



## **Weekly Calendar** **August 22-28, 2016**

### **Monday, 8/22**

*Pastor Troup's Day Off*

- 6:30p Pictorial Directory Committee Meeting
- 8:00p AA Meeting
- 8:00p Men's Prayer Group

### **Tuesday, 8/23**

- 6:30a Men's Bible Study
- 6-7:30p Zumba

### **Wednesday, 8/24**

- 9:30a Adult Bible Study

### **Thursday, 8/25**

*Pastor Demski's day off*

- 9-11a Preschool T/Th Class Open House
- 5:00p Weight Watchers' Meeting
- 7:00p Ladies' Bible Study

### **Friday, 8/26**

- 9-11a Preschool M/W/F Class Open House

### **Saturday, 8/27**

- 5:30p Holy Communion

### **Sunday, 8/28**

*Rally Day!*

- 7:45a Holy Communion
- 9:00a Sunday School & Bible Study Classes
- 10:15a Worship Service & Sunday School Children Sing for Rally Day!
- 4-8p Youth Group Kickoff BBQ at Konarcik Park
- 6:30p Freezer Meals Workshop

# **ILC Weekly Update**

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

Millie Menke, Doris Horn, Nancy Huck, Virginia Horn, Sandy Moore, Cathy Goforth, Phyllis Brown, Donna Lieb, Esther Brandt, Cathie Collmeyer, Michael Washausen, Nina Van Camp, Ken Horn, Al Gruber, Donna Huffman, Gordon Curd, Jane Walter, Kurt Klotzer, Nicole Bachelier, Ginny Sweet, Lydia Boyer, Mary Ann Shelvy, Denny Stein, Ashley Higgins, Jason Steffenson, Ellen Dietz, Darlene McKinney, Dusty Hansen, Alicia Kirkley, Dustin Bender, Aaron Bommarito, Alex Naumann, Paul Doty, Eric & Linda Funke, Unity Lutheran Elementary School in East St. Louis

## **Scripture Readings for Next Weekend**

The scripture readings for next Sunday, the Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost. The readings for next Sunday will be Prov. 25:2-10; Heb. 13:1-17; and Luke 14: 1-14 This info is being provided so that you can better prepare for worship.

## **Weekly Bible Studies—Join Us!**

### Sundays:

- Pastor Troup leads a DVD Bible study "Who Am I? What Am I Doing Here?" 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 *1 Corinthians* led by Pastor Demski.
- A Bible study "My Apostle, He Wrote Me a Letter" 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! "Sticky Faith" begins on Sept. 4th!

### Tuesdays:

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

### Wednesdays:

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

### Thursdays:

- The ladies are studying *Ladylike: Living Biblically* each week at 7:00pm in the overflow room. All ladies are welcome!

## **A New Year for Preschool!**

Immanuel's Preschool Open Houses will be held this week, and classes will begin next week. Please keep our students, their families, and Cindy & Linda in your prayers as they all begin this new school year. *By the way, there are few spots still available in the M/W/F class. Contact the church office for more information.*

## **Youth Group Kickoff BBQ!**

All youth in grades 6-12 are invited to our annual Kickoff BBQ that will be held on Sunday, August 28, at the Memorial pavilion at Konarcik Park. The fun begins at 4:00pm. Come & enjoy fellowship with other youth, and be prepared for an ultimate wiffle ball / kick ball game! The meat and buns will be provided. Bring your own drinks. If your last name begins with A-M, please bring a dessert. If your last name begins with N-Z, please bring a side dish. Hope to see you there!

## **Freezer Meals Workshop**

Join us for a Freezer Meals Workshop on Sunday, August 28, beginning at 6:30pm. We'll be making 4 different meals that will help with "back to school" lunches as well as quick & easy meals for breakfast & dinner! Each family will take home at least 8-12 meals for 3-4 people, all for around \$30-35. Please contact Lisa (618-939-6480 or [immanuelwaterloo@gmail.com](mailto:immanuelwaterloo@gmail.com)) in the church office by today to reserve your spot. This event will be held in the kitchen and is sponsored by the Women's Christian Ministry.

## **Rally Day—This Sunday, August 28th!**

Join us for Rally Day! What is Rally Day? Well, it is a celebration to acknowledge the official start of the new Sunday School year. You'll begin the Sunday School hour in your current class, and then switch to your new class during that hour. Those students in Preschool—8th grade are encouraged to sing a couple songs (from this summer's VBS) during our 10:15am service that day to help celebrate the beginning of the new school year! All are welcome! Sunday School takes place every Sunday from 9-10am. Contact the church office if you have any questions or need more information.

## **Midweek Classes and Music Practices Will Begin Soon!**

Don't forget that Midweek Classes for those in grades 5-8 will begin on Wednesday, August 31, and will be held from 6:30-8:00pm. Choir (7-8pm) and adult handbells (8:05pm) practices will also begin on August 31st, and the youth handbells practices will begin on Sept. 7th (6:00-6:30pm). Join us for these classes and practices!

## **Say Cheese...Again!!**

We already held the first 3 of 6 picture days, but there are still appointments available for your family! We want you and your family to be a part of our next directory, so please plan to participate in our upcoming picture days so your fellow members can put a name with a face. Mark your calendars for the next picture dates: **Sept. 15-16 from 2 to 9pm each day and Sept. 17 from 10am to 4:30pm.** Sign up online to reserve your appointment time now!

<https://www.securedata-trans14.com/ap/immanuellutheranchurch6/index.php?page=10>. You can also call the church office to make your appointment. And, look for appointment sign-up sheets in the narthex after all of the services. Do you have any candid pictures of life at Immanuel? Would you like to take a few? Send them our way! Email them to Lisa in the church office. By the way, Lifetouch is offering some wonderful discounts and specials to all who participate! Free 8x10 - Free Directory - 20% off your picture purchase - \$5 off your purchase if you bring a food pantry donation - an additional \$10 off your purchase that day! *Can't make any of those picture days but want to be in the directory? Please contact Lisa in the church office ASAP and let her know!*

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## **Worship Helpers**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 2016 - 5:30PM**

PREACHER/CELEBRANT - Rev. Merritt Demski

PIANIST - Ron Jones

SERVER - Chuck Keller

LECTOR - Nyla Bartels

ACOLYTE - Drake Downing

ALTAR GUILD - Dinah Pflasterer & Norma Wheatley

MEDIA TEAM - Kelley Keller

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2016 - 7:45AM**

PREACHER - Rev. Merritt Demski

LITURGIST/CELEBRANT - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank

SERVER/LECTOR - Gary Altes

ACOLYTES - Lilly Prather & Rachel Patterson

USHERS - Roy Unterseh, Dennis & Raymond Brandt,

Jim Stueve, Ed Arras

ALTAR GUILD - Barbara Altes & Deb Bergman

MEDIA TEAM - Gregory/Paul Hoeffken

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2016 - 10:15AM**

PREACHER - Rev. Merritt Demski

LITURGIST - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup

MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank

LECTOR - Rodney Clamors

ACOLYTES - Griffin & Kaden Nichols

USHERS - Rodney & Lisa Clamors, Michael Trout,  
Ollney Mueller, Jr.

GREETERS - Wayne & Cathie Collmeyer

MEDIA TEAM - Mitchell/Tim Scheibe (with recording)