


OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE GOD AT IMMANUEL					
DATE	TIME	EVENT	MEETING PLACE	AGE GROUP	CONTACT PERSON
<b>Sun 9/7//25</b>	AM	<b>Rally Day</b>	Building	Everyone	Jen Allen
	AM	Recycle Sunday	Garage	Everyone	Trustees
	8:00 AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary	Everyone	Rev. Marty Marks
	—	Peer Minister Installation	—	—	—
	8:00 AM	Facebook Live/YouTube Worship	Online	Everyone	Nathan Allen
	9:15 AM	Adult Bible Study	Fellowship Hall	Adults	McQuillan/Misic/Marks
	9:15 AM	Sunday School Rally Day	Building	3 yrs—HS	Jen Allen
	10:30 AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary	Everyone	Rev. Marty Marks
	—	Peer Minister Installation	—	—	—
	10:30 AM	Facebook Live/YouTube Worship	Online	Everyone	Doug Nelson
	10:30 AM	Broadcast of Worship Service	WLBK 1360 AM	Everyone	Doug Nelson
	12 Noon	Peer Minister Meeting	College Lounge	Peer Ministers	
<b>Mon 9/8/25</b>	5:30 PM	Board of Trustees	North Narthex	Trustees	Roger Nelson
	7:00 PM	Zoom Bible Study	On Line	Adults	Pastor Marty
<b>Tue 9/9/25</b>	9:15 AM	Sewing Group	Fellowship Hall	Ladies	Marion Gilbert
	8:00 PM	Crafty Christians	College Lounge	College	Peer Ministers
	9:00 PM	Refuge Bible Study	College Lounge	College	Pastor Marty
<b>Wed 9/10/25</b>	AM	Gideons	Fellowship; Hall	Gideons	Office
	1:00 PM	Staff Meeting	North Narthex	Staff	Pastor Marty
	5:30 PM	Junior Confirmation	Fellowship Hall	Middle School	Pastor Marty
<b>Thur 9/11/25</b>	—	Council Reports Due	Email	Council/Elders	Shannon Coulombe
	8:30 AM	Bulletin Deadline	Office	Everyone	Darlene Hillman
	8:00 PM	Refuge Activity Night	College Lounge	College	Peer Ministers
<b>Fri 9/12/25</b>	8:30—12:30	Office Hours	—	—	—
	5:30 PM	Chit Chat & Chai	Lower Mtg Rm	International	Linda Sons
	6:30 PM	Intercultural Café Welcome Picnic	Lower Level	International	Linda Sons
<b>Sat 9/13/25</b>	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Sun 9/14/25</b>	AM	Food Pantry Sunday	Narthex	Everyone	Human Care Board
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**There are three upcoming opportunities for LWML fellowship:**

- The LWML NID Fall Gathering, Sat. Sept. 27 in Schaumburg (registration deadline Sept. 14, see flyer and bulletin board for details)
- the Zone 8 Fall Retreat, Saturday, October 11 at Walcamp
- Our (Immanuel ladies) fall quarterly meeting on Monday, October 13, here, at Immanuel. *Watch for details!*

**Check out the bulletin board for some highlights from the 41st BIENNIAL LWML CONVENTION, JUNE 26-29, 2025, OMAHA, NE.**

**PARTNERING IN PRAYER September 7-13, 2025**

*“I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone”  
—1 Timothy 2:1-2*

**WE OFFER PRAYER ON BEHALF OF THE FOLLOWING:**  
**THOSE WHO ARE CHRONICALLY ILL:**  
 Robin Nielsen                      Craig Dybas                      Gail Cantrell  
 Rob McKinley (*son of Pat McKinley*)                      John O’Connor (*friend of Taylor McWilliams*)

**THOSE DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER:**  
 Dale Geibel                      Staci McNett                      Mandy Long                      Rita Goodwin                      Bryan Faivre  
 Danika Nelson   Glen Roberts                      Donna Cyrier (*friend of Mishelle Rodgers*)  
 Colleen Chavez (*granddaughter of Carlos Woolbright*)                      Debbie Teason (*cousin of Audrey Cook*)  
 Jenna Wiegel (*Laura Tiggelaar’s sister-in-law*)                      Glenn Lucca (*friend of Chris & Audrey Cook*)  
 Carl Campbell (*Pastor Marty’s friend*)                      Joan Baker (*cousin of Cindy Berg*)

**OUR SHUT-INS:** Marcia Kiel   Toni Byford   Mary Jane Lindaas   Ruth Kuhns   Lloyd Larson

**THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY:**  
 Jessica (Marx) Hess: US Air Force; Dayton, OH (*granddaughter of Janet & Patrick Byrnes*)  
 Evan Schroeder (*grandson of Dennis & Jane Schroeder*)   Brendan Spartz (*son of Mindy Lynch*)

**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS:**

- For our peer ministry team: Charlie Schmidt, Reece Mendicino, Zack Schmidt, Marie Pinion, Mia Yellich, and Jackson Harms. We give thanks for these young leaders as they support and encourage their peers in faith. May God bless them with wisdom, compassion, and strength as they serve others and share Christ’s love in our community.
- Thanksgiving on behalf of Raegan Tiggelaar and Matt Andsager, who were united in marriage this past Saturday. May God bless their marriage with love, joy, and His guidance as they begin their life together;
- For Mariana Hill and her two young sons. Marianna is a co-worker of Taylor McWilliams. Marinna’s husband, age 46, died tragically this past weekend;
- For our third graders who are receiving their Bibles today. May Your Word guide them, inspire them, and grow their faith as they journey closer to You. Bless them with wisdom and understanding;
- May the Lord bring healing to the hurting, comfort to the grieving, wisdom to those who lead, and compassion to all who face trials. May He open doors of opportunity, give us eyes to recognize them, and help us reflect His love in every situation and share it with others.

**THOSE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS:** Adrith KC-Karn                      Gemma Peifer                      Lettilyn Reiman  
 Bryan Faivre                      Jason Goff                      Riley Phelps                      Kelsey Peifer


**THOSE CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES:**                      09/12/1992   Bryan & Cathy Faivre  
 09/10/2016   Liz & Kevin Faivre                      09/12/2020   Hayes & Laura Tiggelaar

If you are a member of Immanuel, and do not see your birthday or anniversary listed, or the date is incorrect, please kindly inform the church office so that our records can be corrected. Thank you!

If you have a name you would like added to the prayer list, or a correction to the prayer list, please contact the office so that we can update our information. —**Thank you!**

**REMINDER: The elders ask that you please take a moment to fill out the attendance sheet found at the end of each pew.**

**Please turn it in at the end of the service, by placing it in the offering plate.**



**WELCOME VISITORS!** We are glad to have you with us today and invite you to visit again. If you are looking for a church home, please consider Immanuel Lutheran Church. Full Christian Education programs for ages 3 and up are available September —May 18.

**Please fill out the attendance sheet at the end of the pew or fill out the card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate or hand it to either an usher or the pastor. Include your address and phone number on our attendance pad so we may note your visit with us.**



We have a **DESIRE TO MINISTER** to all who are hospitalized or in some way shut-in. However, we (Pastor and the Elders) cannot provide pastoral care if we are not made aware of the need. If you know of someone hospitalized or needing a visit, please contact the church office. If at any time you have specific needs, or just feel the need to talk or visit, please contact:  
Church office: 815-756-6669 (church direct line) office@godwithusilc.org  
Pastor Marty: 815-501-3951 (cell and text) Rev@godwithusilc.org

**FALL SCHEDULE** **Fall Worship Schedule**  
(Beginning September 7)  
**8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.**  
**9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study & Sunday School**



**Fall Regular Office Hours:**  
**Monday-Thursday: 8:30a.m.—4:30p.m.**  
**Friday: 8:30 a.m.— 12:30 p.m.**  
*Closed Fridays when school is not in session.*

#### Aluminum Can Recycling — September 7, 2025



The Board of Trustees continues to collect cans here at church. For those who wish to drop your cans off, you can place them in front of the garage at the southwest corner of the parking lot the first Sunday morning of each month. If you wish, you can also bring cans and metals to DeKalb Iron and Metal and tell them it is for Immanuel Church and they will add it to our account and give you a receipt for your donation.



**Remember Food Pantry Sunday is September 14, 2025.**  
**Bring a nonperishable item for the local Salvation Army food pantry.**  
Food Pantry Sunday is a collection day to support the Salvation Army Food Pantry. Want to help? Add an item or two to your grocery list and put it in our shopping cart in the church narthex! Items can be placed in cart on the second Sunday of each month!



**Quilt and Lap Robes Sewing Group**  
The Ladies will meet **September 9th & 23rd** from 9:15 a.m.—11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. If interested in joining or if you have any questions please reach out to Marion Gilbert.

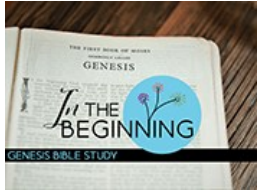
**Little Lambs Voted “Best Preschool” in 2025.**  
(Fifth year in a row!)  
Thank you for your support.



**Fall Bible Studies Begin in September!**  
*Get connected. Grow in faith. Everyone is welcome!*  
**Sunday Mornings**

#### Genesis with Carolyn & Mark 9:15–10:15 a.m. | Fellowship Hall

Join us as we start at the beginning with a study of Genesis. Besides detailing the history of mankind, this rich book helps show us how we needed a redeemer from the very start. We'll use a study guide to guide us and stimulate discussion. Whether or not you've been part of a Bible study in the past, this walk through Genesis is for you. Contact: Carolyn – [basketcasesunlimited@gmail.com](mailto:basketcasesunlimited@gmail.com)  
Mark – [markmistic@hotmail.com](mailto:markmistic@hotmail.com), or sign up in the church office.



#### Gospel of Matthew with Pastor Marty 9:15–10:15 a.m. | Fellowship Hall

Continue our study of Matthew—no need to catch up, just jump in! Each week brings fresh insights into Jesus' teachings.

### Weeknight Bible Studies

#### College Study: "Refuge"

**Tuesdays | 9:00 p.m. | College Lounge**

A beginner-friendly yet deep study of Matthew. Stick around after for games & fellowship!



#### Adult Zoom Study – 1 Samuel Mondays | 7:00 p.m. | Online

Watch Israel's transition from Judges to Kings—Saul, David, and more! A fun and engaging online group.

#### "The Chosen" Season 5 Study

**Mondays | 7:00 p.m. | 4 Greenview Ct., DeKalb**

Watch and discuss Episodes 6–8 on Sept. 15, 22 & 29. Study guides provided. All are welcome!



### Youth & Children

#### ☐ Sunday School (Age 3 – High School)

Rally Day kicks off our Sunday School year! Third graders receive Bibles. Questions? See Jennifer Allen.

#### ☐ Junior Confirmation (Grades 7–9)

**Wednesdays | 5:30 p.m.**

Didn't get the group message? Contact Pastor Marty.

Mark Your Calendar for Rally Day!



**We Are  
God's Treasures**



*“The Lord has chosen you to be His treasured possession.” Deuteronomy 7:6*

**September 7 at 9:15 AM**

All children ages 3 through high school are welcome.

Bibles will be presented to our Third Grade students during both worship services on September 7.

There's a place for everyone.  
Join us this fall as we grow in God's Word together!