

Supper and Bazaar at St. Paul Lutheran Church Borchers

Friday, November 1, 4-7pm. Come enjoy a free will offering supper featuring turkey and ham with all the trimmings.

The Traveling Lutherans will be attending the Ross Country Jamboree in Scottsburg on Saturday, October 26. We will listen to Christy Miller, Eric Kerr, and Hank Rose. We will eat in Scottsburg at Denny's by the interstate at 5:00 p.m., and the show begins at 7:00 p.m. The cost of the show is \$10.00. Please call Sharon Toppe at 812-358-9701 or 812-521-6496 to make reservations for the meal and show or the show only. Please leave your name, phone number and indicate whether you will drive or need a ride.

ILS 7th Grad Fundraiser

ILS 7th Grade are selling Butter Braids, Caramel Roll and Cookie Dough. All proceeds go towards their 8th Grade Washington D.C. trip. The sale will run from Oct. 9th to Oct. 29th. If you would like to purchase butter braids, caramel rolls or cookie dough, please place an order with any 7th grader or contact Amy Braman at 812-521-1079 or Megan Blumenberg at 812-528-2220.

Fish Fry

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Waymansville. 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. on October 20. Funds raised support our general fund. Supplemental funds provided by Thrivent Financial for Lutherans.

Immanuel Cancer Fighters

The Immanuel Cancer Fighters are back at it fundraising to raise money for the American Cancer Society. The team is made up of approximately 50 Jr. High students and have set a goal to raise \$2,500 this school year by selling items at school and asking for donations. If you'd like to help them achieve their goal in raising money against cancer, you can make a check to the American Cancer Society and leave it at the school office or you can donate online at: <http://main.acsevents.org/goto/charliesmithvscancer>

About Our Ensembles

The **Youth Choir** practices on Tuesday mornings before school. Many members in this group have also helped as a summer soloist as well and love music enough to arrive at school at 7:30 AM.

The **Adult Choir** rehearses on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 PM. These members bring a joyful energy to rehearsals and I enjoy seeing the teamwork they exhibit in rehearsals.



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Budget Update

Thanks to your generosity, gifts to the 2018-2019 budget got within \$30,063 of our total need! If the voters approve the use of some Fair Stand funds, we will be able to start the new fiscal year without a deficit. Thank you!

Gifts of Grain

Farmers, there may be tax advantages for you to contribute grain to the church rather than to sell it and donate proceeds. Like to know more? Check with Holly or Jacquie in the financial office or your financial advisor.

Workday at Orphan Grain Train

Can you help from 10-12 or 1-3 this **Wednesday, October 16**, at the Orphan Grain Train Warehouse in Jonesville? Our Mission Board is coordinating this again, after a very successful workday in June. Lots of donations need to be sorted—it is fun to help! We are making a difference in the lives of people in our area and around the world! **Sign up** on the sheets in the hallway so we can plan. Thanks!

150 X \$150: The Anniversary Planning Continues!

Our committee is hard at work preparing for a wonderful celebration of Immanuel's 150th Anniversary in 2020! We already have commitments from Dr. Dale Meyer and President Matthew Harrison to keynote special services. There are also many other special celebrations planned throughout the year. Since this is not to be funded by the budget, we are hoping that 150 (or more) members will contribute \$150 (or more or less) to cover costs that will be incurred. Several have already done so! If you would like to be part of this, please bring or mail a check to the church office. If you choose to use an offering envelope, please make sure the envelope and check clearly identify "150th." Thanks!

Ballot for Election October 20

Each year we elect 1/3 of those who serve on boards to help advance the work of our congregation. This week and next we are including the names of those contacted by the Nominating Committee who have agreed to serve, if elected. Election will take place at the regularly voters meeting Sunday, October 20, at 7 in the Fellowship Hall. Your vote counts!

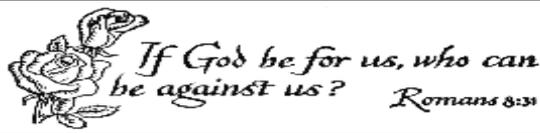
Voters October 20

All confirmed members of Immanuel are eligible to vote and encouraged to attend the quarterly meeting of the Voters Sunday, October 20, at 7 in the Fellowship Hall. Among items on the agenda will be:

- Election of officers
- Year-end financial report
- Recommendations for use of Fair Stand and Octoberfest proceeds
- Update on the 150th anniversary celebration in 2020 including the pictorial directory and windows, and "save the date" events
- Reports from boards

9:00 am Greeters: Donna Otte, Bill Nolting **Welcome:** John and Pam Fox **Ushers:** Kurt Fenneberg, Brent Kilgas, Ben Thompson, Brian Burbink, Baron Bullard, Dale VonDielingen, Greg Wehmiller, Roger Wehmiller, Mitchell Kilgas, Will Borcharding, Dustin Nichols, Tony Combs, Gary Schneider, Jay Hubbard, Daniel Luecke, Jed Strange **Elders:** Mike Patmore, Lucas Wehmiller, Doug Nichols, Tim Hamblen, Doug Borcharding, John Hill, Randy Cockerham **Altar Guild:** Vicky Linke **Counting:** Mark Nichols, Matt Lambert, Joe Bullard, Kevin Lister, John Thomas, Kyle Gentry **Audio/Video:** John Fox/Conner Sims **Nursery:** Janet Cooper, Flossie Cooper **Acolyte:** Zoe Hoene
11:15 am Greeters: Joe and Donna Hackman, John and Marvinna Lewis, Bob and Theresa Vondielingen **Ushers:** Max Whitsett, Larry Stahl, Robert Allman, Randy (Dude) Dittmer, Dennis Klinge, Karl Anderson **Elders:** Richard Pollert, Jeff Fields **Acolyte:** Mitchell Hackman **Audio:** Bob Emily
7:00 pm Elders: Mike Sterling, Monty Siefker **Altar Guild:** Linda Schoenfelder **Acolyte:** Riley Lawles

13 9:00 Worship/ Communion 10:15 Bible Class and Sunday School 11:15 Worship 4:00 FPU 6:00 Youth Bible Study	14 8:35 Chapel 12:00 Mark 3:15 7th OYR 7:00 Worship/ Communion	15 7:00 Men's Bible Study 9:30 Bible Study 3:15 8th OYR 5:30 Evangelism 6:00 Heritage 6:30 Ladies Aid 3 7:00 Life Light	16 OGT 10-12, 1-3 11:30 Sr. Adult 3:15 Sr. Hi OYR 5:30 Trail Life/ Heritage Girls 6:15 Brass 6:30 Women's Bible Study 7:00 Woodwinds 7:00 Confirmation 7:00 AIC	17 6:00 Hand- bells 7:00 Founda- tion	18 10:30 Life- light Bible Study	19 Wedding Givens/ Bozell
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But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Matt 6:33

Totals from October 6, 2019

Unified Budget	\$22,790.48
Plate Offerings	\$1,594.43
Other Income	\$1,823.85
Total	\$26,208.76
Income & Gifts To Date	\$26,208.76
Donations to ILS 2019-2020	\$585.00
Total Gifts	\$26,793.76
Budget Needs to Date	\$37,527.06
Benevolence	\$777.00
Sunday Attendance	718
Sunday Communed	143
Monday Attendance	123
Lutheran Home Attendance	93
Scottsburg Mission	
Attendance	10
Sunday Offering	\$256.00

Great Commission

Luke 17:11-19: Leprosy was a dreadful disease in Bible times. Lepers were outcasts who were isolated from other people. Jesus healed the ten lepers who asked Him for pity. All ten were healed from their physical leprosy, but only one gave evidence that he was also healed from the leprosy of sin. We are like cleansed lepers who can help others find true healing for both body and soul in Christ alone.

Corner

Acknowledgements

Today's **Altar Flowers** are in honor of the occasion of the wedding of Brittany Ross and Nick Topie, October 12.

Today's **Broadcast and Informer** are sponsored by Ralph & Susan Trimpe.

Official Acts

Connie Rueter entered eternal life on Sept. 27 and was given Christian burial on Oct. 1.

Abraham Michael Lambert, son of Jordan & Bethany (Burrell) Lambert, was baptized on October 6.

Sawyer Grace Burcham, daughter of Brent & Brittany (Hackman) Burcham, was baptized on October 6.

Check the Display

Immanuel is blessed to have several sons of the congregation that have gone on to distinguished careers in church music. Check the display in the hallway to learn more about Drs. Richard Wienhorst, Steve Wentte, Barry Bobb, and Walter Pelz!

New Offering Envelopes

New Boxes of offering envelopes are available to be picked up today in the hallway. They are arranged alphabetically. If you do not find one, please call the church office, 812-522-3118. If you would rather use EFT or other electronic means of giving, check our website or call the office. Thanks for your support!

This Week in Crazy Kinfolk:

ISAAC'S FAMILY Part 1: Jacob (one of Isaac's twin boys) swindled Esau (the other twin) out of his birthright by lying to dad with the help of his mother, Rebecca. Esau—understandably—then wanted to kill his brother, Jacob! Sibling rivalry before, during, and after birth! Come check it out with us!

Bible Readings

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| 10/ 13 | Matthew 12:22-50; Luke 11 | 10/ 16 | Matthew 9-10 |
| 10/ 14 | Matthew 13; Luke 8 | 10/ 17 | Matthew 14; Mark 6; Luke 9:1-17 |
| 10/ 15 | Matthew 8:14-34; Mark 4-5 | 10/ 18 | John 6 |
| | | 10/ 19 | Matthew 15; Mark 7 |

Share the 10!

The Stewardship Board encourages members to add to your weekly offering dollar bills that has a number matching the month. Each dollar bill has four identical numbers inside of the "1" on each corner. These numbers range from 1-12, corresponding to the months of the year. In October, the 10th month, consider saving any dollar bills you find with the "10" on them and sharing them as an additional offering. It's fun, and it helps support our work together. Thanks!

Trinity News! Trinity is behind in tuition assistance scholarship money for our students and their families through the Lutheran SGO program by **\$54,900 from last year.** At this time we ask that you please consider providing a donation to the Lutheran SGO in the name of Trinity and help us reach our goal of \$348,134 for our qualified students. All gifts to the Lutheran SGO program in the name of Trinity will result in a **50% State Tax Credit** to the donor. To donate please go online to lutheransgo.org and hit the donate now button or contact Dave Probst at (dprobst@trinitycougars.org).

Trunk or Treat October 31st!

The Board of Parish Education will be sponsoring "Trunk or Treat" on October 31st from 6:00 – 8:00pm. Make plans now to attend this safe, fun event for the whole family!

TRUNK OR TREAT NEEDS YOUR HELP!

If you would like to join the fun and provide a trunk for this event please **sign up in the hall.** You will be responsible for decorating the trunk with a various theme, (please no scary themes) and providing candy for giveaways for the night, and dressing up in costume (if you wish) Whole families can help with the theme and various church groups can volunteer to man a trunk!

CANDY DONATIONS ARE ALSO NEEDED

for this event! Drop off your bags of individually wrapped candy in the Church office by October 30th. Thank you!

The Board of Evangelism is looking for volunteers in October and November to pick up guest slips from the pews after the 11:15 service. It takes less than 20 minutes each week, and in doing so we assist the pastors in making contact with our guests at Immanuel. If you're interested please call or email Charlie Smith at csmith.ils@aol.com or 812-525-9756.

Adult Senior Ministry October 16 at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall

The program will feature "The Reformation 12." A meal of brawts, kraut, German potato salad will be served for \$5.00, payable at the door. We invite you to come and learn more about our Lutheran heritage. Transportation is available, if you call the church office (812-522-3118) to request a ride. Come and bring a friend!

GUILD NUT SALE!

Immanuel Guild will be selling PECAN HALVES AND PIECES, DELUXE MIXED NUTS, ENGLISH WALNUTS and WHOLE JUMBO CASHEWS. To order, please contact Connie Roeder at 812-569-0048, Carol Denny at 812-525-9293 or any Guild member. Nuts will also be available at the Immanuel Craft Show.



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Reformation Service & Fall Festival

Everyone is invited to the Mission Federation Reformation Service on October 27th, at 7:00p.m. at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Brownstown. A Fall Festival including a soup and sandwich supper will be served from 3:30—6:30pm.

The Lutheran Witness You can have it mailed directly to you for \$19 a year! The Lutheran Witness envelope is not in your box this year but there are some available on the tables where envelope boxes can be picked up or call the church office by October 28th.