



## **Weekly Calendar** **Aug. 10-16, 2015**

8/8–8/17

*Ann Frank on vacation*

### **Monday, 8/10**

8:00p AA Meeting

### **Tuesday, 8/11**

6:30a Men's Bible Study

6-7:30p Zumba

7:00p Board of Christian Education Meeting

### **Wednesday, 8/12**

9:30a Adult Bible Study

8:00p AA Meeting

### **Thursday, 8/13**

5:00p Weight Watchers Meeting

### **Saturday, 8/15**

5:30p Holy Communion

### **Sunday, 8/16**

7:45a Worship Service

9:00a Sunday School & Bible Study Classes

10:15a Holy Communion

# **ILC Weekly Update**

## **Those in Our Prayers...**

Millie Menke, Lorine Horn, Doris Horn, Nancy Huck, Judy Hitzemann, Delores Rubemeyer, Carol Matzenbacher, Helen Senf, Ed Horn, Isabel Gibbons, Clem Ruesler, Warren Frank, Michael Washausen, Nina Van Camp, Ken Horn, Cal Neeman, Sr., Dale Grace, Al Gruber, Susan Higgins, Donna Huffman, Michelle Meijer, Elroy Stellhorn, Priscilla Wagner, Blayne Woodcock, Curt Wehmueller, Jeffrey Wynn, Ward Lenz, Rita Helfrich, Dusty Hansen, Dan Cohlmeier, Lucas Altes, Andrew Helfrich, Alicia Kirkley, Dustin Bender, Aaron Bommarito, Alex Naumann, Brad Milton, Phillip Kirk, Eric & Linda Funke, Uganda Mission Team, Unity Lutheran Elementary School in East St. Louis

## **Scripture Readings**

The scripture readings for next Sunday, the Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost. The readings for next Sunday will be Josh. 1-2a, 14-18; Eph. 5:6-21; and John 6:51-69. This information is being provided so that you can better prepare for worship.

## **Auto Contributions**

Would you like to have your weekly or monthly contributions taken directly from your checking or savings account? If so, please fill out a Direct Contribution Form found on the shelf in the narthex and drop it in the wooden box in the narthex or in the "Notes 4 Lisa" basket in the church office.

## **Interested in Serving on Immanuel's Media Team?**

We are looking for several good computer-savvy people (junior high age or above) to join Immanuel's media team. You would be on a rotating schedule and serve as the media person during one service every 2 weeks or so. Training is available, but the job is really simple (and you get to sit in the balcony on a rolling chair!) There are

currently 8 people on the team, but we would love to have 10-12. If you are interested and would like to join this team, please contact Lisa in the church office (939-6480 or [immanuel@htc.net](mailto:immanuel@htc.net)). Thanks!

## **Unity Lutheran School Collection!**

Our collection for July & August will benefit Unity Lutheran Christian Elementary School in East St. Louis. Items needed are colored copier paper (in many colors), 1.5 inch three-ring binders, packs of lined notebook paper, pocket folders (no tabs), colored pencils, 3" x 5" lined index cards, composition notebooks (9.75" x 7.5"), glue sticks, spiral notebooks, student scissors, 24-count Crayola crayons, markers, pencil boxes, white out tape, staplers and staples, colored Sharpie markers, manila folders, 9x12 envelopes, red pens, masking tape, Scotch tape rolls for dispensers, disinfectant spray & wipes, and white copier paper. Thank you for your support! A barrel is in the narthex for your donations.

## **Open Enrollment!**

There are still openings in the T-Th morning class for 3 year olds at Immanuel's Preschool for the upcoming school year. Immanuel is licensed through DCFS, and classes meet from 8:30-11:30am. For more information, please call the office at 618.939.6480 or visit our website (<http://immanuelwaterloo.sharepoint.com>). Register by August 19<sup>th</sup> to SAVE! *Word of mouth is the best form of advertisement, so please pass this on to those friends and family who may be interested!*

## **Support for Meals on Wheels**

As many of you may know, Waterloo's "Meals on Wheels" and Senior Meals programs are no longer receiving state funding until the state passes a budget. In order to keep the programs running, the churches of our area are taking door collections to raise money. With this in mind, Immanuel's Council decided to have

a door collection during all the services on August 15-16. Please remember to support these programs which benefit so many of our elderly citizens in Waterloo! Please make your checks payable to Immanuel or House of Neighborly Service.

### **"Vicar" Merritt's Last Weekend...**

This upcoming weekend, August 15-16, will be Vicar Merritt's last official weekend as our vicar. But, he is sticking around as our 4th year field worker. He'll be in the office about 15 hours a week. He'll be teaching his Bible classes and midweek classes, and preaching once a month, while taking classes full time at Concordia Seminary. He & Veronica will be living in the parsonage, and Veronica will be the preschool aide this coming year, so we'll see them quite a bit. Please keep them in your prayers as they make this transition.

### **Here's What's Happening during August...**

- Ladies' Bible Study begins on Thursday, August 20—7:00pm—Overflow Room
- Midweek classes begin on Wed., August 26—6:30-8:00pm—Parents are asked to attend this class with their child. All children in grades 5-8 are encouraged to attend.
- Immanubells (youth bell choir), adult choir, and Agape Ringers practices begin on Wed., August 26—6:00pm, 7:00pm, and 8:05pm, consecutively.
- Youth Group Kick-Off Party—Sunday, August 30—2-8pm—Sandy & Jackie Nichols' house—For all 7th-12th grade students for fun, food & fellowship!

**Do you want more information or want to view our worship services?**

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## **Worship Helpers**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2015 - 5:30PM**

PREACHER - Vicar Merritt Demski

LITURGIST/CELEBRANT - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

SERVER - Chuck Keller

LECTOR - Nyla Bartels

PIANIST - Ron Jones

ACOLYTE - Jacob Williams

ALTAR GUILD - Pat Jones & Lerona Pryor

MEDIA TEAM - Wyatt Drewes

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2015 - 7:45AM**

PREACHER - Vicar Merritt Demski

LITURGIST - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

ORGANIST - Sarah Koester

LECTOR - Wayne Collmeyer

ACOLYTES - Griffin & Kaden Nichols

USHERS - Lee Eggemeyer, Ken Schanz, Roger Schanz,

Curt Wittbracht, Eric Eggemeyer

MEDIA TEAM - Pam Nagel (with recording)

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2015 - 10:15AM**

PREACHER - Vicar Merritt Demski

LITURGIST/CELEBRANT - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

ORGANIST - Sarah Koester

SERVER - Bob Vernier

LECTOR - Marian Obst

ACOLYTES - Reagan Nichols & Sami Wheat

USHERS - Larry Goessling, Jim Smothers, Dave

Wiese, Cal Neeman, Dean Harbison

ALTAR GUILD - Janet Goessling & Louise Nobbe

MEDIA TEAM - Sue Champion