

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE GOD AT IMMANUEL THIS WEEK

DATE	TIME	EVENT	MEETING PLACE	AGE GROUP	CONTACT PERSON
<i>Through September 26: Photo contest picture collection</i>					
Sunday 9/26	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship Service	Sanctuary	Everyone	Pastor Marty
	8:00 AM	Face Book Live Traditional	Facebook Live	Everyone	Pastor Marty
	9:15 AM	Adult Bible Study	Various Rooms	Adult	C. McQuillan/Marks
	9:15 AM	Sunday School	Sanctuary	Ages 3—High School	Jen Allen
	10:30 AM	Contemporary Worship Service	Sanctuary	Everyone	Pastor Marty
	10:30 AM	Face Book Live Contemporary	Face Book Live	Everyone	Pastor Marty
	10:30 AM	Worship Radio Service Broadcast	WLBK 1360 AM	Everyone	Doug Nelson
	1:30 PM	Christian Senior Ministries Walk	Walcamp	Everyone	CJ Motisi/Alan Cook
Monday 9/27	7:00 PM	Zoom Bible Study	Zoom	Adults	Pastor Marty
Tuesday 9/28	9:30 AM	Newsletter Assembly	Fellowship Hall	Adults	Darlene Hillman
	9:30 AM	Apple Orchard Field Trip	Building	Little Lambs	Katie Martinez
	9:00 PM	Refuge Bible Study	College Lounge	College Students	Pastor Marty
Wed 9/29	9:30 AM	Apple Orchard Field Trip	Building	Little Lambs	Katie Martinez
	1:00 PM	Staff Meeting	Off Site	Staff	Pastor Marty
	5:30 PM	Junior Confirmation	Fellowship Hall	Middle School	Pastor Marty
Thursday 9/30	8:30 AM	Bulletin Deadline	Office	Everyone	Darlene Hillman
	12:15 PM	Little Lambs Staff Meeting	Preschool Room	LL Staff	Katie Martinez
Friday 10/1	8:30 –12:30	OFFICES OPEN	—	—	—
	4:30—6 PM	Market Set Up	Fellowship Hall	Network of Nations	Office
	6—7:30 PM	Market Open	Fellowship Hall	International	Office
	Overnight	Walcamp Youth Retreat Begins	Walcamp	Youth	Pastor Marty
Saturday 10/2	Overnight	Walcamp Youth Retreat Ends	Walcamp	Youth	Pastor Marty
Sunday 10/3	—	Aluminum Can Collection	Garage	Everyone	Trustees
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Help wanted! We are looking for a part time church secretary for approximately 12 hours a week. If you or some one you know would be good for this role, please send a resume and cover letter via email to DarleneH@immanueldekab.com or drop off in person at the church office. Applicant should be comfortable and proficient with computers, especially Microsoft Word, Publisher as well as social media and other computer applications. Please contact Darlene in the office with any questions.



FALL SCHEDULE

Fall Schedule

8:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Format In Person

8:00 a.m. Face Book Live

9:15 a.m. Sunday School for ages 3 years through high school.

9:15 am. Adult Bible Study

10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship Format in Person

10:30 a.m. Face Book Live

10:30 a.m. Worship broadcast of WLBK 1360 AM

PARTNERING IN PRAYER September 26-October 2, 2021

"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: Rob McKinley (*son of Pat McKinley*) Tiernan Merman
 Diana Hedlund Glen Roberts Rachael McEwen Kirsten Foss
 Robin Nielsen Fran Tatiana (*friend of Jeneane Bejnarowicz*)

THOSE DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER: Glenn Lucca (*friend of Chris & Audrey Cook*) Mandy Long
 Pam Paszotta Paul Plapp Dale Geibel Staci McNett David Wickstrom Elyn Jacobsen
 Robin Brunschon (*friend of Karen Cribben*) Rob Wessels (*friend of Bejnarowicz*)
 Colleen Chavez (*granddaughter of Carlos Woolbright*) Lisa Kazcmarczyk (*friend of Sue Harms*)
 Jonal McKinley (*daughter-in-law of Pat McKinley*) Debbie Teason (*cousin of Audrey Cook*)
 Michael Johnson (*friend of Bejnarowicz*) Sandy Petit (*friend of Linda Conrad*)
 Dr. Amy Newkirk (*friend of the Marks family*) Mattea & Maddox Lesorgen (*friends of the Hamel's*)

OUR SHUT-INS: Marcia Kiel Merle Sawyer Irene Nelson Jean Curley Pat Moeller
 Fred Foster Mary Ebbesen Toni Byford Helen Deschler

THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY: Dr. Robert Bejnarowicz (*colonel*) Derrick Schoo
 LTC (Lt. Colonel) Christopher Denton (*grandson of Carol*) Brendan Spartz (*son of Mindy & Bill Lynch*)
 Jacob Marx: US Coast Guard; now stationed in Philadelphia PA (*grandson of Janet & Patrick Byrnes*)
 Jessica (Marx) Hess: US Air Force; stationed in Dayton, OH (*granddaughter of Janet & Patrick Byrnes*)
 Sgt. Kaitlan Lave (*granddaughter of Al & Shirley*)
 Brad Fancali (*grandson of Judie Wright/great nephew of Pat McKinley*)
 Owen Schroeder; Evan Schroeder (*grandsons of Dennis and Jane Schroeder*)

We pray for all those serving in the military. If you would like the specific name of a loved one added to the weekly prayer list, please contact the office by phone or email.

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS:

- For Elyn Jacobsen who is hospitalized with an infection;
- For the family of Harley Siddall who mourn the sudden and unexpected passing of Harley's younger brother, Jimmy, on Tuesday;
- For David Wickstrom who underwent surgery on Wednesday. Recovery is going well;
- For Kurt Rissman who is home and awaiting further testing results;
- May the Lord grant healing to those in need, comfort to those who mourn, wisdom to those who lead and compassion to all during this time of difficulty. May opportunities open and may we be wise enough to recognize them to see God's love in this situation and convey it to others. Grant this to us all Lord!

THOSE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS: Christopher Ziola Maksim Schneider Peg Kousoulas
 Eric Olsen Tristan Burski Harley Siddall David Lange Gerard Nieman
 Pamela Paszotta Elizabeth Faivre Dan Hoffman Brenda Johnson

THOSE CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES: 09/26/1998 Arnie & Nancy Johanningsmeier
 09/27/2014 Jordan & Rachel McEwan 09/28/1974 Dennis & Jane Schroeder
 09/28/2013 Brandon & Amanda Thompson 09/30/2017 Coltin & Madilynn Phelps

*If you are an active member of Immanuel, and we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please contact the office so we may add you to the prayer list for the following week, and correct our records. 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.*



Current Protocol: We are following the state of Illinois mandates and CDC for Covid-19 procedures.

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



PHOTO CONTEST HAPPENING NOW!

Pictures will be accepted through September 26th! You can enter one or two of your favorite pictures taken on the Prayer Walk. There are

brown envelopes in the narthex. All you have to do is place your picture in the envelope and write your name and phone number on the outside. Pictures should be no bigger than 5"X 7" The pictures will be on display Oct. 3rd through Oct 24th. Tickets to vote for your favorite will be sold 5 for \$1 or .25 each. Tickets will be available before and after the early service and before late service. All money raised will go to the Youth Trip Fund. The winner of a Walgreens \$25 gift certificate will be announced on October 31.



Recycling: 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 **October 3—79!** Place them in front of the garage doors. We do put the cans in the garage at the end of each day

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.

Newsletter Assembly: We will be assembling the newsletter on Tuesday, September 28th at 9:30 a.m.



Join us for Sunday School Theme this year: Reflecting God's Light

Jesus said in Matthew 5:14-16: "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket,

but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

This year in Sunday School, we will learn how to *Reflect God's Light* as we hear more about Him and His love for us.

Sunday School is meeting in person each Sunday at 9:15 a.m. There are classes for preschool children through middle school We also have classes for high school, as well as two adult Bible Studies.

For Sunday School information please see Jen Allen. Adult Bible studies meet in Fellowship Hall.

Adult Sunday Bible Studies Meet at 9:15 a.m.:

• **Carolyn McQuillan Leading:** We are studying the book of Isaiah from the series by the Concordia Publishing House "God's Word For Today." We meet on the right side of Fellowship Hall.

• **Pastor Marty Leading:** The Book of Exodus. Join us as we do a deep dive into the book that gives us the story of Moses, the plagues, the escape from Egypt and the 10 commandments. As with all of our Bible studies, no experience is needed. If this is your first Bible study or your 1,000th you'll find God present in His

word and in those whom you study alongside. Pastor Marty's Bible studies are intentionally interactive and questions and comments are welcome and encouraged. Each week we'll get as far as we get and pick up the next week right where we left off.

Weekday Studies

• **Zoom Bible Study on Monday evenings at 7pm:** The Book of Genesis. Join Pastor Marty as we read together the first book of the Bible and meet many of the best known Biblical characters. This study will meet for one hour every Monday night via Zoom. Zoom Bible studies allow you to be part of a close knit community while remaining at home. If you need help logging in or navigating Zoom, please let pastor Marty know and he'll happily coach you.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89238786019?pwd=aVZrVHpGbGMlSldRZmtXZW8wUzIjUT09>

Meeting ID: 892 3878 6019
Passcode: 029921

• **Refuge (college) Bible Study meets Tuesday evenings at 9:00 p.m.**

Youth Chill Event!

Ready for s'more Chill Night fun this Fall?



Immanuel Youth (Grades 6-12) are invited to our

Annual Jonamac Campfire Sunday, October 17 2-5 p.m.

Drop-off/pick-up near the Orchard fire pits. Suggested donation of \$5 per child to cover entry and the cost of the campfire reservation. The daytime (unhaunted) Corn Maze is included with admission.



Christian Senior Ministries

P.O. Box 479
Sycamore, IL 60178

"Look at the fields! They are ripe for harvest." John 4:35

Rev. Harold W. Schmidt Walk for Seniors

Christian Senior Ministries is holding its 17th Annual Christian Senior Ministries "Walk for Seniors" at Walcamp, Kingston, IL on Sunday, September 26, 2021 at 1:30 p.m. The event was renamed

"The Rev. Harold W. Schmidt Walk for seniors"

in recognition and honor of Pastor Schmidt who was actively involved with Christian Senior Ministries for several years and was instrumental in developing this annual fund-raising event. Christian Senior ministries will provide refreshments and a light snack, as well as bingo and a brief presentation.

The "Walk for Seniors" is the primary fund-raising effort of Christian Senior Ministries, outside of direct support from supporting congregations.

Christian Senior Ministry Facts

- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries is a mission effort initiated and grown out of a recognized need in our local area by local people.
- ❖ It serves as a local example of how the Christian community can come together to provide and meet a mission need, together.
- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries shares the Gospel message consistently and regularly to seniors who reside at nursing homes, high rises and retirement centers in our area.
- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries shared the Gospel message with an average of about 300 people weekly, prior to Covid.
- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries continues to add preaching locations as needed.
- ❖ For some, this may be their final opportunity to hear the Gospel of Jesus.
- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries trains and uses volunteers to help residents attend worship services and assist in worship.
- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries provides counseling to residents and families of residents.
- ❖ Christian Senior Ministries provides funerals when requested.