

Today's Service - The Festival of St. Peter and St. Paul

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Opening Hymn	#907	<i>God Himself is Present</i>
Sermon Hymn	#647	<i>Lord Jesus Christ, the Church's Head</i>
Communion	#570	<i>Just as I Am, without One Plea</i>
Hymns	#602	<i>The Gifts Christ Freely Gives</i>
Closing Hymn	printed	<i>The Doxology</i>

The festival of St. Peter and St. Paul is probably the oldest of the saints' observances (dating from about the middle of the third century). An early tradition held that these two pillars of the New Testament Church were martyred on the same day in Rome during the persecution under Nero. In addition to this joint commemoration of their deaths, both apostles are commemorated separately: Peter on January 18 for his confession of Jesus as the Christ (Matthew 16:13-16) and Paul on January 25 for his conversion (Acts 9:1-19).

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until he comes.

Because these who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed (confirmed), in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an elder. For further study, see Matthew 5:23f.; 10:32f.; 18:15-35; 26:26-29; 1 Cor. 11:17-34. "Please refer to pg 329 in the hymnal to prepare for the Supper."

Church Prayers

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Immanuel Members: Mary Ellen Fischer, Judy Manthei, Steve Olson, Al & Tammy Manthei, Bob Hoppe, Brice Huntington, Glenn Schreiber, Ron Muck, Ralph Torbeck, Tim Treptow & Richard Beilfuss

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

LCMS Presidents: Rev. Dr. Matthew & Kathy Harrison, Rev. Dr. Dwayne & Cheryl Lueck (outgoing) & Rev. Timothy & Nancy Shoup (incoming)

Friends: Ernie Pelky, Pam Beilfuss, Lucille Tess, Marvin & Judy Kostka, Parker Koeppin, Bo Halla, Bryan Poirier, Terri Kowalczyk, David Raddant, Ron Mead, Kevin Madashaw, Geraldine Hejduk, Jen Woelfel, Sherrie Framness, Shannon Nehring, Tom Johnston & Ron Watts

Church Announcements

Volunteers needed! Anyone interested in helping out with our church picnic (Aug. 10) is invited to a planning meeting at church on Monday, July 14, at 7 PM. If you have any questions you can contact Collin or Kelly Arvey.

The **air conditioner** is in! Anyone who pledged is reminded to turn your pledge in as soon as able. Thank you!

Anyone interested in a **TimberRattler's Game**? There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for the Sunday, August 3, 1:05 PM game. Cost will be \$9. Please sign-up as soon as you can so tickets and vouchers can be bought.

The sign-up sheet for the **Brat Barn** is in the narthex. The dates are Aug. 21-23. Please help out if you are able, in only a few hours you can help the church and enjoy fun and fellowship with your church family.

Immanuel & St. Paul are sponsoring a 15 minute **radio broadcast** weekly on WTCH 960 AM or 96.1 FM at 7:30 AM on Sunday Mornings. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex, along with sponsor envelopes, if you wish to sponsor a Sunday for \$60.

There is information regarding the **SAM25** 9th annual Empty Bowls-Caring Hearts fundraiser on the bulletin board in the entrance. It will be held on Sat, Sept. 6, from 11 AM-2 PM, at Shawano Community High School. There is also info in regards to donation opportunities.

The Lutheran Hour for July 6 "**A Little Light, Reading**". Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler The Book of Job is not light reading, but Christians read it in the Light of Christ. (Job 1:8) The Lutheran Hour can be heard on Sundays at 10 AM on 102.7 FM WRVM.

WRLHS NEWS

FAIR PARKING - Wolf River Lutheran High School depends on a lot of volunteers for the Shawano County Fair over Labor Day weekend. Parkers, flagman, and ticket sellers are all needed for three -four hour shifts on the dates of the fair- August 28th-September 1st! The shift times are 9am-1pm, 1pm-5pm & 5-9pm (**PC has already signed-up for his; come work with him!**). If you would like to volunteer to help, please contact Karen Baker at karbaker16@tds.net or 715-853-9137 or Donna Klemens at 715-853-3127. If you volunteer, you will get free admission and free parking for the day(s) you work. Thank you so much!!

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CHURCH CALENDAR & SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 29 8:30 AM Worship w/LS (SP) 10 AM Worship w/LS <i>Greeter: Wendy N.</i>	Sunday, July 6 8:30 AM Worship w/LS (SP) 10 AM Worship w/LS <i>Greeters: Orlando's</i>
Monday, June 30 9 AM Matins	June Elder - Steve Daskam July Elder - Jim Wickesberg
Tuesday, July 1 8-Noon PC in office 9 AM Matins	Attendance June 18 - 15 June 22 - 29 June 25 - 24
Wednesday, July 2 9 AM Matins 7 PM Midweek Worship - The Visitation	<u>Upcoming Greeter Schedule</u> July 13 - Schmidt Family July 20 - Betsy S. July 27 - Kathy V.
Thursday, July 3 8-Noon PC at SP 9 AM Matins (SP) 7 PM LWML Meeting	<u>Stewardship June 8-22</u> General - 4636 Roof - 1080 Fuel - 55 A/C - 1300 (7430.88 to date) Mission - 314 TIM - 25
<u>Quarterly Council Meetings</u> Council - July 20 Voters - July 27	Potato Pancake Mission \$ \$1715 to date (\$3000 usual profit)

*Please remember to sign the fellowship pad each week.
There are large print hymnals available in the narthex.*

*Please have bulletin information turned in by ***9 AM*** 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!*

**Listen to our Radio Broadcast - Sundays at 7:30 AM
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We welcome you to our worship today!

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.