IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL WEEKLY CALENDAR and ANNOUNCMENTS October 6, 2024

Monday-Friday Office Hours:	8:00 – 4:00 pm
Sunday, Oct. 6: LWML Sunday/Mite Box collection	-
Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:15 am
Education Hour	9:15 am
Monday, Oct. 7: LifeLight Bible Study	9:00 am
Board of CCO	6:00 pm
FDMS Planning Meeting @ Tarasco's	6:00 pm
Trustees Meeting	6:00 pm
Board of Youth	6:30 pm
Tuesday, Oct 8: Church Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Wednesday, Oct. 9: Chapel	8:25 am
Confirmation 7 th grade	5:45 pm
Confirmation 8th grade	6:30 pm
Thursday, Oct. 10: Men's Thursday Morning Bible Study	6:00 am
ILCW Meeting	6:30 pm
Friday, Oct. 11: ILS Bike Marathon	
Saturday, Oct. 12: LWML Fall Conference Rally	8:00 am – 12:00
Sunday, Oct. 13: Divine Service	8:00 am & 10:15 am
Education Hour	9:15-10:00 am

<u>LWML Sunday/Mite Box Collection is today</u>... bring your Mite box to our Church services. Instead of using the term "Mite Box", think of it as a "blessing box, thank offering box, or mission box". Thank you for contributing to the Mite Box & providing the opportunity to spread the Gospel to the world.

<u>October Altar Flowers</u> - Randy and Bonnie Boettcher are beautifying our altar with flowers this month. They are in memory of their parents Bernie and Violet Boettcher and Walt and Paula Ploof.

<u>Immanuel Lutheran Church Women</u> (ILCW) Lutheran Women in Mission (LWML) October meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, October 10th at 6:30 PM i**n the Immanuel church basement. Bible study and business meeting planned. Also decorating and completing plans for the LWML Rally hosted on Saturday, October 12th will be done. Inviting all women of Immanuel to attend for Christian Fellowship.

<u>Today and next Sunday are Honey Sundays</u>. This is a joint fundraiser for the ILCW and the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch in Minot ND. There is an insert in your bulletin today if you would like to order a bottle of honey for yourself or as a gift. The honey is \$10 a bottle and comes directly to your home or can be sent to someone as a gift. You can order today or next week in the resource room. Checks should be made out to ILCW.

<u>Today is Can-It-Sunday</u>! This is our monthly chance to support the local food shelf. There are boxes at both entrances for your donation of food items and there is a can for monetary donations.

<u>Fall Road Ditch Cleanup</u> – Hwy 247 cleanup will take place on <u>Saturday, October 19th at 10 a.m.</u> Meet in Doane's parking lot on the West end. All are invited to help out! We are usually done around noon, but the more people we have, the faster it goes. See you there - Bd of Stewardship

<u>Heritage Fest</u> is October 20th, which is only 2 weeks away!! We are looking for items for the silent auction! If you have new items, garden produce, canned goods, baked goods, crafts, woodworking, dinners, or services (example - 2 hours free babysitting, etc.), please call Bonnie Boettcher (507-534-3045) or Lisa Hoekstra (507-251-3998). Thank you!

October is Pastor Appreciation Month A pastor devoted to giving so much, God only knows all the souls that you touch. Committed to serve when you answered God's call, you prove it by being a servant to all. Matt 25:21 Thank you to the Pastor's who lead us!

<u>Candy Gram Kick off</u>: starts today ...the Youth Group will once again be selling candy grams beginning today, Sunday, Oct. 6th. They will be located in the resource room. Purchase the candy gram for \$5. to be delivered to the person of your choice and the youth will write a hand-written note and will deliver it along with a tasty treat.

<u>Good with numbers and bank statements?</u> Consider helping with the audit of Hope Lutheran High School's bookkeeping. Volunteers are being recruited to help out with verifying the books as part of the accreditation process. Contact Pastor if you have questions or need further info, or contact Principal Rocky Sandcork at <u>rsandcork@hopelhs.org</u> or (507) 313-3551.

Hope Lutheran FFA Corn Drive!

We are kicking off an FFA Chapter at Hope and are one of the first private schools to have one in the state. We are excited for many upcoming events, especially our corn drive! We are looking for support over this upcoming school year. If you are interested in supporting our chapter through the corn drive your donations will go to the FFA judging events, conventions, learning supplies, along with other activities. At Hope our goal is to always keep Christ First in all we do! Thank you to Whitewater Milling for helping us with this fundraiser. If you are wanting to donate please contact, Kalli Tveten- FFA President ktveten@hopelhs.org, Carter Lorch-FFA Vice President calorch26@hopelhs.org, or Owen Sauer- Treasurer

<u>Immanuel Lutheran School is in need</u> of a general music teacher for 3rd-8th grade. Teaching opportunity is 2-4 hours, 1-2 days per week, working directly with students. Please call the church office 507-534-2108 and ask for Principal Zuelsdorff for more information.