

Immanuel Lutheran Church
Prayer Concerns

Health Concerns

For Members of Immanuel:

Shirley Hamre
Gail Johnson
Bob Grendahl
Brynn Rach
Craig Reece
Joe Hallermann
Char Schloeder

For Friends of Immanuel:

John Hill (*Tina Reece's father*)
Jerry Baron
Linda Kolden (*Tom Kolden's sister-in-law*)
Gretchen Noon
Dale Pepelnjak (*Jenna Anderson's father*)
Ken Broady (*Keri Leeseberg's father*)

Mourning the Loss of a Loved One

Iona Wood & family in the death of Iona's cousin,
Sam Berndt
Nicole & Mark Lunde & Family in the death of Nicole's
mother, Shirley Uselman
Dale & Janice Dobson in the death of Dale's brother,
Dean Dobson

Other Concerns

Conflict in Ukraine & Israel/Gaza
Church Planting Team in Indonesia

Military Prayers

For Members of Immanuel:

James Kloss

For Friends of Immanuel:

Sean Evans (*Greg & Alicia Johnson's nephew*)
Joe Holweger (*Charlie & Gladys Chase's grandson*)
John Kloss (*David Kloss' son*)
Erik Naley (*Wayne & Carol Aspengren's nephew*)

*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.*

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Today's Worship Leaders:

Accompanist: Mary Snorek

A/V Team: Audrey Loer

Acolyte: Lane Kaufmann & Cole Sundby

Altar Care: Amy Greenwaldt

Communion: Bill & Sally Adams

Lector: Bill Adams

Ushers: John & Ann Pate & Sam Sundby

Today's Radio, Broadcast, YouTube Live,
Global Mission, & Joyful Noise are all
sponsored by Peggy Larson and Family in
memory of Aaron Larson.



Immanuel Lutheran Church
Sunday, November 19, 2023
25th Sunday After Pentecost
9:30 am

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Stewardship Temple Talk – Kelanie Oldakowski

Hymn– ELW 533 – *“Open Now Thy Gates”*

Prayer of the Day

Pint Sized God Talk Pastor Nate Loer

Scripture – Zephaniah 1: 7, 12-18

– Psalm 90: 1-8, 12

– 1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11

Gospel – Matthew 25: 14-30

Sermon – Pastor Nate Loer

Hymn – ELW 659 – *“Will You Let Me
Be Your Servant”*
(Offering gathered & received)

Apostles' Creed

Prayers

Peace

Great Thanksgiving – ELW p.206

Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW p.207

Lord's Prayer – ELW p.208

Distribution of Holy Communion

Post Communion Blessing & Prayer

Benediction

Hymn – ELW 789 – *“Savior Like a Shepherd
Lead Us”*

Dismissal

Postlude

"GETTING THROUGH THE HOLIDAYS"

GRIEF SUPPORT EVENT

Immanuel and Knute Nelson Hospice are partnering together to host the "Getting Through the Holidays" event on Monday, November 20th @ 4:30-6:00 pm, here at Immanuel. This is an evening for those experiencing a loss, whether recent or long ago. Please bring a 2x2 inch picture of your loved one. Light refreshments will be served. There is no charge for this gathering, but please pre-register by contacting Deb Hadley.

Email: deb.hadley@knutenelson.org

Phone: 320-759-3438

THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22 @ 6:30PM

Join us on the Eve of Thanksgiving for a service of reflection, prayer, and song. There will be NO other Wednesday activities that night.

WEDNESDAY DISCIPLESHIP SCHEDULE

Supper ~ 5:15 pm – Worship ~ 6:00 pm

Education (PreK-9th grade) ~ 6:45-7:30pm

Sanctuary Choir Practice ~ 7:00 pm

*****Tentative Wednesday Night Menu*****

Nov. 15: Thanksgiving Food

Nov. 29: Alfredo/Marinara Noodle Bar

Dec. 6: Meatballs/Mashed Potatoes/Gravy

Please consider signing up to bring bars or cookies for Wednesday meals (sign up located outside the church office).

WADENA AREA RELAY FOR LIFE

TEAM IMMANUEL

Wadena Area Relay for Life is coming back! The event will be held on August 24, 2024. Team Immanuel is in need of a team leader and team members. If you can help, contact Marie Johnson by call or text at 218-639-3695.

ADVENT ACTIVITY/POTLUCK FOR ALL AGES!!

Our Congregational Life Committee will be hosting an Advent event and potluck on Sunday, December 3 @ 11:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a dish to share and enjoy fellowship while creating an Advent project – one to keep and one to share!

ALL AGES WELCOME!!

THE GIVING TREE IS UP!

Every year Immanuel partners with Human Services and Share-A-Home to identify families in need. Please consider shopping for a local family who needs some extra Christmas cheer. Tags are available on the tree in the concourse. Additional tags can be located by a link on our website (wadenaimmanuel.org) or by scanning the QR Code available by the tree. Please have unwrapped gifts back to Immanuel no later than 3:30pm Friday Dec.15. We will wrap gifts on Monday, Dec. 18 (4:30-7pm) and Tuesday, Dec. 19 (8:30am-12pm). Monetary donations are also welcome!

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 held near their chest as a visible sign to our servers. Please ask an usher if you need communion delivered to your pew.

November 19- November 26

Sunday, November 19

- 8:00 am – Early Risers Class
(Friendship Room)
- 8:30 am – Coffee & Conversation
- 9:30 am – Worship (LIVE on YouTube)
- 9:30 am – Radio Broadcast
KWAD (920AM or 101.7FM)

Monday, November 20

- 4:30 – 6:00 pm – "Getting Through the Holidays"
Immanuel & Knute Nelson Grief Support Event
Please pre-register

Tuesday, November 21

- 9:00 am – Staff Meeting
- 4:00 pm – Outreach Committee Meeting
- 5:30 pm – Dinner Club @ Iron Corral

Wednesday, November 22

- 12:00 pm – Rotary (Catered)
- 6:30 pm – Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service
No Regular Wednesday Discipleship

**Thursday, November 23 – Thanksgiving Day
OFFICE CLOSED**

**Friday, November 24
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Saturday, November 25

Sunday, November 26

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