

Sun. 9:00am  
10:25am  
6:00pm  
11:00pm

**The Lord's Week**  
**Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300**  
Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School (Xmas Practice)  
"...the greatest of these is LOVE."  
**Communion Christmas Service**

Mon.- 9:00am

**Christmas Day Communion Service**

Sun. 9:00am  
10:25am

**Divine Service on KMMO AM 1300**  
Adult Bible Class/ Sunday School

*Immanuel Lutheran Church*

Powered by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim the work of  
the Son, in adoration of the Father.

*Sola Gratia. Sola Fide. Sola Scriptura. Solus Christus.*



*Fourth Sunday in Advent*

December 24, 2017



*Come and worship,  
Come and worship!*

**Hymn #359**

*Invocation/Confession/Absolution*

*p.151*

Psalm 89:1-5 (19-29)

**Kyrie**

*pp.152-53*

First Reading

2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16

Epistle

Romans 16:25-27

Gospel Reading

Luke 1:26-38

*The Apostles' Creed (back inside cover of hymnal)*

**Hymn #392**

**Children's Message: On the cusp!**

**Sermon: Hymn Sing**

**Hymn #789** as we receive our offerings and fill out the registers

*Prayer/Lord's Prayer*

**Benediction**

**Hymn #376**

<u>Those serving</u>	
<i>Musician:</i>	Judy Teufel
<i>The Greeters:</i>	Marc & Kristy Johnson
<i>The Acolyte:</i>	Kirsten
<i>The Head Usher:</i>	Steve Fuchs
<i>Radio and Sound:</i>	Steve Vickrey, Ron Meyer, Pete Melies
<i>Church Secretary:</i>	Judy Teufel
<i>Church Custodian:</i>	Jim Teufel
<i>Pastor:</i>	Rev. Dan Wing

**To God be glory for 139 years of  
His grace at Immanuel and 67 years of  
proclaiming Jesus on our radio broadcast!**

Whether you are a lifelong member or visiting for the first time we are honored to have you here this morning. Please feel free to contact Pastor Wing regarding questions of membership or of a spiritual or personal matter. You may contact him at: (660) 851-3810 or at church: (660) 335-4141. If you get a chance check us out online at: [www.lcmsimmanuel.org](http://www.lcmsimmanuel.org)  
Church office: 110 Main, Sweet Springs, MO 65351  
**May the Peace of Christ dwell in you!**



“ ...the greatest of these is



LOVE.”

**Communion Committee**

**Jan. 7** Dana Melies  
Angie Eichholz

**Jan. 21** Sue Nicholson  
Courtney Gieselmans

**Acolytes**

Dec. 25 Matthew  
Dec. 31 Chase  
Jan. 7 Dalyn  
Jan. 14 Gregory

*Secretary's hours this week: M-closed; T-F 6:00-9:00am  
If you need something and the office is closed please call Judy at  
(660)202-2993 or email:jteufel3354141@gmail.com.*

**A-Adoration**

*All blessing, thanks, and praise to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ, be given: Thou hast my Brother deigned to be, Thou Lord of earth and heaven. Help me throughout this day of grace to praise Thy love and seek Thy face; and when I stand before Thee forever to adore Thee. (LSB #378 v.3)*

**C-Confession**

*Thou knowest all my griefs and fears, Thy grace abused, my misspent years; yet now to Thee with contrite tears, Christ crucified, I come. Wash me and take away each stain; Let nothing of my sin remain. For cleansing, though it be through pain, Christ crucified, I come. (LSB #560 vv.2 and 3)*

**T-Thanksgiving**

*Rejoice, O pilgrim throng! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing; your festal banner wave on high, the cross of Christ your king. Rejoice! Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing! (LSB #813 v.1)*

**S-Supplication**

*We commit these and many others to Your keeping this day:*  
Robert Brantdt (knee surgery), Pat Duffey, Mickie Hemme, Jason Higgins,  
Lo Wanda Pinkepank, Lana Scott, Carol Thurman,  
April Uricioli and Daniel Uricioli.

**Family and Friends of Immanuel:**

Jesse Bartlett, Cindy Bernard, Dustin Brandt, Jamie Brandt, Alberta Bredehoeft,  
Deven Breland, Becky Brown, Lindy Campbell, Mike Christiansen,  
Shirley Colson, Boston DeWald, Mindy Dohrman, Haley Downs, Roger Driver,  
Eugene Eckhoff, Dana Fuerhing, Tim Hepting, Amy Gerdts, Jim Kalasing,  
Judy Kemmerer, Lane Kirby, Junior Krause, Annabelle Krop, Keith Lumpkin,  
Jimmy Moore, Rick Sarbaugh, Douglas Schroeder, Steven Shultz, Vicki Siegel,  
Kyle Snyder, Charlotte Tally, Austin Werths, Darren Woodall,  
Wilmer Ziegelbein, and Betty Zimmerschied (broken shoulder), .

**LGSNH:** Sylvia Henley, Millie Heins, and Martha Jane Vogelsmeier

**The Villa:** Dorothy Krause

**Warrensburg VA:** Leland Schelp

**The LCMS (Synod and District):** President Harrison and President Hagan

**Mission Workers:** Rev. Jeff and Michelle Kuddes (Madagascar) and  
Josh, Coco, and John Lange (China).

**Seminarian:** Garret Kasper (St. Louis)

**For Ryan Kincaid and Kathleen Tyler,** as they will be united in holy matrimony this coming Saturday. May the Lord bless this union and may He always be at the center of their life together.

## Attendance & Giving for November 2017

Sunday Church Service Attendance				Giving (weeks 45-48)			
Date	Members	Visitors	Total	'17	Amount	'16	Amount
Nov. 5	108	17	125	45	\$ 2,856.00	45	\$ 4,093.60
Nov. 12	98	90	108	46	\$ 1,972.75	46	\$ 4,048.00
Nov. 19	127	18	145	47	\$ 2,562.00	47	\$ 1,719.00
Nov. 26	117	24	141	48	\$ 1,723.00	48	\$ 2,061.45
<b>Total Giving for the Weeks of 45-48</b>					\$ 9,113.75		\$ 11,922.05
<b>Total Giving Year-to-Date</b>					\$131,680.18		\$134,767.76

Sunday School & Adult Bible Class Attendance			WES Attendance			
Date	SS Total	BC Total	Date	Member	Visitor	Total
Nov. 5	20	29	Nov. 1	8	3	11
Nov. 12	26	Voter's	Nov. 8	No WES		
Nov. 19	25	29	Nov. 15	6	2	8
Nov. 26	17	23	Nov. 22	71	11	82
			Nov. 29	9	1	10

### Changes in Membership November 2017

Deaths	1	Baptisms	0	Marriages	1	0
Confirmations	0	Transfers Out	0	Transfers In	0	0

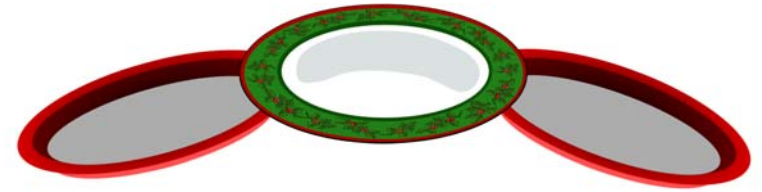
### Changes in Membership November 2017

#### Marriages

*Shawn Thomas Bongard and Breanna Dawn Schelp were joined in Holy Matrimony on November 11, 2017 at Immanuel Lutheran Church with Rev. Daniel Wing officiating.*

#### Deaths

*Violet Mae Trautman, 95, of rural Sweet Springs, Mo died on Thursday, November 30, 2017. She received a Christian funeral and burial on December 5, 2017. Rev. Daniel Wing officiating.*



### Ladies of the Congregation

We have several platters left from the cookie festival. They are on a table near the Bell Ringers practice area.

Also, Millie Dohrman called she has a very nice insulated bag with polka dots on it. The one she has is not hers. Hers has Zimmerschied embroidered on it. Please check you totes to see if you have mistakenly gotten home with the wrong one. Just let either Millie or the office know to exchange the totes.

Thank you!