

# announcements~4.21.24~Immanuel Lutheran Church



## Worship Participants:

Assisting Minister: Olivia Banta

Reader: Joan Beebe

Greeter: Shirley Rollefson

Ushers: Gary McCarthy, Jim Lund, Tina Berg

Communion Servers: Sandy Lillquist, Bink Keller

Piano/Organ: Karen Post

Altar Care: Kathy Leuwerke

Audio/Video Techs: Geno Lopes/Jacob Beenken

Communion Set Up: Tasha Banta

Song Leaders: Scott Bertelsen, Cindi Lehmann, Steve Olmstead

**Today's 9:15 worship is broadcast** at 11:00am over KLOW 107.3 FM. Broadcast is given by Bernie & Karen Kofron.

**WELCOME to worship!** If you are a guest, let us know you are here by signing the guest book in the narthex and help yourself to a welcome gift also in the narthex. For all of you, communication cards are available in the pews to let us know you communed or to pass on any other information you might want to share with us.

**April Mission Emphasis:** 2024 Synod Assembly offering—three-fourths will assist with the registration fees for one of our young people to attend the Gathering and one-fourth will support the WIS Hog Project: a project that connects hog producers with community meals and food pantries around our Synod. The WIS challenged each congregation to bring an offering of at least \$450. *Immanuel exceeded that amount, and we gave an offering of \$580.17 at the Assembly that was held Friday-Saturday in Council Bluffs. Thank you for your gifts!*

**Interested in membership?** A one-session class is scheduled for next Sunday, April 28, 10:30am in the Shalom Room, and then new members will be received during 9:15am worship on Sunday, May 5. Please reach out to a pastor or Jaci in the office, or just come on the 28<sup>th</sup>, if you would like to become an Immanuel member or transfer from another church.

**April 28<sup>th</sup> Forum on sharing a ministry position with Waldorf University.** During coffee fellowship next Sunday, April 28 come to hear the needs, ideas, and possible plans about this pastoral position. Pastor Rod, Pastor Steve Smith, President Alsop will be telling us about the position and taking your questions.

**Wednesday Community Meals:** Serving each week 4:15-6:15 in the fellowship hall—eat in or takeout. Menu this week: baked ham, split baked potatoes, 3-bean casserole, cherry or apple crisp. Come enjoy the fellowship with others for this free community meal. Bring the family, invite a neighbor, friend, or someone who could use a meal.

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

**Calling for cookie bakers!** Immanuel is hosting the Forest City Baccalaureate on Sunday, May 12, @ 3pm. A reception of cookies and drinks will be served in the dining room following the service. (Six dozen cookies still needed.)

**Consider automatic giving:** 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.



## Around the community:

**Waldorf Wind Symphony & Percussion Ensemble** – TODAY @ 3pm, Boman Fine Arts Center. \$5. Tickets available at the door.

**Omelet Breakfast at Sacred Heart Church, in Manly,** on Sunday, April 28, 9am-1pm. 'Create your own omelet', cheesy potatoes, toast, beverage; free will donation, bake sale, 2/\$50 door prizes, quilt raffle.

**ANYONE WELCOME to 'shop' the CLOTHES CLOSET at Fertile Lutheran Church.** Open every Wednesday evening from 5:30-7pm. This clothing ministry provides clothes and shoes of all sizes for FREE to those in need. All families and individuals in the surrounding area are welcome to see what is in the Clothes Closet. Racks and shelves of clothing sorted by size from newborn to adults. Donations may also be brought on Wednesday evening or call the church and leave a message (641-797-2767) about donations. There is a convenient drop-off box located at the back entrance.

**CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS** of Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp June 28-30. Friday evening campfires; Saturday camp reunions by the decades, Chapel (with Swen & Dean), kids' activities, meal, celebration service, Sunday outdoor worship/brunch. Check out the schedule or RSVP by phone 1-800-OKOBOJI or see website Okoboji.org/100.

**THANK YOU!** *The entire Farland family would like to express our gratitude for all the prayers sent up since Parker's leukemia diagnosis last summer. Those prayers have worked, and Parker is now cancer free! The calls, texts, prayers, and support have meant the world to us and have helped us more than you will ever know. We are so very thankful for our church families.*

*With love,*

*Parker, Hadley, Kasslin, Julie, Bruce, Courtney, Kevin*

**This Week at Immanuel:**

TODAY:	9:15am	Worship
	10:15am	Coffee, FH
	10:30am	Promiseland
TUESDAY:	1pm	LWR Quilting Do Day, FH
	3:30pm	Intercessor Prayer Group, Zoom
WEDNESDAY:	4:15-6:15	Meal, Fellowship Hall
	5:25pm	Promiseland / MS Ministry, Shalom / Adult Class, Lounge
	6:30pm	Worship, communion
	7:15pm	NO Choir
	7:30pm	HS Youth Group
THURSDAY:	9am	Women's Bible Study, Lounge
	6:30pm	Good Grief Group, Shalom
NEXT SUNDAY:	9:15am	Worship, communion
	10:15am	Coffee, Fellowship Hall
	10:30am	Promiseland
	10:30am	New Member Class, Shalom
	10:30am	Forum: Sharing a pastor w/Waldorf, FH