Immanuel Lutheran Church
Prayer Concerns

Health Concerns

For Members of Immanuel:

Alyssa Morlock
Peggy Larson
Iona Wood
Bea Iken
Arnie Hartjen
Dave Aldeen
Jean Beck
Eileen Martin

For Friends of Immanuel:

Michael Miller (Janice Dobson's son)
Trudy Kreklau (Joe Kreklau's mother)
Katie Austad (Walt Wiskow's granddaughter)
Lela Platt (Friend of Janice Dobson)

Mourning the Loss of a Loved One

Iona Wood & Family in the death of Iona's brother, Gary Berndt

Other Prayer Concerns

Ukraine
Holy Land
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: Allen Moe
A/V Team: Mitchell Ganske
Altar Care: Amy Greenwaldt
Acolytes: Brayden & Kylie Soule
Cantor: Suzanne Leigh
Communion: Stephanie Drange
Lector: Luther Nervig
Ushers: The Drange Family
Instrumental Ensemble: Noah Drange, Elliot Horton, Ben Kreklau, Susan Kreklau, Kendra Leeseberg, & Levi Nelson

Today's Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Jack Loeffen in memory of Judy Loeffen.

Today's YouTube Livestream is sponsored by Judy Erdahl in memory of Bruce Erdahl.

Immanuel Lutheran Church
Sunday, November 22, 2026
Christ the King Sunday
9:30 am

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
"Live Generously" Temple Talk — Ben Kreklau
Hymn- **ELW 853**-*"When Morning Gilds the Skies"*
Greeting & Kyrie — **ELW p.98**
Hymn of Praise — **ELW p.101**
Prayer of the Day
Choir Anthem *"We Will Rejoice"*
Scripture - Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24
- Psalm 95:1-7
- Ephesians 1:15-23
Gospel - Matthew 25:31-46
Sermon — Pastor Nate Loer
Hymn- **ELW 502**- *"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"*
(Offering gathered & received)
Offering Response — Instrumental Ensemble
"Medley of Thanksgiving Hymns"
Prayers
Peace
Great Thanksgiving — **ELW p.107**
Holy, Holy, Holy — **ELW p.108**
Lord's Prayer — **ELW p.112**
Distribution of Holy Communion
Post Communion Blessing & Prayer
Benediction
Hymn- **ELW 840**- *"Now Thank We All Our God"*
Dismissal
Postlude

Today is Stewardship Sunday!!

Immanuel's Finance Committee invites you to consider your giving commitments for 2027. Please prayfully complete your commitment cards and return them to the church office. We invite you to *Linger Longer* after worship for refreshments and fellowship to celebrate our mutual commitment to the ministry of Immanuel.

The Giving Tree is up!!

Every year Immanuel partners with Human Services and Share-A-Home to identify families/individuals in need. Please consider shopping for a local family/individual who needs some extra Christmas cheer. Tags will be available on the Christmas tree in the concourse by Sunday, November 15. Do not forget to sign out your tag! Please have unwrapped gifts with tag back to Immanuel no later than 3:00 pm, Thursday, December 10. We will wrap gifts on Monday, December 14 (4:30-7pm) and Tuesday, December 15 (8:30am-12pm). Monetary donations are also welcome!

Celebrating a Century!!

Empty Stocking Talent Program

Immanuel's Endowment Fund just made a $2500 gift to the Empty Stocking Fund! Join in the generosity! The 100th Annual Empty Stocking Fund Talent Program will be held Wednesday December 2 at the WDC Middle/High School Commons from 6:30-10 pm. If you are unable to attend, listen to 920 AM/101.7 FM KWAD or online at WadenRadio.com/kwad. Donations can be dropped off at any Tree Trimmer locations in town or monetary donations can be mailed to: Empty Stocking Fund, PO Box 543; Wadena, MN 56482.

Christmas Decorating Dec. 3rd @ 9 am

It's time to deck the hall and prepare our sanctuary and hallways for the Advent and Christmas season! Join us for about an hour on Thursday, December 3 @ 9 am.



Save the Dates:

Dec. 13 @ 9:30 am - Sanctuary Choir Christmas Program
Dec. 16 @ 6:00 pm - Children's Christmas Program

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.

November 22 - November 29

Sunday, November 22
Stewardship Sunday
- 8:30 am - Coffee & Conversation
- 9:30 am - Worship (LIVE on YouTube)
- 9:30 am - Radio Broadcast
  KWAD (920AM or 101.7FM)

Following Worship - *Linger Longer*
- 4-6 pm - A Day in the Park @ Blacks Grove
  All are welcome to join us for a fire, smores, and yard games!

Monday, November 23
- 2:00 pm - Book Club *(Friendship Room)*

Tuesday, November 24
- 9:00 am - Staff Meeting
- 11:00 am - Dementia Caregivers Support Group (Friendship Room)
- 12:00 - 6:00 pm - Blood Drive

Wednesday, November 25
- 12:00 pm - Rotary *(Catered)*

NO Worship Wednesday

Thursday, November 26 - Thanksgiving Day
Office Closed

Friday, November 27
Office Closed

Saturday, November 28

Sunday, November 29
- 8:30 am - Coffee & Conversation
- 9:30 am - Worship *(LIVE on YouTube)*
- 9:30 am - Radio Broadcast
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