

A big 'thank you!' to our weekly worship service volunteers!

Servers for February 2:

Lector: 9:00 Janny Budzine
Acolyte: 9:00 Sawyer Wieland **Wed, Feb 5, 6:15: Bo Smith**
Communion: 9:00 Betty Giddings, Ashlee Wilgenbusch, Linda Kress
Altar Care: Roger & Shirley Allen
Ushers: 9:00 Ron Giddings, _____
AV/Tech: 9:00 Mike Schroeder

Servers for February 9:

Lector: 9:00 Brandy Schultz
Acolyte: 9:00 Natalie Nichols **Wed, Feb 12, 6:15: Braden Michels**
Communion: 9:00 Linda Kress, Sheri Foster, _____
Altar Care: Roger & Shirley Allen
Ushers: 9:00 _____, _____
AV/Tech: 9:00 Mike Schroeder

Prayers for: Connie Engler, Marie Bushkofsky, Nancy Elliott, David McCollough, Klint Knutson, Cyndi Webb, Harold & Sandy Schneider, Kay Bisinger, Luann Gates, & Carrie Erickson.

Military: SSG Ashley Clark & SFC David Clark (daughter and son-in-law of John & Kathy Tegler), 3071 Mondavi Crest, Schertz, TX 78154.

Giving Statements

Your 2024 Giving Statements were mailed out this week. If you find an error while reviewing your statement, please let the office know. Thanks!

QUAKE 2025

QUAKE 2025 is *fast* approaching on February 14-16!! WE have 29 kids and 6 adults who will attend this year. If you would like to make a financial donation toward the youth going to QUAKE, you can do so through your regular offering envelope (note on the envelope it is for QUAKE) or online. Thank you all for your support of this ministry!

Youth Schedules

SWAG (5th/6th Grade)

- ◆ Wed, Feb 5 & 12, 3:30-5 pm, at church

BLAST (7th/8th Grade)

- ◆ Wed, Feb 5 & 12, 7-8:30 pm, at church

CONFIRMATION (8th Grade & older)

- ◆ Wed, Feb 5, NO CLASS
- ◆ Wed, Feb 12, 7-8 pm, Promise 2, Class 4

FORCE (High School)

- ◆ Sun, Feb 2 & 9, 7-9 pm, at church

Hungry Youth!



We are still looking for some additional donations of snacks & boxes of juice bags to get our hungry youth through the end of the school year!

Snacks should be non-perishable & individually wrapped.

All donations can be dropped off in the Youth Director's office. Monetary donations are also welcome!

If you would like to help provide food or service for our Wednesday night meals, please sign up here:

<https://t.ly/FDAB7> or by scanning the QR code.



save THE DATE FOR VBS 2025!

Immanuel & St. John's joint *True North* VBS will be held July 20-24! We'll go on the ultimate Alaskan adventure, explore how easy it is to lose sight of what's true in our world

today, and learn that Jesus is our *True North* – a faithful friend we can always trust in this wild world! Watch for registration details this spring!



EWALU Camper Registration

Campership Applications and information will be arriving to your mailbox in the customary red envelope soon! And EWALU Registration forms are available in the office if you need one! Since we register Immanuel's kids all together as a group, it is *MUCH* easier if you register through our office and NOT online. **Campership application & EWALU registration forms, with your \$50 deposit, are due to the office by Sunday, February 23.** **PLEASE....be sure to turn both *signed* forms in together.**

Want to Support a Camper?

With the registration season of EWALU opening up, Immanuel is once again collecting funds to provide camperships to each active student wishing to attend camp. Time spent at camp is unmeasurable in one's faith journey. As a congregation, we have promised to raise up our youth in a Christian atmosphere & teach them about the gospel. EWALU does just that! With the help of music, lessons, hikes, meals together, & games, the staff at EWALU helps children & youth learn more about themselves and their relationship with God. If you can help provide a campership for our youth, please give through the offering plate, office, or online giving. Your donation will be added to your contribution report at the end of the year. Many thanks for your support of our children & youth!

Ways for YOU to Love, Live, & Give:

- ◆ Give to the Immanuel Campership Fund
- ◆ Donate toward the youth QUAKE 2025 trip
- ◆ Sign-up to donate and/or help serve a Wednesday night meal
- ◆ Donate snacks for our youth
- ◆ Serve as a Worship Service volunteer
- ◆ Donate your pop can/bottle refund to Immanuel Youth

Winter Weather Service Cancellation Policy

Please find weather related church cancellations on the Immanuel Facebook page, KWWL, or sign up for Remind text messages. Text the message "@immw" to the number 81010. If you have questions, please contact Cara Johnson or the office.

Week of February 2, 2025

Sun 2: 9:00 am Worship
10:00 am Fellowship
10:15 am Sunday School
4:00 pm Fellowship Hall in use
6:00 pm Pre-Quake Meeting
7:00 pm FORCE

Mon 3:

Tues 4: 10:00 am Ladies Bible Study

Wed 5: 7:00 am Coffee & Conversation at Em's (Men)
9:00 am Coffee & Conversation at Em's (Women)
3:30 pm SWAG
5:15 pm Meal
6:15 pm Worship
7:00 pm BLAST
NO CONFIRMATION CLASS

Thurs 6: 6:30 pm Youth Board
7:00 pm Calico Cut-ups

Fri 7: 9:00 am Bible Study

Sat 8: 9:00 am Fellowship Hall in Use

Sun 9: 9:00 am Worship
10:00 am Fellowship
10:15 am Sunday School
7:00 pm FORCE



Giving Options

In Person: Place cash/check in the offering plate

Online: www.immanuelindee.com/giving or scan the QR code

Vanco Mobile App: get the free app & search for ILC of Independence

By Text: Text your donation amount to 844-201-8060, then follow the link

By Mail: 512 5th Street NE, Independence, IA 50644

Stewardship Statement

Yearly Offering Needed (7/1/24-6/30/25): \$372,940 (*rev. after 12/8 mtg.*)

YTD Needed (7/1/24-2/1/25): \$222,329.52

YTD Received (7/1/24-2/1/25): \$200,231.13