

announcements~9.18.22~Immanuel Lutheran Church



JULY-SEPTEMBER MISSION EMPHASIS: BIBLE CAMPS! Your mission gifts throughout this quarter will be given to Riverside Camp and Ingham Okoboji Bible Camps. These gifts are used at the camps for their program and operating needs. Our gifts are greatly appreciated! Immanuel youth attending camps receive funds from Immanuel's Endowment Fund. **NOISY OFFERING FOR BIBLE CAMPS TODAY! Thank you for your donations and continued support!**

SEPTEMBER NOUWEN BOOK STUDY: Henri Nouwen Book Study: *FOLLOWING JESUS, Finding Our Way Home in an Age of Anxiety*. This Study continues with Pastor Rod leading part 2 of 3 on Tuesday, Sept. 20 @ 7:00pm. Will conclude on Oct. 4 @ 7:00pm. Gather in the Lounge, join in the Zoom, or watch the recorded study at your convenience.

Wednesday Community Meals: Serving each week 4-6 in the fellowship hall—eat in or takeout. Menu this week: hot ham sandwiches, lettuce salad, chips, pudding. **As the program year has started, meal time gets busier. Dawn needs an additional volunteer(s) to help. Call the church or talk to Dawn to let us know you would like to help. Dawn is also asking for leftover containers that can go in the freezer. Containers that can be used for frozen 'square meals' to give away, or leftover food that is frozen at church.**

Volunteers needed for COMMUNION SET UP: Would you like to help with this behind-the-scenes task of setting up communion on Sundays or Wednesdays? Talk to Ruth Melby or contact the office of your interest.

Remember the FC Neighborhood Food Bank! Emphasizing macaroni & cheese, pork & beans, canned fruit, 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.

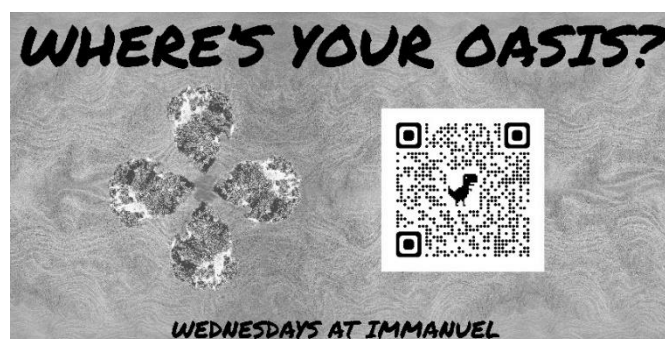
'FOOD TO SHARE TABLE'! If your garden is overflowing with fresh produce, bring to church to share on Sunday mornings (in the narthex) or on Wednesdays during meal time in the fellowship hall (4-6). It is a way to share a bountiful crop with folks that aren't able to grow their own nutritional vegetables/fruits.

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. **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 at church.

Curious about the Wednesday schedule? Check it out here which takes you directly to the Immanuel website OASIS tab:



Assembling LWR School Kits on Thursday @ 9am. Come to the Fellowship Hall and join in the fun of putting together these Kits. GOD'S WORK. OUR 'MANY' HANDS!

WESTERN IOWA SYNOD'S RUTH CLUSTER INVITE: To try and revive women's activities in our churches, members of our women's group is invited to a fall meeting of the RUTH CLUSTER, of which we are a member of. Saturday, Sept. 24 at Zion Lutheran Church in Rake. Registration and coffee 8:30-9am; plans are to dismiss before 11:30. Please consider loading up your care and travel to Rake for a morning of food, fellowship, and fun—devotions, short business meeting, and special speaker. An offering will be lifted. The Ruth Cluster officers would like to set aside a time of sharing and caring about how to strength women's organizations in our churches; a time to share thoughts and ideas.

Around the community:

Waldorf's 'closet' needs for International Students: Kitchen items-bowls, plates, silverware, cooking utensils, fry pans, sauce pans, pizza pans, cutting boards, strainers, measuring cups/spoons, kitchen towels/hot pads. (Not needed-mugs, cups, cake/pie pans.) Bedding-throw blankets, twin sheets/blankets, pillows; hangers.

BIBLE CAMPS: Check out the bulletin boards in the lower-level ramp hallway, or camp websites with their upcoming camp events. RiversideLBC.org, Okoboji.org.

This Week at Immanuel:

TODAY:	9:15am	Worship, communion (using pre-packaged kits), <i>NOISY OFFERING FOR BIBLE CAMPS</i>
	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
	6pm	Cub Scouts Pact Meeting, Fellowship Hall
	7pm	Nouwen Book Study (part 2 of 3), Lounge/Zoom/recorded
		OCTOBER MESSENGER DEADLINE
WEDNESDAY:	4-6pm	Meal, FH
	5:30pm	Whirl Wednesday / Adult Learning Time, Lounge / Middle School Ministry, Shalom
	6pm	Worship
	7pm	9 th grade Confirmation, Shalom / NO Adult Choir, Fireside Room
	7:30pm	High School Youth Group
THURSDAY:	9am	Women's Bible Study, Lounge / LWR School Kits Assembly, Fellowship Hall
	6:30pm	Good Grief Group, Shalom
NEXT SUNDAY:	9:15am	Worship
	10:15am	Coffee, Fellowship Hall
	10:30am	Promiseland

***Join us at Immanuel for
Praise & Worship with
Dave Anderson & Roger Walck's
THE RESCUE TOUR
Sunday, October 2, 9:15am***

Dave & Roger's music is a blend of contemporary, gospel, hymns, and lots of old-time Sunday school songs and sing-alongs!

Freewill donations will be shared with the ministry they support: Shepherd's Canyon Retreat in AZ

