



Weekly Calendar **April 11-17, 2016**

Monday, 4/11

Pastor Troup's day off

- 7:00p NAMI Meeting
- 8:00p Men's Prayer Group
- 8:00p AA Meeting

Tuesday, 4/12

- 6:30a Men's Bible Study
- 6-7:30p Zumba
- 7:15p Board of Christian Education Meeting

Wednesday, 4/13

- 9:30a Adult Bible Study
- 6-6:30p Immanubells
- 6:30-8p Midweek Classes
- 7-8p Choir Practice
- 8-9p Agape Ringers

Thursday, 4/14

- 5:00p Weight Watchers' Meeting
- 7:00p Ladies' Bible Study

Saturday, 4/16

- 5:30p Holy Communion

Sunday, 4/17

- 7:45a Worship Service
- 9:00a Sunday School & Bible Study Classes
- 10:15a Holy Communion

ILC Weekly Update

Those in Our Prayers...

Millie Menke, Doris Horn, Nancy Huck, Ed Horn, Roland Muench, Linda Allscheid, Dennis Brandt, Virginia Horn, Marvin Henry, Wilbert Kohlmeier, Sandy Moore, Donald Moore, Cathy Goforth, Phyllis Brown, Michael Washausen, Nina Van Camp, Ken Horn, Al Gruber, Susan Higgins, Donna Huffman, Ed Horn, Blayne Woodcock, Gordon Curd, Jane Walter, Kurt Klotzer, Ray Jung, Barb Troup, Dusty Hansen, Alicia Kirkley, Dustin Bender, Aaron Bommarito, Alex Naumann, Eric & Linda Funke, Unity Lutheran Elementary School in East St. Louis

Scripture Readings for Next Weekend

The scripture readings for next Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Easter. The readings for next Sunday will be Acts 20: 17-35; Rev. 7: 9-17; and John 10:22-30. This information is being provided so that you can better prepare for worship.

Weekly Bible Studies—Join Us!

Sundays:

- Pastor Troup leads a Bible study on the book of Daniel called "*Daniel at Immanuel*," at 9:00am in the overflow room.
- A high school and college Bible study in the youth room (lower level of the school building) at 9:00am. They are discussing the question "*What Does It Look Like to Be a Christian in Our Culture?*" led by Vicar Merritt.
- A Bible study led by Alan Stumpf in the multipurpose room at 9:00am for all junior high students and their parents.
- An adult & family Bible study led by Scott & Jen Janssen and Tim Scheibe at 9:00am in the church basement kitchen. Feel free to bring your little ones, too!

Tuesdays:

- A Bible study on Job led by Pastor Troup at Burger King at 6:30am. This is a Bible fellowship for men.

Wednesdays:

- A *Study of Romans* led by Vicar Merritt Demski in the overflow room at 9:30am. This is a Bible fellowship for adults.

Thursdays:

- The Ladies' Bible study is studying *The Rock Speaks* by Cindy Steinbeck at 7:00pm in the overflow room. All ladies are welcome!

Men's Prayer Group

All men are welcome to attend a Men's Prayer Group on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at 8:00pm at Wayne Collmeyer's house (209 Crosswinds Ct.) in Waterloo. Need directions or have questions? Give Wayne a call (618-719-7235).

College Care Packages

We will again be sending care packages to our college students in April. Do you have a son/daughter in college? Please let us know and contact the church office with his/her address. Also, would you like to donate items for these packages? We could use snack size items like granola bars, crackers, chips, cookies, candy, trail mix, microwave popcorn, etc. If you would rather donate money toward shipping costs, that would be appreciated as well. **Please let us know the address and/or drop off these donations in the church office on or before April 11th.** We plan to send the packages on April 12th. Thanks!

Martha's Kitchen / Mary's Heart

The Board of Social Ministry is sponsoring the Monday night meal at St. Paul U.C.C. in Waterloo on Monday, April 18, 2016. Dinner is served at St. Paul's at 6:00pm. We are asking members of Immanuel to assist in providing pasta and desserts for the meal and also a few volunteers to help serve the meal. Serving commitment is from approx. 5:30 to 7:00pm. We are serving mostaccioli and fettuccini alfredo. **If you can prepare one of these dishes (we have recipes because we will be combining all the donations) or a dessert of your choice, or if**

you can help serve, please contact Stephanie Brandt at 939-4579.

Breakfast Items Needed

Ladies, if you plan to attend our upcoming Mini-Retreat and would like to bring a breakfast item, please let us know. We are in need of breakfast casseroles, danishes, doughnuts, stollens, sweetbreads, and fresh fruit. Contact Sharon Osterhage (939-7180) to let her know what you plan to bring. You can always call the church office (939-6480) too, and we'll pass the message onto her.

Be a Part of "Barnyard Roundup" VBS This Summer!

Our VBS week will be held June 13-17, and we're planning a Christ-lovin', heel-tappin' and super fun week down on the farm. Would you like to attend (any children age 3 through 6th grade)? Would you like to help "around the farm"? Volunteers can be 7th grade and older. Contact the church office to register to attend or volunteer! There are registration and volunteer forms available on the big poster in the narthex. You can also register and find more info on our website (immanuelwaterloo.org).

Refresh & Renew

"Fulfilling Grace"

Women's Mini-Retreat

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John 1:16

Sat., April 23, 2016

9:00—11:00am

Registration begins at 8:30am

What do a little girl, a box of yarn, and the Gospel have to do with one another?

Come and find out as you are strengthened by God's Word through fellowship, food, and music.

Immanuel Lutheran Church
522 S. Church Street
Waterloo, IL

To preregister or for more info:

- 618-939-6480
- <http://immanuelwaterloo.org>
- immanuelwaterloo@gmail.com

INGATHERING DONATIONS:

Any donations of non-perishable food items, paper products, or art supplies are appreciated. These items will benefit the children in our local Bi-County Backpack program & Christian Friends of New Americans.

Rosie Adle is a child of God and a blessed wife and mother. Ask her about her wonderful family—she would love to tell you about them! Professionally, Rosie Adle is a deaconess, teacher, writer, and presenter. She has been teaching deaconess courses since 2005. She got her start on the mission field in Caracas, Venezuela, and has since taught women at both of our Synod's seminaries. Currently, she is the assistant director of the distance deaconess program of Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne. Rosie also writes articles for LCMS Communications and devotions for Concordia Publishing House (*Portals of Prayer* and *My Devotions*). She is co-author of *LadyLike: Living Biblically*, a collection of essays for Christian women.



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Worship Helpers

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2016 - 5:30PM

PREACHER/CELEBRANT - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

PIANIST - Ron Jones

SERVER - Wayne Collmeyer

ACOLYTE - Jordyn Koch

ALTAR GUILD - Pat Jones & Lerona Pryor

MEDIA TEAM - Dave Powell

SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2016 - 7:45AM

PREACHER/LITURGIST - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank

LECTOR - Gary Altes

ACOLYTES - Kylee LaRue & Jenna Hoeffken

USHERS - Jim Crawford, Allen Jacobs, Don & Joey Birrittier

MEDIA TEAM - Pam Nagel (with recording)

SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2016 - 10:15AM

PREACHER/CELEBRANT - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank

SERVER/LECTOR - Warren Frank

ACOLYTES - Madalyn Valerius & Kaylee Tucker

USHERS - Larry Goessling, Jim Smothers, Dave Wiese,
Cal Neeman, Dean Harbison

ALTAR GUILD - Shirley Elmore & Susan Hargrave

MEDIA TEAM - Mitchell/Tim Scheibe