





# IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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*Caring for Our Community Through Christ  
for 125 Years!*

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## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- **Restrooms** are located downstairs. An elevator is available in the narthex.
- A **nursery room** is available at the rear of the Sanctuary for young children and their parents. The nursery room is equipped with a speaker so you can hear the service.
- **Registration cards** are placed in the back of the pews for worshipers to use for: 1) Visitor registration; 2) Communion registration for communion services; 3) Prayer requests may be written on the back of the card; after filling out the card, please place it in the offering plate.
- **Preprinted offering envelopes** are available in the pews for special offerings and Special Funds donations. Visitors are welcome to use these envelopes as well as members. Members, please make sure to note your envelope number on these special envelopes and place in the offering plate.
- **Kids Worship** - We love having children in church! It is so important for the kids to be welcomed and loved in God's house. Kids Worship is offered during the service, after the Bible Readings. Kids ages 3 through 10 can come downstairs where we offer an age appropriate lesson on the readings, snack and sometimes a craft. Children will return to the sanctuary at end of service and on communion Sundays just before communion. For more information contact Rene Langwost at 410-253-8735.

*We kindly request that all cell phones be silenced*

# THE ORDER OF SERVICE

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 25, 2022 ~ 10:30 a.m.

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## ***WELCOME TO IMMANUEL!***

Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob. . . Praise the Lord!” (Psalm 146:5, 10, NRSV). I welcome you as we seek God’s help and praise him in worship.

## ***WORDS OF PREPARATION***

Jesus, in our hearts we carry grief, anxiety, weariness and more. Help us release those burdens to you and take on your lighter yoke: a peace the world cannot give.

## **Divine Service, Setting Three**

***Lutheran Service Book (LSB) 184-202***

♪ = *congregation sings response*

**Prelude**    **God of Grace and God of Glory**                      (Dan Forest/Douglas E. Wagner)

## **Gathering Prayer Concerns**

### **Welcome**

### **The Call to Worship**

**P** This is the day the Lord has made.

**C** **Let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

**P** We pause silently to prepare ourselves for worship.

### **Sharing of the Peace**

**P** The Lord says to you as Paul wrote to the church at Colossae: “Put on then, as God’s chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must forgive. And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful.”

**C** **We come to the Lord to hear His Word, to receive His forgiveness, and present our tithes and offerings at the altar. It is my desire to be reconciled – to make**

things right – with you my sisters and brothers (Matthew 5:23-24). Receive the “peace” I share with you as I receive the peace of God through Jesus.

*Stand*

Processional Hymn: The Church’s One Foundation

LSB 644

- 1 *The Church’s one foundation  
Is Jesus Christ, her Lord;  
She is His new creation  
By water and the Word.  
From heav’n He came and sought her  
To be His holy bride;  
With His own blood He bought her,  
And for her life He died.*
  
- 2 *Elect from ev’ry nation,  
Yet one o’er all the earth;  
Her charter of salvation:  
One Lord, one faith, one birth.  
One holy name she blesses,  
Partakes one holy food,  
And to one hope she presses  
With ev’ry grace endued.*
  
- 3 *Though with a scornful wonder  
The world sees her oppressed,  
By schisms rent asunder,  
By heresies distressed,  
Yet saints their watch are keeping;  
Their cry goes up, “How long?”  
And soon the night of weeping  
Shall be the morn of song.*
  
- 4 *Through toil and tribulation  
And tumult of her war  
She waits the consummation  
Of peace forevermore  
Till with the vision glorious  
Her longing eyes are blest,*

*And the great Church victorious  
Shall be the Church at rest.*

- 5 *Yet she on earth has union  
With God, the Three in One,  
And mystic sweet communion  
With those whose rest is won.  
O blessèd heav'nly chorus!  
Lord, save us by Your grace  
That we, like saints before us,  
May see You face to face.*

## ~ Confession and Absolution ~

*LSB 167*

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

P In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

## ~ Service of the Word ~

Introit

*Psalm 119:73–75, 77; antiphon: v. 76*

P Let your steadfast love comfort me  
according to your promise to your servant.

C **Your hands have made and fashioned me;  
give me understanding that I may learn your commandments.**

P Those who fear you shall see me and rejoice,  
because I have hoped in your word.

C **I know, O LORD, that your just decrees are righteous,  
and that in faithfulness you have afflicted me.**

P Let your mercy come to me, that I may live;  
for your law is my delight.

♪ C *Glory be to the Father and to the Son  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*

Kyrie

*LSB 186*

♪ C *Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Gloria in Excelsis

*LSB 187*

P Glory be to God on high:

♪ C *and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.  
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,  
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.  
O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.  
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;*

*O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.  
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.  
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

## Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.  
♪ C *And with thy spirit.*

P Let us pray.  
O God, You are the strength of all who trust in You, and without Your aid we can do no good thing. Grant us the help of Your grace that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

♪ C *Amen.*

*Sit*

## Old Testament Reading

*Amos 6:1–7*

<sup>1</sup>“Woe to those who are at ease in Zion,  
and to those who feel secure on the mountain of Samaria,  
the notable men of the first of the nations,  
to whom the house of Israel comes!  
<sup>2</sup>Pass over to Calneh, and see,  
and from there go to Hamath the great;  
then go down to Gath of the Philistines.  
Are you better than these kingdoms?  
Or is their territory greater than your territory,  
<sup>3</sup>O you who put far away the day of disaster  
and bring near the seat of violence?  
<sup>4</sup>“Woe to those who lie on beds of ivory  
and stretch themselves out on their couches,  
and eat lambs from the flock

and calves from the midst of the stall,  
<sup>5</sup>who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp  
and like David invent for themselves instruments of music,  
<sup>6</sup>who drink wine in bowls  
and anoint themselves with the finest oils,  
but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph!  
<sup>7</sup>Therefore they shall now be the first of those who go into exile,  
and the revelry of those who stretch themselves out shall pass away.”

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual**      **Sound the Trumpet! Praise Him!**      (Franz Haydn/Arr. Hal Hopson)  
Immanuel Lutheran Senior Choir

### Epistle

*1 Timothy 3:1–13*

<sup>1</sup>The saying is trustworthy: If anyone aspires to the office of overseer, he desires a noble task. <sup>2</sup>Therefore an overseer must be above reproach, the husband of one wife, sober-minded, self-controlled, respectable, hospitable, able to teach, <sup>3</sup>not a drunkard, not violent but gentle, not quarrelsome, not a lover of money. <sup>4</sup>He must manage his own household well, with all dignity keeping his children submissive, <sup>5</sup>for if someone does not know how to manage his own household, how will he care for God’s church? <sup>6</sup>He must not be a recent convert, or he may become puffed up with conceit and fall into the condemnation of the devil. <sup>7</sup>Moreover, he must be well thought of by outsiders, so that he may not fall into disgrace, into a snare of the devil.

<sup>8</sup>Deacons likewise must be dignified, not double-tongued, not addicted to much wine, not greedy for dishonest gain. <sup>9</sup>They must hold the mystery of the faith with a clear conscience. <sup>10</sup>And let them also be tested first; then let them serve as deacons if they prove themselves blameless. <sup>11</sup>Their wives likewise must be dignified, not slanderers, but sober-minded, faithful in all things. <sup>12</sup>Let deacons each be the husband of one wife, managing their children and their own households well. <sup>13</sup>For those who serve well as deacons gain a good standing for themselves and also great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

*Stand*

**Alleluia**

*LSB 190*

♩ C *Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.*

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 16:19–31*

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixteenth chapter.

♪ C *Glory be to Thee, O Lord.*

<sup>19</sup>[Jesus said:] “There was a rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. <sup>20</sup>And at his gate was laid a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, <sup>21</sup>who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man’s table. Moreover, even the dogs came and licked his sores. <sup>22</sup>The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham’s side. The rich man also died and was buried, <sup>23</sup>and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus at his side. <sup>24</sup>And he called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in anguish in this flame.’ <sup>25</sup>But Abraham said, ‘Child, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner bad things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. <sup>26</sup>And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.’ <sup>27</sup>And he said, ‘Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father’s house— <sup>28</sup>for I have five brothers—so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.’ <sup>29</sup>But Abraham said, ‘They have Moses and the Prophets; let them hear them.’ <sup>30</sup>And he said, ‘No, father Abraham, but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ <sup>31</sup>He said to him, ‘If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.’”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord

♪ C *Praise be to Thee, O Christ.*

## Apostles’ Creed

**C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day He rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life + everlasting. Amen.**

*Sit*

**Hymn of the Day    I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry**

- ♪ C    1.    *“I was there to hear your borning cry,  
I’ll be there when you are old  
I rejoiced the day you were baptized to see your life unfold.  
I was there when you were but a child with a faith to suit you well;  
In a blaze of light you wandered off to find where demons dwell”.*
2.    *“When you heard the wonder of the Word, I was there to cheer you on;  
You were raised to praise the living Lord, to whom you now belong.  
If you find someone to share your time and you join your hearts as one,  
I’ll be there to make your verses rhyme from dusk till rising sun”.*
3.    *“In the middle ages of your life, not too old, no longer young,  
I’ll be there to guide you through the night, complete what I’ve begun.  
When the evening gently closes in and you shut your weary eyes,  
I’ll be there as I have always been with just one more surprise”.*
4.    *“I was there to hear your borning cry, I’ll be there when you are old.  
I rejoiced the day you were baptized, to see your life unfold”.*

**Sermon    “For Such a Time as This”**

**Text: Esther 4:14 ESV**

**Esther 4:14, “For if you keep silent at this time, relief and deliverance will rise for the Jews from another place, but you and your father’s house will perish. And who knows whether you have not come to the kingdom for Such A Time As This.”**

**P    The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.**

**C    Amen.**

*Stand*

**Sermon Hymn    God of Grace and God of Glory**

**LSB 850**

- 1    *God of grace and God of glory,  
      On Your people pour Your pow'r;  
Crown Your ancient Church's story;  
      Bring its bud to glorious flow'r.  
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage  
      For the facing of this hour,  
      For the facing of this hour.*
  
- 2    *Lo, the hosts of evil round us  
      Scorn the Christ, assail His ways!  
From the fears that long have bound us  
      Free our hearts to faith and praise.  
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage  
      For the living of these days,  
      For the living of these days.*
  
- 3    *Cure Your children's warring madness;  
      Bend our pride to Your control;  
Shame our wanton, selfish gladness,  
      Rich in things and poor in soul.  
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage  
      Lest we miss Your kingdom's goal,  
      Lest we miss Your kingdom's goal.*
  
- 4    *Save us from weak resignation  
      To the evils we deplore;  
Let the gift of Your salvation  
      Be our glory evermore.  
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,  
      Serving You whom we adore,  
      Serving You whom we adore.*

*Sit*

**Offering**

**Holy, Holy, Holy**  
Immanuel Lutheran Handbell Choir

(Kevin McChesney)

*Stand*

## Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

♪ *C*     *Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav- 'nly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
Amen.*

## Prayer of the Church

P     Dear God, on this day of celebration, hear the prayers of our hearts, so that our faith may be strengthened, and our spirits renewed for such a time as this:

A     Heavenly Father, hear us, that we may have repentant hearts as we rest secure in Your grace, Lord in your mercy,

C     **Hear our prayer**

A     Gracious Lord, hear us, that we may joyfully remember the families of our church, and give us strength and courage to always follow You. Lord, in Your mercy,

C     **Hear our prayer**

A     Almighty God, hear us, bless our pastor and teachers, that they may teach us unapologetically the truth of Your Word, inspiring us to teach the smallest in our care. Lord, in Your mercy,

C     **Hear our prayer**

A     King of kings, hear us, that the leaders of our nation may be peaceful and will seek Your guidance in all things, bringing about peace with our fellow man. Lord, in Your mercy,

C     **Hear our prayer**

A     Lord of lords, hear us, that we may remember our wonderful past, keeping our eyes on our blessed future found only in You. Lord, in Your mercy,

C     **Hear our prayer**

A Loving Shepherd, hear us, that we will love You with our whole hearts and love our neighbors as ourselves, with fire in our servant hearts for all people. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **Hear our prayer**

A Great Comforter, hear us, as we lift united hearts in prayer for all those according to their needs, \_\_\_\_\_, that they will know that You have not forsaken them and have given them Your peace. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **Hear our prayer**

A Wonderful Teacher, hear us, lead us with Your unending Light, a lamp unto our feet and a light unto our paths, as we follow the Star that came to die and rise from the dead, so that we may have everlasting life with You and the precious saints gone before.

C **Hear our prayer**

A Gracious Lord, hear us, as we lift our voices in song, rejoicing for all the gifts that You have given us, for such a time as this. Lord, in Your mercy,

C **Hear our prayer**

P We give You thanks, O Lord, for all the blessings You've bestowed upon us. Keep us in our baptismal grace unto life everlasting through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

## Lord's Prayer

C **Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth  
as it is in heaven;  
give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,**

**but deliver us from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom  
and the power and the glory  
forever and ever. Amen.**

## **Thanksgiving**

*LSB 200*

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,  
♪ C *and His mercy endureth forever.*

P Let us pray.  
We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through all Your gracious gifts, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

♪ C *Amen.*

P The Lord be with you.  
♪ C *And with thy spirit.*

## **Benedicamus**

*LSB 202*

P Bless we the Lord.  
♪ C *Thanks be to God.*

## **Benediction**

*LSB 183*

P The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.  
♪ C *Amen, amen, amen.*

Organ Prelude and Hymn Arrangement composed by  
Dennis L. Janko, Director of Music, Emeritus

- 1 *Now thank we all our God  
With hearts and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things has done,  
In whom His world rejoices;  
Who from our mothers' arms  
Has blest us on our way  
With countless gifts of love  
And still is ours today.*
  
- 2 *Oh, may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer us  
And keep us in His grace  
And guide us when perplexed  
And free us from all ills  
In this world and the next!*
  
- 3 *All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, and Him who reigns  
With them in highest heaven,  
The one eternal God,  
Whom earth and heav'n adore;  
For thus it was, is now,  
And shall be evermore. Amen.*

*Sit*

**Announcements**

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Divine Service, Setting Three from Lutheran Service Book

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# SERVICE INFORMATION

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## THOSE SERVING IMMANUEL TODAY

<b>Pastor</b>	Rev. David Casey-Motley
<b>Administrative Assistant</b>	Sharon Gutz
<b>Director of Music, Emeritus</b>	Dennis L. Janko, M.M.
<b>Director of Music &amp; Organist</b>	Lynn Short
<b>Director of Hand Bells</b>	Janice Isenberg
<b>Ushers</b>	Mark Frase & Dick Wheatley
<b>Lay Reader</b>	Richard Wheatley
<b>Assisting Elder</b>	
<b>Kids Worship</b>	Rene Langwost
<b>Acolyte</b>	Veronica Phillips
<b>Sound Operator</b>	Jim Harris
<b>Camera Operator</b>	Ruth Thomas
<b>Greeters</b>	Kenny & Michelle Wheatley
<b>Tellers</b>	David & Kathy Schmidt, Julie Schmidt
<b>Crucifer</b>	Lucas Maloney

## THOSE SERVING IMMANUEL NEXT SUNDAY

<b>Ushers</b>	Dale Kenton & Rex Rosebrock
<b>Lay Reader</b>	Carol Frase
<b>Greeter</b>	Kenny & Michelle Wheatley
<b>Assisting Elder</b>	Rex Rosenbrock
<b>Kids Worship</b>	Rene Langwost
<b>Acolyte</b>	Catie Casey-Motley
<b>Sound Operator</b>	David Schmidt
<b>Camera Operator</b>	Janice Isenberg
<b>Tellers</b>	Janice Isenberg, Shelly Kapitan, & John Crampton

*The Flowers on the Altar today were given to the glory of God, by the Evangelism Committee, in celebration of our 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary.*

# ADMINISTRATION

## THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday – Thursday	Preschool	8:50a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Monday– Friday	Church Office Open	9:00 – 12:00 noon
Monday	Nursery School Meeting	6:30 p.m.
Saturday	Men’s Prayer Breakfast	8:30 a.m.
Sunday	Sunday School and Adult Bible Study	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
	AA Meeting	7:00 p.m.

*Be sure to check the church calendar for events happening at Immanuel Lutheran this month. Check with the church office before scheduling meetings or activities so they can be put on the calendar.*

### STATISTICS –September 18, 2022

#### WORSHIP SERVICE

*Attendance: 50*

*Goal Income Per Week: \$3,802.04*

*Offering: \$ 3,645.26*

### TREASURER’S REPORT FOR August 2022

Goal income per month	\$16,475.17
Actual Offerings	14,826.50
Total Disbursements	-16,518.83
Checking account balance, end of month	\$48,141.69

# PRAYER LIST & CONGREGATIONAL MATTERS

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**SHUT-INS – RETIREMENT FACILITIES – NURSING HOMES:** June Elzey, Jimmy Fuchs, Bobby Hopkins, Lee Roesti, Lawrence & Viola Schmick, Martha Ann Schmick

**SPECIAL PRAYERS** – Wyatt Ewing, Jennifer Flanagan, Butch Frase, Linda Frase, Pete Hitchens, Cheryl Hochmuth, Dennis Janko, Bob Lorenz, Rev. Donald Meyer, Charlene Robbins, Ellen Thress, Kenny and Michelle Wheatley and Pastor Nuss.

**ACTIVE-DUTY SERVICE PERSONNEL & FIRST-RESPONDERS**  
Ryan Andrew, Heather Blake, Matthew Harris, Shelby Hochmuth, Michael Jantz Jr., Robbie Phillips, Eric Stacey, Jerry Stivers, Amber Thamert

## **BIRTHDAYS**

Ian Nabb	9/26
Lynn Short	9/26
Charlotte Casey-Motley	9/27
Richard Wheatley	9/29
Rebecca Scudder	9/30
Lindy Gulick-Ayers	10/1
Bradley Plutschak	10/1
Kim Rosebrock	10/1

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

Chris & Kelli Schanken	9/28
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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**WELCOME VISITORS!** Before leaving, please stop in the Narthex to sign the guest book and pick up your Welcome Bag. We hope to see you again!

**There are a few openings for flowers on the altar. Please feel free to sign up for a day.**

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## **Today, Sunday, September 25, 2022, 11:30 am 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Immanuel Lutheran Church Thanksgiving Potluck**

After the service, please join us for a meal downstairs. Everyone is welcome!

Please take home a hand-painted 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemorative Pot today. Choose an empty pot or a pot with a *thyme* plant to remember our theme – “For such a *time* as this.!” The pots are on the tables downstairs. We have bags available for ease of carrying.

Enjoy a copy of the newly printed condensed History of Immanuel, available today!



## Thank You!

A special thank you to all the members of Immanuel who brought their personal and family pictures and documents to help commemorate 125 years.

### September 25 Prayer Voices

Vera Rieck, Gail Whealton, Glen Plutschak, Shelly Kapitan, Richard Wheatley, Jennifer Phillips, Julie Schmidt, Todd Butler, Catie Casey-Motley

### Commemorative Clay Pots

Design and Art: Janice Isenberg

Art: Julie Schmidt, Marilyn Harris

Painters: Kalei Durando, Ag Sturtz, Iris Rieck, Lynn Short

Thyme Growers: Christina Frase, Carol Frase

Administrative for Bulletin and Brief History: Sharon Gutz

Bulletin Cover Art: Janice Isenberg, Christina Frase, and Carol Frase

Banners: Irene Wheatley, Linda Jefferson

September 25th Potluck - WinGs, Janelle Lewis, President; Carol Frase, Vice President; Marsha Kenton, Secretary; Dee Lambert, Treasurer

### Musicians

Lynn Short, Music Director and Organist

Janice Isenberg, Handbell Director

Paul Nichols, Accompanist and Organist

Dennis L. Janko, Music Director, Emeritus

*Senior Choir* – Sopranos: Carol Frase, Janice Isenberg, Janelle Lewis, Catie Casey-Motley, Marilyn Harris, Darlena Roesti Butler; Tenors: John Crampton, Todd Butler; Bass: Mark Frase; Altos: Iris Rieck, Lynn Faulstick, Sharon Gutz, Gail Crampton.

*Handbell Choir* – Janelle Lewis, Carol Frase, Iris Rieck, Lynn Short, Marsha Kenton, John Crampton, Janice Isenberg.

*Instrumentalists* – Clarinets: Christina Frase, Janice Isenberg; Baritone: John Crampton; Trumpet: Kyle Reavis

### 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee

Linda Jefferson, Marsha Kenton, Iris Rieck, Vera Rieck, Lynn Short, Irene Wheatley, Barbara Wright, Pastor David Casey-Motley

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