

Immanuel Lutheran Church Prayer Concerns

Health Concerns

For Members of Immanuel:

Keith Wood
Kim Stokes

For Friends of Immanuel:

Jana Lawton (*former Immanuel member &
friend of Marilyn Broding*)
Rebecca Johnson
(*John & Marie Johnson's granddaughter*)
Lela Platt (*Friend of Janice Dobson*)
Jim Sharp (*Onni Sharp Anderson's brother*)

Mourning the Loss of a Loved One

Bonita McKellep & Family in the death of
her husband, Scott McKellep

Other Prayer Concerns

Conflict in Ukraine/Middle East/Sudan

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: Allen Moe

A/V Team: Bryan Greenwaldt

Altar Care: Diane Teigland

Acolytes: Kendra Leeseberg
& Cole Sundby

Communion: Jane Bagstad

Lector: Chloe Leeseberg

Ushers: Curt Leeseberg
& John & Ann Pate

Immanuel Lutheran Church
Sunday, December 28, 2025
1st Sunday of Christmas
9:30 am

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Hymn-ELW 288 - "*Good Christian
Friends Rejoice*"

Prayer of the Day

Readings:

- Isaiah 63:7-9

- Psalm 148

- Hebrews 2:10-18

Gospel Hymn - ELW 275 - "*Angels, from the
Realms of Glory*"

Gospel/Sermon

Matthew 2:13-23 Pr. Nate Loer

Hymn - ELW 282 - "*It Came Upon
the Midnight Clear*"

Prayers

Peace

Offering Hymn-ELW 276 - "*Infant Holy,
Infant Lowly*"

Service of Holy Communion

Post Communion Blessing & Prayer

Benediction

Hymn - ELW 299 - "*Cold December
Flies Away*"

Dismissal

Postlude

2025 CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS

Please have all 2025 contributions to the church office by 12:00 pm on **Wednesday, December 31st**. Giving Statements will be distributed by the end of January.

NEW EARLY RISERS CLASS ON JOHN BEGINS JANUARY 11

Join the Early Risers, online or in person, for a class on the Gospel & Epistles of John @ 8 am in the Friendship Room. This will be a 10-week class beginning **January 11th**. If you would like to join online, email Pastor Nate for a Zoom link (nateloer@gmail.com).

WDC BACKPACK FOOD PACK

The next WDC Backpack Food Pack will be held on **Thursday, January 8 @ 2:30 pm** in the WDC elementary cafeteria.

CHRISTMAS DECORATION PACK-UP

Join us to pack up the Christmas decorations on **Thursday, January 8 @ 9:00 am**. We greatly appreciate the help!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

The ILC Annual Meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, January 28**, with supper @ 5:30 pm and meeting to follow @ 6:30 pm and in case of bad weather, the alternative date/time will be Sunday, February 1st @ 10:45 am.

Soup Tuesdays

January 6, 13, 20, 27

February 10, 17

With serving beginning @ NOON

Join the Immanuel staff for a hot bowl (or two) of soup and conversation! Come when you can and leave when you must. A free-will offering will go to support the Giving Tree Fund.



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 let an usher know if you need communion delivered to your pew.

December 28-January 4

Sunday, December 28

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

Monday, December 29

Tuesday, December 30

- 9:00 am - Staff Meeting

Wednesday, December 31

- 12:00 pm - 2025 Contributions Deadline

Thursday, January 1

New Years Day

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Friday, January 2

Saturday, January 3

Sunday, January 4

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- 9:30 am - Worship (LIVE on YouTube)
- 9:30 am - Radio Broadcast
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