

Weekly Calendar Jan. 30-Feb. 5, 2017

Monday, 1/30 Pastor Troup's day off 8:00p AA Meeting

Tuesday, 1/31

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

Wednesday, 2/1 9-11a Visitation (at Immanuel) for Shirley Moeckel 9:30a NO Adult Bible Study 11:00a Funeral Service for

Shirley Moeckel 6-6:30p **Immanubells** 6:30-8p Midweek Classes 7-8p Choir Practice AA Meeting 8:00p

Practice

Agape Ringers

Thursday, 2/2

8-9p

Pastor Demski's day off 7:00p Ladies' Bible Study

Saturday, 2/4

9a-11p Scrapbook Day 5:30p Holy Communion

Sunday, 2/5

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

2:30p Elders' Bible Study at Rodney Clamors'

house

3-5p Financial Peace University (FPU)

ILC Weekly Update

Those in Our Prayers...

Millie Menke, Doris Horn, Nancy Huck, Sandy Moore, Phyllis Brown, Esther Brandt, Norma Wheatley, Jerry Moeser, Erv Liefer, Iva Mesnarich, Joan Rehmer, Kim Holtgrieve, Dorothy Byers, Michael Washausen, Nina Van Camp, Ken Horn, Al Gruber, Karen Altes, Kurt Klotzer, Nicole Bachelier, John Stumpf, Marlene Tonkins, Scott Nobbe, Edna DesRoches, Ginny Sweet, Helen Bisaga, Orlan Jansen, Nick Birrittier, Luke Blakeslee, Pearl Auld, Dusty Hansen, Alicia Kirkley, Dustin Bender, Aaron Bommarito, Alex Naumann, Paul Doty, Jonathan Fuller, Amanda Milburn, Eric & Linda Funke (Tanzania), Unity Lutheran Elementary School (East St. Louis)

Family of the Week

During the school year, we remember one of our Preschool students and his/her family in our prayers. This week's student is Kadie Keller and her parents, Nathan and Stephanie. May God keep you and bless you and your family in all of your ways, Kadie!

Scripture Readings for Next Weekend

The scripture readings for next Sunday, Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany. The readings for next Sunday will be Is. 58:3-9a; 1 Cor. 2:1-12 (13-16); and Matt. 5:13-20. This info is being provided so that you can better prepare for worship.

Weekly Bible Studies & Other Classes—Join Us!

Sundays:

- Pastor Troup leads a Bible study Bible study on Robert Bennett's book Afraid: Demon Possession and Spiritual Warfare in America at 9:00 am in the overflow room.
- A high school and college Bible study in the youth room (lower level of the school building) at 9:00 am. They are discussing Matthew led by Pastor Demski.

- A Bible study led by Alan Stumpf in the multipurpose room at 9:00 am for all 7th & 8th grade students and their parents.
- An adult & family Bible study "Sticky Faith" led by Scott & Jen Janssen & Tim Scheibe at 9:00 am in the church basement kitchen. Feel free to bring your little ones, too!
- Elders' Bible studies will be held on the first 3 Sundays of the month at various elders' homes. The topic of discussion is "What Jesus Demands from the World." All are welcome.
- Financial Peace University is held each Sunday from 3-5 pm in the overflow room. Contact Pastor Demski for more details.

Tuesdays:

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

Wednesdays:

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

Thursdays:

• Ladies, join us in the overflow room at 7:00 pm as we study A Woman of Contentment: Ecclesiastes.

Narthex Expansion Project

Anyone wishing to donate to the narthex expansion project this year may do so by placing your donation in a regular envelope and labeling it "Narthex Expansion." This will be added to the Narthex Expansion Exploration Fund. This fund will become our building fund once the building project has been completely approved by the congregation.

Collection for the Homeless

New Life Evangelistic Center in St. Louis is in need of new or gently used warm clothing (coats, sweaters, sweatshirts & pants, socks, hats, gloves, etc) and blankets for the area's homeless men. Please drop off your donations in the barrel in the narthex.

Mission Opportunity Coming to Immanuel!

During March 4-5, the 10-person band from Lutheran High School in Indianapolis, Indiana, will be making a stop in Waterloo on their extended trip and will be providing musical accompaniment during all 3 services. We are looking for host families for 3 girls and 7 boys. Can you host 1 or more of these students? If so, contact the church office and let us know!

A Retreat for 5th-8th Grade Catechumens!

A 5th-8th grade Catechetical retreat, Splashing in Salvation: Baptism and the Christian Life, will be held at Camp Wartburg on Feb. 10-11, 2017. This Friday night-Saturday retreat is a chance for junior high aged Christians to rejoice in their baptism! Bible studies led by Pastor Bruce Keseman of Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church in Freeburg, prayer services from the hymnal, and camp games & high ropes activities including rock wall climbing and zip lining will fill the 2-day retreat. The cost is \$70 per participant and includes 3 meals and lodging. Pastor Demski passed out the registration forms to all of the midweek students last week. If you have questions or want to register, contact Pastor Demski or the church office as soon as possible.

This Week's Birthdays and Anniversaries:

David Naber Millie Menke Birthdays: Connie Rusteberg Roger Weihl 30 Vicky Englert Aaron Bommarito Tiffany Bise Jon Grant David Senf David Herschbach Jagger Gregory Danielle Boker Laura Kinzinger Thomas Ervin Anniversaries: Kathie Naumann Rich Hitzemann 30 Dean & Susan Kohlmeier (24) 31 Shirley Elmore

Dean Kohlmeier

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Worship Helpers

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2017 - 5:30 PM PREACHER/CELEBRANT - Rev. Merritt Demski MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank SERVER - Chuck Keller LECTOR - Ny Bartels ACOLYTE - Sophia Alu GREETER - Jim Pflasterer ALTAR GUILD - Dinah Pflasterer & Ny Bartels MEDIA TEAM - Kelley Keller

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2017 - 7:45 AM PREACHER - Rev. Merritt Demski LITURGIST - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank LECTOR - Ollney Mueller, Jr. ACOLYTES - Paul Hoeffken & Addie Janssen GREETERS - Barb & Courtney Heimburger

USHERS - Lee Eggemeyer, Ken Schanz, Roger Schanz, Curt Wittbracht MEDIA TEAM - Greg Hoeffken (with recording)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2017 - 10:15 AM PREACHER - Rev. Dr. Tony Troup CELEBRANT/LITURGIST - Rev. Merritt Demski MUSIC DIRECTOR - Ann Frank SERVER/LECTOR - Ben Spaulding ACOLYTES - Wyatt & Evan Fink USHERS - Elden Niemeyer, Sharon Osterhage, Wayne Hargrave, Wyatt Drewes ALTAR GUILD - Lois Rabbermann & Linda Gutknecht MEDIA TEAM - Pam Nagel