

Immanuel – St. Paul



Lutheran Church
Missouri Synod

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The Last Sunday of the Church Year

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November 22, 2015
Today's Worship

The Order Of Worship

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion TLH pg. 15ff
10:00 a.m. Morning Worship TLH pg. 5ff

The Hymns

8:00 a.m. 609, 446, 304, 244
10:00 a.m. 609, 446, 244

The Sermon

Theme: "Stay Awake"
Text: Mark 13:37

Today's Readings

First Reading [Isaiah 51:4-6](#)
Epistle Reading [Jude 20-25](#)
Gospel Reading [Mark 13:24-37](#)

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A Note To Our Visitors

We welcome you in the name of our living Savior, Jesus Christ, and we pray that your time of worship with us today will be a blessing to you.

Church Notes

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings Are:

[Jeremiah 33:14-16](#)

[1 Thessalonians 3:9-13](#)

[Luke 19:28-40](#)

Prayer for the Day

Lord God, so rule and govern our hearts and minds by your Holy Spirit that, always keeping in mind the end of all things and the day of judgment, we may be stirred up to holiness of life here and may live with you forever in the world to come. Amen

Thanksgiving

Join us for **Thanksgiving Worship** Wednesday at 7:00 pm. at St. Paul's or Thursday at 8:00 am. at Immanuel.

Advent Worship

This Advent we are going to hear a story. It's a love story. But don't worry, it's not a mushy love story, it is a true love story. It's the story of how much God loves you. **The story is called "God's Love at Christmas."** Join us each **Wednesday in Advent at 7:00 pm. for worship:** December 2 at Immanuel, December 9 at St. Paul's, and December 16 at Immanuel.

Military BibleSticks

An ingathering for Military BibleSticks will be held today at St. Paul's.

Operation Christmas Child

The last Sunday to bring shoeboxes to church is **today**. Be sure your box has ONE LABEL, EITHER BOY OR GIRL, TAPED SECURELY TO THE TOP & \$7 UNDER THE RUBBER BAND.

Christmas Caroling

St. Paul's Ladies Aid invites the entire congregation to join them in Christmas Caroling on December 15. Those who would like to attend should meet at St. Paul's by 4:00 pm. The group will be caroling at Craig Manor and Three Springs. Caroling will be followed with supper at Reid's Harvest House.

Applebutter

Applebutter is still available at St. Paul's! If you would like some applebutter, please see Dot Feldmann or Peggy Henson.

Thrivent

Do you have a Thrivent account? Thrivent will donate money to Immanuel Lutheran church. Call Thrivent at 1-800-847-4836 and at the prompt say "Thrivent Choice". If you have any problems, call Judy Rodewald at 618-521-5501. If this money is not directed yearly, it is lost.

Tape Ministry

Thank you to everyone who helped with the tape ministry for 2015 at St. Paul's. If you would like to join the tape ministry, which helps to deliver tapes to those who are in nursing homes, assisted living, or are otherwise unable to make it to church, please let Donna Kothe know by November 22, 2015.

Ladies Christmas Party

Immanuel and St. Paul's Annual Ladies Christmas Party will be held at St. Paul on December 1, 2015, starting at 6:00 pm. All ladies of both congregation, as well as any friends you may wish to bring, are invited to attend. An ingathering will also be collected for military Bible Sticks that are produced by Faith Comes by Hearing. If you would like to attend, please contact Janet, Violet or Judy to RSVP. Please RSVP by November 23.

Christmas Program Practice

St. Paul's Christmas Program Practice begins on Sunday, November 29. Practice will be from 8:00 am to 9:45 am.

Practices will also be held at the same time on December 6, December 13, and December 20. The Christmas program party will also be on December 20 following the church service. Each child who wishes to participate in the gift exchange needs to bring a \$5.00-\$7.00 gift. Girls should bring a gift for a girl and boys should bring a gift for a boy. Each family is also asked to bring a dozen cookies to share. Pizza and soda will be provided.

November - The Month of Thanksgiving

Immanuel will be collecting items for Ronald McDonald House and Room this entire month. The ingathering is in memory of Tara Lynn Stoffel. Suggested items to donate include, but are not limited to: paper products (paper towels, toilet paper, Qtips, wipes, tampons, maxi pads, dish soap, paper plates & napkins), packaged food products (individually wrapped crackers/cookies, oatmeal/cream of wheat, cereal, snack bars, cereal bars, pop tarts, microwave popcorn, fruit/pudding cups, chips, ready to eat canned/boxed pastas, ready to eat soups, bottled water, juice boxes, canned/bottled sodas, hot chocolate, & coffee/tea bags) items for the activity shop (color books, crayons, drawing paper, pencils/pens, word search books, sudoku books & journals), and personal sized personal items (toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, hairspray, hand sanitizer, tooth brush, individual combs, soap & lotion).

*Come, Holy Spirit,
And Fill The Hearts Of Your Faithful*

This Week At Immanuel-St. Paul

<i>Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Holy Communion
	8:45 am	Sunday School @ St. Paul
	9:15 am	Sunday School @ Immanuel
	10:00 am	St. Paul's - Morning Worship
<i>Wednesday</i>	7:00 pm	Thanksgiving Eve Service @ SP
<i>Thursday</i>	1:00 pm	Bulletin Items Deadline
	8:00 am	Thanksgiving Day Service @ IM
<i>Next Sunday</i>	8:00 am	Immanuel - Matins
	8:45 am	Sunday School @ St. Paul
	9:15 am	Sunday School @ Immanuel
	10:00 am	St. Paul's - Matins