

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Lakefield, Minnesota ~ LCMS
February 22, 2026

Led by the Spirit, Jesus Is Tempted

As We Gather

Only weeks ago, Jesus was called out by John as the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. Now Jesus reveals what He must do for us and our salvation. He must stand where Adam stood, tempted by the devil. This time, however, Jesus refuses to surrender His righteousness in the face of evil but preserves it so that He might give it to you and to me. With confidence in Christ's righteousness, which we wear by Baptism, and His forgiveness, which restores us when we fall, we know that the devil can harm us no more. We belong to Christ. In the power of Christ, we are made strong before the tempter's power, and in Him we are brought through death to life everlasting.

Preparation

Hymn: 433 Glory Be to Jesus



1 Glo - ry be to Je - sus, Who in bit - ter pains
2 Grace and life e - ter - nal In that blood I find;
3 Blest through end - less a - ges Be the pre - cious stream
4 A - bel's blood for ven - geance Plead - ed to the skies;



Poured for me the life - blood From His sa - cred veins!
Blest be His com - pas - sion, In - fi - nite - ly kind!
Which from end - less tor - ment Did the world re - deem!
But the blood of Je - sus For our par - don cries.

5 Oft as earth exulting
Wafts its praise on high,
Angel hosts rejoicing
Make their glad reply.

6 Lift we, then, our voices,
Swell the mighty flood;
Louder still and louder
Praise the precious blood!

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Tune: Friedrich Filitz, 1804–76

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Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Confession and Absolution

Psalm 32:5

P I acknowledged my sin to You.

C I did not cover up my iniquity.

P I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the LORD.”

C And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for meditation and reflection.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your punishment now and forever. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them,

and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being. Forgive me all my sins and grant me the power of Your Holy Spirit that I may amend my sinful life.

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son ✠ and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P May He who began this good work within you bring it to completion on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C Amen.

Word

Kyrie

P In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C Amen.

Salutation

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

P Let us pray.

O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide

the people of Your Church that following our Savior we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 74

O God, why do you cast us off forever?

Why does your anger smoke against the sheep of your pasture?

Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,

which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

Remember Mount Zion, where you have dwelt.

Direct your steps to the perpetual ruins;

the enemy has destroyed everything in the sanctuary!

Your foes have roared in the midst of your meeting place;

they set up their own signs for signs.

They were like those who swing axes

in a forest of trees.

And all its carved wood

they broke down with hatchets and hammers.

They set your sanctuary on fire;

they profaned the dwelling place of your name, bringing it down to the ground.

They said to themselves, "We will utterly subdue them";

they burned all the meeting places of God in the land.

We do not see our signs;

there is no longer any prophet,

and there is none among us who knows how long.

How long, O God, is the foe to scoff?

Is the enemy to revile your name forever?

Why do you hold back your hand, your right hand?

Take it from the fold of your garment and destroy them!

Yet God my King is from of old,

working salvation in the midst of the earth.

You divided the sea by your might;

you broke the heads of the sea monsters on the waters.

You crushed the heads of Leviathan;

you gave him as food for the creatures of the wilderness.

You split open springs and brooks;
you dried up ever-flowing streams.
Yours is the day, yours also the night;
you have established the heavenly lights and the sun.
You have fixed all the boundaries of the earth;
you have made summer and winter.
Remember this, O LORD, how the enemy scoffs,
and a foolish people reviles your name.
Do not deliver the soul of your dove to the wild beasts;
do not forget the life of your poor forever.
Have regard for the covenant,
for the dark places of the land are full of the habitations of
violence.
Let not the downtrodden turn back in shame;
let the poor and needy praise your name.
Arise, O God, defend your cause;
remember how the foolish scoff at you all the day!
Do not forget the clamor of your foes,
the uproar of those who rise against you, which goes up
continually!

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Romans 5:12–19

Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned—for sin indeed was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not counted where there is no law. Yet death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those whose sinning was not like the transgression of Adam, who was a type of the one who was to come.

But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ abounded for many. And the free gift is not like the result of that one man's sin. For the judgment following one trespass brought condemnation, but the free gift following many trespasses brought justification. If, because of one man's trespass, death reigned through that one man, much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and the free gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ.

Therefore, as one trespass led to condemnation for all men, so one act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all men. For as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Verse

Ephesians 6:11

C Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 4:1-11

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. And after fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. And the tempter came and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread." But he answered, "It is written,

"Man shall not live by bread alone,
but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

Then the devil took him to the holy city and set him on the pinnacle of the temple and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down, for it is written,

"He will command his angels concerning you,"

and

"On their hands they will bear you up,
lest you strike your foot against a stone."

Jesus said to him, "Again it is written, 'You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.'" Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory. And he said to him, "All these I will give you, if you will fall down and worship me." Then Jesus said to him, "Be gone, Satan! For it is written,

"You shall worship the Lord your God
and him only shall you serve."

Then the devil left him, and behold, angels came and were ministering to him.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Children's Message

Hymn: 423 Jesus, Refuge of the Weary



1 Je - sus, ref - uge of the wea - ry, Blest Re - deem - er,
2 Do we pass that cross un - heed - ing, Breath - ing no re -
3 Je - sus, may our hearts be burn - ing With more fer - vent



whom we love, Foun - tain in life's des - ert drea - ry, Sav - ior
pen - tant vow, Though we see You wound - ed, bleed - ing, See Your
love for You; May our eyes be ev - er turn - ing To be -



from the world a - bove: Of - ten have Your eyes, of - fend - ed,
thorn - en - cir - cled brow? Yet Your sin - less death has brought us
hold Your cross a - new Till in glo - ry, part - ed nev - er



Gazed up - on the sin - ner's fall; Yet up - on the
Life e - ter - nal, peace, and rest; On - ly what Your
From the bless - ed Sav - ior's side, Grav - en in our



cross ex - tend - ed, You have borne the pain of all.
grace has taught us Calms the sin - ner's deep dis - tress.
hearts for - ev - er, Dwell the cross, the Cru - ci - fied.

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Sermon

Apostles' Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the
dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life † everlasting. Amen.

Offering

Prayer of the Church

P We give You thanks, O Lord, that You invite us to pray and have promised to hear and answer the prayers of Your people. By Your Holy Spirit enable us to plead for mercy in the name of Jesus and with confidence that whatever Your answer, it will be best for us.

That we stand firm in the face of temptation and be clothed with the strength of the Lord Jesus in time of trial, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That we neither be distracted nor enticed by the voice of the devil, the world, and the desires of our own flesh, but endure through the days of trouble through the Word of the Lord that endures forever, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That our nation and those who lead us be equipped with wisdom and faith, that we lead quiet and peaceable lives in Christ, that the nations learn pathways of peace, and that we not be overcome by fear or despair, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That the sick and all who suffer know the healing and strength of the Spirit in their afflictions, that the dying abide in peace, and that the grieving be granted comfort, [*especially . . .*], let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That the work of the Kingdom be prospered among us and through us, that those who have not heard rejoice to hear the Gospel, and that we be generous in supplying the poor and the homeless, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

Additional petitions may be inserted here.

P That daily we offer up prayers on behalf of the church, her ministers, and her ministries and for all according to their need, interceding on behalf of others even as Christ intercedes for us, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That we approach the Table of the Lord with humility and repentance, that we not commune in an unworthy manner, and that we keep what we receive there in holy hearts and holy lives, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That the church would enjoy unity of doctrine and harmony in her work, that many be raised up for church work, and that we offer the Lord the sacrifice of praise from our lips and tithes and offerings from our hands, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord, have mercy.

P That the Lord grant us all good things as are needful for this body and life and prevent all things harmful to us and our salvation, let us pray in the name of Jesus, whom with the Father and the Holy Spirit are one God and one Lord, now and forever.

C Amen.

Lord's Prayer

C Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

Benedicamus

P Let us bless the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen.

Hymn: 547 The Lamb



1 The Lamb, the Lamb, O Fa - ther, where's the sac - ri - fice?
2 The Lamb, the Lamb, One per - fect fi - nal of - fer - ing.
3 The Lamb, the Lamb, As way - ward sheep their shep - herd kill
4 He sighs, He dies, He takes my sin and wretch - ed - ness.
5 He rose, He rose, My heart with thanks now o - ver - flows.



Faith sees, be - lieves God will pro - vide the Lamb of price!
The Lamb, the Lamb, Let earth join heav'n His praise to sing.
So still, His will On our be - half the Law to fill.
He lives, for - gives, He gives me His own righ - teous - ness.
His song pro - long Till ev - 'ry heart to Him be - long.

Refrain



Wor - thy is the Lamb whose death makes me His



own! The Lamb is reign - ing on His throne!

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Assisting with the Service

<i>Preacher</i>	<i>Rev. Eric Obermann</i>
<i>Elder</i>	<i>Ken Pohlman</i>
<i>Organist</i>	<i>Jayson Matasovsky</i>
<i>Acolyte</i>	<i>Karissa Daberkow & Caleb Laabs</i>
<i>Usher</i>	<i>Dave and Carolyn Hansen</i>

We Remember in our Prayers

Richard Rice, brother-in-law of Lila Voehl, dealing with health issues
Jackie Ward dealing with health issues

Our residents at Colonial Manor, Valley View, Golden Horizons in Worthington, Accura HealthCare in Milford, Paynesville Health Care Center, Good Sam in Estherville, Lakeview in Fairmont

Merlyn Rossow, Keith Kolander, dealing with health issues

Sandy Brown, sister of Vickie Baumann; Jeff Meyer, friend of Bruce and Jan Bakalyar; Mitch Voehl, son of Lila Voehl; Joyce Urmie, sister-in-law of Vickie Baumann; Marla Holcomb, sister of Wade and Alan Salzwedel; Mary Beth Baumann, sister-in-law of Myleen Swanson & LaNell Rossow; Mackenzie Erickson, friend of Amber Liepold; Diane Hansen, wife of Pastor David McDonald (Trinity Brewster), Miles Ramsey, toddler cousin of Amy Altman; Pastor Dennis Brech; Pastor Ben Rucker; Denny Daberkow; dealing with cancer

Chad Kolander, brother of Keith and Corey Kolander; Curt Gates, brother-in-law of Miles Voehl (Lila's son), dealing with health issues

Our Law Enforcement

Our Missionaries in the Field

Our Country and Our Military

SUNDAY SCHOOL, YOUTH GROUP BIBLE STUDY, & ADULT BIBLE CLASS

are held after church from 10:15-11:15. All are welcome to join us!

- Sunday School (3-year-old through 5th grade) in the school classrooms.
- Youth Group Bible Study (6th-12th grade) in the mother's room (in the church basement).
- Adult Bible Class in the church basement.

Immanuel Lutheran School Early Childhood Open House

Preschool ~ PreK ~ Kindergarten

Monday, March 2
4:00-6:30 p.m.

- Meet the teachers
- Check out the classrooms
- Open Gym



WE WELCOME all of our guests and visitors today. We invite you to visit us again. If you have no church home and would like to make Immanuel your church home, please speak to Pastor Obermann or one of the Elders at the end of the service.

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF PASTORAL CARE you may call the church office at 507-662-5718, Pastor Obermann at 563-321-0032, or speak to one of the elders.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS from Lutheran Hour Ministries are available. This year's devotions are titled "Behold Your King!". Both regular and large print copies can be found on the welcome center in the narthex. Please help yourself to a copy.

JOIN US FOR LENTEN SUPPERS on Wednesday evenings from 5:30-6:30. Suppers will be served prior to our Ash Wednesday and Lent services which are at 7:00 p.m. Our boards at Immanuel plus our LWML will each be hosting a Lenten supper this year. A freewill donation will be taken. Here is a list of upcoming Lenten suppers:

- February 25: Tater Tot Hotdish served by the LWML
- March 4: BBQs served by the Board of Ed

IT'S TIME FOR A NEW PICTORIAL DIRECTORY! Our dates are Friday, April 17th, Saturday, April 18th, Tuesday, April 21st, and Wednesday, April 22nd. Just for participating you will receive a complimentary 8 X 10 portrait and a church directory. You can make an appointment after church March 1st - March 15th in the back of church or you can schedule your appointment online:

- Go to www.ucdir.com
- Click on the red box "Photography Session Sign Up"
- Put in Church Code: mn640
- Put in Church Password: 640mem
- Pick your day & time!

We look forward to seeing you there!

OFFERING ENVELOPES: With our offering envelopes not being date specific, please continue to use them until they are gone. When you are getting low ask Amy in the church office or an elder for a new box and they will get one for you. Remember, your number will never change and we do have an extra box with your number on it.

Immanuel Lutheran School
"Showcasing Your Strengths"
Fine Arts Festival



&
Science Fair
Friday, March 6
6:30 p.m.



- ◆ Display of all K-8th grade Art Projects
- ◆ Display of all 5th-8th grade Science Fair Projects
- ◆ Public Performance of participating K-8th grade students in these categories: Vocal (individual and small group), Instrumental (individual and small group), and Public Speaking.

COUGAR FAMILY - recently Immanuel Lutheran Church met a fundraising goal of nearly \$70,000 for our Teacher Salary Fund at the school. As a Board of Education, we would like to thank everyone who contributed and a special mention to our Immanuel Lutheran School Alumni near and as far away as Arizona! Your continued support for this wonderful school helps us continue the mission God gave to our church elders in 1899 to "Feed His lambs." John 21:15

THE BOARD OF FINANCE would like to celebrate and thank God for the blessings he's bestowed upon our congregation. Thank you to all who were able to give towards the challenge. This additional giving has kept us on track as we head into spring and summer. As a reminder, please take note of the weekly financial summary box in the bulletin, and use tools like Joyful Response to help the church meet our obligations. We are grateful for the partnership in our mission at Immanuel Lutheran Church and School!

CHILI AND SOUP FUNDRAISER DINNER is at the American Legion in Jackson is today, Sunday, February 22nd, from 10:30-12:30. On the menu are homemade chili or chicken noodle soup, roll, and dessert, along with a beverage and coffee. Price is a free-will donation (contribute as you can). Proceeds will benefit Jackson Food Shelf, Jackson Ministerial Association, and Lutheran Hour Ministries.

More about the benefited organizations:

- The Jackson Food Shelf operates a food pantry serving families and individuals in need in the Jackson community. They are a bridge for families between paychecks, jobs, or other unforeseen circumstances.
- The Jackson Ministerial is composed of pastors of the Jackson County region. Part of their mission is to help those who find themselves in emergency need of gas, food, or lodging. The Ministerial is only able to help because of the generous support of the people of Jackson County.
- Lutheran Hour Ministries is a mission organization sharing Christ's love in more than 60 countries, including the Jackson County region. Their work provides devotions and studies at LHM.org, podcasts, and a weekly radio broadcast Sundays on KDOM 1580AM at 10:00 a.m. and on KICD 1240AM at 9:00 a.m.

Dinner is sponsored by Our Redeemer Lutheran Church Jackson. The American Legion is located at 411 1st Street in Jackson.

VBS PLANNING MEETING is on Sunday, March 1st, after Bible Class and Sunday School, so starting around 11:15 in the church basement. VBS is always a fun time for the kids! Come help plan it!

WAFFLE FEED is at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School in Northrop today, Sunday, February 22nd from 10:00-1:00. Freewill donation accepted. Sponsored by the Class of 2026 with proceeds helping to fund their class trip. The school is located at 315 Martin Luther Drive in Northrop.

COUGAR FAMILY - thanks to everyone who contributed to our Lunch Assistance Program this year. Recently, the Board of Education allocated \$2,158 to several families in need of support and for the year \$5,083 was given. We are now building a fund for next year, please prayerfully consider an opportunity to contribute to next year's giving program. We praise God for you and for His continued faithfulness!
- Board of Education

YOUTH CHESS TOURNAMENT

Saturday, March 14th

Immanuel Lutheran Lakefield Activity Center

Grades: Kindergarten through 8th

Check in: 8:30-8:45 a.m.

Round 1 begins: 9:00 a.m.

Cost: \$10

Pre-Register:

online at immanuellakefield.com

click on chess tournament

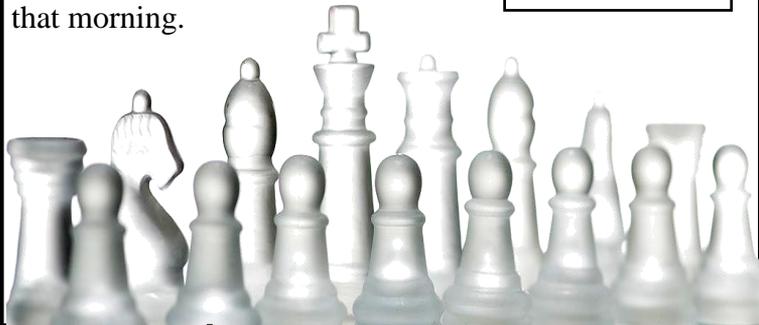
call 507-662-5860 (ask for Amy)

Players who do not pre-register will need to register between 8:15-8:30 that morning.

Lunch available:

All players will receive a slice of pizza and a beverage.

Additional pizza will be sold in our concession stand for parents and players.



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS

- Board of Ed meets on Tuesday 2/24 at 4:30. Meeting is open to anyone who wants to attend.
- Early Childhood Open House is Monday 3/2 from 4:30-6:30. This is for incoming Preschool, PreK, and Kindergarten students for the 2026-2027 school year.
- EARLY OUT AT 12:45 – THURSDAY 3/5
- ILS Fine Arts Festival is Friday 3/6 at 6:30.
- Region IV Fine Arts Festival is at MLHS in Northrop on Saturday 3/7.
- All School Choir sings at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, rural Lakefield, on Sunday 3/8 at their 10:00 a.m. worship service.
- Chapel Offerings for the 3rd Quarter will go to Hearts for Jesus which is a service project of the Minnesota South District. This year each school is choosing where they would like to donate to. We have chosen Jehovah Lutheran Church (an LCMS church in St. Paul) to support their mission of helping the homeless. Along with monetary donations, we are also collecting winter coats, sweatshirts, gloves, hats, and scarves. Items can be gently used or new. Keep in mind that 75% of the homeless population are adult males. There is a collection box in the school hallway for donations to be put into.

GIVING STATEMENTS for 2025 are ready. Please write your name on the sign-up sheet on the window in the narthex if you would like one or give Amy in the church office a call at 507-662-5718. Statements can then be picked up from the welcome center in the narthex or mailed out.

5th-6th GRADE STEP UP DAY at Martin Luther Jr/Sr High School in Northrop is Friday, February 27th from 9:30-1:30. All students are welcome for fun activities including: brain busting, classroom action, talent show, pizza lunch and good times. Call 507-436-5249 to RSVP by Monday, February 23rd. MLHS is located at 315 Martin Luther Drive in Northrop.

DEAR FRIENDS OF IMMANUEL, Thank you so much for hosting the Proclaim Choir Concert on February 6th. We really appreciate you opening your beautiful sanctuary and abundant space to us. It was perfect for all the choir's needs. Glad that we're partners in ministry in the Lakefield area with you!

- God bless you all! Mary & Pastor Dale Hedstrom

BINGO AT VALLEY VIEW: Our LWML will be playing Bingo up at Valley View on Sunday, March 8th at 3:00 p.m. Anyone who wants to come up and play with us is welcome for fun and fellowship with our friends at Valley View!

SUBMISSIONS FOR THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER need to be turned in to Amy in the office by February 25th.

Wondering where you can watch this service?

1. Facebook: “Immanuel Lutheran Church” at the time of the service or any time after up to a month.
2. YouTube: “Immanuel Lutheran Church and School Lakefield” at the time of the service or any time after.

<i>POINTS OF INFORMATION February 15, 2026</i>	
<i>Current Fund received this past week.....</i>	<i>\$16,785</i>
<i>Needed each week.....</i>	<i>\$10,112</i>
<i>Non-Budget Giving</i>	
<i>Lutheran Hour.....</i>	<i>\$100</i>
<i>Hot Lunch.....</i>	<i>\$50</i>
<i>Immanuel Lutheran School.....</i>	<i>\$25</i>
<i>Memorial given in memory of</i>	
<i>Larry Miller to Immanuel Church.....</i>	<i>\$25</i>
<i>Current Fund received in January.....</i>	<i>\$25,439</i>
<i>Needed in January.....</i>	<i>\$41,914</i>
<i>If you have any questions, please call Josh Swanson</i>	
<i>Worshipping on Sunday 2/15: 145</i>	
<i>Worshipping on Ash Wednesday 2/18: 222</i>	

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Easter Flowers...



We will again be decorating our sanctuary with Easter Lilies and Blooming Plants on Easter Sunday. If you would like to join us in this celebration of new life by donating a flower, please fill out the form below and place it in the offering plate or return it to the office by Sunday, **March 1**, with your payment. Please make the check out to Immanuel Lutheran and write Easter Flowers on the memo line.

Your plant may be picked up after the 9:00 a.m. service on Easter Sunday, April 5th.

- *I would like to purchase a flower to decorate our sanctuary—*
 ___ A 4-6 bloom Easter Lily for \$20
 ___ A Daisy Mum for \$20
 ___ A Begonia for \$20
 ___ A Kalanchoe for \$20

My plant will be given in honor and/or memory of:

Given by

Amount Enclosed _____

- I would like to take part in decorating the chancel area, but choose to bring my own plant (lily, mum, tulips, etc...) I will bring it to the church no later than Friday evening, April 3rd.

My plant will be given in honor and/or memory of:

Given by

(Please return form to Church by Sunday, March 1)

THIS WEEK AT IMMANUEL...

Sunday, February 22 Lent I

- 9:00 AM Worship*
- 10:15 AM Sunday School*
- 10:15 AM Bible Class*
- 10:15 AM Youth Group Bible Study*

Monday, February 23

- 6:10 PM Immanuel Ringers*
- 7:10 PM Choir*

Tuesday, February 24

- 4:30 PM Board of Ed Meeting*
- 5:30 PM Board of Elders Meeting*
- 6:00 PM Board of Finance Meeting*
- 7:00 PM Joint Boards*

Wednesday, February 25

- 8:30 AM Lent Chapel*
- 2:10 PM Confirmation*
- 5:30-6:30 Lent Supper – Tater Tot Hotdish*
- 7:00 PM Lent Worship*

Sunday, March 1 Lent II

- Easter Flower Orders Due*
- 9:00 AM Worship with Communion*
- 10:15 AM Sunday School*
- 10:15 AM Bible Class*
- 10:15 AM Youth Group Bible Study*
- 11:15 AM VBS Planning Meeting*

Monday, March 2

- 4:30-6:30 Early Childhood Open House*
- 6:10 PM Immanuel Ringers*
- 7:10 PM Choir*

Wednesday, March 4

- 8:30 AM Lent Chapel*
- 2:10 PM Confirmation*
- 5:30-6:30 Lent Supper – BBQs*
- 7:00 PM Lent Worship*

Lent, Holy Week, and Easter Worship Services

Lenten Worship Services

Wednesdays: February 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25
8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Maundy Thursday Worship Service

Thursday, April 2
7:00 p.m.

Good Friday Worship Service

Friday, April 3
7:00 p.m.

Easter Worship Services

Sunday, April 5
6:30 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.



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