# News & Notes—Week of October 13<sup>TH</sup>—October 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

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#### What's Happening This Week at Immanuel:

Sunday 13	Monday 14	Tuesday 15	Wednesday 16	Thursday 17	Friday 18	Saturday 19
<b>-9:00 am:</b> Sunday	-7:00 pm:		<b>-9:00 am:</b> 3D	-1:30 pm:	Pastor's Day	-11:00 am:
Worship	Sarah Circle		-10:30 am: Adult	Claddagh	Off	Gary Songer
<b>-9:15 am:</b> Sunday			Bible Study	Worship		Funeral
School			<b>-3:00 pm:</b> Spring	'		
			Grove Nursing			
-11:00 am: Church			Home Worship			
Workday! Bring			-NO 7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup>			
painting supplies if			Grade			
you have!			Confirmation: MEA			
			Break			

<u>Birthdays this Week</u>: Chase Wiebke, Alyssa Frank, Carson Beier, Marie Congdon, Mason Rye, Kennedy Hansen, and Wyatt Treu. Happy Birthday!

Remembering Those who Died within the Last 20 Years: Selmer Tweten and Gordon Wiebke.

(Apologies for getting ahead of myself and some names were accidentally listed last week which were for this week.)



#### Please hold in prayer:

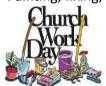
Emily Douglas, Patricia Holdmeyer (mother of Ryan Holdmeyer), Karen Johnson (wife of former Pastor K. Roger Johnson), Katie (Meyer) Larkin, Ellert Mindrum, Tim Schroeder, Dorothy Schulze, Roger Vick, Janell Torgerson, Lola Douglas, Tim Orr, and Jane Grippen-Jafferi

Please keep the family and friends of Gary Songer in your prayers. Gary passed away September 21. Funeral service will be held at Immanuel on Saturday, October 19 at 11:00 am with visitation from 9:30 – 11:00 am.

Please keep the family and friends of Butch Kohnen (Brother of Betty Schmitz). Butch passed away October 6 and funeral services were held Thursday, October 10 at Cross of Christ in Houston.

### **Church Work Day**

We are in need of a church work weekend. Your help is needed to get some projects done around the property. Painting, fixing, and cleaning. Wear painting clothes. Bring painting supplies.



Dates are Saturday, October 12 at 10 am and Sunday, October 13 at 11 am.

Sign up is on the kiosk. We look forward to your help sprucing up the building and outside property!

#### **T-Shirt Orders**

Thank you to those who have already ordered Immanuel Lutheran T-Shirts! We will still collect orders and place an order when there are enough. Order forms are on the counter in the back of the church and can be dropped off at the office or slid under the office door.

## Adult Bible Study – What's So Amazing About Grace???

In September the adult Wednesday morning Bible study series will resume. This group meets on Wednesday mornings at 10:30 AM. The study began on Wednesday, September 18. If you would still like to join, you are welcome to do so. You will need a book. If you would like to get the book through the church office, the cost is \$14.

Our first series of the Fall will use videos from best-selling author Phillip Yancey – What's So Amazing about Grace? In this study, In this study, you'll discover:

- The extent of God's love and what it means for us.
- Why the church seems to have lost the gift of grace-giving and why the world apart from the church can't offer it at all.
- What it would look like for us to truly understand, receive, and give the gift that God gives so generously to us.

Yancey offers compelling and true portraits of grace's life-changing power. He searches for its presence in his own life and in the church. He asks how Christians today can contend graciously with moral issues that threaten all they hold dear. And he challenges each of us to become living answers to a world that desperately wants to know,

"what's so amazing about grace?"

Session include:

- 1. No Strings Attached
- 2. An Unnatural Act
- 3. The Art of Forgiving
- 4. Grace Out to the Test
- Grace Abuse
- 6. Dispensing Grace For those who would like, there is a book that goes with the series. The book is called: What's So Amazing About Grace? You can purchase from Amazon or your favorite book seller. The church will have a few copies on hand as well.

#### **Four Seasons Community Center Events**

Here is an upcoming event being held at the Four Seasons Community Center:

Bake Sale with Free Coffee and Water,
October 19 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

#### **Hurricane Helene and Hurricane Milton**

If you would like to help by sending donations to those affected by the recent Hurricane Helene and Hurricane Milton, there are forms on the table by the bulletins in the back of the church. The form can be filled out and sent to the designated address listed. Thank you for your gifts to the Lutheran Disaster Response Hurricane fund!

# Come and Eat! Wilmington Church Dinner Sunday, October 20th 10:30 - 1:00 pm @ Spring Grove Fest Building Drive through only Beef Tips in Gravy yun Mashed Potatoes Corn Dinner Roll & Lefse Cranberry Relish & Apple dessert \$15 per meal Sponsored by Wilmington Lutheran Church with support from Thrivent Financial Proceeds go toward local and worldwide charities and church We hope to see you there!

#### **Newsletter Folding**

Folding for November newsletters will be held on Tuesday, October 29. Please note this change from the October calendar and newsletter. Thank You!

#### **Coffee and Fellowship**

The church council will be hosting coffee and fellowship on October 27 after the worship service.