

Servers for this Week: October 6, 2019

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Lector:	8:00	Amanda Fisher
	10:30	Heidi Gosse
Acolyte:	8:00	Katie Johnson
	10:30	Grace Lee
Communion:	8:00	Jerald & Judy Latwesen, Joe Fisher
	10:30	Sheri Foster, Tom Johnson, Ed Gipper
Altar Care:		Ron & Susan Oline
Greeters:	8:00	Scott & Kathy Hemsath & family
	10:30	Heather Thimmesch & Family
Ushers:	8:00	Robert Muchmore, Craig Coffman, Mike Hulseberg, Wilbur Nielsen
	10:30	_____, _____

Servers for October 13:

Lector:	8:00	Kathy Hemsath
	10:30	Bev Leisinger
Acolyte:	8:00	Ella Stahr
	10:30	Zach Sidles
Communion:	8:00	Joe & Amanda Fisher, Keith Wilcox
	10:30	Paula Fleming, Jill Bohlken, Brian Kelchen
Altar Care:		Judy Pierce & Bonnie Nelson
Greeters:	8:00	Harold & Sandy Schneider
	10:30	Ron & Susan Oline
Ushers:	8:00	Robert Muchmore, Craig Coffman, Mike Hulseberg, Wilbur Nielsen
	10:30	Brian Kelchen, Erin Kelchen _____

Gen. Fund Donation Sept 29-Oct 5: \$5,813 (Weekly Budget: \$6,935)

Prayers for: Carol Smith, Deb Grundeman, Craig Fisher, Deana Miller, Pat Ferres, Makenna Burmeister, Bishop & Ruth Ullestad, Carson Frye, Pastor Greg DeBoer, and the future of Immanuel.

Military: Paula Jones, 611 Stealth Lane, Box Elder, SD 57719.
Sergeant David & Ashley Clark (daughter of John & Kathy Tegler), 16 McWilliam St., Cameron, NC 28426.
PFC Tyler Ficken (grandson of Gene & Janny Budzine & Gene & Michelle Ficken), H Company 1-222d, Aviation Regiment, 699 Anderson Place, Fort Eustis, VA, 23604-5422.

To honor our Veterans...

We would like to continue putting together a list of all Veterans at Immanuel, along with their branch of service and photos. Please stop by the office with this information if you did not do so last year.

Ministries & Happenings

Youth...

SWAG

- Wed, Oct 9, 3:30-5:00 pm, SWAG @ church
- Wed, Oct 16, 3:30-5:00 pm, SWAG @ church

BLAST

- Sun, Oct 6, 3:00 pm, move books at library
- Wed, Oct 9, 7:00-8:30 pm, Confirmation Class
- Wed, Oct 16, NO BLAST

FORCE

- Sun, Oct. 6, Destination Unknown: ****POSTPONED****
- Sun, Oct. 13, 2:00 pm, Grandparents, Games & Goodies

Wednesday Meals for the Youth have started back up!

Meals are served from 5:45-6:45 pm. How can you help? We are looking for help cooking and serving the meals, as well as food and financial donations. Please see Gina DeBoer for additional details, questions, or if you would like to help. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

Grandparents, Games, & Goodies: Sun, Oct 13 @ 2 pm

All Grandparents and Grandfriends are invited to join the FORCE youth for an afternoon of fun and fellowship. Bunco will start around 2:00 pm with a short break for snacks between rounds of dice. The game is easy to learn and simple to play while talking and laughing with each other. The youth will be providing the goodies and prizes. Please sign up on the board in the narthex and plan on having lots of fun at our 5th Annual Grandparents, Games, & Goodies event! (Friends of the youth and friends of the grandparents are welcome to join in the fun!)

Independence Annual

“Trick or Treat for Canned Goods”

Sunday, October 20, 2019 starting at 2:00 pm. Please put donation bag with food in plain view on your doorstep by 2:00 pm so area church youth can see it from the street. See the Independence Area Food Pantry Facebook page for current list of items needed.

WANTED:

Volunteers to assist with the power point/slide show for Sunday services at 8:00 am and 10:30 am. If we have enough volunteers, we would use a rotating schedule so you would not have to help every Sunday. If you are a high school student, this would apply toward your volunteer hours. There will be training for everyone interested. Please contact Tom or Val Maximovich, vntmax@indytel.com or call 319-334-4231.

IWELCA Thankoffering

Immanuel Women of the ELCA's annual Thankoffering will be Saturday, October 12th & Sunday, October 13th at both services. Envelopes will be provided the weekend prior to and the weekend of the Thankoffering.

Bible Art Journaling Class

Come join us at the church to learn creative ways to study God's Word. Bring your own Bible, a journaling Bible with designs included, or even a blank sketchbook. Design ideas and some supplies will be available at class. Please join us on **October 17 @ 4:00 pm** with instructor, Roberta Hinman.



Simply Giving

If you currently use Simply Giving and are still receiving offering envelopes in the mail that you no longer need, please let the office know.

Baptism & New Member Informational Meeting

On All Saints Day (November 3, 2019), Immanuel will recognize all of the saints of our congregation. This includes the newly baptized, new members, and those saints that have gone on before us. If you or anyone in your family isn't baptized or if you are considering joining, or in the past year have joined, our Immanuel family, please come to a meeting on **Wednesday, October 23, 2019, at 6:30pm**. This meeting will be held in the sanctuary and we will be discussing baptism and membership at Immanuel. If this meeting time does not work for you, please talk to Pastor Greg and we'll work something out.

IWELCA Fall Community Luncheon

Our annual Luncheon will be Thursday, October 17th, 11am – 1pm. This year's menu will be chili, chicken noodle soup, rolls and pie. The cost is \$7. All proceeds will be given to Operation Santa Claus. The meal is jointly sponsored with Thrivent Financial.

This Week at Immanuel...10/6/2019

Sun 6:	8:00 am	Worship Service
	9:00 am	Fellowship/Story Hour
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service
	1:00 pm	FORCE – Destination Unknown
	3:00 pm	BLAST – move books at library
Mon 7:	5:30 pm	Shalom Circle @ Bills
	7:00 pm	Property Committee Meeting
Tues 8:	9:00 am	Quilting
	7:00 pm	Preschool Board Meeting
Wed 9:	7:00 am	Coffee & Conversation at Em's (Men)
	9:00 am	Coffee & Conversation at Em's (Women)
	1:00 pm	IWELCA
	3:30 pm	SWAG
	5:00 pm	Junior Choir
	5:45 pm	Meal
	6:00 pm	Senior Choir
7:00 pm	Confirmation Class	
Thurs 10:		
Fri 11:	9:00 am	Bible Study
Sat 12:	5:30 pm	Worship Service
Sun 13:	8:00 am	Worship Service
	9:00 am	Fellowship/Story Hour
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service
	2:00 pm	FORCE – Grandparents, Games & Goodies

COLLEGE STUDENT ADDRESSES

If you have a child in college, please make sure to update their address with us ASAP! You can stop by the office or see Gina DeBoer with their updated address. Thank you!

Back Packs – Help!

IWELCA needs 26 back packs sewn by October 27th. We have the items to go in them but not the back packs. There are kits for making them in the lobby. We have the blessing service Nov. 3rd and then they are trucked out from Denver, IA. We hope you can help us to get them ready to go. We are thankful for any help you can give us.