



**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.

**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. **November Mission Project** will be a 'NO BAKE BAKE SALE' to benefit our ELCA Missionary Karen Anderson in Chile. (Check out the flyer in the narthex or read about it in the November Messenger.)



**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: beef enchiladas, corn, ice cream. 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 signup 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.

**27th Annual Community Thanksgiving Day Buffet @ Immanuel** on Thursday, Nov. 24, serving buffet-style 11am-1pm. Check out the insert of grocery needs and volunteers. If you can help with donations, please fill out the insert and place in offering plate or leave in the office or call the church office. Online donations sign up and/or to eat the meal is available at [www.immanuelfamily.com](http://www.immanuelfamily.com). Meal will be prepared by Chef Chris Wellendorf.

**Around the community:**

**Kinship Radio's SHARE 2022 – theme, "Look What God's Done!:** Kinship Radio invited you to join in by listening to the exciting live broadcast as they march toward their annual fundraising goal. Listen to lifechanging stories as a result of listening to Kinship. Live on-air Tuesday-Thursday, November 1-3, on air and online at [kinshipradio.org](http://kinshipradio.org).

**Annual Scandinavian Bazaar @ Trinity Lutheran Church, Mason City** on Thursday, Nov. 3, 8am-2pm. Bazaar features a Scandinavian Coffee Shop, Scandinavian Boutique, Gift Gallery selling unique hand-made items, Candy & Bake Shop, and the Book Nook. Scandinavian meatball dinner served in two shifts: 11am and 12pm. Meal tickets are \$9 and must be purchased in advance. Call 641-423-0536 to reserve your ticket.

**Bushels Full of Blessings FC United Methodist Church Annual Bazaar:** Saturday, Nov. 5, 8:30am-1pm (coffee 8:30-10:30, lunch 11am-1pm). Eat in or take out: chicken & biscuits, beef burgers, baked beans, homemade pie. Plus table décor for sale, baked goods, candy, jams, jellies, sauces, pickles, dishtowels, and crafts.

**Annual Fall Harvest Soup/Salad Luncheon @ Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Manly.** Enjoy all homemade soups, scrumptious salads, and mouthwatering pies on Sunday, Nov. 6, 10:30am-1pm. Free will offering, bake sale, and door prizes-2/\$50.00. Handicap accessible, take outs available.

**Fall Crafting Retreat @ Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp,** Nov. 18-20. Get your creative juices flowing at camp for a weekend of fun, fellowship and accomplishment. Enjoy delicious food, great people as you unwind from your busy life and have some personal time. Bring along your projects to work on and all the supplies you need. Cost is \$119. More details @ [www.okoboji.org](http://www.okoboji.org).

**This Week at Immanuel:**

TODAY:	9:15am	Reformation & Confirmation Worship, communion
	10:15am	Coffee, Fellowship Hall
	10:30am	Promiseland
TUESDAY:	3:30pm	Intercessor Prayer Group
	5:30pm	Bell Choir, Fireside Room
WEDNESDAY:	4-6pm	Meal, FH
	5:30pm	Whirl Wednesday / Adult Learning, Lounge / Middle School Ministry, Shalom
	6pm	Worship, Kids singing, communion
	6:45pm	Choir, Fireside Room
	7:30pm	High School Youth Group
THURSDAY:	9am	Women's Bible Study, Lounge
SATURDAY:	<i>set your clocks back</i>	
NEXT SUNDAY:	9:15am	Worship, communion
	10:15am	Coffee, Fellowship Hall
	10:30am	Promiseland

Check out the Wednesday schedule  
In the OASIS QR code or at the  
[Immanuelfamily.com](http://Immanuelfamily.com) OASIS tab.

