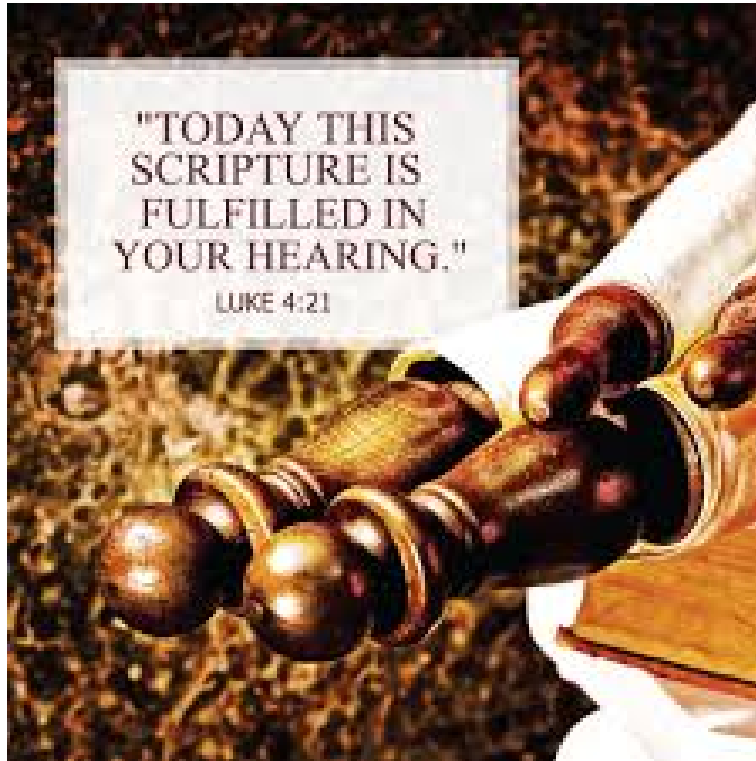


Third Sunday after Epiphany



January 19, 2025

Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church LCMS

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We welcome you to our worship today!

Please remember to sign the fellowship pad each week. Thank you.

There are large print hymnals available in the narthex.

Today's Worship Service

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| Opening Hymn | #849 | <i>Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness</i> |
| Sermon Hymn | #409 | <i>Hail, O Source of Every Blessing</i> |
| Closing Hymn | #839 | <i>O Christ, Our True and Only Light</i> |

CHURCH CALENDAR & SCHEDULE

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| <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, January 26</p> <p>8:30 AM Worship 9:45 AM Youth Sunday School 9:45 AM Annual Meeting 10 AM Worship (SP) 4 PM Adult Education 5:45 PM Evening Prayer 6:00 PM Confirmation Class <i>Greeters - Genke's</i></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, February 2</p> <p>8:30 AM Worship w/LS 9:10 AM - Sunday School (SP) 9:45 AM Youth & Adult Sunday School 10 AM Worship (SP) 4 PM Adult Education 5:45 PM Evening Prayer 6:00 PM Confirmation Class <i>Greeters - Marilyn H. & Corinne H.</i> <i>Acolyte - Deanna Smith</i></p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Monday, January 27</p> <p>9 AM Matins 6 PM Chimes 7 PM Choir 8 PM Dartball at Hayes</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><i>Upcoming Greeter Schedule</i></u> February 9 - Orlando's February 16 - Stu Schmidt Family Feb. 23 - Stanek's</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday, January 28</p> <p>9 AM PC at Book Study 6 PM Romans Bible Study (SP)</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><u><i>Upcoming Acolyte Schedule</i></u> February 16 - Cannon Kowalczyk March 2 - Cheyann Smith</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, January 29</p> <p>9 AM Matins 9:30 AM Romans Bible Study</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Special meeting on Sunday, February 23, after church concerning upcoming potato pancake dinners.</i></p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Thursday, January 30</p> <p>8-Noon Pastor at SP 9 AM Matins</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Attendance for Jan. 19 - 65</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Friday, January 31</p> <p>9 AM Matins</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Elder for January Ron Muck</p> |

The Mission Statement of Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church, White Clay Lake, is to provide for the Christian welfare of all God's people through the administering of the Sacraments, worship services, gatherings of Christ-centered groups, caring for the sick and needy, offering the forgiveness of sins through the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, and reaching out to the unchurched, showing love and concern.

Please have bulletin information turned in by Noon on Thursday. You can email the information to IMWCLsec@gmail.com or tashatreptow@gmail.com, or they can be left on my desk or in my mailbox. Thanks!

Church Prayers

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Immanuel Members: Rebecca Bonnin, Roy & Mary Ellen Fischer, Judy Manthei, Steve Olson, Al & Tammy Manthei, Bill Voelz, Bob Hoppe, Brice Huntington & Glenn Schreiber

St. Paul Members: David Korth, Judy Specht, & Lois Weisnicht

Expectant Mothers: Katherine Krause & Megan Steinke

LCMS Presidents: Rev. Dr. Matthew & Kathy Harrison, Rev. Dr. Dwayne & Cheryl Lueck

Friends: Ernie Pelky, Pam Beilfuss, Lucille Tess, Marvin & Judy Kostka, Parker Koeppin, Bo Halla, Carissa Baker, Ginger Heller, Marlin Wiskow, Bryan Poirier, & Terri Kowalczyk

Church Announcements

We will have a **free will offering** to go to Steve Olson's travel expenses. He will be going to Milwaukee for treatments.

If you purchased at **Christmas poinsettia** you are welcome to take them home.

Pastor will be taking some **vacation** time Feb 5-9 to Duluth, MN for a concert. Pr. Doug Evenson will lead worship in the 9th and Pr. Paholke (920-842-2488) is on call for any emergencies.

As I'm sure most of you have noticed, we now have an **automatic door** in the main entrance. If anyone would like to donate towards the cost (\$3500) please mark this on your envelope.



Thank you to the **WRLHS choir** for singing for us today. Our own Alyvia Boerst is a member.

After the Annual Meeting on the 26th I will be updating the **Church Directory**. If you have any changes to your address, phone #'s or email addresses, please have them to me by the 26th. Also, your 2024 Financial Statements are in your mailboxes. If you didn't get one or you have questions, please contact Tasha Treptow.

2024 Annual Meeting is today. Please consider becoming a voting member if you aren't already, see Ann Boerst if interested. Also, there are several council positions available: Chairman, Elder, Trustee, Recording Secretary, Board of Education and Finance Committee.

It has been brought up at a recent meetings that we discuss possible **earlier worship** time changes. Suggestions were 8:00 and 9:45 or 8:15 and 10:00. This would give PC a little extra time between services. Watch the bulletin for more information.

There will be a **special voters meeting** after the February 23 worship service to discuss potato pancake dinners. Do we continue them, one or both?

Gemeinschaft is sponsoring an outing on Palm Sunday (April 13) to watch "**All Rise! NEW Passion Play**" @ 1 pm in Appleton. We have 15 tickets reserved; please sign up ASAP so we can make sure to have enough tickets for all who would like to go. Tickets are \$15. We went 2 years ago and thought it was a wonderful way to enter into Holy Week.

One of the ideas presented to Gemeinschaft was to have an **youth ice fishing day** outing on a Sat/Sun. Looking like we have ice this year, we are looking for people in the parish who might like to help out-the idea is introducing them to the sport and spending time with our youth outside of the church walls. Please talk to PC if this is something you would like to do.

FREE RESOURCES: Check out the **Weekly Devotions** for the week for you to use at home in the narthex, produced from Around the Word Journal. There is a **monthly calendar** produced by CPH that is great for all ages. Also on the table in the narthex is a printed guide to **A Year in the Confessions** to read the formula of Concord.

New Testament Journey hosted by St. Jakobi Lutheran - Shawano on Saturday, Feb. 1. Registration is due by January 27. For more information see the table in the narthex.

Hymn Festival & Seminar hosted by St. Paul Lutheran - Bonduel on Saturday Feb. 15. Workshop Seminar at 1 PM led by Rev. Dr. Vieker. Hymn Festival at 4 PM. The seminar and festival are free and open to all. Proceeds from the door offering will support continuing music programs at St. Paul.

The Lutheran Hour for February 2 "**Do the Things That Make for Unity**" Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler Jesus crosses borders and even breaks down the barrier of death to do the things that make for unity: shared worship, shared mission, shared harvest. (John 4:9) The Lutheran Hour can be heard on Sundays at 10 AM on 102.7 FM WRVM.

Wolf River Lutheran High School NEWS

ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER AT WRLHS - Dine in or carry outs available. Sunday, January 26th, 2025 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Serving spaghetti/meatballs, salad, garlic bread, desserts and beverage. Tickets \$8. Children 5 and under are free. Bake sale provided by the sophomore class. W7467 River Bend Rd. Shawano. Questions - text Joan at 715-851-2741. Hope to see you there!

FAMILY FUN EVENT - Nerf Wars. Saturday February 8, 2025. 2-4 p.m. at Wolf River. May the foam be with you!

SHEEPSHEAD CARD PARTY - Sunday, February 9, 2025 at Wolf River Lutheran High School from 1:00-3:30 p.m. Cost is \$3.00. Everyone is welcome! Hope to see you there!

TRANSFER THE BLESSINGS - Sunday, February 16th 2-3 p.m. at Wolf River. Guest speaker Gary Vought. See flyer for more info and to rsvp with QR code. Thank you!

SHADOW DAY OPPORTUNITIES AT WOLF RIVER - If you know of any 8th grader(s) interested in a shadow day at Wolf River or a tour, please have them give our office a call at 715-745-2400. We would be happy to get them scheduled!

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