

IMMANUEL EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

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8th Sunday after Pentecost

August 4, 2019

Order of Worship

Gathering

- Call to Worship
- Confession & Forgiveness
- Gathering Hymn - *ELW #793*
- Prayer of the Day
- Welcome

Word

- First Reading – *Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23*
- Psalm *49:1-12*
- Second Reading – *Colossians 3:1-11*
- Gospel Reading – *Luke 12:13-21*
- Children's Time
- Sermon
- Song of the Day - *ELW #678*
- Apostles' Creed
- Prayers of Intercession
- Sharing the Peace

Meal

- Offering
- Offering Prayer
- Communion
 - Great Thanksgiving/Words of Institution
 - Lord's Prayer
 - Communion Distribution
 - Communion Blessing & Prayer

Sending

- Benediction
- Sending Hymn - *ELW #650*
- Dismissal

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Ushers: Christa Edwards

Lector: Jill Ross

Acolyte: Aiden Znaniecki

Communion Assistants: Rosina Bittner & Christa Edwards

Altar Committee: Sarah Pfeifer, Charlene Zimmerman

LAST WEEK IN OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Offering: \$3168.00

Attendance: 56

The benevolence offering this month is for Lutheran Outdoor Ministries Center (LOMC). Please use the envelope found in your newsletter.

THIS WEEK IN OUR LIFE TOGETHER

THURSDAY: 6:30 *CHURCH COUNCIL*

FRIDAY: 9:00 Bible Study

SATURDAY: 6:00 Night On The Town meets at Fatty's Pub & Grill

SUNDAY: 8:30 Worship, here

DeKalb

10:30 Worship at First, Lee

WELCOME, EVERYONE! We invite you to sign the Friendship Pad as a way to get others to know your name and for Immanuel to keep accurate records of the numbers of congregants who receive Holy Communion each Sunday. After the pad has been passed to the sides of the sanctuary, we would ask you to pass them back so others will know those names they did not see and that the pads can easily be collected at the end of the service.

HOLY COMMUNION - We practice open communion at Immanuel. We believe that our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ is truly present, "in, with, and under" the bread and wine. All are welcomed at this table. Children may accompany their parents for a blessing. **Communion is by "intinction". The silver chalice has wine and the stoneware chalice has grape juice.**

PASTORAL NEEDS - Please call Pastor Jeff Schlesinger at 815/878-4503 or e-mail him at photo.pastor1965@gmail.com for emergencies, hospital visits, or other concerns or **call the church office (815/539-6567).**

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Members - Margaret Schlesinger, Karla Eames, Rita Lilja, Gene Williams, Arlene Archer. Friends & Family – Alan Stankus (Sandra Heiman's father). Our Leaders - ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton; NIS Bishop Jeffrey Clements; Immanuel/First Pastor Jeff Schlesinger. Our Partner Ministries - Another Child Foundation; N.I.C.E.; ELCA World Hunger; Mendota Lutheran Home.

FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY is held every Friday morning. We discuss the readings for the upcoming Sunday. Coffee & conversation at 9:00, bible study at 9:30. Come join us and bring a friend!

After worship today we will fill the school bags for LWR. Please stay and help if you can!

SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR N.I.C.E. to be distributed to the food pantry families. Please leave items in the N.I.C.E. box in the room next to the office. Copies of the school supply list can be found on the table in the overflow. Backpacks for 4th grade and up are also needed. Distribution dates: August 10, 17.

The HOILP world hunger team asks for your help in identifying any person or family from our local communities who can benefit from food donated and delivered directly to them. Please submit names and contact information in the Bountiful Garden box on display. Even through a tough spring, we look forward to seeing gardens translate to goodness. No garden? No problem. On collection days, bring canned or dry goods to the cause. Our next collection day is August 25.

4TH SUNDAY READERS will be meeting on Sunday, August 25 at Immanuel's parsonage. The book we will be reading is titled "Education" by Tara Westover. Sign up in the overflow if you would like to join us. Please let us know if you would like a copy of the book.

NIGHT ON THE TOWN, Saturday, August 10, 6:00 p.m. at Fatty's Pub & Grill, 1312 W. Lincoln Highway, DeKalb. Sign up in the overflow if you are able to join us or call/text Theresa Schlesinger at 815/878-8372.

IMMANUEL'S ARK - Need a lift to church? Your normal ride unavailable? Then, float on in with IMMANUEL's ARK. Text/Call John Hoelzer at 815/440-3358 by 8:00 p.m. the day before the church service.

"SEASON OF CREATION" will be coming up again this fall. It's not too early to start taking photos: *Oceans & Lakes, Fauna (animals & critters), Storms, Cosmos*. You may begin submitting them to Pastor Jeff or Debbie. Digital copies are preferred, but we can scan prints if you'd like to share them.