



Welcome

June 26, 2022

Immanuel's Values:

- Loving God and one another
- Intentional faith development and expression
- Active service in the community
- Practicing transformative generosity

We ask prayers of comfort, strength, healing, and thanksgiving for:

(Please let us know when you have a prayer request. You can call the pastor or write it on your Connect Sheet. Your request will be listed for three weeks. Please let us know if you would like to have it listed longer.)

- Sadie Brown, niece of MaryKay Copp, pregnancy complications. Prayers for healing.
- Lyn Jerde, friend of Angie & Mike Karpinko, cardiac issues. Prayers for healing.
- Karl Jacobson, husband of Pastor Angela, bone marrow transplant. Prayers for successful treatment.
- Bob Holmes, brain bleed. Prayers for continued healing.
- Emily Lindahl, surgery. Prayers for successful surgery and healing
- Carol Gjersvik. Prayers for comfort.
- Uncle Charlie, uncle of Wes & Katie Bonine, bladder cancer. Prayers for healing.
- Family of Brian Peterson, relations to Pat & Bill Middeke on his passing.
- Katie Kretchmer Clemence, paraplegic due to a ruptured tumor. Prayers for healing and discernment.
- Randy Ryski, ALS. Prayers for slow progression and for strength, and also for a research breakthrough.

We share the resurrection hope with:

- Terri Tomlinson and family. Terri's father, Melton Sadd, passed away on June 2. His service was Friday, June 24 in Willmar.
- Mike Cadden and family. Mike's father, Donald, passed away on June 18.

PASTORS ANGELA & KARL wish to wholeheartedly thank the Immanuel community for all of your care, support, prayers, and Wednesday night meals during this difficult time! The bone marrow transplant, recovery, and maintenance therapy will be a long road journey through the summer and fall and beyond. Please visit our Caring Bridge site for current updates, prayer concerns, and ways to help at <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/karljacobson>. At Immanuel, we will also let Mary Kay know of potential care needs as they arise – please email her at marykay@immanuel.us or call 952 230-0358. God bless you for all that you do!

VBS, JULY 11 – 14 Donations of a wide variety of craft and food items needed for VBS. Sign up online at www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4caaab22a46-vbs or on the board in the Atrium to provide these supplies. Registrations and volunteers are still welcome. Register at www.immanuel.us/children/VBS.

SUMMER PRAYER WALKS Mondays during the Summer @ 12 noon. (NOTE: NO prayer walk on July 4th) Come join Pastor Angela and friends for Summer Prayer Walks around Round Lake - Come one, come all - no sign-ups necessary; just show up at Immanuel's courtyard for a brief prayer at noon and then for sharing prayer concerns and conversation while walking around Round Lake. Rain or shine!

BAPTISM ORIENTATION. As you look to a baptism date for your little one, please plan to attend a Baptism Orientation. The next orientation will meet on Sunday, July 31 at 10:30 a.m. Please call MaryKay in the church office to register.

A TOUR OF ITALY: HEAVEN, HELL AND EVERYTHING IN-BETWEEN! October 9 - 20, 2023. Interest Meeting: Tuesday, August 16, 7 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Join Pastor Paul and Karen for this initial interest meeting!

OUTDOOR WORSHIP. The 10:30 a.m. service is outdoors!!! Bring your folding chairs/blankets or use an Immanuel chair. Pets are welcome! **If the weather is uncertain on Sunday morning** and you'd like to know of any last-minute changes/notifications, you can either:

- sign up to receive a "General Congregation" text update: www.immanuel.us/about/text-alerts, or
- you can check Immanuel's Facebook page - www.facebook.com/ILCEdenPrairie

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

- **IMMANUEL MEN SERVE BREAKFAST AT THE SIMPSON SHELTER SATURDAY, JULY 9.** We will meet in the Immanuel parking lot near the front door to carpool over to the shelter no later than 6:15 AM and will be back to Immanuel no later than 9:30 AM. Please email Dave Beach - davidalanbeach@gmail.com - to sign up or direct your questions.
- **DIAPER SQUAD.** Support our partner Redeemer Lutheran as they help with a food shelf in their neighborhood. Donations of diapers, baby wipes and sanitary pads are needed - these items are in high demand for families accessing food shelves. Sign up online to donate or deliver diapers at signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4FACA728A2F5C34-diaper
- **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY: MONDAY, AUGUST 1** in Chaska. We need volunteers for the construction team, to bring lunch or take photos. No experience required. Minimum age 16 for construction volunteers. Sign up with Ruth Lunde at lundeworld@yahoo.com Lynn Swanson at 952-974-1689.
- **PEANUT BUTTER DONATIONS.** Immanuel has committed to donating 1200 x 16oz jars of peanut butter to PROP's Summer Food for Kids collection! Deliver to church (cart by front entrance).

REDEEMER COOKOUT Tuesday, August 2, 5 - 8:30 p.m. (National Night Out). Help provide a BBQ at our mission partner, Redeemer Lutheran Church, Minneapolis. Help prepare, cook, serve and eat a meal with a mission partner congregation! Contact savannah@immanuel.us to sign up or with questions.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR OUR SCREEN TEAM AND LIVESTREAM TEAM. Volunteers are needed in our tech booth to advance slides (Screen Team) and livestream (Stream Team). Teens and adults welcome! Training is provided! Please contact martin@immanuel.us if you're interested.

TWIN BED NEEDED FOR AFGHAN REFUGEE. Our Circle of Welcome team has a new Afghan man who has moved in with the other guys and he is need of a **TWIN BED**. If you have one available please contact Betsy Hedding: betsyhedding@gmail.com

LITTLE DRESSES FOR AFRICA. Kits to make dresses are available at the Registration Desk. Each kit contains what you need to make 6 pillowcase dresses. Please take home a kit to sew over the summer. There is no rush, but when you have them completed you can return them to church. Questions? Ilene McCluskey 952-944-6471.

MEN'S SOFTBALL Immanuel has two teams in the Eden Prairie Thursday Softball League. When the two teams play against each other you are especially invited to come out and cheer them on! Will Immanuel Gold or Immanuel Maroon be this year's winners? Head-to-head meetings are scheduled:

- Thursday, July 14, 7 p.m., [Riley Lake Park #1](#)
- Thursday, July 28, 8 p.m., [Round Lake, #3](#)

SHARE A FAITHBIT! What's God up to in your life? It's encouraging when we hear stories of God at work in our lives, so we invite you to write/share a short reflection (250 - 300 words) with our faith community about a faith moment in your life. It could be a reflection on:

- an Immanuel ministry event or activity.
- a sermon or learning opportunity that stirred up faith in you.
- how God used you to care/serve for others.
- a person who impacted your faith, or
- some other "bit" from your faith experience!

2022 SUMMER GRIEF GROUP meets at St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 13600 Technology Drive, Eden Prairie, MN PH: 952-937-2776 6 Monday nights, 6:00-7:15pm June 20, 27, July 11, 18, August 1, 8. The Summer Grief Group is discussion time only, no meals or speakers. Attendees will meet in a group setting with others who are traveling their grief journey led by a trained grief facilitator. Due to irregular summer attendance, groups will not be preassigned, but mixed as it relates to the nature of loss. You may attend as many sessions as work for you. Questions? Please contact Carla Beach at cbeachcoaching@gmail.com or Julie Samuelson at juliemsam@aol.com with questions or to let us know you plan to attend. Please join us even if you have not signed up ahead of time



RAISE THE ROOF If you have not yet submitted your Raise the Roof pledge, please:

- Mail it to the church office or drop it at the church office during open hours (M-Th 8:30am-4pm, Fri. 8:30am-noon)
- Submit your pledge online: <https://www.immanuel.us/about/response> or you can scan this QR code
- Learn more about Raise the Roof: www.immanuel.us/about/raise-the-roof