
January 2012



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH-2012



**Midweek Bible Study
& Worship with Communion**

6:00 pm - 6:50 pm - Classes
7 pm - 7:30 pm - Worship

Adult Classes:

- The Lord's Church:
Immanuel
(A Journey down Memory Lane)
led by Pastor Spomer
(*Multi-purpose room*)

**No Midweek
January 4th**

WINGS

**Mid-Week Program for
7th - 12th graders Every
Wednesday**
3:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Join us for Dinner, Bible Study
& Worship

Sunday School Classes

10:00 a.m.

Adult Classes:

† **Gospel of Luke**
Led by Pastor Wilke
Multi purpose room A

† **Jude**
Led by Pastor Hintz
Multipurpose room C

† **The Weekly Word**
Led by Pastor Spomer
Room 121/122

† **Wisdom For Mothers**
Led by Sara Hintz
Room 119

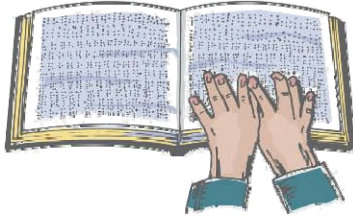
† **Messianic Prophecies in the
Old Testament**
Led by Bob Krahn
Room 120

Children's Classes:

2 & 3 year olds: Room #102
Preschool: Room #110
Kindergarten: Room #111
1st & 2nd Grade: Room #114
3rd & 4th Grade: Room #116
5th & 6th Grade: Room #124/125

Teen Classes:

Meet in Luther Hall
7th & 8th Graders
9th & 10th Graders
11th & 12th Graders



Immanuel's Braille Team will meet to put Scripture books together

The next meeting is
Monday, January 16 at 9:30 a.m.
at Our Savior Lutheran Church,
146 S. Sheridan, Tulsa.
For more Info call Mary Ellen Fletcher
at 918-357-2991.



MEND Appreciates You!

Dear Immanuel Lutheran Church,
Thank you so much for your many
donations of formula, furniture and
clothing to Mend Pregnancy Clinic.
Your generosity is much appreciated.



Relay For Life

Come join Immanuel Crusaders team for Relay for Life to be held June 1, 2012 at South Intermediate School. The team has been registered and you can join on line by going to www.relayforlife/ba.org.

Our goal this year is to have over 100 team members and to raise \$9,000.00. We also encourage you to start collecting your Coins for the Cure as we will have a contest to be named later. If you have any question call Shirley Busky at 918-449-9621 or e-mail hlbusky@aol.com.



Thank You from Broken Arrow Neighbors

Dear Friends of B.A. Neighbors,
Thank you for hosting the "Toy Drive"
and collecting 115 canned food items.
We truly appreciate this gift and your
compassion for those less fortunate in
our community. You certainly support
the foundation in making a difference
in the lives of those we serve.
Again, thank you

Dear fellow redeemed,

We would like to invite your congregation to a choir concert put on by St. Paul Lutheran High School Choir on Saturday, March 3rd, 2012. The choir will sing 4 and 8 part harmony, songs that cover the church year and general praise music.

The purpose for sharing this information now is so you may, if you please, pencil it in our your calendars. There is no cost, though we will probably have a free-will offering at the concert.

Pastor David R. Cloeter
Trinity Lutheran, Broken Arrow
918-455-5750



Taco Soup For Sale!!
Sunday, January 22nd
Between Services

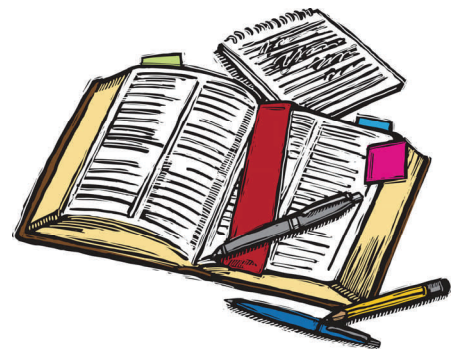
1 Quart of soup - \$8
1 Pint of soup - \$4

Come support the teens, help them raise funds for their mission trips and enjoy some great Taco Soup.

Valentine's Banquet
Sunday, February 12
6:00 p.m.

JOY in Immanuel
(the over-55 group)

Will be enjoying a brunch together on Saturday, January 28 at 11AM - all are welcome, of course!



**5th Sunday
With Your Elder
Sunday, January 29th
10:00 a.m.**

January Teen Events

Sunday, January 15th
Movie Night
6 - 8 pm



Saturday, January 21st
Soup Prep
10:00 am



Sunday, January 22nd
Soup Sales
Between Services



Sunday, January 22nd
Progressive Dinner
5 - 8 pm



Sunday, January 29th
Ladies Tea *Teen Fundraiser*
3 - 5 pm



Elder's Page

This month the Elder's article is written by David Woolf

May God bless you and your family in 2012!

Does it make me sound old to say how quickly these years keep rolling around? I remember when the radio was playing the new group called The Rolling Stones, and deciding what to watch on TV was easy because there were only three channels – four if you counted OETA, the educational channel.

Many people make a new year's resolution. How about you? To be honest, I rarely keep any that I make. There has been research done on this subject, so let me share some of the facts.

45-50% of all American adults will make at least one new year resolution

The most common resolutions are:

Lose weight

Exercise more

Stop smoking

Reduce debt/save more money

After 6 months – 30% have “scaled back” their resolution(s) and nearly half (46%) have broken their resolution(s). Only 12% actually achieve their resolution(s) at the end of the year.

Sometimes it is tough to follow through on what we resolve to complete. We have a bad day with the kids, so after they've gone to bed, we eat a bucket of ice cream covered in chocolate. We get depressed because someone is treating us unfairly, so we cancel our workout and turn on the TV. Our boss blamed us for some failure or piles on a ton of extra work, so we “light up”. The “Jones” next door just got a brand new car, so we can't be outdone!

Yes, the secular tradition of making resolutions can seem fun at first, but after some days, weeks or months, those resolutions will many times make us realize that we are weak and we live in a tough old world, full of sin and temptation.

As Christians, this should not come as any surprise to us. Sin and temptation are constantly chipping away at our lives. Satan would like nothing more than to see us just give up hope and surrender to the world.

Praise God that we have someone more powerful than any temptation or bad habit. We have God's own Son, Jesus Christ in our corner!

Here are some resolutions that will help us focus on God's forgiveness, love, mercy and grace.

Resolve to “make a joyful noise unto the Lord” ...Ps. 100:1

Resolve to “not be anxious” ...Matt. 6:25

Resolve to “lay up your treasures in heaven” ... Matt. 6:19-20

Resolve to “love your enemies” ... Matt. 5:44

Resolve to “reconcile your anger” ... Matt.5:21-26

God gives us His blessings of faith, His Word and Holy Communion to strengthen us.
Happy New Year!

Prayers



Mothers-to-Be:

Courtney Bence
Jerrilyn Eisenhauer
Kelsey Hamm
Stacey Long
Kate Thomas
Jessi Voss

If you would like to add your name
to the prayer list, please call the church
office at 918-258-5506

Those Serving in the Military

Lt. Colonel Garrett Benson
Private Suzanne Braumiller
Captain Blaine Cooper
Specialist Ryan Davis
Major John Dehn
Senior Airman Chris Dorr
Staff Sergeant Timothy Farlow
Specialist Wanda Graham
Sergeant Leonard Lyde
Carla Orebaugh
Senior Airman James Parmeter
Tech Sergeant Erik Seiler
Lt. Colonel Michael Seiler
Second Lt. Chris Wild
Lt. Colonel Joseph Worley

If you have updated information please
call the church office at 918-258-5506.

Health Concerns

Shirley Ellis
Susan Heavner
Ron Peacock
Martha Reck
Joyce Schwartz
Ruth Winden
Al Wescott

Those with Cancer

Glenda Henningsen
Elena Ramirez
Robbie Roberson

Surgeries/Recoveries

Glenda Urbanek
Twila Urbanek
Maria Werling
Stephanie Farlow
Bud Hale

Shut-ins

Virginia Baker
Lillian Dean
Louann Duensing
Gloria Hebermehl
Paul Helfrick
Judy Shay
Floreine Schuttner
Aline Whitaker

If you would like to add your name to one of the prayer lists
please call the church office at 918-258-5506

January 2012 Duty Roster

Jan. 1 - 10:00 am

One Service

Acolytes:

Josh Dinkelman
Anne Faust

Altar Guild:

Set-up

Heidi Stumbo
Pam Lawson

Clean-up

Robin Armer
Debbie Axsom

Greeters:

Mike & Antoinette Minnich
Bob & Jean Seiler
Aaron & Julie Thomas

Sound:

Pam Danner

Powerpoint:

Christy Hackler

Counters:

Phipps
Rieck
Cline

Elders:

*Woodruff
Brigham
Swanson
Krahn

Jan. 8 - 8:30 am

Acolytes:

Tyler Bailey
Jewel Bailey

Altar Guild:

Set-up

Loretta Herzberger
Jean Benzel

Clean-up

Cathy Thoni

Greeters:

Charles & Linda Hieber
Mike & Antoinette Minnich
Bob & Jean Seiler

Sound:

Tony Sanzalone

Powerpoint:

David Heim

Counters:

Wayne & Theresa
Wild

Elders:

*Beasley
Heisterberg
Korstad
Axsom

Jan. 8 -11 am

Sanctuary

Acolyte:

Kira Carlson

Altar Guild:

Set-up

Loretta Herzberger
Jean Benzel

Clean-up

Teresa Eiler

Greeters:

Glen & Loretta Hertzberger
Aaron & Julie Thomas
John & Letha Heusman

Sound:

MediaShout:

Rich Faust

Counters:

Wayne & Theresa
Wild

Elders:

*Brigham
Hackler
Swanson

Prayer Partners:

Sara Hintz
Paul Tobben
Mike & Kim Hood

Jan. 15 - 8:30

Acolytes:

Blake Jumper
William Koepsel

Altar Guild:

Set-up

April Lemaster
Tanya Jensen
Sandy Enloe

Clean-up

Dianne Hutchins
Kathy Siftar

Greeters:

Charles & Linda Hieber
Mike & Antoinette Minnich
Bob & Jean Seiler

Sound:

Troy Gacek

Powerpoint:

Mike O'Dell

Counters:

Herb & Elva
Bossaller

Elders:

*Krahn
Reck
Brigham
Seeman

January Duty Roster Continued

<u>Jan. 15 - 11 am</u>	<u>Jan. 22 - 8:30 am</u>	<u>Jan. 22 - 11 am</u>	<u>Jan. 29 - 8:30 am</u>	<u>Jan. 29 - 11 am</u>
<i>Sanctuary</i>		<i>Sanctuary</i>		<i>Sanctuary</i>
Acolyte: McKenzie Carothers	Acolytes: Gabby Beasley Andrew Bokal	Acolyte: Miranda Farlow	Acolytes: Amy Lundborg Tristan Swaim	Acolyte: Jamie Francetic
Altar Guild: <i>Set up</i> April Lemaster Tanya Jensen	Altar Guild: <i>Set up</i> Claudia Karasek Kate Thomas Sharon Sawvel	Altar Guild: <i>Set up</i> Claudia Karasek	Altar Guild: <i>Set up</i> April Lemaster	Altar Guild: <i>Set up</i> April Lemaster
<i>Clean-up</i> Valerie Eberhardt Sandy Enloe	<i>Clean-up</i> Kate Thomas	<i>Clean-up</i> Diane Alden Deidre Regenhard	<i>Clean-up</i> April Lemaster	<i>Clean-up</i> Valerie Eberhardt
Greeters: Aaron & Julie Thomas John & Letha Heusman Frank & Connie Thomas	Greeters: Charles & Linda Hieber Mike & Antoinette Minnich Bob & Jean Seiler	Greeters: Aaron & Julie Thomas John & Letha Heusman Brent & Laura Thompson	Greeters: Charles & Linda Hieber Mike & Antoinette Minnich Bob & Jean Seiler	Greeters: Aaron & Julie Thomas John & Letha Heusman Brent & Laura Thompson
Sound: James Graham	Sound: Gary Woodruff	Sound: David Lange	Sound: David Hood	Sound: Pam Danner
Media Shout: Vickie & Victor H.	PowerPoint: Julie Woodruff	PowerPoint: Tim Dinkelman	PowerPoint: Keith Koessel	PowerPoint: Jarrett Metzler
Counters: Herb & Elva Bossaller	Counters: Phipps Rieck	Counters: Phipps Rieck	Counters: Phipps Rieck	Counters: Phipps Rieck
Elders: *Beasley Woodruff Wolf	Elders: *Jensen Heisterberg Wolf Hackler	Elders: *Brigham Seeman Axsom	Elders: *Woodruff Krahn Seeman Axsom	Elders: *Beasley Kuhlmann Korstad
Prayer Partners: Connie Spomer Bob Morgenthaler Mike & Bonnie Giese		Prayer Partners: Vickie Horton Paul Tobben Robin Armer		Prayer Partners: Mark & Janet D'Arcy Mike & Bonnie Giese

January 2012 Duty Roster-for the Chapel

<u>Jan. 8 - 11 am</u>	<u>Jan. 15- 11 am</u>	<u>Jan. 22- 11 am</u>	<u>Jan. 29- 11 am</u>
Acolyte: Jacob Kopp	Acolyte: Jonathan Willis	Acolyte: Caleb Hintz	Acolyte: Louis Hintz
Altar Guild: <i>Set Up</i> April Lemaster	Altar Guild: <i>Set Up</i> Tanya Jensen	Altar Guild: <i>Set Up</i> April Lemaster	Altar Guild: <i>Set Up</i> April Lemaster
<i>Clean Up</i> April Lemaster	<i>Clean Up</i> Valerie Eberhardt Sandy Enloe	<i>Clean Up</i> Diane Alden Deidre Regenhardt	<i>Clean Up</i> April Lemaster Valerie Eberhardt
Greeters: Jeremy & Piper Willis	Greeter: Jeremy & Piper Willis	Greeter: Jeremy & Piper Willis	Greeter: Jeremy & Piper Willis
Elders: Krahn Wolf	Elders: Hackler Kuhlmann	Elders: Krahn Swanson	Elders: Hackler Jensen



Epiphany Service
Friday, January 6
7:00 p.m.

January Birthdays & Anniversaries

1/1

Tabitha Hoffman

Bailey Jennings

Fredrick & LeAnna

Hawkins, 9 years

Ronald & Delores Peacock

54 years

1/2

Allen Jumper

Jackie Oestreich

1/3

Leslie Bridgwater

1/4

Elaine Feldman

Rebecca Franklin

1/5

Joshua Gerner

Deborah Wagner

Michael & Jennifer

Stickney, 4 years

1/6

Avery Davis

Juliet Dodson

Greg Whiteley

Danielle Williamson

1/7

Darnita Cockrell

Ross Franklin

1/8

Sondra Simonton

1/9

Jo-Anne Finn

Joshua Herman

Hayden Koepsel

Dana Metzler

1/10

Justin Eisenhauer

1/11

Madilyn Queck

Pete Sheneman

Bianca Wilke

1/12

Tanya Jensen

April Lemaster

Ruby Means

Michael Minnich

1/13

Amber McClain

1/14

Meghan Blocher

Emily Tobben

Hannah Tobben

Paige Tobben

James & Danielle

Williamson, 6 years

1/15

Patti Anderson

Michael Scott

1/16

Stacey Long

Patty Palmer

1/17

Herb Bossaller

Tim Dodson

Irene Mathis

1/18

Ellen Miller

Emma Ramirez

1/19

Tracie Sanzalone

Miranda Thomas

1/20

Jim Dresher

Ruth Winden

1/21

Kayla Cartwright

Reiley Koepsel

1/22

Hillary Cockrell

John Faust

Braden Sanzalone

Paul Winden

1/23

Hunter Kindle

Jerry Kindle

Shelby Massey

1/24

Dennis McDonald

Evan VanTreese

1/25

David Lange

1/26

Suzanne Braumiller

Ben Buie

Beverly Buie

Robert Krahn

Pam Lawson

Wes Rainwater

C.J. & Glenda Wright

27 years

1/27

Theresa Valento

John & Patricia Brown

45 years

1/28

Susan Finn

Spencer Jennings

1/29

Claudia Karasek

Hope Peterson

Jay Stumbo

1/30

Jerald & Cheryl Shanks

52 years

1/31

Ken Buie

Bud & Becky Hale