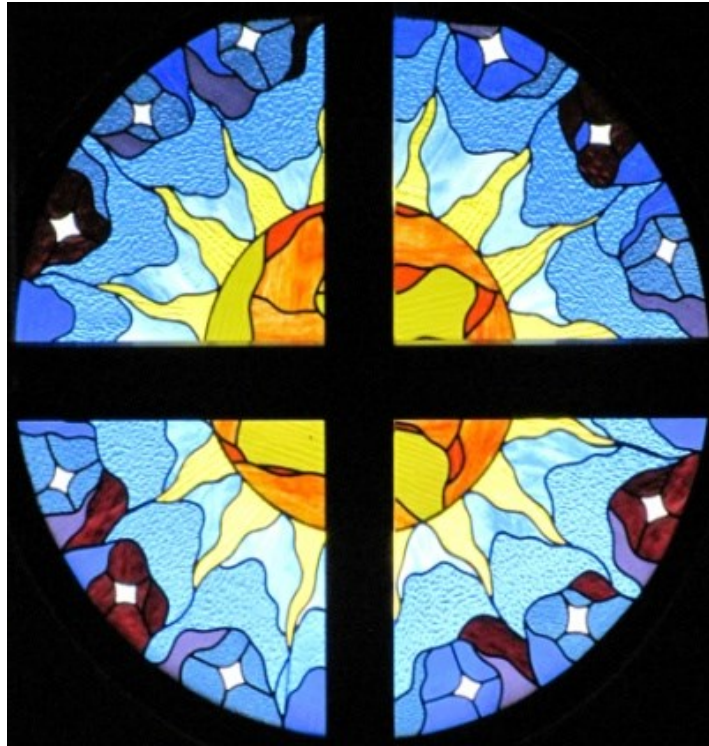


Immanuel Lutheran Church

Share Christ's Love.

April 2023 Newsletter



Worship and Communion

Sunday services

9 am

* In-Person

* Live Streaming

Faith Formation

Sunday

10:15 am

Office Hours

Kelly in office

Tuesdays and Thursdays

9 am - 1 pm

Find us on Facebook at Immanuel Lutheran Washington Iowa and online at luthwash.org

YouTube- [luthwash](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCv8w8w8w8w8w8w8w8w8w8w8) * Email us at luthwash@hotmail.com

Come visit us at 1226 East Washington Street, Washington, Iowa 52353

Church ~ 319.653.3950

Attendance

Wednesday, February 22
6:15 pm ~ 40 Views ~ 45
Sunday, February 26
9 am ~ 65 Views ~ 58
Wednesday, March 1
6:15 pm ~ No number Views ~ 22
Sunday, March 5
9 am ~ 56 Views ~ 34
Wednesday, March 8
6:15 pm ~ 22 Views ~ No live stream
Sunday, March 12
9 am ~ 53 Views ~ No live stream
Wednesday, March 15
6:15 pm ~ 21 Views ~ No live stream
Sunday, March 19
9 am ~ 60 Views ~ No live stream
Wednesday, March 22
6:15 pm ~ No number Views ~ No live stream
Sunday, March 26
9 am ~ 48 Views ~ No live stream

If you aren't signing the register, you aren't counted in these numbers.



Birthdays for April

4- Kelly Smith
7- Bentley Striegel
8- Bonnie Taylor
12- Debbie Jewell
20- Fran Victor
22- April Six
25- Stan Kroll
26- Grace Taylor
29- Gary Fischer



Anniversaries for April

4- Randy Poos & Nancy Baker
11- Lynn & Carol Woodruff
14- Kyle & Chrissy Middle
22- Marty & Joyce Westen

UPCOMING MEETINGS

To have your meetings listed,
please let Kelly know when they are held.

Council - Sunday, April 2nd at 11:30 a.m.

Worship and Music - Thursday, April 20th at 2 pm.

HACAP

Your dollar buys more when HACAP orders food,

consider sending a few dollars to:

HACAP

2175 Lexington Blvd # 1

Washington, Iowa 52353

Help your local families during this difficult time.

Thank you, DeAnn

February 2023 Finance			
Checking	37448.30	Visions	190.00
Visions	5429.65	Interest Income Checking	0
Savings	1613.06	Interest Income Savings	0
Community Assistance	3843.70	Total Income	12746.00
Luther League	10356.14	Total Expense	8163.17
Hills Bank		Net Income	4582.83
Checking	61154.09		
Refresh Renew	751.03		
Erma Thompson	3311.66	YTD Income	118043.43
(Scholarship Fund)		YTD Expense	-93743.04
Envelope Offering	8950.00	YTD Net Income	24299.96
Simply Giving	2402.00		
Total	11352.00		
Loose Offering	272.00		
Income other	0		
Faith Formation Income	0		
Thrivent Choice Dollars	832.00		
Building and Grounds	100.00		
Special Gifts	0		

THANKS

Heartfelt thanks to my beloved Immanuel Lutheran Church family for all the beautiful cards offering prayers, help if needed, and good wishes for my continued recovery through this very difficult time in my life. It all happened so fast and so completely unexpected that I was totally unprepared- but then, who is ever prepared for an emergency? I am so grateful to everyone who has helped me in any way with transportation to doctors, hospitals, picking up food supplies for me or staying with me through a doctor's visit. My daughter and her husband in Cedar Rapids have both had major medical problems of their own so they could not help me in any way. I have had to be completely dependent on the kindness of friends. I thank God every day for each and every one of you. May God bless you for your care and concern for me and I'm sure for many others in need of help-you are the Hands of God. My doctors have told me that my journey to recovery may be long and slow so please continue to pray for me. I welcome your calls, notes, and visits. God bless you all, Vi Kruse



Easter Worship Services

Palm Sunday- Sunday, April 2 at 9 am

Maundy Thursday- Thursday, April 6 at 6:30 pm

Easter- Sunday- April 9 at 9 am

LWR BOXING AT WERNER FICK'S

Thursday, April 14th - 3 pm.

HACAP FOOD BOXING

Tuesday, April 25th - times to follow.

Confirmation Sunday

Sunday, April 30th at 9 am



Welcome

Georgean Roffman and Larry Bartlett

We are glad you joined our church.
We pray that you will experience God's presence as we share the
wisdom found in His word with you.



We deliver Meals on Wheels in May
Sign up for a week to deliver meals.
Contact DeAnn Hakert at 319.461.5411



Centering Prayer: April 8th and April 22nd at 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Deacon Fran Victor will be leading an hour of contemplative prayer in Immanuel's sanctuary (practicing social caring and wearing masks) the second and fourth Saturday mornings of each month; 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. The hour begins with Centering Prayer and then moving into Lectio Divina (using a verse of scripture as the basis for prayer). No experience is necessary in either prayer practice to participate. No reservations needed, just come and enjoy the hour of contemplation. If you would like to join this intimate group, but are new to this type of prayer, come at 8:15 a.m. for explanation.

“God’s first word is silence.” – Thomas Keating



ENCORE EXPRESS

Heritage

Area Agency on Aging



Meals for seniors 60+!

Encore Express is **“your second call to enhance your health”**

This **NEW** and **INNOVATIVE** program features

Bi-monthly meals catered by Hy-Vee (coming soon!), Vouchers for meals at Hy-Vee

Suggested voluntary contribution of \$5.00 per meal, Evidence-Based Programs

(Chronic Disease Self-Management, Tai Chi, Stepping On and more), Nutrition Education & Counseling, and Opportunities to socialize

To pick up meal vouchers and for additional information call Immanuel

Lutheran Church at (319) 653-3950. Or stop in on Tuesdays and

Encore Express Meals for April:

Thursday, April 13th and Thursday, April 27

Serving at 11:30 a.m.

RSVPs are required.

See you there!!



Saturday Kitchen will be April 15th.

Southeastern Iowa Synod Assembly PARTY

SAVE THE DATE: MAY 20, 2023

THE SYNOD ASSEMBLY WORK SESSIONS WILL BE ONLINE ONLY FOR THE ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES (MAY BE IN DES MOINES ON SATURDAY, MAY 15 AND 16) AND THE PARTY IS IN PERSON **FOR EVERYONE IN THE SYNOD** ON SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2023 IN DES MOINES.

SAVE THE DATE! WE ARE ALL INVITED!



Service Date	Acolyte	Greeter	Reader	Tech	Usher	Communion
April 2	Vivi Kroll	Tricia Kroll and Caitlin Kroll	Tricia Kroll	Aaron Six	Steve Vetter, Gary Fischer, and Brad Kroll	Tricia Kroll
April 9	Clayton Bartholomew	Michelle Bartholomew	Taylor Bartholomew	Steve Vetter	Scott Bartholomew NEED Volunteers	Naomi Erickson
April 16	Evan Woline	Ron & Char Andersen	Linda Brown	Brayden Zywiec	Ron Andersen NEED Volunteers	Bev Bailey
April 23	Grace Taylor	Angela Taylor and Emma Taylor	Angela Taylor	NO ONE	Jason Taylor and Rob Taylor	Naomi Erickson
April 30	Paige Woline	Christina Woline and Evan Woline	Christina Woline	Brian Lueck	Ryan Woline NEED Volunteers	Bev Bailey

