

Mission Statement
“We are called to Love, Serve, and Share God’s Word.”

- Vision Statement**
- Be a loving presence to those in our lives by opening our hearts to all.
 - To serve others by being an example of Christ in all we do
 - To share the Word of God through worship, education, community service, and intentional living.

<u>This Week at Immanuel</u>	
Today (02)	9:00am Fellowship Hour 9:15am Sunday School & Confirmation 10:00am Worship Service 11:30am Adult Study Group
Monday (03)	6:00pm All Committee Meeting
Tuesday (04)	9:00am Quilting Group ELECTION DAY
Wednesday (05)	10:00am Bible Study 4:00pm Praise Team Practice 6:00pm Zumba
Saturday (08)	10:00am Zumba

- Upcoming Events**
- November 10 - Bible & Brew
- November 11 - Veterans Luncheon
- November 15 - Dinner Nite Out
- November 17 - Church Council
- November 22 - Youth Pancake Breakfast
- November 24 - Book Group
- November 27 - THANKSGIVING DAY
- December 6 - Hanging of the Greens

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Serving Today
Reader: Linda Havens Communion Assistant: Jim Horwath
Counters: Laura Compton & Rick Bierlein
Greeters: Jim and Marie Combs

Serving November 9, 2025
Reader: Bernie Leneau Communion Assistant: Donna Preisler
Counters: Joyce Davis & Mike Aksamit
Greeters: Jim & Marie Combs

PRAYER PARTNER LETTERS: *Please sign the Letter on the Welcome Table* this morning before you leave. Today we are praying for Grace Lutheran Church in Lansing, Michigan.

Please remember these people in your prayers for:
On-going health concerns: Bill, Lynda, Arleen, Mary, Ricky, Kerstin, Jacob, Katie, Tyler, Elsie, Julie, Theresa, Julia, Cheryl, Nichole, Sara, Keith, Dawn, Dan, Doug, Tammy, Dottie, Ken, and Marie.

Coffee for Veterans
Will be held at Immanuel on the **2nd Tuesday of each month from 9:00 am - 11:00 am.** This is for all Veterans who have served or those who are still serving. A time to gather, spend time together, share conversation, and enjoy coffee and donuts / rolls. Please come and see what it is all about and share this with others. If you have any questions, please call Jessie (269)650-0026 or the church office at (269)673-3335. Thank you.

Our Financial Stewardship
\$1,452.50 (includes online giving)
Our weekly offering goal: \$1,835.50
SMART offering goal: \$2,360.36
Noisy Offering (Previous Month) \$149.77
Attendance Last Week: 73 Bible Study: 9

2025 Church Council
Sandie Horwath, President
Rick Bierlein, Vice President
Linda Scott Recording Secretary
Trevor Horwath, Treasurer/Stewardship
Shelley Busfield, Worship/Music
Laura Compton, Education
Brad VanMelle, Property
Sharon Aksamit, Mission/Outreach

Immanuel Lutheran Church



**All Saints Sunday
November 2, 2025**

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Pastor Chris Laughlin

Immanuel Welcomes You!

Immanuel Lutheran Church is a Christian community in the Lutheran tradition. We welcome all to come and journey with us in faith. We take seriously the Gospel tradition that all are justified by God's grace through faith. We do not earn our salvation. God's grace is not limited to some, but is available to all.

We especially welcome all visitors who worship with us today. If you would like more information about Immanuel, stop by the welcome Table outside of the sanctuary.

THE ALL COMMITTEE MEETING will take place tomorrow evening beginning at 6pm with a lite meal and then we will go into our respective committee gatherings. We usually have one for Worship & Music, one for Christian Education & Youth, one for Mission & Outreach, one for Finance & Stewardship, and one for Property & Cemetery. Everyone is invited and encouraged to come and participate. It is a good way to learn what is going on and why. Plus YOUR input is valued and needed!

OUR ANNUAL VETERANS DAY LUNCHEON will be on Tuesday November 11th Since the Vets will be in the services in Allegan that morning, we will not have coffee for Vets. Please check out the signup sheet on the Round Table and plan to stay after church on the 9th to set up the tables.

BIBLE AND BREW is coming up on Monday the 10th so be sure your name is on the signup sheet on the Round Table. The restaurant needs the count in order to be better prepared. This is always a fun evening with good food. Join us!

DINNER NITE OUT is scheduled for Saturday the 15th, but thus far we do not have a sponsor for the evening. The sponsor gets to chose the restaurant and then calls them a few days in advance to let them know how many are coming. Please see the signup sheet on the Round Table.

BOOK GROUP: The selection for November is *Anxious People* by *Frederick Backman*. The meeting is Monday the 24th.

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER is on the Welcome Table. Pick up your copy today.

THE NOISY OFFERING for the month of October amounted to \$149.77. Thank you everyone for participating in this youth program which supports our Blessing Box.

We believe that this is the Lord’s table: all those who seek the Lord’s forgiveness are welcome at Holy Communion. The pastor will hand you bread; if you need gluten free, we have it for you. The communion assistant will hand you a small cup with wine; if you want grape juice, we have that for you.
Lutherans believe that this is Jesus’ body and blood, and we do this to receive the forgiveness he promised and because he commands us to do it.
If you prefer to receive a blessing just let us know.

Prelude:
“I Sing a Song of the Saints of God”

Announcements
“HAPPY BIRTHDAY”

Gathering

*Confession and Forgiveness
*Entrance Hymn:
“Shall We Gather at the River”
*Call to Worship
*Prayer of the Day

Word

Noisy Offering
Children’s Message
First Reading
Psalm
Second Reading
*Gospel
Sermon:
*Hymn of the Day
“Jesus, Name Above all Names”

Pastor Chris
Isaiah 1:10-18
Psalm 32:1-7
2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12
Luke 19:1-10
Pastor Chris

*Affirmation of Faith

*Prayers of Intercession
Each petition ends with
“God of Grace”
And the congregation responds with
“receive our Prayer”

Worship Assistant

*Sharing of the Peace
Offering
Offertory
*Doxology
*Offertory Prayer

Worship Assistant

Meal

*The Great Thanksgiving
*The Proper Preface
*The Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy)
*The Verba (Words of Institution)
*The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory, are yours, now and forever. Amen.

The Invitation
The Distribution
Communion Song:
“By Name I Have Called You”
“Send Me”

Sending of Communion
*Communion Blessing
*Prayer after Holy Communion
Worship Assistant

Sending

*Benediction
*Recessional Hymn
“What a Fellowship, What a Joy Devine”

*Dismissal:

Go in peace. Live by the Spirit!
Thanks be to God!

Readings for Next Sunday
Job 19:23-27a
Psalm 17:1-9
2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17
Luke 20:27-38