

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.

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

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| Sunday, September 4 | Student Dinner (SC) Host: Quick | 6:30 PM |
| Worship Service (C) Communion | Bible Study (SC) | 7:30 PM |
| Elders: Curt & Lynn | | |
| Christian Education (C) | | |
| Worship Service (SC) | | |
| Pastor Baker's office hours (C) | | |
| Lutheran Hour (96.7 FM) | | |
| Tuesday, September 6 | | |
| LWML (C) | | |
| Wednesday, September 7 | | |
| | Sunday, September 11 | |
| | Worship Service (C) | 8:30 AM |
| | Christian Education (C) | 9:45 AM |
| | Worship Service (SC) Communion | 11:00 AM |
| | Elder: Mike | |
| | Pastor Baker's office hours (C) | 12:00 PM |
| | Lutheran Hour (96.7 FM) | 1:00 PM |

SC=Student Center (303 N Clay) C=Church (906 E Grant)

Listen to **"The Lutheran Hour"** at 1:00PM Sundays on WGNX 96 September 4 **"Count the Cost"**
 Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler Jesus offers a gracious buyout, even as He speaks of counting the cost of following Him. (Luke 14:25-35) September 11 **"Lost and Found"** Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
 When Jesus told stories about lost sheep and lost coins, He was really talking about lost people. (Luke 15:1-10)
 (You can also listen to TLH at 7:00AM on Sundays at 92.5FM out of Beardstown.)

Please send any information to be included in the green sheet this week by Thursday at 10:00 AM.

Please send any prayer requests for the **bulletin** by **Wednesday at 9:00 am** to Secretary@ImmanuelMacomb.com.



Baptized at the 11 AM service: Sophia Lou Bohrhunter
 Parents: Nick & Jessica Bohrhunter
 Siblings: Theodore & Elizabeth
 Sponsors: Ireland Bohr & Oliver Hunter

"My Devotions" for Sept. – Nov. are now available on the ushers pew.

Please plan on attending the upcoming LLL "Retreat." The Retreat will be held on September 10th at Camp Cilca. We are pleased to have Dr. Schurb from the CID District Office and Dr. Daniel Harmelink from the Concordia Historical Institute in St. Louis presenting together. They will present episodes of the 175 years of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod. Registration will be from 8AM to 9AM. Registration is \$20 which includes lunch.

The LLL "Annual Retreat" began in 1955 and there have been "Retreats" every year since. A couple of men had attended a similar event in Indiana. They were instrumental in starting it in the Central Illinois District. What a heritage "The Retreat" has been. The LCMS had some interesting times through the years.

Please see the Flyer on the bulletin board. Reservation are requested by Sept. 6 to Deloris Blessman @ delorisblessman@yahoo.com.

LWML will meet on September 6 at 7:00 PM at the church. The hostess will be Marcia Moll with Mary Strode leading the bible study.

Wednesday Student Meals

THIS Wednesday, August 24th, is the day for the first of this semester's students' evening meals before their bible study. These are served at 6:30 at the Student Center This is an outreach project that benefits many. Any questions please contact Diny at 837-3246.

Note: Perhaps you want to prepare a meal but for some reason cannot serve it. We can arrange to have your meal served by others in the congregation.

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| August 24 | Diny Burnell – Meatloaf | Served 8 |
| August 31 | Hans and Marcia Moll – Sloppy Joes | Served 10 |
| Sept. 7 | Tom and Donna Quick | |
| Sept. 14 | Doug and Jessica LaFountain | |
| Sept. 21 | John and Mary Jane Bruketta | |
| Sept. 28 | | |
| Oct. 5 | | |
| Oct. 12 | | |
| Oct. 19 | Miriam Satern | |
| Oct 26 | | |
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The Camp CILCA Chicken Fry and Auction will be held on Sunday, September 4 from 11:30am-2:30pm. Meals will cost \$10 for adults and will include fresh fried chicken, cole slaw, mashed potatoes, drinks, and dessert. The live auction will begin at 12:30pm in the air conditioned Dining Hall. The Trading Post and beach will be open for a full day of food and fun.

History of Immanuel By Nelda Kelly

Purchase of Land

In the fall of 1956, a plot of ground was purchased at the end of South Pearl Street from Louis Blevins for \$10,500. The congregation then applied for and received a loan from the District in the amount of \$40,000 to build a house of worship. C.R. Miller and Sons of Decatur, Illinois were engaged as architects.

Building Committee

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