

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCEMENTS
July 28, 2024

Monday-Friday Summer Office Hours:	8:00-12:00 pm
Sunday, July 28: Divine Service – Summer schedule	9:00 am
Quarterly Voters meeting	10:15 am
Sunday, August 4: Divine Service – Summer schedule	9:00 am
Can-It-Sunday	

Quarterly Voters Meeting will be held today, July 28, following the church service. At this meeting there will be a presentation from Matthew Feils regarding the results of the church survey.

Welcome to our new organist Playing the organ for our service today is Carmen Zuelsdorff. Carmen is married to our new ILS principal Bill Zuelsdorff and we are excited to add her to the organ rotation schedule. Originally from Lake City, MN, where her parents still live, Carmen will also be playing for services at Saint Peter Lutheran Church – Belvidere, MN. Welcome Carmen!

New Church Photo Directory photo sign-up TODAY Greg and Becky Gilbertson, who we thank for leading this, will be available after church service today for those who wish to sign up for a photo time. The dates for taking photos are **October 3, 4, and 5**. For participating you will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and a church directory. We will also have a smartphone app for a digital directory as part of this project! As with past directories, you will have the chance to purchase family portraits. Online scheduling is available by going to www.ucdir.com and look for the photography appointment scheduling login (on the right side if viewed on a computer). The church code is mn491 and password is photos. Look for a link on Facebook and on the 150th anniversary web page on the church website (www.immanuelplainview.org/ilc-150th)

Special Music at Immanuel Church Services This is to inform you that for this coming year the Immanuel Adult Choir will not meet regularly on Wednesday nights. What is planned for now is to draw from all the musical talent at Immanuel and have soloists, duets, smaller groups, instrumentalists, etc. plan special music for a given Sunday. If you, or someone you know would like to sing or play an instrument for a church service, call the office or contact Deb Eggenberger (507) 421-0569 to schedule and plan music.

The Bell Tower Restoration Project is complete. There is a balance due in the Bell Tower Fund of **\$-8,936.45**. Thank you for your continued financial support on this restoration project.

Can-It-Sunday The **first Sunday of every month** is Can-It-Sunday. The need is great and it is something that everyone can do. Pick up a few extra items each week when you shop and bring to church on the **first Sunday of the month** (or place in boxes anytime during the month). There will also be a can in each box for cash/check donations. There is one box near the elevator and another box near the middle set of double doors in the entry area. Next Sunday, August 4, is Can-It-Sunday, so bring a donation! Thank you!

2024 Summer Fellowship Series continues with a movie in Wedgewood Park this Sunday, July 28th from 8:00-10:00 pm. All friends and family's welcome. Bring a lawn chair. Concessions available. Poppa J's Kettle Corn is available for purchase. Sponsored by Plainview Area Christians (PAC) Email with questions to Plainviewareachristians@gmail.com

SPONSOR(S) NEEDED! The Dave Anderson/Roger Walck concert requests a \$300 donation to cover the base costs of their tour stop. This is in addition to the free-will offering for Shepherd's Canyon Retreat taken that evening. Individuals or businesses are invited to contribute to the donation. Contact Pastor Augustine if interested.



Immanuel Lutheran Church to Host Gospel Concert Musicians

Immanuel Lutheran Church in Plainview will be hosting Dave Anderson and Roger Walck for an evening worship concert on Wednesday, August 7, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. Dave's first concert in Plainview was in the 1980's. Now, we are excited to be included on his farewell tour. Dave and Roger combined, have 100 years experience in music ministry! The audience will often be invited to sing along with Dave and Roger.

In addition to their music experience, they are ambassadors for the Shepherd's Canyon Retreat ministry. Shepherd's Canyon Retreat provides week-long counseling retreats for men and women in full-time ministry who are in the midst of burnout, stress, depression, and conflicts of all kinds. The Shepherd's Canyon Retreat ministry is based in Arizona.

On August 13, 1993, Dave Anderson, his wife Barbara, and five others survived a plane crash in the Bering Sea. The seven missionaries were in 41-degree water for about an hour. Their rescue has been called the most dramatic air/sea rescue in aviation history. During the evening, Dave will share highlights from their crash and rescue story. If you have not heard the rescue story before, you don't want to miss hearing about this miracle!

The public is invited to this praise concert on August 7. An offering will be received in support of the Shepherd's Canyon Retreat ministry. You are also invited to a meet and greet with Dave and Roger starting at 6:00 in the church basement. There will be appetizers and beverages available.

Mark your calendar and bring your friends to this wonderful evening of praise, and marvel at the great rescue story!