

## announcements~10.23.22~Immanuel Lutheran Church



**October Mission Emphasis:** ELCA World Hunger. October 16 was World Food Day. If you missed the ELCA celebration online of World Food Day, hosted by Rick Steves and guests, the hour-long event may be found on the ELCA Facebook page or ELCA YouTube channel. Your mission gifts given throughout October will be gifted towards the tremendous need to feed and care for the hungry. **TODAY: NOISY OFFERING FOR WORLD HUNGER.**



**The Health and Vitality team** is a group of six people, three each from Bethany and Immanuel. Their task is to keep their "ears to the ground," and to listen to joys and concerns regarding the relationship between the two congregations. There are three members from each congregation. Immanuel's members are Kathy Leuwerke, Laura Winter, and Gerald Appel. The team will be meeting on October 25. If you have joys or concerns you would like to share with them, please contact one of these members before that time and share what is on your heart and mind.

**Church council is seeking nominations for 2023 Council members.** There are 4 seats vacant that need to be filled. If you have someone in mind, ask them if they are willing to be nominated and get permission to turn their name into the office. Or if you would like to nominate yourself, let us know in the office. Deadline for names is two weeks from today (Nov. 6).

**JOB POSTING: Immanuel is seeking a part-time (.25) Director of Children's Education** to start January 2023. Primary responsibilities include coordinating children's education programming for ages three years old through fifth grade: recruiting teachers, helpers, and music teachers, ordering curriculum, giving leadership to the Board of Education to coordinate activities like Rally Day, Lenten Fair and Children's Christmas program and VBS. Salary is between \$8,000 and \$9,500 depending on qualifications. Interested, please contact Jaci in the church office, Pastor Rod or Pastor Zech.

**If you are not already giving automatically,** we invite you to consider supporting the mission and ministry of Immanuel through automatic giving by following the link on the website or calling the church office for assistance. **OR USE IMMANUEL'S QR CODE TO GIVE ELECTRONICALLY.** Thank you for your consideration. Mailing in your gifts is another way to support our mission and ministry.



**Prayer Chain Contacts:** Barb Johnson (585-2998) or Jaci Thorson in church office (585-3152). Or you may email Barb at [barbjohnson104@gmail.com](mailto:barbjohnson104@gmail.com). **The prayer intercessors** are praying together on Zoom from their homes. Please notify office with any additions or corrections.

**Pastoral Hospital Visits:** If you or your family members are hospitalized, please let us know.

**Wednesday Community Meals:** Serving each week 4-6 in the fellowship hall—eat in or takeout. Menu this week: Happy Halloween ~ spooky chili dogs, crazy chips, batty beans, candy treats. Bring the family, invite a neighbor or friend, come enjoy the fellowship with others for this free community meal. *Interested in volunteering to help in the kitchen?* Talk to Dawn in the kitchen.

**Waldorf International Students' needs:** Winter items: coats, gloves, scarves (clean and in good condition); twin bedding or throw blankets; fans (helps with air circulation in old dorms); kitchen stuff, especially pots & pans (with cafeteria closed during the breaks, they need to cook in the dorm kitchens). Items may be left at the church office. Thanks from Mission & Outreach Board and Megan Gabriell, Waldorf' Director of International Student Services.

**NEEDED: Coffee Fellowship hosts for the upcoming months of November & December.** *Groups, families, couples, friends...* See the sign up in the fellowship hall and add your names. **THANKS!**

**Remember the FC Neighborhood Food Bank!** Emphasizing macaroni & cheese, pork & beans, Jello, boxes of cereal, toilet paper, and brown-handled paper grocery bags may be brought to the church anytime during office hours or Sundays. Place in grocery carts by the office or in the narthex.

**Around the community:**

**Waldorf Homecoming Brunch & Concert TODAY:** A Homecoming Brunch will be hosted by Waldorf Music serving 11am-12:30pm in the Boman Mezzanine. Freewill donation. Then the Homecoming Concert, 1-3pm in the Boman Auditorium. Features Waldorf Jazz, Percussion Ensemble, Wind Symphony, Schola Cantorium, and Waldorf University Choir. Attend one or the other events, or both!

**West Prairie Lutheran Church Fall Dinner, TODAY, 10:30am-1:30pm.** BBQ meatballs, cheesy potatoes, southern green beans, dinner roll, cookie/bar, and beverage. Adults: \$10, Children 10 & under: \$5. Dining options: church fellowship hall and carryout. *Net proceeds will be used to rebuild the church handicap-accessible ramp.* (Church address: 40041 150<sup>th</sup> Ave, Leland.)

**This Week at Immanuel:**

TODAY:	9:15am	Worship, Waldorf Choir, <i>NOISY OFFERING FOR ELCA WORLD HUNGER</i>
	10:15am	Coffee, Fellowship Hall
	10:30am	Promiseland
	6pm	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Rehearsal, Sanctuary; treats served following w/parents
TUESDAY:	1pm	LWR Quilting Do Day, Fellowship Hall
	3:30pm	Intercessor Prayer Group
	5pm	Immanuel-Bethany Health & Vitality Committee meeting at Mitchell's in Leland
	5:30pm	Bell Choir, Fireside Room
WEDNESDAY:	4-6pm	Meal, FH
	6pm	Worship, communion
	6:45pm	Choir, Fireside Room
THURSDAY:	9am	Women's Bible Study, Lounge
	6:30pm	Good Grief Group, Shalom
SATURDAY:	6:30-9:30pm	HS Halloween Party, Church
NEXT SUNDAY:	9:15am	Reformation-Confirmation Worship, communion
	10:15am	Coffee, Fellowship Hall
	10:30am	Promiseland

Check out the Wednesday schedule  
In the OASIS QR code or at the  
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