

***“The MISSION of Immanuel is to glorify God,
build the Christian Church, foster Christian
fellowship and concern, and join in the
worldwide work of winning souls for Christ.”***

**Immanuel Lutheran Church, LCMS
Rock Island, IL**



***Announcements for the Week of
June 1, 2025***

~~ Take your bulletin home with you to refer to it during the week ~~

SERVANTS IN THE LORD’S HOUSE – SUNDAY, June 1, 2025	
Elder	John Campbell
Communion Assistant	Alex Triece
Ushers	Brent Titus Carrie Titus
Cantor	Alex Triece
Organist	Christine Roth
The Altar Flowers have been given to the glory of God in Memory of Mark Donner by Karlene & John Campbell	

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

TODAY - Sunday, June 1

- 7:15 am – Board of Elders
- 9:00 am – Worship with Holy Communion
- 10:30 am – Bible Study

Monday, June 2

- 7:00 am – Matins

Tuesday, June 3

- 9:30 am – Adult Bible Study

Wednesday, June 4

- 7:00 pm – Circuit Youth Group Planning

Thursday, June 5

- 7:00 pm – Youth Group Programming Board

Sunday, June 8

- 9:00 am – Worship with Holy Communion
- 10:30 am – Bible Study
- 5:30 pm – Immanuel Youth Group

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Attendance

Sunday, May 25th

Attendance – 80 Communed – 62

Thursday, May 29 – Ascension

Attendance 17 Communed 12

CHURCH OFFICERS NEEDED:

If you are interested in becoming an officer or member of a committee at Immanuel, there are several positions that will be open including President (1); Corporate Secretary (1); Treasurer (1); Property Chairman (1); Foundation Trustee (1); Board of Elders (4); Call Committee (3). If you are interested or need more information, please contact Mel Vogel, Ron Mau, or the church office at 309-786-3391.



EDUCATION WING RESTROOMS ...

Construction continues!



YOUTH GROUP UPCOMING EVENTS

Regular Youth Meetings at Immanuel Rock Island

- All Circuit youth are welcome to attend the regularly scheduled youth group meetings at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Rock Island.
- Meeting schedule - First hour: Pastor leads a Bible Study, Second hour: games and snacks.
- Future meeting dates will be shared via email at the beginning of each month for your reference and monthly planning.
- Please join us!
 - Higher Things – July 29-Aug 1, Calvin University Grand Rapids MI
 - Immanuel Youth – regular meeting – June 8th



VBS 2025 – June 23 through June 27

Please prayerfully consider being a VBS volunteer.

We will need volunteers to help with registration, teaching, crafts, music, group leaders (escorting children to each activity), games, and kitchen helpers. **A sign-up sheet for volunteers is on the Narthex table.**

On-line registration now available on the website
calendar to sign your child/children up for VBS

FOR THE WEEK OF June 1st – Seventh Sunday of Easter

MEMORY VERSE: Psalm 56:3 – *When I am afraid, I put my trust in you.*

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT: Acts 1:16 – “Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus.” Judas sold out our Lord for 30 pieces of silver. That is, he sold out his friend, master and teacher for the sake of greed. That is a sharp reminder for us to search our own hearts for greed and to pray that the Lord would help us to turn from it before it consumes us.

LIFE THOUGHT – The sanctity of human life means more than implementing regulations or controlling behaviors. Jesus longs *that they may be one* (John 17:22) and *that the love with which you have loved me may be in them* (John 17:26). This represents invitation and instruction to receive every neighbor as gift and privilege, treat all bodies and needs as such, and speak courageously and compassionately about it.

LIFE QUOTE - “Watch and prepare for Jesus to return. Set your hearts on Him and on your life in Him. He is the beginning and end, the purpose and goal of your life. So there’s no need for tears as you see Him ascend. He is with you always. He will come back for His people soon. Then we will appear with Him in glory.” Rev. Peter Sulzle, St. John Evangelical Lutheran Church, Redwood Falls, MN – *A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life* – lutheransforlife.org

Daily Readings from the Lutheran Service Book, pages 299-304

Jun 1	Eccl. 9:1-17	John 9:24-41
Jun 2	Eccl. 10:1-20	John 10:1-21
Jun 3	Eccl. 11:1-10	John 10:22-42
Jun 4	Eccl. 12:1-14	John 11:1-16
Jun 5	Prov. 1:8-33	John 11:17-37
Jun 6	Prov. 3:5-24	John 11:38-57
Jun 7	Prov. 4:1-27	John 12:1-19



In addition to providing Thanksgiving and Christmas Baskets, our Social Ministry continues to help with special needs throughout the year as needed when requested via the Elders or Pastor. Envelopes are provided in your envelope box or use plain envelope, indicating for Social Ministry. If you have any question, contact the church office or Mel Vogel.

Part of our Social Ministry includes helping support our two Seminary families - **If you wish to help support these Seminarians**, you can place your gift in an envelope with "Seminarians" and your envelope number written on it, and place it in the offering plate or bring to the church office. These gifts will be recorded on your financial statement and checks will be sent to them quarterly.

Josh Bieri - Vicarage appointment - Faith Lutheran Church, LaCrosse, WI

Josh Camp – will be starting his 2nd year at CTSFW Fall 2025

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Concordia Lutheran Academy in Geneseo is hosting their 3rd Annual "Swing for the Kids"

Golf Outing Fundraiser on the morning of

Saturday, June 21st. This year it is at Valley View

in Cambridge IL and the cost is \$160 for

2 players, cart, lunch, a swag bag, and a great time!

Call the Concordia Church Office at 309-944-3993 or

qrcode_golf.geneseolutheranchurch.com.png to register. FORE!

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CHRISTIAN CARE:

Canned fruit & vegetables	Body wash	All-purpose cleaner
Large shampoo & conditioner	Napkins	Toilet paper
Deodorant for men & women	T-shirts, socks	Toilet bowl cleaner
Shaving cream, razors	12, 22, 39 gallon trash bags	

ITEMS CAN BE TAKEN DIRECTLY TO CHRISTIAN CARE OR PLACE ITEMS IN CC BASKET IN NARTHEX AND THEY WILL BE TAKEN TO CHRISTIAN CARE

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The Lutheran Women in Missions (LWML)
Our regular LWML meetings will begin again in the Fall. WELCOME!

LWML CID MISSION GRANT #1 – Student Aid for Church Workers - \$30,000. Due to the high cost of becoming a full-time church worker, many students find it difficult to complete their schooling. This grant will provide partial funding to CID students so they may realize their dreams of becoming full-time church workers. These funds would be distributed through the LCMS CID Scholarship Committee.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS DISTRICT - The current **DOLLARS FOR MISSIONS** project is \$25,000 for masonry work and repointing at University Lutheran Church in Champaign. The church and student center building serves as an outpost of the Gospel to the 50,000 students annually at the University of Illinois. This project will fund targeted areas for repair on the exterior, so that the Lord's Word and Sacraments can continue to be given for many decades to come! Feel free to check out the video at <https://youtu.be/n3BgVeNC0tg> or find more information on our website <https://www.cidlcms.org/ministry-a-dollar-for-missions.html>.

Lutheran Church Charities (LCC) – after tornadoes and severe weather left a swath of devastation and damage across Missouri, Kentucky, and other states recently (including **Concordia Seminary and Park** in St. Louis), **LCC** is deploying **LCC Disaster Response** teams to provide chainsaw assistance and debris removal with heavy equipment at multiple sites. **LCC Care Teams** trained in **Spiritual First Aid®** are standing by to mobilize and travel to affected areas. If you are compelled to give towards this response, please donate to May 2025 Tornado Outbreak Response Fund. By phone – 866-455-6466 or by mail: Lutheran Church Charities, 3020 Milwaukee Ave, Northbrook IL 60062.



The Lutheran Hour can be heard each Sunday on: WKEI Kewanee 1450 AM 5 am / KCLN Clinton 1390 AM 9:30 am / WMT Cedar Rapids 600 AM 6:30 am

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CHRIST FOR YOU this week on AM850 & KFUE.org: Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT) continues its study through 1 Kings, picking up with chapter 19. On Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), we are journeying through the book of Genesis. Join us as we continue the saga of Jacob and his family. Don't forget to tune in to the Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9:00 a.m. CT) to learn about a new catechetical fiction series from Kloria Publishing, and to join us as we conclude our series on Sabbath with Rev. Dr. Joel Biermann! Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUE Radio app!



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9:00 AM—1:00 PM

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