



If you would like to sponsor an Easter Lily, please call the church office by March 25. They are \$17.50 each.

Remember to call the church office in plenty of time if you would like to sponsor the Broadcast (\$80), Informer (\$50), or Altar Flowers.

We appreciate our sponsors.

### Scholarships Available

Scholarships are available through the Immanuel Foundation to help local students prepare at one of the Concordia Universities or seminaries for a church-work career, such as pastor, teacher or youth worker. For an application form, please check with Lisa at the church office. **DEADLINE MAY 1.**

Trinity Lutheran High School is excited to announce our middle school baseball program for this summer. Trinity has won 6 sectional titles in the last 10 baseball seasons. Students in grades 6-8 are welcome to play. Information meeting is being held at Trinity on February 28 at 2 PM in the gym. You may also contact varsity head coach Ben Kleber at 812-525-2296.

**9:00 am Elders/Communion:** Corey Zaring, Ryan Williams, Glenn Benter, Dave Boggs, John Watson, Tim Meyer, Todd Behmlander **Ushers:** Kurt Fenneberg, Brent Kilgas, Ben Thompson, Brian Burbrink, Baron Bullard, Dale VonDielingen, Greg Wehmiller, Roger Wehmiller, Mitchell Kilgas, Will Borchering, Dustin Nichols, Tony Combs, Gary Schneider, Jay Hubbard, Daniel Luecke, Jed Strange **Counting:** Mark Nichols, Matt Lambert, Joe Bullard, Kevin Lister, John Thomas, Kyle Gentry **Acolyte:** Ava Blomenberg **Altar Guild:** Laverne East **Audio/Video:** Kelly Luecke/Don Luecke

**11:15 am Elders:** Ralph Wischmeier, John Bowen **Ushers:** Max Whitsett, Larry Stahl, Robert Allman, Randy 'Dude' Dittmer, Dennis Klinge, Karl Anderson **Acolyte:** Reuben Kruse **Audio:** Jeff Hopkins

**7:00 pm Elders:** Steve Bobb, Monty Siefker **Acolyte:** Ben Beavers **Altar Guild:** Linda Schoenfelder

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9:00 Worship/ Communion 11:15 Worship	8:35 Chapel 3:30 7th OYR 5:30 AHG/ Trail Life 7:00 Worship	3:30 8th OYR 5:30 Parish Ed 7:00 Guild	3:30 Sr OYR 4:30 Worship 6:15 Woodwinds 7:00 Worship 7:45 Choir 8:00 Confirmation	3:15 6th Grade Youth 5:00 Property 5:15 Fellowship & Assimilation 6:00 Handbells 6:30 Elders 7:00 Brass		

### Additional Spiritual Support:

- **Dial a Meditation:** call 812-522-1345 anytime for a devotion prepared by one of our pastors or vicar.
- **Know Your Bible:** You can hear it each weekday at 6:55 a.m. on AM 1390 and FM 99.3

### Bulletin and Resource Pick-up

Is available at door number 5 on Oesting Street. Drop in Monday- Friday from 8am - 5pm.

**Bulletins and Informers for the upcoming week are available on THURSDAYS after 12 noon.**

Join us for Worship Online at: <http://immanuelseymour.com/worship/>

You can also view services on the Immanuel YouTube channel at Immanuel Lutheran Seymour and at 3pm & 8pm on CinergyMetro Cable Channel 2 and Comcast Channel 96.

On the Radio 99.3 and Live Stream from anywhere in the world at [www.wzzb1390.com](http://www.wzzb1390.com)



**Immanuel**  
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# INFORMER

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Member, the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

February 28, 2021

## 150 + 1 Anniversary “Reboot” March 7!

Rev. Ryan Schneider will preach for our services next Sunday, March 7, as we resume special events moved from 2020 to this year to celebrate Immanuel’s 150th Anniversary! With local infection numbers moving in the right direction, we look forward to “Celebrating Our Past and Embracing Our Future.”

Ryan, son of Gary and Leah Schneider, was baptized and confirmed at Immanuel and is a graduate of Immanuel Lutheran School and Trinity Lutheran High School. He graduated from Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, in 2017 and was installed that same year as Pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, Vine Grove, Kentucky.

## Go Warriors!

Our ILS 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys’ and girls’ basketball teams are in Ft. Wayne this weekend for the State Lutheran tournament. God’s blessings as you travel and as you compete! Our boys placed 3<sup>rd</sup> at the LIT last weekend, held at St. Peter’s, Columbus. Congratulations!



## New Adult Information Class to Begin

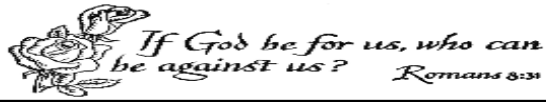
Pastor Blomenberg is beginning a series of classes to review what we believe as Lutheran Christians about such things as the Bible, the Ten Commandments, God, sin, prayer, forgiveness, Baptism, Communion, and eternal life. The classes start Sunday, February 28, from 10:15-11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall, or Wednesday, March 3, from 8-9 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

All are welcome, from members who want to review our beliefs to non-members who would like to know more about or prepare for membership. Contact the church office if you have questions, and feel free to invite a friend!

## Midweek Services Have Begun

We offer midweek services each Wednesday during Lent at 4:30 and 7:00. Our theme this year is “The Marks of Lent.” Please check the insert in your bulletin for weekly themes and Lenten activities. The 7:00 p.m. service will be broadcast on AM 1390/FM 99.3 and will also be available at [www.immanuelseymour.com](http://www.immanuelseymour.com)

**Lenten Devotions** in regular and large sizes are available at the exits. **Lenten coin boxes** are available to support our special Lenten mission projects, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, and Bethania, providing Christian care for orphans in India. Check the Mission bulletin board in the hallway near the Atrium.



*If God be for us, who can be against us? Romans 8:31*

*But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." Matt 6:33*

Totals from February 21, 2021	
Unified Budget	\$31,474.64
Plate Offerings	\$1,157.61
Other Income	\$711.82
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$33,344.07</b>
Income & Gifts To Date	\$788,909.10
Donations to ILS 2020-2021	\$4,120.00
<b>Total Gifts</b>	<b>\$793,029.10</b>
Budget Needs to Date	\$799,630.02
Benevolence	\$190.00
Sunday Attendance/Communed	447/113
Monday Attendance	33
Online Views Sunday	423
Ash Wednesday Attendance	273
<b>Scottsburg Mission</b>	
Attendance	7
Sunday Offering	\$195.00

**Great Commission**

## Lent 2

**Mark 8:27-38:** There are many different thoughts people have today about who Jesus is. Some say He was just a good man, some say He is a prophet, and some say He is a good example for us to follow. Like Peter, we confess who Jesus is: He is the Christ, the Son of God. May the Holy Spirit equip us to be bold witnesses to the Rock and Foundation of our lives, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

**Corner**

## Acknowledgements

**Today's Informer** is sponsored in loving memory of Mel Chastain on his birthday, February 28, by Betty.

**Today's Altar Flowers** are sponsored in celebration of our 35th wedding anniversary, March 2, by Bob & Jeri Goecker.

## Official Acts

**Julian Reid McIlquham**, son of Jesse & Brittany (Royalty) McIlquham, was baptized on February 21.

**Immanuel Guild will have their regular meeting on Tuesday, March 2, at 7:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!**

## Keeping in Touch

One way to make sure you get timely news from Immanuel is to sign up for our weekly e-blast sent personally to you. Just click the box at [www.immanuelseymour.com](http://www.immanuelseymour.com), send an email to [info@immanuelseymour.com](mailto:info@immanuelseymour.com), or call the office, 812-522-3118.

## Kindergarten Teacher Needed

Immanuel is seeking synodically-trained candidates interested in the position of kindergarten teacher for Immanuel Lutheran School. Interested candidates may submit a resume to the school office, or names of potential candidates may be shared with Dr. Behmlander 812-522-1301, by March 2.

## Bible Readings

2/28 Numbers 11-15;	3/3 Numbers 21-22
Proverbs 90	3/4 Numbers 23-25
3/1 Numbers 16-17	3/5 Numbers 26-27
3/2 Numbers 18-20	3/6 Numbers 28-30



## Immanuel Child Care Ministry has grown and we want you to see!

Everyone is invited to come be a part of a guided and socially distanced tour of the new construction and child care rooms at ILCCM during our OPEN HOUSE on March 18th. If you have a child who will be going into Kindergarten in the fall of 2021 there will also be opportunity during this time to get more information about our new Kindergarten program. This Open House event is open to everyone in the congregation, the community and our current ILCCM families to learn more about our Child Care and Kindergarten Program. We can't wait to "show and tell" you more!



## Sunday School for All Children Starts March 7th!

Ages 1 and 2—Upstairs Toddler Room  
 Preschool 3 and 4—Room 206  
 Kindergarten—2nd Grade in Room 205  
 3rd—5th Grades in Room 202

## ZLS Open House

Zion Lutheran Preschool and Kindergarten will be holding an enrollment/registration open house is March 2, 6-7:30. We offer competitive fees for enrollment and offer discounted registration fees for those who would like to pay their registration fee early. Please bring your child's birth certificate and immunization records if possible to our registration event. Call 812-522-5911 for more information.

## Blood Drive

March 16, 2021 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.  
 To Schedule an appointment please go to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and search sponsor keyword "immanuellutheran" or call 1-800-RED CROSS.



If you would like to help donors check-in or work the canteen, please call Lisa in the church office. Thank you!

## Communion Options

Some of our members share in worship online or on the radio, but do not yet feel safe coming to church in person. We know the Lord's Supper is a wonderful blessing. Our pastors provide for families and individual to receive the Lord's Supper either here at church or at their home by appointment. We wear face coverings to provide for safety. Call 812-522-3118.

## Camp Lakeview

Camp Lakeview and Lakeview Villages are currently registering campers, grades K-12, for the 2021 summer season. What a great place to have fun and learn about God at the same time! To get more information, visit the camp's website at [www.lakeview.camp](http://www.lakeview.camp) or call the camp office at 812-342-4815. Online registration for Lakeview Ministries opens on February 8. Campers whose sessions were cancelled in 2020 will get to register a week earlier. Last year, many programs were filled quickly, so register online today!