



Rev. Thomas Baker is our interim pastor. If you need to talk to Pastor Baker in St. Louis, please call 314-395-5050 or the following toll free long distance number: 1-877-267-1962. If there is no answer, leave your name, phone number and the reason for the call and Pastor Baker will return your call ASAP.

Contact Numbers:

Tom Burtch - 309-252-2408
Hans Moll - 309-837-9296

THE LORD WILLING, THIS WEEK THROUGH IMMANUEL ... IN THE NAME OF JESUS

Sunday, March 21		Student Dinner (SC)	6:15 PM
Worship Service (C) Communion	8:30 AM	Lenten Service (SC)	7:00 PM
Elders: Tom & Curt		Bible Study (SC)	8:00 PM
Christian Education (C)	9:45 AM	Sunday, March 28	
Worship Service (SC)	11:00 AM	Worship Service (C)	8:30 AM
Pastor Baker's office hours (C)	12:00 PM	Christian Education (C)	9:45 AM
Lutheran Hour (96.7 FM)	1:00 PM	Worship Service (SC) Communion	11:00 AM
Monday, March 22		Elder: Terry	
Elders (C)	7:00 PM	Pastor Baker's office hours (C)	12:00 PM
Wednesday, March 10		Lutheran Hour (96.7 FM)	1:00 PM
Quilter's Guild (C)	9-11 AM	SC=Student Center (303 N Clay) C=Church (906 E Grant)	

Listen to **"The Lutheran Hour"** at 1:00PM Sundays on WGNX 96 March 21 **"But He Is Strong"**
Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler We might not see weakness as a virtue. And yet, weakness is where God's strength is made perfect.(Mark 14:10-72) March 28 **"Got You Covered"** Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
When you're in a pinch and out of options and someone says they've got you covered, it's good news.
(Mark 15) (You can also listen to TLH at 7:00AM on Sundays at 92.5FM out of Beardstown.)

Weekly green sheet can be viewed at ImmanuelMacomb.com by scrolling down on the Home Page.

Please send any information to be included in the weekly green sheet by Thursday at noon.
Please send any prayer requests to Secretary@ImmanuelMacomb.com.

Our Servant Leaders

Church Council

President -- *Tom Burtch*
Vice-President --
Recording Secretary -- *Mary Jane Bruketta*
Financial Secretary -- *Diny Burnell*
Treasurer -- *Hans Moll*
Board of Christian Education Chair -- Board
of Outreach & Fellowship -- *Mary Strode*
Board of Trustees Chair -- *Mike Powell*
Council member At-Large -- *Michelle Wenndt*

Council of Elders

Tom Quick, Head Elder, Mitch Standard,
Terry Standard, Curt Strode, Lynn
Wolfmeyer

Lutheran Student Fellowship Officers

President – Sam Spaletto
Vice President – Luke Jesgarz
Secretary/Treasurer – Ben Efnor
Outreach/Activities – Dylan Smith

We are looking for some volunteers to be trained to use the ipad to play music on the organ at church. When we do go back to singing we'll need this vital service once again. Training will be provided.

A sign-up sheet for **2021 Ushers** is on the bulletin board at church. Please consider signing up for a week or two or a whole month.

"We affirm again and again that God handmade all people and Jesus died for all people. And that means ALL lives are valuable and equally loved." *Michelle Bauman, Director of Y4Life for Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

Mark 10:45 – "For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." Jesus gives everything He has: He gives Himself. That self-giving is the model for our giving in all aspects of our lives. In our family, in our church, and in the world at large, Jesus calls us to follow His example in self-giving. We can only do this if we are connected to His self-giving in faith.

EASTER LILIES

The cost to purchase a lily and to be included in the Memory Garden listing in the bulletin on Easter Sunday is \$9.00 per lily. Please complete the insert in the bulletin and return it with your money to Diny Burnell, Miriam Satern, or the Church Office in the Student Center by Wednesday, March 31. Make checks out to Immanuel Lutheran Church. The lilies will be placed in both the Church and the Student Center and can be taken home after the church service on Easter Sunday, April 4.

*****Communion Notes*****

If anyone would prefer a gluten-free wafer or a non alcoholic cup at communion, please see an usher or Elder before service begins so arrangements can be made to accommodate your request.

As a reminder during communion, please take a small plastic tray from the Elder before receiving the wafer and cup. Pastor will place the wafer in your tray and the Elder will then set a cup in your tray. Please do not reach for either the wafer or cup by hand. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated to minimize any potential contamination.

Thank you.
Tom Quick, Head Elder



April – June Portals of Prayer are available I entrance at the church & Student Center as well as the Free Library.

Camp CILCA – We have received the Camp CILCA program Calendar for 2021. It is posted on the bulletin board by the mail boxes. We have a scholarship fund to cover the cost of camp. Talk to Hans Moll (309-837-9296) for details.

Happy Times are available in the Church narthex.

The next Elder’s Meeting is March 22, 2021 at 6:00 PM at the church.

Wednesday Lenten Services will continue through March 24. They are at the Student Center at 7:00 p.m. There will be no soup suppers ahead of services.

Endowment Update: \$9430 has been donated toward the \$10,000 Matching grant for the Student Center Endowment. A brochure and form for donations are on the credenza at the church entrance.

Lenten Devotion Booklets are now available at the entrance to both the Church and the Student Center as well as the free library. Call the church office if you want a copy mailed to you.

WIU STUDENT DINNERS – 6:15 PM Although the church council voted to not have congregation simple suppers during Lent, our WIU students have asked if we would please continue them for the students – usually 5-7. They said this is one time when they enjoy a good meal and can visit with each other. A simple meal (chili, soup, stew, etc. and a dessert is perfect). They eat at 6:15 pm, 7 pm church and 8 pm Bible Study. They really appreciate these dinners. The sign-up sheet is in the narthex of both buildings. Thanks!

The Elders are updating the church’s membership list. If your phone number, address, or email address has changed, please let one the Elders know. This includes any family member also. Thank you for your assistance!

Concordia Seminary has announced the appointment of Dr. Thomas J. Egger as the 11th president of the Seminary. The letter and biography of Dr. Egger is posted on the church bulletin board.

March 4, 2021
Re: Audit of the Treasurer’s File – Immanuel Lutheran Church and Student Center

The audit committee, selected by the president of the church council, met with the treasurer of Immanuel Lutheran Church and Student Center on March 4, 2021 at 2:00 pm., to audit the treasurer’s files for 2020. The audit began with the treasurer’s explanation of the process used in the recording of all financial transactions and the filing system used in storing the documentation of those transactions. The audit committee examined random samples of these records. After reviewing these records and documentation, the audit committee determined that the records were in excellent order.

The treasurer was commended for the excellent job he has done in keeping orderly and understandable records.

The audit committee recommends approval of the 2020 audit report.

Respectfully submitted,
Audit committee: Mary Jane Bruketta and Mary Strode

Maundy Thursday service will be 7:30 pm
Good Friday service will be 7:00 pm.
Both will be at the church.

Easter Sunday services will be at both locations at the normal times.
There will be no Easter breakfast after the 8:30 service. There will be Bible Study after this service.