

announcements~11.20.22~Immanuel Lutheran Church



November Mission Project: '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 or Facebook.) Share your favorite Christmas treat recipe with us!

27th Annual Community Thanksgiving Day Buffet @ Immanuel on Thursday, Nov. 24, serving buffet-style 11am-1pm. **Pies still needed if you could help out.** Call the church office or sign up online. Needed at church by Thursday @ 9am. Meal will be prepared by Chef Chris Wellendorf along with his wife, Laura, and many volunteers.

November collection for LWR Personal Care Kits: The following items are needed: dark colored new bath towels, toothbrushes, and bars of soap. Items may be left in the basket by the church office. Thank you! A generous Thrivent grant was rewarded to purchase some of the supplies needed for the Kits.

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.



Can you help with any of this item for our Intern Elizabeth Carr's apartment? Storage shelves or baker's rack for dining area. Let us know in the church office. She will be moving to FC on Thanksgiving weekend.

STOCK THE PANTRY: Intern Elizabeth Carr will begin her year at Immanuel on December 1st. Let's welcome her with a 'Stock the Pantry' party by sharing staple pantry-type items. These gifts may be left in the church office by the 1st.

Prayer Chain Contacts: Jaci Thorson in church office (585-3152) or email jaci@immanuelfamily.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.

Prayer Shawls available: If you are chilly sitting in your pew, prayer shawls are available in the narthex that you can use to stay warm. Just ask an usher. If you or someone you know could benefit from a prayer shawl, you are welcome to take it with you.

Wednesday Community Meals: Serving each week 4-6 in the fellowship hall—eat in or takeout. Menu this week: NO MEAL THIS WEEK ON WEDNESDAY. THANKSGIVING DAY BUFFET SERVED 11-1. Wednesday meal resumes on Nov. 30: chicken noodle hotdish, peas/carrots, applesauce. 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.

Let's do some Christmas decorating in the Sanctuary on Sunday, November 27, following 9:15 worship. Anyone is welcome to come join in the seasonal fun!

PROMISELAND CHRISTMAS PROGRAM is Sunday, Dec. 11, 2:30pm, with a Pie & Ice Cream Social time following the program. If you would like to help by donating pie(s) and/or ice cream, find the sign up button on the immanuelfamily.com homepage to sign up, or call the church office, 585-3152. *Everyone is invited to come enjoy all the children share the Christmas Story with us.*



WARNING: Occasionally staff members, leaders, and congregation members receive an email that appears to be from pastorrod@immanuelfamily.com asking for your help. The scammer will eventually ask you to purchase e bay gift cards, scratch off the coating from the hidden code and send a picture. From Pastor Rod: I will always unabashedly invite and challenge you to support the vital mission of this congregation, however I will never ask any one of you to help me or the church through gift cards. This is a scam. Please do not open these emails, nor respond to them. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Around the community:

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.

This Week at Immanuel:

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| TODAY: | 9:15am | Worship, communion |
| | 10:15am | Coffee, Fellowship Hall |
| | 10:30am | Promiseland |
| MONDAY: | 2-4pm | Prayer Shawl Ministry, Shalom |
| TUESDAY: | 3:30pm | Intercessor Prayer Group |
| | 5:30pm | Bell Choir, Fireside Room |
| WEDNESDAY: | 10am | HS Friendsgiving |
| | 6:45pm | Choir |
| THURSDAY: | 10:30am | Thanksgiving Worship, Sanctuary |
| | 11am-1pm | THANKSGIVING DAY BUFFET, Fellowship Hall |
| NEXT SUNDAY: | 9:15am | Advent Worship |
| | 10:15am | Coffee, Fellowship Hall / Christmas decorating in Sanctuary |

Immanuel's 27th Annual Community Thanksgiving Day Buffet

Thursday, Nov. 24, serving 11am ~ 1pm

Freewill donation, proceeds to missions

Online sign up thru immanuelfamily.com or by calling church office

☎ 585-3152

Thanksgiving Day worship ☎ 10:30

