

**Immanuel Lutheran Church
Prayer Concerns**

Health Concerns

For Members of Immanuel:

Eileen Martin
Maynard Krause
Carol Wallace
Kade Woods
Iona Wood

For Friends of Immanuel:

Michael Miller (*Janice Dobson's son*)
Trudy Kreklau (*Joe Kreklau's mother*)
Jim Sharp (*Onni Anderson Sharp's brother*)
Katie Austad (*Walt Wiskow's granddaughter*)
Lela Platt (*Friend of Janice Dobson*)

Mourning the Loss of a Loved One

Pastor Nate & Audrey & Family in the death of
Nate's dad, Dave Loer
Joyce Jamps in the death of her brother,
Johnny Saarela
Joanne Lynk in the death of her husband, Steve

Other Prayer Concerns

Ukraine/Middle East
Our country at war with Iran

Military Prayers

For Members of Immanuel:

James Kloss

For Friends of Immanuel:

Riley Broding (*Grandson of Marilyn Broding*)
Sean Evans (*Greg & Alicia Johnson's nephew*)
Joe Holweger (*Gladys Chase's grandson*)
John Kloss (*David Kloss' son*)

If you would like to add yourself or a loved one to our prayer list, please contact the church office. Health and grief prayers will remain on our list for four weeks. Military prayers will remain on the list for 6 months.

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Today's Worship Leaders:

Accompanist: Matt Greenwaldt

A/V Team: Mark Wohler

Altar Care: Diane Teigland

Communion: Carol Aldeen, Jane Bagstad,
& Meagan Ferris

Lector: John Pate

Ushers: Terry Olson and Ann & John Pate

**Today's Radio Broadcast is
in honor of Iona Wood's 70th birthday
sponsored by Marilyn Broding.**

**Today's Global Mission is
sponsored by Marilyn Broding
in honor of her Immanuel Church family.**

**Immanuel Lutheran Church
Sunday, August 16, 2026
12th Sunday After Pentecost
9:30 am**

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Confession & Forgiveness **ELW p.94**

Hymn- **ELW 779**- "*Amazing Grace*"

Greeting & Prayer of the Day

Pint Sized God Talk Pastor Nate Loer

Scripture - Isaiah 56:1, 6-8

- Psalm 67

- Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32

Gospel - Matthew 15:21-28

Sermon Pastor Nate Loer

Hymn- **ELW 656**- "*Blest Be the Tie
that Binds*"

(*Offering gathered and received*)

Offering Prayer

Apostles' Creed **ELW back cover**

Prayers

Peace

Great Thanksgiving **NTF p.11**

Holy, Holy, Holy **NTF p.11-12**

Lord's Prayer **NTF p.13**

Distribution of Holy Communion

Post Communion Blessing & Prayer

Benediction

Hymn- **ELW 423**- "*Shall We Gather
at the River*"

Dismissal

Postlude

"Welcome Back" Picnic - August 19th

Congregational Life Committee is planning a "Welcome Back" picnic at Tapley Park on Wednesday, August 19th. Come at 5 pm for food and fellowship. We will be serving hot dogs, sides, and even something sweet to eat!! We will have games set up to play. Most of all, just come, connect with others and get ready for fall. If you would like to bring a side or dessert, just give me a call or text at 218-316-1923 by Monday, August 17th. Hope to see you there! - Diane Breitling, CLC Chair

-Update regarding our granddaughter,

Rebecca Johnson-

Last September, Rebecca turned 26, was diagnosed with thyroid cancer, and 2 weeks later found out she was pregnant. It has been a long 10 months. Baby Maddox was born April 30th by c-section. June 16th she had her thyroid removed and a lymph node metastasis. She has returned to work, and baby is doing well! July 28th the doctor decided that she is in low risk of cancer reoccurring here. So no radiation. Thanks to everyone who has kept her in their prayers all this time. Prayers do work! - John & Marie Johnson

Save the Dates in September!!

Sept 2 - Youth Council Meeting

Sept 2 - Sanctuary Choir Resumes

Sept 9 - Youth & Family Planning Meeting

Sept 10 - WDC Food Pack

Sept 16 - Worship Wednesdays Resume

Sept 20 - God's Work, Our Hands

Sept 23 & 27 - Bible Presentations

School Kit Donations

If you would like to donate items for this project, we need: 70-sheet notebooks, boxes of 16-24 crayons, pencil sharpeners, 30 cm rulers, blunt scissors, unsharpened pencils, black or blue ballpoint pens, 2 ½ inch erasers. Financial gifts are also welcome. Checks can be written to Immanuel with "LWR School Kits" in the memo line. A table is set up for donations in the concourse. Kits will be assembled following worship on September 20th for Gods Work Our Hands.



Communion Instructions

We welcome to our Lord's Table today ALL who desire Christ Jesus, members and visitors. As the ushers direct you forward, come down the center aisle to receive these gifts. Gluten free wafers are available on the baptismal font and white grape juice is available in the trays as a wine alternative. Place the empty cup in the basket provided near the outer walls of the sanctuary and return to your seats using the side aisles. Children who have not received communion instruction or those who desire a blessing instead of communion, may come forward with their hands near their chest as a visible sign to our servers. Please let an usher know if you need communion delivered to your pew.

August 16 - August 23

Sunday, August 16

- 8:30 am - Coffee & Conversation
- 9:30 am - Worship (LIVE on YouTube)
- 9:30 am - Radio Broadcast
KWAD (920AM or 101.7FM)

Monday, August 17

- 9:00 am - ICW Quilting

Tuesday, August 18

- 9:00 am - Staff Meeting
- 9:00 am - ICW Quilting
- 5:30 pm - Dinner Club @ Wet Woody's

Wednesday, August 19

- 12:00 pm - Rotary (#3 N.Overland)
- 5:00 pm - "Welcome Back" Picnic
@ Tapley Park

Thursday, August 20

- 10:30 am - Catholic Charities Frozen
Meal Distribution

Friday, August 21

Saturday, August 22

Sunday, August 23

- 8:30 am - Coffee & Conversation
- 9:30 am - Worship (LIVE on YouTube)
"Linger Longer" following worship
- 9:30 am - Radio Broadcast
KWAD (920AM or 101.7FM)

Summer Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 3:30 pm
Friday 8:30 am - 12 pm