

***“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
July 27, 2025***

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

SERVANTS IN THE LORD'S HOUSE – SUNDAY July 27, 2025	
Elder	Todd Hazen
Communion Assistant	John Campbell
Cantor	Liturgist
Ushers	Brent Titus Carrie Titus
Organist	Christine Roth
<i>The Altar flowers and Eternal Light have been given to the glory of God by Donna Dettmann</i>	

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL

TODAY - Sunday, July 27

9:00 am - Worship with Holy Communion

10:30 am - Bible Study

**Youth, Chaperones, and Families will be leaving
this afternoon on their “Higher Things” journey.**

Please keep them in prayer.

Sunday, August 3

9:00 am - Worship with Holy Communion

10:30 am - Bible Study

Attendance - Sunday, July 20th

Attendance – 52 Communed – 48

QUILT BLESSING

In our service today, the quilts completed by our LWML and members of our congregation, will receive a blessing given by Pastor Astrowski. In the near future the blankets will be taken to Phil's Friends where they will be included in a larger package along with other items, and sent to individuals battling cancer.

"Cancer Is Strong – HOPE is stronger"

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED
IN THIS LWML-SPONSORED PROJECT

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.

PREGNANCY RESOURCES

Mark your calendar

WALK FOR LIFE - Saturday, September 6th

Walkers will be signing up soon and will be seeking pledges.
Please help support Pregnancy Resources if you can.



Immanuel LWML meetings have concluded for the 2024-2025 season. Join us again in the Fall. WELCOME!

**LWML FALL ZONE RALLY will be held
Tuesday, September 16th – here at Immanuel
Theme: “Precious in His Eyes”
Isaiah 43:3-4**

LWML-CID Mission Grant Mite Bytes

Mission Grant #2 – LCMS Disaster Relief - \$10,000 (July-August)

LCMS Disaster Relief works with member congregations to immediately give access, relief, and aid in recovery following a disaster. This grant would replenish the funding available to meet the needs to start and enable this process at disaster time.

How can I help? Pray that God provides workers to bring relief and aid during a disaster in the US. Support this grant by donating to our LWML group Mite Fund.



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.
 - Higher Things – July 29-Aug 1, Calvin University Grand Rapids MI
 - August – 2nd pool party

DOLLARS FOR MISSIONS (DFM): The current project is replacement of the 45-year-old insulation in the Chancel ceiling at Wittenberg Lutheran Center, Normal. Some of this fiberglass insulation has fallen from its original place under the roof. It needs to be replaced, in what figures to be an expensive job calling for ingenious work involving a high ceiling. This DFM project is for \$10,000. For more details, see <https://www.cidlcms.org/ministry-dfm-current-project.html>

CHRISTIAN CARE:

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



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

FOR THE WEEK OF July 27th Pentecost VII (Proper 12C)

MEMORY VERSE: Deuteronomy 6:6-7 – *And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.*

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT: Luke 11:11 *“What father among you, if his son asks for a fish, will instead of a fish give him a serpent?”* A generous, giving spirit comes from knowing that you have a generous, giving Father. He will care for our needs. We are therefore free to reflect His generosity in our lives. We can be generous in raising our children, supporting the church and serving our neighbor in the community. In these three areas – home, church, and society – the Lord has called us to show His grace and generosity to those around us.

LIFE THOUGHT – Surprise pregnancies and terminal diagnoses involve more than just political controversies or worldly concerns. Human lives embody spiritual matters because they arrive as the work, purpose, and property of God’s hands (Psalm 138:8). Who needs abortion or assisted suicide when the Heavenly Father urges us to ask for, expect, and await miracles (Luke 11:9-10)?

LIFE QUOTE – “There is no joy like the joy of welcoming another child into your life. You will marvel anew at how perfectly formed your little one is and over how quickly you will fall head over heels in love with him. You will be enchanted with every tiny aspect of her appearance. The color of her hair, the shape of her nose, and the winsomeness of her smile will occasion endless happy debates about from which side of the family (yours, of course) she got that adorable trait.” *Steve Mosher, Population Research Institute, author of “Ten Great Reasons to Have Another Child” - A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life – lutheransforlife.org*



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

For churches outside the St. Louis area for the week of July 27:

KFUO Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUO.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. Find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: [@KFUORadio](https://www.facebook.com/KFUORadio) on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/KFUORadio), [X](https://www.facebook.com/KFUORadio), and [Instagram](https://www.facebook.com/KFUORadio).

CHRIST FOR YOU this week on AM850 & KFUE.org: On Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 am) we are continuing our study of the Psalms. This week, we'll take a look at Psalms 50, 57, 67, 73, and 80. Tune in to Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11am) as we begin a new study of the book of Galatians! Don't forget to join us for the Coffee Hour (weekdays at 9am). This week is Bach week, and we have some special episodes lined up to celebrate! Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUE Radio app!

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

July 27	1 Sam. 12:1-25	Acts 22:30-23:11
July 28	1 Sam. 13:1-18	Acts 23:12-35
July 29	1 Sam. 14:47-15:9	Acts 24:1-23
July 30	1 Sam. 15:10-35	Acts 24:24-25:12
July 31	1 Sam. 16:1-23	Acts 25:13-27
August 1	1 Sam. 17:1-19	Acts 26:1-23
August 2	1 Sam. 17:20-47	Acts 26:24-27:8



Church Office Hours

Summer Hours: Monday—Thursday
9:00 AM—1:00 PM

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