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SERVING TODAY: Vacancy Pastor: Rev. Phillip Callahan; Organist/Bell Choir Director: Tom Fricke; Pianist: Darlene Collins; Choir Director: Lisa Burgess; Elders: John Albers, Don DeMoss, Ken Kuhn; Ushers: Team C: Cpt. Kurt Thornsborough; Lay Reader: Bruce Burton; Altar Guild: Caralee Homann, Tina Ammermann; Greeters: Narthex: Charles Vollmer Family, Hall: Charlotte Schendel; Acolyte: Rhyllie Beauvois; Counters: Team C.

SPIRITUAL CARE: If you or someone in your family needs spiritual care (e.g. if you enter the hospital or wish to discuss a spiritual problem), please call our church office; or contact an elder. **We do not receive phone calls from the hospital to inform us when a member is admitted - please call us when you or a loved one is hospitalized or having a procedure so we can pray or visit with you!**

ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the Glory of God by Greg and Jennette Lane in celebration of both of their birthdays this week.

HOSPITALIZED: We pray for those hospitalized this week: **Mickey Seidler.**

HOMEBOUND/HEALTH CONCERNS: We pray for **Bill Burow, Nancy Clark, Helen Dahlenburg, Ellyn Smith, Rosalie Finet, Marsha Malivuk, Tony and Joanne Johnson.**

TUNE IN THE LUTHERAN HOUR next Sunday (9/15) "**The Dream is Alive**" by Rev. Zeigler. The fall of man... and still, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob wants to relate to you and me with grace and truth. (Genesis 3) Tune in: www.lutheranhour.org

LWML BANNER: The beautiful LWML banner on display today was designed by Barb Rauh of Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Moline for the 2019 LWML Convention in Mobile, AL. Barb has been making the Rock Island Zone banner for the LWML CID district convention for the last three years. The border was intricately created to resemble a stained glass window, and the emblem at the top represents all three persons of the Holy Trinity: the Father is represented as the Creator of all the earth, the Son by the cross, and the Holy Spirit as the dove. It carries the LWML Convention Scripture verse: "*Sing to the Lord, all the earth! Tell of His salvation day to day. Declare His glory among the nations.*" (1 Chronicles 16:23-24a)



ADULT BIBLE CLASS is participating in a CPH Faith Course, "**Will the Real Jesus Please Stand Up?**" This study reminds us who the real Jesus is and reveals 12 false christs who are loved, promoted, and revered, even by well-meaning Christians.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: During September, younger children are involved in lessons called "**I Spy: Salvation's Story**". Children will investigate two cases: "*The Case of the Broken Debris: Tower of Babel*"; and "*The Case of the Floating Basket: Birth of Moses*. Sunday School children will sing in church for Christian Education Sunday on **Sept. 22.**

MISSIONARY SUNDAY: We welcome Rev. Delwyn Campell, his wife Lenita, and their daughters Daniyah and Dinah to Immanuel this morning! Immediately following today's service, join us in the Narthex for a cookie reception. Then, in place of Adult Bible Study (there will still be Sunday School), join Rev. Campbell and his family back in the sanctuary where he will talk about his mission.

ILS STUDENT DISPLAY: There is a table in the Narthex displaying creation books and shape books made by the children in our ILS Prekindergarten class. Stop by and check it out!



MONICAL'S DAY is *tomorrow*, **Sept. 9!** Go to any local Monical's, take the flyer that was put in your church mailbox (extra copies are available on the table in the hall) and 20% of your order will be donated!

SCRIP ORDERS are due to the church office by 1 pm tomorrow, **Sept. 9** and will be ready for pick up next Sunday. Order blanks are on the hall table.

CAPITAL FUND: The next Capital Fund and Steak Fry planning meeting is **Sept. 9** at 6:30 pm. So far, we have sold 60 tickets for the Steak Fry. Our goal is to sell 100 by **today!** If we are unable to sell 100 tickets in advance, we will cancel the event and money will be refunded. Every dollar is used towards our projects – all expenses are paid for by volunteers and donors. *Get your tickets (and some to sell) today!!*

BAKERS NEEDED! Donations of breads and muffins are needed for ILS Grandparent's Day this Wednesday, **Sept. 11.** Please sign up on the ILS bulletin board in the hall and drop off your treats in the cafeteria by 8 am that day. *Thank you!*



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Join us weekly to read and study God's Word! Men's Bible Study meets in the lounge at 9:00 am on Thursdays, starting **Sept. 12!**

BAZAAR MEETING: We would like a representative from all areas who served last year to attend a meeting next Thursday, **Sept. 12** at 10 am.

FISH FRY: The Men's Club will kick off another year with their annual Fish Fry on **Sept. 16** at 5 pm at Scott Huckstadt's home. Join us for a night of good food and fellowship! For directions, call Scott at 304-5378. *See you there!*

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: On Tuesday, **Sept. 17** at 9:30 am, the Women's Bible Study will begin a new study of 1 & 2 Timothy and Titus. Books were distributed in your mailboxes. All ladies are invited!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAY is **Sept. 22.** We give a Bible to each of Immanuel's children in 2nd grade, and Luther's Small Catechism to children in 5th grade. Please contact our church office if your child is in 2nd or 5th grade so we can prepare one for them. Plan now to attend the festivities! Sunday School children and ILS students will sing during the service, we'll have a teacher dedication, and brunch!

SOMETHING TO CELEBRATE! Many of you will remember the blessing our Lord bestowed upon us with the ministry of Bob and Mary Ann Unger. Bob was our music director for 6 years. He will be celebrating his 40th year in the ministry on **Oct. 5.** If you would like to remember the Unger's with a card or note, their address is 2400 Thurrock Dr., Apex, NC 27539. If you have any questions, contact Wayne or Jan Mann.

CHURCH & SCHOOL RUMMAGE SALE: We are once again collecting donations for our Fall Rummage Sale on **Oct. 12** from 8 am to 12 pm. You can bring in your donations anytime and put them in the boys' locker room. *Thanks!*

CAN YOU HELP? Midwest Food Bank has laundry detergent to hand out to agencies, but they are requesting our help collecting clean, empty laundry soap containers with lids. There is a tote near the events bulletin board for your donations.

INGATHERING: the Women's Guild ingathering for August and September is school supplies for the Lutheran schools in our zone. Requested items are #2 pencils, Elmer's white glue and glue sticks, wet wipes, tissues, and Crayola crayons (24 count box).

PROPERTIES: If you or someone you know would be interested in doing some part time janitorial work at the church and school, please contact Wayne Mann at 443-4932 or 474-5011.



ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Attendance Sunday (9/1)	126
Communion Attendance	97
Sunday School/Bible Class	28
Attendance Wednesday (9/4)	8

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE:

Giving Last Week	\$10,448. ⁰⁰
Needed Weekly	\$9,649. ⁰⁰
Checking Account Balance	\$18,527. ⁰⁰
Bills Due This Week	\$7,541. ⁰⁰

BIRTHDAYS:

Sept. 8	Duane Brandt	11	CJ Ahrens
8	Greg Lane	11	Catherine Brandt
8	Matthew Seibert	11	Zachary Davis
9	Bill Burow	11	Jennette Lane
10	Jennifer Dixson	12	Rachel Doggett
10	Gracyn Gondzur	13	James Davis
10	Stephenie Royce	14	Cindy Schenk

ANNIVERSARIES:

Sept. 9	Bill & Sharon Burow	57
Sept. 12	Thom & Kim Gerler	21
Sept. 13	Scott & Eileen Huckstadt	44

CALENDAR EVENTS THIS WEEK ...

Sunday (8)	8:30 am	Worship
	9:30 am	Cookie Reception
	9:45 am	Sunday School
	9:45 am	Mission Presentation by Rev. Delwyn Campbell
Monday (9)	6:30 pm	Capital Fund / Steak Fry Mtg.
Tuesday (10)	6:30 pm	Women's Guild Meeting
Wednesday (11)	8:45 am	ILS Chapel
	9:30 am	Craft Group
	5:00 pm	Evening Worship
	6:00 pm	Call Committee Meeting
	6:15 pm	Choir
	7:00 pm	Handbells
Thursday (12)	8:30 am	Food Pantry
	9:00 am	Men's Bible Study
	6:00 pm	Christian Education Board Mtg
Next Sunday (15)	8:30 am	Worship with Communion
	9:45 am	Sunday School & Bible Class
	9:45 am	Youth Confirmation Class

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sept. 22	Christian Education Sunday
Oct. 3	Culver's Night
Oct. 5	Steak Fry
Oct. 12	Rummage Sale