

At Immanuel, our mission is focused on our Four Branches of Ministry. Staff, volunteer, and financial resources are allocated under one of the four branches to tell the story of our purpose and impact. Your gifts of time, talent and treasure are used to support these ministries.

Offering is an act of worship, an instance in which we are invited to give away something we value—our time, talent and treasure—as a sacrifice and expression of love for God. Much more than "paying bills," these gifts are simple and clear acts of devotion to God.



Welcome to Worship at Immanuel Presentation of Our Lord February 9, 2025 10 am

Welcome

Invocation

The Call to Unburden

The Promise of Forgiveness and Life

Call to Worship: Sing O Heavens Intro (Hermanson)

Hymn of Praise: Sing O Heavens (Hermanson)

Apostolic Greeting Prayer of the Day

Baptism Lamberts / Nells—"River of God Set Our Feet to Dancing"

Readings: Isaiah 6:1-8 Psalm 138

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Gospel Acclamation: "Alleluia (I am Light)" (DRM)

Luke 5:1-11

Children's Sermon

Sermon Pastor Molly Sasser-Goehner **Song:** "Here, I am Lord" (ELW 574)

Installation of 2025 Council

Prayers of the People

Sung Response "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" (ELW 752)

Passing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

Proper Preface

Holy, Holy "Heavens Open to Isaiah (ACS 1090 vs. 1 &2)

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer song (Bendickson)

Communion Songs: "Lamb of God" (Park)

"You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore" (ELW817)

Post Communion Blessing

Prayer After Communion

Ministry Announcements

Blessing & Benediction

Sending Song "Send Us Out" (DRM)

Dismissal

Welcome to Immanuel!

Are you visiting? Please fill out a yellow card from the pew racks and place it in the offering plate so we can reach out to you. The purple pew cards are for electronic givers to place in the offering to show that giving is an act of worship.

Communion

While the meal of the baptized, Christ is the host and welcomes all. The promise "given and shed for you" requires a simple trusting heart. Those not receiving may come up for a blessing. White grape juice and gluten/dairy free bread is available. Please contact the pastors for further conversation about Baptism and Communion.

Worship Assistance

Assisted listening devices, earphones, and reading glasses are available. Ask an usher for assistance.

Children

We welcome children of all ages to our services. Busy Bags for are available from the ushers. Toys are in the family area by the Luther Wall. Children may bring their offering forward to place in the little white church by the altar.

Welcome Statement

Immanuel Lutheran Church is committed to seeing Christ in everyone. We are rooted and united in Christ. We grow by acknowledging and embracing our differences. We celebrate our human family's diversity of sexuality, gender identity, marital status, race, ethnicity, age, faith story, economic status, physical and mental ability, education, and the many other identities that make our community beautiful. All people are invited to grow with us toward greater love, understanding, and mutual respect - seeing Christ in everyone.

Immanuel is a Reconciling Works Congregation We advocate for the full welcome, inclusion, and equity of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, intersex, and asexual/aromantic (LGBTQIA+) Lutherans in all aspects of the life of their Church, congregations, and community.

Announcements

Meals for Lamberts Congratulations to Jake and Alysha Lambert (and grandparents Tana & Larry) on the birth of their son Leon Willard born on January 13th. He joins big brother Sylas. Let's support them with meals for a couple of weeks! Sign up on the Immanuel Website. Questions about delivery of food, call or text Jake at 406- contact Kim Butler kmrbutler1@gmail.com. 529-9421. Please leave a voice mail if you don't reach him. Questions or need help with the signup? Contact Nancy Marks at 406-396-5494 (phone or text) or nancy@imlchurch.org

Two Service Volunteers needed: Service committee is looking for two volunteers to be team leaders for two areas of ministry. Red Cross Blood Drive – 1 or two times a year- coordinate dates around your schedule. Be the liaison between the Red Cross and Immanuel. Assist with setup and coordinating volunteers for blood drive. Habitat for Humanity- work with team of other Lutheran Churches to coordinate a date for a Lutheran Build in the summer. Communicate dates and

recruit volunteers with Immanuel. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Nancy Marks or Pastor Molly Sasser-Goehner

Gentle Yoga Join us Tuesdays at 9:45 am in the Hemgren Room. Sign up via the Immanuel website or

Uncluttered Book study To learn more or Register follow the link on the Immanuel Website or contact Nancy Marks: Nancy@imluchurch.org.



Share the love of Christ with all!

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Please join us for refreshments



