at The Pointe.

ALL NEW IMMANUEL MEMBERS from June 2017 through August 2018 are invited to the Tiemans at 409 Reserve Drive, Crystal Lake on Sunday, September 2, 5—7 PM. Bring your family! Come and meet other new ILC members and staff. Swimming, bags, bocce ball, appetizers, and fun! RSVP to stieman@immanuelcl.org.

How Can We Help?

Rev. Larry Tieman, Senior Pastor
Rev. Bob Pudell, Executive Pastor
Vicar Josh Hileman
Bob Dorn, Invite Leader
Sharon Tieman, Connect 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
Shelly Davidson, Director of Upward Sports

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