

# HEART OF ILLINOIS LUTHERAN PARISH

## Newsletter

First Lutheran

November 2019

Immanuel Lutheran

### HOILP Joint Worship – November 24<sup>th</sup>

Immanuel will be hosting the second joint worship service of the year at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup>. Together we will celebrate “Christ the King Sunday” – the final Sunday of the Church year. The morning will include a service of confirmation and conclude with a time of food and fellowship.

Previously HOILP held joint worship when there was a fifth Sunday of the month - four times each year. In 2019 we chose to have two Sundays with food and fellowship – one at each congregation. There are plenty of other times when we share worship, such as midweek Lenten and Holy Week services, Thanksgiving Eve, Christmas Day



and the Sunday after Christmas. But these two (June 9th and November 24th) are planned to grow closer as member congregations of the parish.

The service will include the rite of confirmation for Shayne, Caytlin and Cyndie Prodzenski. Pastor Jeff is pretty excited. “I’ve never confirmed an entire family at once,” he said.

The Prodzenski’s will not have to worry about throwing a party as HOILP will be doing that for them. Following the service, we will have a good “ol’ fashioned” pot luck dinner. In this case, “ol’ fashioned” means that everyone brings a dish or two to share of

whatever they like. We’ll trust that we naturally have a variety of dishes in our smorgasbord. If not, we might be vegetarians (or maybe dessertarians) for the day.

Families are requested to bring their own table service to make clean up easier and

more efficient. There will be water, lemonade and coffee provided. The parish team will take care of set up, but any help with clean-up will be appreciated.

Immanuel congregational president Bob Kromm looks forward to these joint worship opportunities. “The parish is great,” he says. “We need each other. We need to do all we can to get to know each other better.”

Mark your Calendar  
November 24, 2019

## ~~Rethinking Sunday School~~ Reimagining Faith Formation

A brand new thing is coming to Heart of Illinois Lutheran Parish at the beginning of 2020. Rather than limp along with a struggling Sunday School at Immanuel and having nothing at First, we will be forming something brand new to grow together in faith. Once each month, we will hold a **multi-generational** event that will include worship and a faith formation activity or two with plenty of opportunity for fellowship.

This will not be Sunday school moved to Sunday nights. Nor will it be VBS on a monthly basis. Rather it will be people from 9½ weeks to 9½ decades to walk alongside each other to experience and grow in faith.

Details, schedule and themes are still being worked out by the task force. They will meet again on October 30. If you wish to help them with their work please let Pastor Jeff know.

### Name that Newsletter

The nominees for the name of this newsletter are in:

- Parish Ponderings
- Parish Press
- Parish Voice
- Prairie Ponderings
- The Heart Beat

On November 3rd during worship we will take a vote to narrow it down to the top two names. Then on November 24th at the joint worship service, we will choose the winning entry.

Thank you to all who submitted names. A total of 24 names were submitted.

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## Jeff's Jottings

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I was driving home from Decorah, IA last Saturday after running out to see Alex perform in a cabaret. As I was about to cross from Iowa to Illinois in the little town of Sabula, I was struck by the trees on their little island park. Their leaves were turning a bright yellow while virtually all the trees around the lakes and river remained various shades of green.

The date was October 12<sup>th</sup>. In my family, we used to figure that the fall colors would be at their peak right around my mother's birthday on October 9<sup>th</sup>. By and large, that was the case as long as I can remember. But this year, on October 12<sup>th</sup> fall was only beginning to peak its head out.



In 2013 Theresa and I took a little get away and spent three days at Starved Rock. We felt fortunate because the leaves were peaking even though it was the last week of October (I think our last day there was actually November 1). I've paid close attention since that year. In the five subsequent years, I think three of them had peak colors the last week of October. In every one of them, the peak was well after October 9<sup>th</sup>.

These jottings are about change. I've said this before and will probably say it a billion or more times before I die – the only constant in life is change. In fact, as we witness each Autumn, change is built right into creation. We look forward to the changing colors on the landscape. I'm looking forward to a trip in just two days when a group of you will join me in search of those changing colors.

Sometimes change comes about naturally like the leaves on the trees, and sometimes it comes about due to our transgressions, as is the case with the later and later season change which is undoubtedly due to climate change. Regardless of how it occurs, change happens. It is when we figure out how to best adapt to change that life is at its best.

I have to compliment you all on how you've adapted to change over the last four years. Last week I celebrated my fourth anniversary as your pastor. Often, adjusting to a new pastor is tremendous change. On top of this, you called a pastor who likes variety, so he is looking for new things (change) all the time. But you've rolled with the punches. And on top of that, as you called me, and as we have defined over the last four years, you began a new partnership. After over 150 years of being on your own, you now share a pastor and have formed a parish. That is a huge change! Yet you have had no problem with it. Great job.



Sometimes, I think our challenge in life is to figure out when it is time for change. That's what Luther realized 502 years ago – that it was time for a change in the Church. Thus began the Reformation. Reform. It's really just another word for change when you think about it.

That's exactly how we need to view what is happening with Sunday School (see page 1). It is time to do something different and new. It is time to reform the way we grow in faith. Along with many of you, I will grieve the loss of Sunday School as it used to be. I grew up in Sunday School. I learned about Abraham and Moses and David and most importantly, Jesus, as I sat in Sunday School week after week. But for a myriad of reasons, the Sunday School model is no longer working. So it is time to thank God for where we've been while at the same time, forming something new as we go forward.

Change happens. It happened yesterday. It is happening today. It will happen tomorrow. Is it possible to look forward to change like we look forward to the fall colors? Sometimes, yes, absolutely. But other times, we don't want to change and will resist it with all our being. But the truth is we can't avoid it. We will have to deal with change. But here's another truth: change is much, much easier to face when we do it together. Let's go forth, as the baptized people of God, and encounter the ever changing world together.

See you in worship on Sunday!

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## Bible Gems

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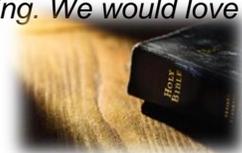
In 2018, during Bible Blitz month at Heart of Illinois Lutheran Parish, individuals were asked to share favorite Bible verses, stories or characters during a short temple talk in worship. These were called "Bible Gems." This column continues that exercise by inviting individuals to share their Biblical favorites in writing. We would love to have you share them during worship also.

### I Corinthians 4:21 – "What would you prefer? Am I to come to you with a stick, or with love in a spirit of gentleness?"

When people ask me what I do, I often respond, as though I am ashamed, that I am a high school math teacher. Often, they respond with a groan. Lots of people think negatively of math. They have a bad story about "the math teacher who ...". With my students, my goal is to help them use math as a tool – to unleash its power. And that requires real understanding. It takes time, some patience, and a willingness to dig deep into the problem at hand. Usually, it also requires digging deep into the background of some previous understandings and misunderstandings.

Paul writes to the Corinthians that he will be coming to them soon [19] as his beloved children [14]. And then he asks in verse 21: "What would you prefer? Am I to come to you with a stick, or with love in a spirit of gentleness?"

I hope that I approach math students "with love in a spirit of gentleness", and not "with a stick". No one learns anything with a stick, other than to be afraid. - Greta Bates -



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## COUNCIL

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### Immanuel Council Meeting Highlights October 10, 2019

- General Treasury ending balance September 30, 2019 was \$5,968.95
- Congregation Vitality Survey has been completed.
- New windows installed in church basement from Ron Schlesinger memorial.
- New Building Fund CD expires and the \$18,500 will be put in Amdex savings account.
- Budget Issues discussed for 2020.
- Confirmation will be held on November 24 with three confirmands.
- Joint service between Immanuel & First on Sunday, November 24 at 10:30 a.m. Old fashioned potluck to follow.
- The next Council meeting will be on November 14, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.

### Parish Team Meeting Highlights September 11, 2019

- Final recommendations for updates to the Parish Covenant were completed and will be given to the HOILP joint councils for the November meeting.
- Get HOILP known in our communities - do 3 parades in 2020 (Lee/Shabbona (July), Mendota (Aug.), Paw Paw (Sept.))
- Joint Worship at 10:30 a.m., Nov. 24 at Immanuel with potluck meal to follow.
- Mission sub-groups reported on their work.
- Next Parish Team meeting will be on Nov. 6, 2019 at First in Lee at 6:00 p.m.
- Sarah Pfeifer will do devotions.

### First Council Meeting Highlights September 15, 2019

- Constitution - a Congregational meeting is tentatively scheduled for Nov. 3, 2019, to present and discuss the change of minimum number of Council members from nine to five
- Property & Management - the Council agreed to hire a firm to identify the location of underground piping near the church
- Church Front Door - installation is scheduled for October
- Storm Windows - this project is complete
- Water Heater - rather than repair the existing water heater, a new water heater was purchased and installed in the kitchen
- Next Council Meeting - next meeting will be held after worship on Sunday, Nov. 17

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## Serving Our Neighbors

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### Event for N.I.C.E. Center!

We are collecting, new and gently used items that the residents of Prairie Crossing, of Shabbona, might like to “select” when they make their next “Christmas Shopping visit” (usually early December) to the N.I.C.E. Center. Suggestions for women or men: scarf, hat, caps, purses, perfume, lotion, jewelry, small gifts, something for them and/or their home (room).

Please bring gifts to church, and Deb P. or Dave K. will deliver the items to Sandy Rueff at the N.I.C.E. Center, for “shopping day”.

#### **N.I.C.E. Center could use some helping hands:**

Every month, our truck deliveries are the first Friday at 8:15 a.m. and the third Tuesday, at or about 11:30 a.m.

**Please check your calendars to come help and ask your church volunteers to come help** as often as possible.

First Fridays: 11/1 and 12/6

Third Tuesdays: 11/19, 12/17

**NURTURE KITCHEN** at First in Lee, is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of every month from 8:00-11:00 a.m. Come join us as we provide a pancake breakfast for our neighbors who gather at N.I.C.E. center. Help us make and serve pancakes, roll silverware, etc. Cooking begins at 8:00 a.m.

#### **N.I.C.E. Christmas Room**

Our “N.I.C.E. Christmas Room” serves all ages of children of our food pantry families. Please bring your donations to church and we will deliver them weekly to the N.I.C.E. Center. Games, toys, clothes, as always underwear and socks are needed, hats, gloves, scarves, etc. Also gently used items are welcome. Thank you for your continued generosity.

#### ***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 p.m. the day before the church service. If a driver is secured, you will receive a text/call from John. He’ll tell you who your driver will be and when you will be picked up. Don’t let the lack of transportation keep you from worshipping with your church family.

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## JOYS AND CONCERNS

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#### **Prayer Corner**

Homebound – Joan Benner, Harold Schlesinger, Arlene Archer, Nathan Eich, Gene Williams, Marilyn Ward, Phyllis Larsen

Monthly Requests – Whitley Clayton, Gary Holle, Ron Rebholz, Ed & Joan Benner

Newly Baptized – Lauretta Grace Collins (11/25), Karina Noelle Ganz (2/10), Harper Elizabeth Ganz (2/10), Whitley Grace Clayton (4/14)

Affirmed in Baptism - (October 28, 2018) – Olivia Ross, Rachel McCormick, Aiden Znaniacki, Kody Hoadley

Mourning Families - Courtney Edwards Family (11/10), Donald Schmidt Family (12/24), Eunice Rogers Family (1/5), Marlin Hoelzer Family (3/13), Schaller Family (Greta Bates Mother- 3/2019), Sarah Fassig Family (6/22), Christy Lilja Family (8/3), Marilyn Goetz Family (8/5), Keith Eich Family (8/31), Jean Albert Family (9/9), Dorothy Burkart Family (9/13), Donna Albers Family (9/22), Lucy Nicholson Family (10/14)

Our Leaders - ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, NIS Bishop Jeffrey Clements, HOILP Pastor Jeff Schlesinger

#### **November Birthdays**

- 1 – Peter Taylor, Tom Thompson
- 2 – Becky Sarver, Justin Askins, Gail Zimmerman  
Randy Dolister
- 3 – Jeff Eich
- 4 -- Debbie Rebholz
- 5 -- David Bittner, Brad Betz, Sam Schlesinger,
- 7 -- Lillian Joyce Corn
- 8 – Kevin Ganz, Erik Fagerman, Sam Knoblauch
- 9 -- Jerry McCormick
- 10 – Sarah Goetz, Steve Kromm
- 11 – Connie Avery, Charlene Zimmerman,  
Suzanne Delhotal
- 14 – Randy Shaddick
- 15 – Mark Swope
- 18 – Harper Ganz, Ted Muncy
- 20 – Kathy Ross, Janell Happ, Cyndie Prodzenski
- 22 – Diane Reppin, David Kromm
- 23 – Danielle Krenz
- 24 – Chris Sarver, Domenic Richey
- 25 – Kris Neal
- 26 – Haylee Ganz, Alicia Nelson
- 29 – Emily Erickson-Betz

#### **November Anniversaries**

- 2 – Dave & Nancy Walzer
- 14 – Chuck & Linda Sellers
- 24 – Mike & Diane Reppin
- 30 – Dwight & Margaret Frick

# LYO

## COLLEGE BOUND

If your son or daughter is going off to college this fall, please contact Debbie in the church office with their mailing address so we can keep in touch with them.

Next LYO meeting  
**Sunday, November 10**  
*after 8:30 worship*

**Upcoming Pancake Breakfasts at Immanuel**  
**Sunday, November 17, December 22**  
**at 9:30 a.m.**  
**after worship. Please join us for food, friends, and fellowship!**  
**All donations will go towards the LYO.**



## This and That

***At First on the First!*** Please plan to stay on Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, the first Sunday in Advent, after our 10:30 a.m. worship, to help with the “Hanging of the Greens”, our Christmas Season tree and sanctuary decorating.

*Night on the Town*  
*November 9 - 6:00 p.m.*  
**St. Mary's Soup Supper**  
West Brooklyn  
*Sign up at either church or call/text*  
*Christina Barnickel*  
815.716.6430

### Upcoming Night on the Town Events

- **November 9** – St. Mary's Soup Supper – West Brooklyn
- **December 14** – Elwood Steak & Fish House – DeKalb

### Friday Morning Bible Study

What better way to start your day than digging into the upcoming Sunday scripture lessons? Coffee and conversation begin at 9 a.m. Study commences around 9:30 a.m. Come join us!

### A Friendly Reminder!

Every year there are **two things** a member is required to do in order to remain an active, voting member:

**Receive Holy Communion “of record” at least once.**

**Make at least 1 financial contribution “of record” to the work of this congregation.**

If you have not met these responsibilities as a member for 2019, please do so by **December 29, 2019.**

### 2020 LECTORS, COMMUNION ASSISTANTS, USHERS

Sign-up in the overflow if you are currently one or if you are new by November 17.

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2020 Weekly Offering Envelopes will be available sometime in November. Please pick yours up! Also pick up a 2020 calendar.

### Immanuel's November Benevolence

*The benevolence offering this month is for the **Northern Illinois Synod.** Please use the enclosed envelope.*

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# WELCA

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## NOVEMBER EVENTS:

**Bible Study: NO HARD FEELINGS?** By Anna Madsen. We will explore selections of Old Testament poetry from Job, Psalms and Lamentations. We will look for God in times of deep emotions, such as joy, anger, celebration, depression, misunderstanding and contentment, finding hope and grace along the way.

**November Bible Study: "Stewarding the gift of joy"**

Theme Verses: Psalm 30, Psalm 150, Song of Solomon 2

**Wednesday, November 6 at 1:30 p.m. – WELCA Bible Study** (Leader: Charlene Zimmerman; Hostess: Christa Edwards)

**Tuesday, November 19 at 12:30 p.m. – Sewing & Tying Quilts** - Anyone who can come to help for an hour or two would be welcomed. We can ALWAYS use extra hands. We meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month and have lots of fun. NO EXPERIENCE is necessary.

## JUSTICE (MISSION ACTION) - Charlene Zimmerman

What does the Lord require of you but to do **justice**, love kindness and walk humbly with your God?

*Micah 6:8*

Final tally on LWR items delivered to the ingathering truck at Zion in Rockford by Sarah Pfeifer and Colleen Zinke: 50 Quilts, 64 Personal Care kits, 100 School kits and 10# of bar soap. Thank you to Colleen for the use of her pickup truck. And a BIG THANK YOU to everyone for your help in assembling these items this past year.

For November we need to continue collecting items for the PADS shelter in Peru.

**Needed items are: sack lunch snack items, drink mixes, paper plates, cups, bowls, paper towels, toilet tissue and cleaning products.** Put these items in the totes in the room next to the office.

## WELCA PRESIDENT'S DESK - Sarah Pfeifer

Where has the year gone? Thanksgiving is just around the corner and then we enter Advent. This time of the year we need to remember our less fortunate neighbors. N.I.C.E. will be accepting donations for Holiday food baskets and Christmas gifts for children and teenagers. If you have an unused Thrivent Action Team grant, you could use that to buy items for these families. If you can help out in any of these areas, please do so. Donations are also being accepted for PADS. Place items in the boxes on the shelves in the room next to the office. Even though we have had our 2 months of working at N.I.C.E., if you find a free Saturday, go up anyway, help is always welcome. I look forward to our joint worship with First Lutheran here at Immanuel on November 24 with the service at 10:30 a.m. followed by a potluck dinner. Table service and drinks will be provided. I am trying to decide which of the 5 names for the newsletter that I like best. All of the choices are good ones. See you in church.

**THANKOFFERINGS will be collected during November. These offerings are given to support the life-changing ministries of Women of the ELCA. Together with thousands of congregations these offerings are used to help mobilize women throughout the world to boldly act on their faith. Please use the blue Thankoffering envelope in this newsletter and put it in the box in the overflow or the offering plate or bring it to our WELCA bible study.**



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## Enjoying God's Creation: *Leaf Peeping with PJ*

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On October 17, 7 parishioners from Immanuel & First (*PJ, Rosina & John Bittner, Stanley Hoelzer, Fran Sellers, Mary Ellen Schroeder, Rita Thompson*) gathered at 7:30 a.m. to board a van taking us from Compton to Franklin Creek State Park, Castle Rock State Park, White Pines State Park and Mississippi Palisades State Park and many beautiful back roads in between. We stopped at Village Bakery in Oregon (run by Village of Progress) for a sweet snack and later ate our lunch at the Sunshine Restaurant in Savanna. Before leaving Savanna we crossed over the Mississippi bridge to Sabula, Iowa, and then crossed back over to Illinois. We followed Route 84 to Lock and Dam #13 and then headed back to Compton. We didn't see as many leaves turned as we had hoped, but saw such beautiful scenery and had such great fellowship on the bus it was fine. Pastor Jeff had us rank the sights we saw on a scale of 1-10. The most popular was the Mississippi bridge over to Sabula, Iowa, and the next favorite was a tie between Ozzie's Point and Lookout Point, both in Mississippi Palisades State Park. We returned home about 5:00. It was a great day to see God's beautiful handiwork and we appreciated Pastor Jeff's knowledge and narrative during the trip. *(article submitted by Rita Thompson)*



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## Northern Illinois Synod News

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At the 2019 Synod Assembly, Bishop Jeffrey Clements introduced the synod's new mission statement, vision statement, and core values.

Now Bishop Clements invites you to one of three gatherings around the synod this fall to join in a continuing conversation together about these important values.

Your input is vital as we discern how we will best walk together and live out this mission and these values at the synod level and in your congregations. Two more Sundays, this Fall:

**November 3**, at St. John's Lutheran Church, 4501 – 7th Avenue, **Rock Island**, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

**November 17**, at New Life Lutheran Church, 249 N. Bolingbrook Drive, **Bolingbrook**, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

### Mission Statement

Walking together... loving Christ, loving all, for the sake of the world

### Vision Statement

As church together, the Northern Illinois Synod will faithfully make Christ relevant to a diverse and changing world.

### Core Values

- **Worship/Prayer** (attributing worth to God/communicating with God)
- **Innovation** (making changes that promote the ministry as it serves Christ)
- **Leadership** (using our abilities to influence others to pursue God's mission for the church)
- **Equipping** (preparing someone for a particular ministry situation or task)
- **Evangelism** (telling others the good news about Christ)

Keep up with what's happening in the ELCA by subscribing to our Synod online newsletters:

**Walking Together:** A weekly newsletter delivered to email about upcoming events

**Making Christ Known:** A monthly e-newsletter with articles about what has happened, as well as announcements about upcoming events

Subscribe by going to <https://nisynod.org> and clicking on "publications"

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## Looking Ahead to Advent

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### REVERSE ADVENT CALENDAR

Each day add an item to a box. On, or before, Christmas Eve donate the contents to a food bank.

Day 1: box of cereal  
Day 2: canned baked beans  
Day 3: peanut butter  
Day 4: stuffing mix  
Day 5: boxed potatoes  
Day 6: pack of toilet paper  
Day 7: canned potatoes  
Day 8: spray bottle of kitchen cleaner  
Day 9: bottle of shampoo  
Day 10: bag of rice  
Day 11: box of pasta  
Day 12: canned tuna

Day 13: canned tomatoes  
Day 14: canned spaghetti in tomato sauce  
Day 15: canned peas  
Day 16: three bars of soap  
Day 17: small bag of sugar  
Day 18: bottle of hand soap  
Day 19: jar of applesauce  
Day 20: box of crackers  
Day 21: spaghetti sauce  
Day 22: chicken noodle soup  
Day 23: tomato soup  
Day 24: bag of eclairs

*Everybody deserves a sweet treat at Christmas, right?*

*What did you put in your "Advent Calendar"? Please let us know your suggestions and we will update the list for next year. (It was suggested that if your box began to be filled mid-November, a family could receive the donation prior to Christmas.)*

# Heart of Illinois Lutheran Parish November 2019

Immanuel Lutheran, Compton

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Ph. 815/539-6567 Website: www.ilccompton.org (NEW)

**Benevolence (I): Northern Illinois Synod**

Pastor Jeff Schlesinger Ph. 815/878-4503

E-mail: photo.pastor1965@gmail.com

First Lutheran, Lee

Ph. 815/824-2356

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<p><b>Coming Up at First, Lee: "Hanging of the Greens" Sun. Dec. 1 after worship</b></p>				<p><b>1</b> 8:15 N.I.C.E. Center "truck unloading" 9:00 Bible Study (I)</p>	<p><b>2</b> 8:00-11:00 First volunteers at N.I.C.E.  TURN CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR TONIGHT!</p>
<p><b>3 All Saint's Sunday</b>  8:30 Worship (I) 10:30 Worship (F)</p>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<p><b>6</b> 1:30 WELCA Bible Study (I)  6:00 Parish Team meets at First, Lee</p>	<p><b>7</b> 6:30 CHURCH COUNCIL (I)</p>	<p><b>8</b> 9:00 Bible Study (I)</p>	<p><b>9</b> 8:00 Nurture Kitchen at First, Lee 8:00-11:00 First volunteers at N.I.C.E. 6:00 NOTT - St. Mary's Soup Supper; West Brooklyn</p>
<p><b>10</b> 8:30 Worship (I) 9:30 LYO Mtg. (I) 10:30 Worship (F)</p>	<p><b>11 Veteran's Day</b></p>	<p><b>12</b> 6:30 Worship Team @ Immanuel parsonage</p>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<p><b>15</b> 9:00 Bible Study (I)  NEWSLETTER DEADLINE</p>	<p><b>16</b> 8:00-11:00 First volunteers at N.I.C.E.</p>
<p><b>17</b> 8:30 Worship (I) Pancake Breakfast (I) 10:30 Worship (F) 11:35 Church Council @ First, Lee</p>	<b>18</b>	<p><b>19</b> 11:30 N.I.C.E. Center "truck unloading" 12:30 Sewing &amp; Tying Quilts (I)</p>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<p><b>22</b> 9:00 Bible Study (I)</p>	<p><b>23</b> 8:00-11:00 First volunteers at N.I.C.E.</p>
<p><b>24 Christ the King</b> 10:30 Joint Worship (I) Potluck Meal following</p>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<p><b>27</b> 7:00 Thanksgiving Eve Worship with Holy Communion (I)</p>	<p><b>28 Thanksgiving</b></p>	<p><b>29</b> CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p><b>30</b> 8:00-11:00 First volunteers at N.I.C.E.</p>

## HOILP Lay Worship Volunteers – November 2019

	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>GREETER(S)</u>	<u>ACOLYTE(S)</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>COMM ASSISTANT</u>	<u>ALTAR</u>	<u>TREATS</u>	
<b>NOV. 3</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Holly Phalen <b>Need 1 person</b>	N/A	TBD	Christa Edwards	Carol Kern & Fran Sellers	Rhonda M. & Carol Kern	Mary Ellen Schroeder
	<i>First</i>	Mike	Deb	N/A	Theresa	Kristen, Sue	Sue	N/A
<b>NOV. 10</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Holly Phalen <b>Need 1 person</b>	N/A	TBD	Theresa Schlesinger	Rosina Bittner & Christa Edwards	Rhonda M. & Carol Kern	LuAnn Kromm
	<i>First</i>	Mike	Dave & Janell	N/A	Sue	Becky, Kristen	Sue	N/A
<b>NOV. 17</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	<b>Need 2 people</b>	N/A	TBD	Jill Hoelzer	Rhonda & Rachel McCormick	Rhonda M. & Carol Kern	Rosina Bittner
	<i>First</i>	Mike	Rita	N/A	Rita	Janell, Becky	Sue	N/A
<b>NOV. 24</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	<b>Need 2 people</b>	N/A	TBD	Karla Eames	Harlan & Karla Eames	Rhonda M. & Carol Kern	<b>Potluck Meal</b>
	<b>Joint Service</b>	<b>10:30</b>						
<b>NOV. 27</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Holly Phalen Christa Edwards	N/A	TBD	John Hoelzer	Christa Edwards & Stanley Hoelzer	Rhonda M. & Carol Kern	N/A
	<b>Thanks.Eve</b> <b>7:00</b>							

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<b>DEC. 1</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Christa Edwards <b>Need 1 person</b>	N/A	TBD	Trysta Foster	Minor & Connie	Rhonda & Pam	Christa/Cyndie
	<i>First</i>	Larry	Sue & John	N/A	Kristen	Becky, Mike	Beth	N/A
<b>DEC. 8</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Christa Edwards <b>Need 1 person</b>	N/A	TBD	Sarah Goetz	Theresa & Fran	Rhonda & Pam	LuAnn Kromm
	<i>First</i>	Larry	Deb	N/A	Larry	Sue, Kristen	Beth	N/A
<b>DEC. 15</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Christa Edwards <b>Need 1 person</b>	N/A	TBD	Randy	Harlan & Karla	Rhonda & Pam	Cyndie P.
	<i>First</i>	Larry	Deb	N/A	Theresa	Becky, Kristen	Beth	N/A
<b>DEC. 22</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Christa Edwards <b>Need 1 person</b>	N/A	TBD	Fran Sellers	Rhonda & Rachel McCormick	Rhonda & Pam	<b>Pancake Breakfast</b>
	<i>First</i>	Larry	Janell	N/A	Julie	Sue, Janell	Beth	N/A
<b>DEC. 24</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	<b>Need 2 people</b>		TBD	TBD	TBD	Rhonda & Pam	N/A
	<i>First</i>	Larry	TBD	N/A	Sue	Becky, Kristen	Beth	N/A
<b>DEC. 25</b>	<i>Immanuel (10:00)</i>	Holly/Christa	N/A	TBD	Jill Ross	Rosina & Stanley	Rhonda & Pam	N/A
<b>DEC. 29</b>	<i>Immanuel</i>	Christa E./need 1			Sarah Pfeifer	Minor & Connie	Rhonda & Pam	N/A
	<i>First</i>	Larry	Sue		Rita	Becky, Sue	Beth	N/A